

## Cell Groups at Penshurst Anglican Church

Our church calls itself a 'cell church', built upon the Biblical idea that the primary way that God's people can truly live out the Gospel is through small, intentional communities (called 'cells'). It is here where Jesus is given a far more intimate opportunity to do His work of transformation.

Group name/leader	Day/time/frequency
Trinity Forum	Meets monthly, last Monday of the month
Dorcas Fellowship	Meets 2nd & 4th Thurs at 9:45am
Gaye Bishop	Meets fortnightly on Tues evenings
Cliff Seeto	Meets fortnightly on Weds evenings
Megan & Jeff Powys	Meets weekly on Thurs evenings
Bart & Kim VandenHengel	Meets weekly on Thurs evenings
PAC Youth Group	Meets Friday eve, 7:45-9:45 pm
ReCharge! (University+ group)	Meets weekly on Tues. evenings, 7:30pm

### Sunday School:

Our Sunday School program runs during the 10:30am services, and only during school term. There are four classes available, based roughly on a child's age:

- Ages 3-5 Coordinators: Karen Fu (in upper hall classroom 1)
- Years 1-3 Coordinator: Hua (Nancy) Feng (in basement of hall)
- Years 4-6 Coordinator: Naomi Zrno (in library)
- Years 7-8 Coordinator: George Chan (in upper hall classroom 2)



## Penshurst Anglican Church

2 Carrington St, Penshurst, NSW 2222

Pastors: Bart VandenHengel (English speaking congregations)  
Aisen Ju (Mandarin speaking congregation)

Sunday Services: (8am) Prayer Book Service w/ Holy Communion  
(10:30am) Celebration service in English and Mandarin  
(7pm) 'The Quiet Place'

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# The Voice

Penshurst Anglican Church

We welcome you to our celebrations this morning! If you are a visitor here today, we pray that the Triune God of grace will richly meet you where you are, in the fellowship of His people here at PAC. We also invite you to make yourself known to us through the visitor forms found in the pew holders.

## The Uncomfortable Sayings of Jesus



Sunday, August 18, 2013

## Preaching program

New Sermon Series: "The Uncomfortable Sayings of Jesus"		
18 Aug	<i>"I came to bring fire on the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled!"</i>	Isaiah 3:1-9 Luke 12:49-56
25 Aug	<i>"Should not this woman, whom Satan has kept bound for 18 long years, be set free on the Sabbath day...?"</i>	Zech 2:10- 3:4 Luke 13:10-17

In this Sermon Series, we will be exploring seven lectionary readings from the latter chapters of Luke's Gospel in which Jesus tackles difficult subjects that we

### Church Camp:

## August 30 to Sept 1



**The 'Mid-Autumn Festival' is coming!**

Falling on the 15th day of the 8th month according to Chinese lunar calendar, the Mid-Autumn Festival is the second grandest festival after the Spring Festival in China. It takes its name from the fact that it is always celebrated in the middle of the autumn season. The day is also known as the Moon Festival, as at that time of the year the moon is at its roundest. On this day, family members gather to appreciate the bright full moon, eat moon cakes at night, express strong yearnings toward their homes and think of family members who live far away.

We will be celebrating this special day on Saturday, September 21st.

**Missions Month will begin on October 6th.**

Each Sunday, we will have one of our link missionaries come and give us an update on their work.

Our Market Day will be held on Saturday, Oct. 26.

## 10:30 Combined Worship Roster

Date	Welcome	Keys	Guitar	Drums	Vocals	Bible	Count
Aug-18	Naomi, Marilyn	Kat	Michelle, Phillip	Michael	Sun-Jae, Amelia, Lucy, James	Louise	Geoff, Cliff
Aug-25	Selina, Geoff	Terence	Bart, Gordon	Joshua	Gaye, Kelsey, Hua, Tony	Millie	Geoff, Steve
Sep- 1, Camp	??	?	?	?	????	?	??

## Calendar of Upcoming Events

Aug 18- Sept 29	New Sermon Series- "The Uncomfortable Sayings of Jesus"
Aug 30 to Sept 1	Church Camp at Galston Gorge
Sept 2	Parish Council Meeting
September 21	Mid-Autumn Festival
October 6- 27	Missions Month
October 26	Mega Mission Market

## Pray for Kian Holik

Thanks to all of you for your prayers for our ministry amongst international students at the University of Technology, Sydney. Your prayers are an encouragement for us in our ministry.

- Much has been happening in the last few days:
- We are postcarding our events and taking survey from students about their views of God.
  - Evangelistic talks with speakers challenging people's view about God.
  - We had more than 50 people in our first FOCUS meeting yesterday night and followed by dinner. It was the biggest meeting in number this year. Please pray that we can follow them up faithfully.

From this week until mid August, we join with our greater Christian body in UTS, Credo, and other universities in Sydney, for mission weeks called **Your God**. Please pray for the upcoming weeks, for speakers, outreach committee, and smoothness of this mission.

Thank you also for your prayer for FOCUS weekend getaway on early July. We had about 50 people and praise God that 2 people became Christians and 1 was baptized shortly after getaway. Our God is so good!

We appreciate your prayer as we start new semester. We are hoping that we can organize small groups Bible study, public meeting and other activities well in the midst of our mission weeks. Please pray that we can sustain our energy level.

Pray also that we can be godly parents for Josiah and Joel and be able to manage our time well while working in two different ministries.

Let us know if there is anything we can pray for you.  
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(PS Kian will be speaking at PAC on October 13th.)