

## 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.

| English-Speaking Cell Groups/    | Day/time/frequency           |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Bart VandenHengel                | Tuesday/ 7:30pm/weekly       |
| Gaye Bishop                      | Tuesday/ 7:30pm/ fortnightly |
| Cliff Seeto                      | Weds / 7:30pm/ fortnightly   |
| Megan & Jeff Powys               | Thursday/ 7:30pm/ weekly     |
| ReCharge! (University+ group)    | Thursday/ 7:30pm/ weekly     |
| PAC Youth Group                  | Friday/ 7:30-9:30 pm/ weekly |
| 'The Quiet Place' prayer meeting | Sunday/7pm/weekly            |

If you are interested in joining one of these cells, you can either talk directly to one of the group leaders or to Bart for more guidance on which cell will fit you best. You may even want to start your own!

### 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)
- Ages 6-7 Coordinator: Hua (Nancy) Feng (in basement of hall)
- Ages 8-10 Coordinator: Bart VandenHengel (in library)
- Years 11-12+ 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) Bi-lingual Celebration service in English and Mandarin

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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.

**"Come, Follow Me!"  
Feeling Self-Confident**



Sunday, August 17, 2014

## Preaching program

### “Come, Follow Me!”

As the title implies, this new sermon series will focus on what it means to be Christ’s disciples, but **particularly from an emotional perspective**. Through these studies, we will begin to introduce some of the concepts that we will study in greater depth during our church camp in September.

Sermon Series: **Come, Follow Me!**

|           |                               |                                    |
|-----------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Aug<br>17 | <b>Feeling Self-Confident</b> | Isaiah 55:6-11<br>Matthew 16:13-23 |
| Aug<br>24 | <b>Feeling Confused</b>       | Matthew 17:1-13                    |
| Sept<br>7 | <b>Feeling Proud</b>          | Matthew 18:1-13                    |

### **Attention: All Sunday School Teachers!**

**Youthworks** will be running a special accredited (and compulsory) training for us on **Sunday afternoon, August 24th**.

**This training includes:** 1. The developing child  
2. Group management

## PAC’s annual Missions Month

is fast approaching.

Every year, we raise extra money for missions by holding a **Mega Missions Market** of used and near-new items collected from our parishioners.

**Please begin to consider what you might contribute to this sale!**

## 10:30 Combined Worship Roster

| Date   | Welcome             | Music Team           | Bible Reader | Counters        |
|--------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Aug-17 | Tam,<br>Margaret    | Team 3- Rueves & Kat | Kat          | Cliff,<br>Doris |
| Aug-24 | Geoff,<br>Andrew C. | Team 4- Nancy Lee    | Bing         | Doris,<br>Tina  |
| Aug-31 | Peter,<br>Andrew U. | Team 5- Bart         | Kim          | Tina,<br>Geoff  |

## Calendar of Upcoming Events

|                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Sun., July 27   | New Sermon Series— <b>“Come, follow Me!”</b>                     |
| Sun., August 24 | <b>Youthworks</b> compulsory training for Sunday School Teachers |
| Sun., August 31 | Final <b>Camp Committee Meeting</b> (12:30pm)                    |
| Sept 5-7        | <b>Church Camp</b> at Telford in Royal National Park             |
| October         | <b>Missions Month at PAC</b>                                     |
| Sat., Oct 25    | <b>Mega Mission Market</b>                                       |

## Pray for Virginia Thomson at PGHS

### Year 7

During term three the students will be looking at Jesus’ teachings considering topics such as the “greatest commandment”, ‘good Samaritan’ and other selected parables.

**Pray** that students are attentive in their classes and gain great insight and wisdom about how they can lead lives reflecting Jesus love for them as they study.

### Year 8

Students are focusing on the difference Christianity makes in their personal life; Obedience and who is in control are major themes as they consider what Jesus said, whether they believe it and how they respond.

**Pray** for the students to come to understand and believe the truth of what Jesus said and seek to be obedient to Him in their lives.

### Year 9

Year 9 students are looking at life designed by God and gospel basics in their third term seminar.

**Pray** they will gain a clear understanding of how God intended life to be, how the gospel addresses our sins and that they respond well to this message.

### Year 10

In their third term seminar students will be considering the difficulties life brings and how to deal with them including what is worth fighting for in light of Jesus teachings. **Pray** that students will come to see Jesus as the way and means to face their challenges in life.

### ISCF @ Penshurst

The Year 7 & 8 group are enthusiastically continuing from their earlier overview of the Old Testament to the New Testament focusing on the book of Acts to understand how the Bible’s story continues. Students from Year 9 &10 have discontinued coming to ISCF in light of the multiple demands on their time. **Pray** for the year 7&8 student’s enthusiasm to continue, for them to connect well with the gospel message as it is presented in Acts and that they grow in their understanding and faith. Also **pray** for year 9 &10 girls to make wise decisions as they prioritise the demands on their time and that they ultimately seek to prioritise