



EASTWOOD UNITING CHURCH

14 - 16 Lakeside Road, Eastwood

12th January 2020

**WELCOME TO ALL WHO ARE WITH US FOR THE FIRST TIME.
MAY YOU EXPERIENCE GOD'S PRESENCE AS WE WORSHIP TOGETHER**

12th January	8.00am	Meeting at Rumbles
	9.30am Holy Communion Isaiah 42:1-9, Matthew 3:13-17 <i>'God's grace is there for all'</i> 神的恩典是給予所有人 하나님의 은혜는 우리 모두를 위해 거기에 있다	Rev. Jan Reeve
	2.00pm Chinese Service	Rev Joel Huang
19th January	8.00am	Meeting at Rumbles
	9.30am Worship <i>'Following Jesus: How is the road you're travelling?'</i> 跟隨耶穌：你走的路怎麼樣？	Rev. Jan Reeve
	2.00pm Chinese Service	Edward Lin



欢迎所有第一次来参加崇拜的朋友们。

希望你们在和我们一起崇拜的时候感受到上帝的存在。

유나이팅 교회에 처음 방문해주신 모든 분들을 환영합니다. 함께 예배하는 가운데 살아계신 주님을 만나고 돌아갈 수 있길 소망합니다.

We are glad you are here, and hope the service is thought-provoking, relevant and helpful.

Welcome

To Rev Jan Reeve who will be providing supply ministry during January and February, while Nicholas is on sick leave.

SYMPATHY to Christopher Cooper and family on the death of Elisabeth on 2nd January. There will be a service here at 11am on Monday 13th January, followed by the committal in the Camelia Chapel, at Macquarie Park Crematorium, Plessey Rd, North Ryde at 12.30pm. Extra parking will be available at St Kevin's Parish School, Hillview Rd for the service here at Eastwood UC.



FRIDAY FELLOWSHIP will meet at Wings Restaurant, Vimiera Road Marsfield on Friday 17th January at 12 noon. Please let Elaine know you will be coming. Phone 9868 2895.

HELP WITH SOME YARD WORK Property Committee is organising some yard work at Vera Street before new tenants arrive. Possibly Saturday 25 January, Tuesday 28 January or Wednesday 29 January. If you are on holidays and would like to lend a hand, please speak or call Graham Horrocks.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Bob Springett	Today	12th Jan
Bruce Luckie	Monday	13th Jan
Peggy Looby	Wednesday	15th Jan
Melissa Joannou	Thursday	16th Jan
Sandra Batey	Friday	17th Jan
Craig Todd	Friday	18th Jan

‘PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS’

Tennyson C.

Nicholas F.

Pat E.

Shirley W.

JANET COUSENS, CEO, ACT FOR PEACE shared the following:

‘Over the years, you have supported many people around the world affected by conflict and disaster. Many of those partners are now expressing their concern, and I wanted to share a message from OfERR, our partner in India and Sri Lanka who together we have been supporting for over 30 years.

Words cannot express how sorry we are about the recent Bushfires. Your loss is huge, and we can only imagine the fear and pain you feel.

Our heartfelt condolences to the families who have lost their loved ones and our deepest sympathy to the many families who have lost their homes and livelihoods. We also want to commend the firefighters who have given their time to the noble cause of saving lives.

Our thoughts and prayers are with those across Australia who are continuing to face the devastating fires that have been raging for months.

In this time of great hardship caused by the ruthless bush fires, on behalf of Refugees in India Refugee Returnees in Sri Lanka and the OfERR family, we would like to convey our solidarity and pray for quick recovery from the effects of this disaster.

We are praying for our country, for rain, for those who are grieving and those who are living in fear. We also pray for those in leadership, that they would have our Lord’s wisdom as they make decisions that affect us now and our future, and courage to address the root causes of our drought and the fires and to make the significant changes required to protect our environment in the future.’

AUNTY JEAN PHILLIPS, in partnership with Common Grace, invites Australian Churches to hold services of acknowledgement, lament and prayer as we approached January 26th – a day of mourning for our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander brothers and sisters. In January 2020, the #ChangeTheHeart Prayer Services will be guided by the theme "Truth Telling: the truth will set us free".

You're invited to Berowra Baptist Church from **7pm on Monday 20th January** for a service of prayer and lament for the 26th of January.

See https://www.commongrace.org.au/jan26_2020_berowra

We are all ministers in Christ's name

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Mission: Witness to the gospel and spread the good news of Jesus Christ in word and action.

Vision: Engage and connect with our diverse community through active discipleship.

Values:	Visible	可见的	비전을 가질 수가 있고
	Inclusive	包容的	포괄적이 될 수있고
	Relevant	相关的	적절하고
	Active	积极的	역동적이 될 것이다

LECTIONARY READINGS:

Jan 12 Baptism of Jesus Is 42:1-9, Ps 29, Acts 10:34-43, Mt 3:13-17
 Jan 19 Epiphany 2 Is 49:1-7, Ps 40:1-11, 1 Cor 1:1-9, Jn 1:29-42

WEEKLY NOTICES, and **SUNDAY SERVICES** for Eastwood are available for viewing on our website. So, if you are away on any Sunday you can catch up at www.euc.org.au

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