# 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

#### **Contact details:**

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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.





Sunday, July 13, 2014

#### Preaching program

#### Sermon Series from Matthew 13 —

We will continue with our series on Matthew 13 next week, exploring how the seven well-known parables from this chapter deal with the various ways that the human heart respond to the Word of God's eternal Kingdom.

Sermon Series: Parables of the Heart					
July 13	A Net Full of Fish	Revelation 20:11-15 Matthew 13:47-50			
July 20	The Wise Teacher	Hebrews 10:1-7 Matthew 13:51-52			

## "Come, Follow Me!"

is a New Sermon Series which will begin on **July 27th.**As the title implies, it will focus on all that Jesus meant when He called us to be His disciples.

These studies will begin to introduce some of the material that we will be looking at on our church camp in September.

# **Church Camp News**

Application Forms for the camp are now available at the back of the church.

The group games, activities and interactive studies on being an "Emotionally Healthy Church" are all being finalised.

Christmas in July— for more details, see Naomi Zrno

## 10:30 Combined Worship Roster

Date	Welcome	Keys	Guitar	Drums	Vocals	Bible	Count
					Louise, Millie,		Steve,
Jul-13	Kim, Tam	Ruevern	Bing	Aisen	George, Jennifer L.	Margaret	Doris
Jul-20	Margaret, Millie	Kat	Gordon, Phillip	Sam	Tina, Selina, Sarah, Mina	Kathie	Doris, Tina
Jul-27	Naomi, Merilyn	Louie	Brian, Byron	Joshua	Kat, Amy, Jimmy, Helen	Louise	Tina, Geoff

## Calendar of Upcoming Events

May 18–20 July	Sermon Series— Parables of the Heart		
Sun, July 6 & 13	3 Winter Holidays- No Sunday School		
Sun., July 20	Mission Sub-Committee Meeting (9:30am)		
Sun. July 20	Music Team Practice— 12:30 to 2:30pm		
Sun., July 27	Women's event— Christmas In July!		
Sept 5-7	Church Camp at Telford in Royal National Park		

# **Prayers for Parents**

Almighty God, heavenly Father, you have blessed us with the joy and care of children: Give us calm strength and patient wisdom as we bring them up, that we may teach them to love whatever is just and true and good, following the example of our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Source: Book of Common Prayer

God, I love my children but they are driving me to distraction. I'm losing control. I need help. I realize I can never direct them in their young lives until I live my own life with integrity. Give me the strength and wisdom to be a good example. Replace my anger and shouting with patience, trust and a sense of humor. Help me see their restless energy as a sign of vitality and a part of their development. Even when I am tired and upset, help me find joy with them. Help me remember that children are a gift from You and an opportunity to learn wisdom, discipline and true, selfless love. Thank You for that gift. Please don't let it get me down. Amen.

Source: A Prayer for Every Need by Norman Vincent Peale

O God, you made us in your own image and redeemed us through Jesus your Son: Look with compassion on the whole human family;
Take away the arrogance and hatred which infect our hearts; break down the walls that separate us; Unite us in bonds of love; and work through our struggle and confusion to accomplish your purposes on earth;
That, in your good time, all nations and races may serve you in harmony around your heavenly throne; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Source: The Book of Common Prayer