

# **PAC Pulse**

3 August 2025

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# News

# Seeking God's will

I've asked members of the 9am service to seek God's will as to where we meet. So how do you do this?

# 1) Know yourself

What do you think or feel on the issue? Why do you think or feel this way? It is easy to confuse our emotions with what we think God wants. We need to clarify where we are before finding out what God wants.

# 2) Open God's word

Here is where God makes his will clear. He tells us of what matters most to him and the character he wants us to have. There are times that there is a direct verse on the issue. Other times it will be bringing together principles for understanding what is significant (ie if the Bible doesn't say anything about the issue, perhaps it's not that important?).

## 3) Pray for wisdom

James 1 teaches us that God gives wisdom generously. As we want to do his will we should also seek his wisdom.

## 4) Discuss with other Christians

You need to move beyond what you think and feel to see if it resonates with other mature Christians. They will also give a different perspective to consider.

# **Prayer**

## Sashi Grayndler (St Georges Hospital Anglicare Chaplain)

- Thanks for the Pastoral Care course (12 participants)
- For health as there is much sickness around the hospital
- For Sashi's daughter Aly as she recovers from surgery
- For chaplains to grow deeper in faith and love of God

# **Rosters**

# 9am Service

	Bible reader	Prayer	Counters
3 Aug	Cliff Seeto	Doug Colding	Cliff Seeto
	Genesis 1	Doug Golding	Peter Katsiris
10 Aug	William Guo Genesis 2	Megan Powys	Toula Katsiris Doris Chan

# 11am Service

	Greeters	Bible reader	Prayer	Counters	Musicians
3 Aug	Jessie Yeung	Andrew Ung		Liping Wei	Sophina, Gordon,
	Michelle Shao	Genesis 1	Kwame Aforo-Addo	Jessie He	Lucy, Jessie, Sarah,
				jessie 11e	Gaye, Jono, Ray
10 Aug	Lauren Hutton Jinbo Shi	Daniel Lu Genesis 2		Geoff Scrimes	Mary, Nathan,
			Ray Li		Andrew, Leo,
			·	Jinbo Shi	Eve, Amy

# **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.

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# **Sunday Service Roster - August 2025**

**PAC 9am Sunday Service Roster** 

	3 <sup>rd</sup> August		10 <sup>th</sup> August		17 <sup>th</sup> August		24 <sup>th</sup> August		31 <sup>st</sup> August	
Theme	Laying the Foundations									
Bible Reader	Cliff Seeto	Genesis 1	William Guo	Genesis 2	Ken Sensus	Genesis 3	Christine Blaser	Genesis 4	Peter Katsiris	Genesis 6
Prayers	Doug Golding		Megan Powys		Carolyn Moore		Jeff Powys		Phill Read	
Counters	Cliff Seeto Peter Katsiris		Toula Katsiris Doris Chan		Saw See Doris Chan		Kathie Johnson William Guo		Kathie Johnson Merilyn Mayhew	
Musicians	Phill, Peter		Phill, Peter, Nerita		Phill, Peter		Phill, Peter, Nerita		Phill, Peter, Joy	
Songs	And can it be? 138 Rejoice (come and stand) Power of your love		Thine be the glory 303 Who you say I am When I survey 258		Holy, holy, holy 65 It was finished Yet not I, but Christ in me		How firm a foundation 491 It is well with my soul 676 Still, my soul be still		Guide me, O thou great Jehovah 478 On that day Worthy is the lamb	

**PAC 11am Sunday Service Roster** 

	3 <sup>rd</sup> August		10 <sup>th</sup> August		17 <sup>th</sup> August		24 <sup>th</sup> August		31 <sup>st</sup> August	
Theme	Laying the Foundations									
Greeter	Jessie Yeung Michelle Shao		Lauren Hutton Jinbo Shi		Keelan Stephandellis Liping Wei		Lydia Lou Yan Zhou		Jessie He Marina Leung	
Bible Readers	Andrew Ung	Genesis 1	Daniel Lu	Genesis 2	Colette Read	Genesis 3	ТВА	Genesis 4	Lydia Lou	Genesis 6
Prayers	Kwame Aforo- Addo		Ray Li		Keelan Stephandellis		Tina Ung		Phill Read	
Counters	Liping Wei Jessie He		Geoff Scrimes Jinbo Shi		Ronny Leung Mina Zhou		Amy Zhu Julia Zhu		Wardens	
Lock Up	Phill		Phill		Phill		Phill		Phill	
Musicians	Sophina, Gordon, Lucy, Jessie, Sarah, Gaye, Jono, Ray		Mary, Nathan, Andrew, Leo, Eve, Amy		Candace, Gordon, Joseph, Ray, Cheng, Jennifer, Dani, Tina		Shirley, Phill, Leo, Eve, Amy		Phill	
Songs	I worsh almigh Rejoice (d	wonders nip you, ity God come and nd)	His merc	in of joy y is more say I am	His merc It was finis	redeemer y is more shed upon cross	Cornerstone Turn my life to you Grace alone		Transformation His mercy is more On that day	

# 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 (pacadmin@penshurstanglican.org)

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

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

#### 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 <a href="mailto:phill@penshurstanglican.org">phill@penshurstanglican.org</a> 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