Weekly Small Groups

Day & Time	Groups	Key Contact
Tue 8:00PM	English Small Group (fortnightly)	Ps. Kathleen Chye
Thu 7:00PM	Jonah Group (fortnightly)	Gary Tan
Fri 6:30PM	Youth Group	Yvonne Lu
Sat 9:00AM	Church Prayer Meeting	Rev. Wesley Chen

Sunday English Service Roster

Today	roster.efcsydney.org	Next Week
Rev. Joseph Kao	Speaker	Rev. Luke Wong
Dan Kao	Chairperson	Bobby Lu
Edison Huang	Song Leader	Amy Chen
Yvonne Lu	Pianist	Caleb Kao
	Guitar / Co-singer	
Dan Kao	Bible Reading	Bobby Lu
Peter Chang	Audio & Projector	Lucas Zhu
Cora Huang	Sunday School Teacher	Cora Huang

Last Week Statistics

Total Offering $163,596.30

Mandarin Service	$146.30	Building	$158,400.00
English Service	$20.00	Thanksgiving	
Tithe		Planting	$1,288.00
Tithe (electronic)	$3,742.00		

We prefer you offer by electronic fund transfer (EFT). Here are our church account details:
A/C Name: Evangelical Formosan Church of Sydney Inc **BSB:** 032 090 **A/C#:** 364380
Please ensure you specify one of the following in the description:
"Tithe", "Building", or "Thanksgiving".

Total Sunday Attendance 208

Mandarin Service	167	English Sunday School Teacher	2
English Service	31	English Sunday School Student	8

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Making Intentional Disciples to Build a Missional Community of Faith Hope and Love

15TH May 2022

Order of Service

Prelude	----------	Chairperson
Call to Worship	----------	Chairperson
Worship in Songs	----------	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer	----------	Chairperson
Bible Reading	Nehemiah 2:17-20	Chairperson
Message	Standing Out in Faith	Rev. Joseph Kao
Response Song & Offering	The Old Rugged Cross	Congregation
Welcome and Notices	----------	Chairperson
Benediction	----------	Rev. Joseph Kao
Postlude	----------	Congregation

All are welcomed to come in, to be built up in the Word of God and to live out the love of Jesus Christ

2022: Year of Service
Keeping the Fervor, Serving the Lord.

WELCOME & NOTICES

1. **Sunday service:** We thank Rev. Joseph Kao for today's message. May God continue to bless his ministry and his family.
2. **English Small Group**: The next small group meeting will take place on 17th May 2022 (Tuesday) via Zoom at 8:30pm. Zoom ID: 965 8543 4866. Passcode: 1.
3. **Jesus Squad**: Jesus Squad has resumed physical youth group meeting on 29th April.
4. **Compassion Australia**: This is a kind reminder for youths and Sunday School children to bring in their donations for our sponsored children.
5. **EMC Meeting**: We will have our EMC meeting today after worship service. All EMC leaders are reminded to attend.
6. **Special lecture (3)**: A special lecture will be given through Zoom (ID: 829-456-226, #1) on Monday, 23 May from 8:00pm to 9:30pm. Sister 孫杰 (group leader) will give a lecture on " Biblical Characters - Judge Samson ". Brothers and sisters are welcome to participate.
7. **Group Leader Meeting**: On 30th May (Monday), the Group Leader Meeting will be held via Zoom (ID: 829-456-226, #1) from 8:00-9:00 pm. All group leaders and core co-workers of the groups are welcome to participate. Zoom ID: 829-456 -226, #1.
8. **Co-worker fellowship**: The co-worker fellowship for the second half of the year will be held in the foyer of the church from 9:40am to 2:30pm on 25 June (Saturday). All co-workers are welcome and please register with Tina Lin in advance in order to prepare lunch.
9. **Church planting**: From the beginning of 2022, the church has commenced a Prayer Station near Turramurra through one of our small groups in the Upper North Shore. The prayer and worship meeting is currently held from 4.00-5.30pm Sunday via Zoom (ID: 667-805-721, #1). We seek the guidance of God, welcome all brothers and sisters to participate, dedicate to the church planting and pray for this ministry. (Reference for donation: planting).
10. **Prayer meeting**: The church holds the Saturday prayer meeting from 9:00 to 10:00 on Zoom (Meeting ID: 282 839 978, #1). Brothers and sisters are welcome to participate in the online prayer meeting.
11. **Church building offering**: The 6th instalment target is $200,000. With $162,429.00 of offerings in April, the accumulated amount reaches $$310,662.11 and the target has been achieved. The target of the 7th (last) instalment has accumulated $110,662.11 with the shortage of $89,337.89. Please brothers and sisters continue to pray with a thankful heart.

PRAYER POINTS

1. **Pray for the world**: We pray for peace between Russia and Ukraine. May the Lord protect and heal the people of Ukraine, give strength to everyone who is wounded, lonely or broken-hearted, and replace anxiety, fear and anxiety with peace and hope. We also pray for the escalating Covid-19 pandemic in Taiwan. May the Lord bless this land so that the pandemic can be effectively controlled. Moreover, we pray for the life-threatening and natural disasters caused by extreme heat in India and Pakistan. May the mercy of the Lord come, and the people of this land belong to the Lord alone.
2. **Pray for Australia**: We pray for the high level of the Covid-19 cases in Australia, and may the Lord to give wisdom to the government to prevent the pandemic from getting out of control again. We also pray for the Lord to inspire the revival of the church after the pandemic and make Australia a blessed country.
3. **Church body**: We pray for the recovery of elder Ruey-Rong Wang, sister Becky Wang's mother, sister 陳靜敏, elder 洪昭明, sister 陳玄乾, brother Franklin Nieh, sister Ruth Wei, brother 薛文正, and brother Jeffrey Wang's father. We continue to pray for the wellbeing of expectant mums Becky, Betty and Angela, and their babies. We also pray for those brothers, sisters and children diagnosed Covid-19 positive. May the Lord heal their bodies and make them recover quickly without any after-effect.