



EASTWOOD UNITING CHURCH

14 - 16 Lakeside Road, Eastwood

17 January 2021

**WELCOME TO ALL WHO ARE WITH US FOR THE FIRST TIME.
MAY YOU EXPERIENCE GOD'S PRESENCE AS WE FIND DIFFERENT WAYS
TO WORSHIP AND BE COMMUNITY**

17th January	8.00am	Meeting at Rumbles
	9.30am Worship	Ian Pearson
	1 Samuel 3:1-10, John 1:43-51	
	<i>'Awestruck!'</i>	
	YouTube link for message	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v4BkKy3G9MM	
	2.00pm Chinese Service online WeChat group	
24th January	8.00am	Meeting at Rumbles
	9.30am Worship	Ian Pearson
	2.00pm Chinese Service online WeChat group	

WORSHIP UPDATE

Church Council, have made the decision for the return to face to face worship from next Sunday, 24th January.

Numbers will now be limited to 60 people, including children.

Congregational singing is not allowed.

It is a requirement that masks be worn while indoors.

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.

Welcome

We are glad to have you with us today, to share in this Worship service led by Rev. Ian Pearson, supply minister for the next few months. We hope that you enjoy the time of worship, and feel welcomed and included even as we work within the new COVID-19 guidelines.

WORSHIP RESOURCES are emailed on Fridays to those with email. Printed copies of the news sheet and readings will be delivered to those without internet access. A link for the sermon video is on the front page. The Assembly website has a list of livestreaming and online worship services. <https://assembly.uca.org.au/resources/ministry-during-covid-19>. Updates on services and news are also available on the Presbytery website: <https://sydneycentralcoastpresbytery.uca.org.au>

Synod has stipulated that **every group** that either meets in the name of Eastwood Uniting Church (including Bible studies in a home) or uses the Church premises for any activity, **must provide Church Council with a safety plan** that complies with regulations and guidelines set out by both the NSW Government and the NSW/ACT Synod. Chris Wakefield kindly agreed to be our contact person with Synod on behalf of Church Council.



SOCIAL ZOOM each Friday at 7.30pm Janine organises a 'Social Catchup' via Zoom. It is a relaxed meeting. If you would like to participate, please contact the church office for the link.

PASTORAL CARE Please continue to keep connected with each other by phone, email and text.

'PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS'

Merrill B,
Margaret S,

Jason M,
Liz M's mother Katy

From next Sunday the 9.30am service will be face-to-face with masks and no congregational singing. At this stage it is not necessary to register with the office beforehand. Registration is required as you enter for worship services. The QR code is available. It is recommended that you download the Service NSW App on your smartphone to facilitate this process. If you don't have a smartphone, register your attendance in the paper register on the table in the foyer.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS. The church office hours have been reduced to three days a week while we are with just one secretary. The office will be closed Mondays and Thursdays during January. For urgent matters contact Ian Pearson: 0403 062 253

2PM CHINESE SERVICE will use WeChat for services and to maintain relationships and support. Please contact Tennyson 0411896274.

CHANGES TO BANKING. Direct debits and transfers to the church account remain unchanged. All counter deposits, previously done at Westpac branches are now to be done at Australia Post outlets with new deposit books. Please contact Janelle and return any Westpac deposit books.

2020 VOUCHER APPEAL: SUPPORTING JESUIT REFUGEE SERVICE AND HOUSE OF WELCOME. Donations can still be made throughout January and February 2021. Purchase a Coles/Myer, Westfield Voucher or gift card to another department store or pharmacy to the amount of your choice. JRS & HoW can add these to their client's foodbank deliveries for them to buy essential items. Send vouchers to:

**Jesuit Refugee Service
Suite 1 10-12 Victoria Road
Parramatta NSW 2150**

Vouchers or money to purchase vouchers can be given to Marion G to send on your behalf.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sandra Batey	Sunday	17th January
Rafael Edington-Cheater	Friday	19th January
Amy Wellham	Friday	19th January

We are all ministers in Christ's name

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Please send all notices to the Office



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 17 Epiphany 2 1 Sm 3:1-10, (11-20), Ps 139:1-6,13-18,
 1 Cor 6:12-20, Jn 1:43-51

Jan 24 Epiphany 3 Jon 3:1-5,10, Ps 62:5-12, 1 Cor 7:29-31,
 Mk 1:14-20

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

Banking Details for Direct Giving:

BSB: 634 634

Account #: 100020668