

Alpha Course (27th October, 7pm)

Alpha is an internationally recognised course that introduces people to Christianity.

All you need to do is pray and invite.

From there we set up a safe environment over food and a video.

Will you commit to praying for the course?

Will you help people see Jesus?

Archbishop Kanishka Raffel urged Synod to see the task before us: "[to bring] the life and hope and grace of the gospel of the Lord Jesus to the 6 million or so individuals that inhabit Greater Sydney and the Illawarra. ... we are convinced that the local congregation and every member has a key role to play in bringing the gospel of the Lord Jesus to every community in Sydney."

The Archbishop wants churches and organisations to focus on mission, but also individuals. That is why he urges all Christians to engage in prayer (see below) and invitation to see many won for Christ. To read more in the latest Southern Cross <u>click here</u>.

Prayer

Archbishop's 5 days of prayer

- Day 1 pray for a member of your family who doesn't follow the Lord.
- Day 2 pray for a friend who doesn't know the Lord; a work colleague, a sporting buddy, the parent of your child's school friend.
- Day 3 pray for your circle of acquaintances; a neighbour, your doctor, or a barrista
- Day 4 pray for people you used to know but no longer see regularly.
- Day 5 pray for those you know who have drifted from Christian fellowship or from faith in Christ.

Rosters

9am Service

Bible reader		Prayer	Counters	
29	TBA	Phill Reads	Christine Blaser	
September	Joshua 11:12-23	Phill Reads	Doris Chan	
6 October	William Guo Joshua 24:1-27	Peter Sun	Cici Fu Peter Katsiris	

11am Service

	Greeters	Bible reader	Prayer	Counters	Musicians	Godly Play
29 September	Michelle Shao Keelan Stephandellis	Joseph Lin Joshua 11:12-23	Gordon Fu	Julia Zhu Michelle Shao	Phill Reads	Term Break / John
6 October	Jessie Yeung Jessie He	Andrew Ung Joshua 24:1-27	Phill Reads	Amy Zhu Jessie He	Sophina, Phill, Nathan, Lucy, Ray, Hua, Sarah, Gaye	Term Break

Online Banking

Please give your offertory by direct debit using the banking details below:

Westpac Bank, Mortdale St Johns General Fund BSB: 032167 Account No: 870821 Giving is one way we can participate in God's mission.

Your giving helps us provide a context where people learn what it means to follow Jesus. Thank you for your generosity.

Contact us

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Frequently asked questions

Who looks after rosters?

Grace our administrator organises the rosters monthly and sends out a reminder by text or WhatsApp. Speak with Phillip Read if you would like to join the roster.

Who looks after The Pulse (our weekly newsletter)?

Phillip Read collects the events and missionary prayer points. Please contact him about adding material into the newsletter.

What can you tell me about our parish administrator?

Grace Fung is a committed Christian who attends Beverly Hills Chinese Baptist Church. She works for Penshurst Anglican Church approx. 4 hours a week. Her primary responsibilities are translating The Pulse, rostering for the services and other administrative duties as directed by Phillip Read.

The best way to contact Grace is by e-mail (<u>pacadmin@penshurstanglican.org</u>)

How do I find out what events are planned for church?

You can look up events on our website (<u>https://www.penshurstanglican.org/pac-calendar</u>).

If I see small jobs that need doing around church, who do I tell?

Our wardens are responsible for the maintenance of the property. Please speak with them.

Who are our wardens and parish councillors?

Our Wardens are: Ronny Leung, Andrew Ung and Amy Zhu.

Our Parish Council are: Hua Feng, Jian Huang and Jeff Powys.

You can send questions or correspondence to <u>phill@penshurstanglican.org</u> or speak with one of the people above.

Prayer meetings

Sunday morning (Mandarin), 10am-11am in the hall Sunday night (English), 7:00pm - 8:00pm, summer - church; winter - Phill's office Tuesday night (Mandarin), 8pm - 9pm in the front of the church