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
Ps. Boon Quah	Speaker	Jeffrey Wang
Dan Kao	Chairperson	Gary Tan
Amy Chen	Song Leader	Edison Huang
Yvonne Lu	Pianist	Caleb Kao
	Guitar / Co-singer	
Dan Kao	Bible Reading	Gary Tan
Peter Chang	Audio & Projector	Lucas Zhu
Cora Huang	Sunday School Teacher	Ethan Koh

Last Week Statistics

Total Offering $4,165.95

Mandarin Service	$347.70	Building	$216.25
English Service	$30.00	Thanksgiving	$500.00
Tithe		Planting	$200.00
Tithe (electronic)	$2,872.00		

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 185

Mandarin Service	149	English Sunday School Teacher	3
English Service	26	English Sunday School Student	7

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

12TH June 2022

Order of Service

Prelude	----------	Chairperson
Call to Worship	----------	Chairperson
Worship in Songs	----------	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer	----------	Chairperson
Kids Talk	----------	Ps. Boon Quah
Bible Reading	Genesis 2:1-3, Exodus 20:8-11, Matthew 12:8-13	Chairperson
Message	Restful or Restless	Ps. Boon Quah
Response Song & Offering	None but Jesus	Congregation
Welcome and Notices	----------	Chairperson
Benediction	----------	Ps. Boon Quah
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 Ps. Boon Quah 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 21st June 2022 (Tuesday) via Zoom at 8:30pm. Zoom ID: 965 8543 4866. Passcode: 1.
3. **Jesus Squad**: The high schoolers of Jesus Squad will be attending a conference, Onward Youth, on 24th June @6:30pm at The Concourse, Chatswood. Onward Youth is a one-night event that helps high schoolers make sense of the culture and world around them with a gospel-lens, and equips them to stand firm for their faith. The theme this year is **DOESN'T CHRISTIANITY CRUSH DIVERSITY?** The topics explored include gender equality, LGBTQ community, and the vulnerable. Those interested, please see Kathleen for details and permission note. There will be no youth group meeting for the primary schoolers on that night.
4. **Kids Talk**: We will have a kids talk as part of our worship service today. All Sunday School children will join our worship service from the beginning until Kids Talk. Thereafter, they will go to Sunday School for learning activities.
5. **Special lecture (4)**: A special lecture will be given through Zoom (ID: 829-456-226, #1) on Monday, 20 June from 8:00pm to 9:30pm. Deacon Ian Yin will give a lecture on "未來第二代的信仰特質". Brothers and sisters are welcome to participate.
6. **Co-worker fellowship**: The co-worker fellowship for the second half of the year will be held in the foyer of the church from 9:00am to 1:00pm on 25 June (Saturday). All co-workers are welcome and please register with Tina Lin in advance in order to prepare lunch.
7. **Group Leader Meeting**: On 27th June (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. **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).
9. **Fellowship activities**: The church will hold a church-wide family fellowship picnic at Lane Cove National Park (about 15-20 minute drive from the church) after the English service on July 3 (Sunday), from 12:30 to 3:30 pm. Lunch will be provided. Please do the best to make time for the whole family to participate, and each small group is encouraged to invite new friends. Please group leaders contact Sister Hui Fu about the number of group members who will participate.
10. **Church building offering**: From 9-31 May, the donation for building is $92,354.14. The 7th (last) instalment target of $200,000 has accumulated $203,016.25 with surplus of $3,016.25. Praise the Lord. We have repaid the mortgage.

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. We pray for the high level of Covid-19 pandemic in Taiwan. May the Lord bless this land so that the pandemic can be effectively controlled. We pray for the impending monkeypox pandemic. May the Lord give mercy so that the virus will not widely spread.
2. **Pray for Australia**: May the Lord bless Australia and give wisdom to the government authorities to effectively control the dual pandemics of the Covid-19 and influenza during the winter, especially to protect the health of children.
3. **Church body**: Please pray for the Lord's healing for Sister 顏侶文's lung tumour. 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 and Jasmine 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.
4. **Online Offering**: During the pandemic of Covid-19, we recommend you make your offering online (BSB: 032090, Account Number: 364380).
5. **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.

Message: Restful or Restless

Where do you find rest?

- TGIF
  שַׁבָּת (shābat)

1. The Creation's Rest (Genesis 2:1-3)
   - The 7th day is the goal of all creation
   - We are made to rest with God as God wants to rest with us
   - The opposite of rest is not work it is unrest or restlessness.
2. The Commandment's Rest (Exodus 20:8-11)
   - Sin has interrupted our rest
   - Physical rest is a reminder and reflection of Spiritual rest
   - This is the minimum not the maximum for God's people
3. The Christ's Rest (Matthew 12:8-13)
   - Jesus is the Lord of the Sabbath
   - Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath (Mark 2:27)

- Jesus offers rest for our souls, now and forever. (Matthew 11:28-30, Hebrews 4:9-11)
- Living a life of rest at:
  Home
  Work/School
  Leisure
  Church