Weekly Small Groups

Day & Time	Groups	Key Contact
Tue 8:30PM	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. Luke Wong	Speaker	
Gary Tan	Chairperson	
Edison Huang	Song Leader	
Caleb Kao	Pianist	Congregation Getaway
	Guitar / Co-singer	
Gary Tan	Bible Reading	
Monica Chang	Audio & Projector	
Cora Huang	Sunday School Teacher	

Last Week Statistics

Total Offering $10,378.40

Mandarin Service	$268.40	Thanksgiving	$1,500.00
English Service		Planting	$100.00
Tithe			
Tithe (electronic)	$8,860.00		

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 210 (Combined Service)

Mandarin Service	174	English Sunday School Teacher	1
English Service	30	English Sunday School Student	5

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

18TH SEPTEMBER 2022

Order of Service

Prelude	----------	Chairperson
Call to Worship	----------	Chairperson
Worship in Songs	----------	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer	----------	Chairperson
Bible Reading	Habakkuk 1:12-2:20	Chairperson
Message	God's Surprising Justice	Rev. Luke Wong
Response Song & Offering	Kyrie Eleison	Congregation
Welcome and Notices	----------	Chairperson
Benediction	----------	Rev. Luke Wong
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. Luke Wong 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 20th September 2022 (Tuesday) via Zoom at 8:30pm. Zoom ID: 965 8543 4866. Passcode: 1.
3. **Congregation Getaway**: Due to the wonderful and irresistable response from our previous getaway in April, English congregation is organising another long weekend getaway on 23rd-26th September at Lake Macquarie. It is the start of school holidays so everyone is invited to join this retreat to enhance bonding with one another and encourage each other with the word of God. There will be no English worship service at church on 25th September. For details, please contact Yvonne.
4. **Compassion Australia**: Jesus Squad and English Sunday School continue to sponsor two children, one from Indonesia and the other one from Ecuador. An offering box will be placed in the room where youths attend youth group meetings and children attend Sunday School. Please remind the youths and children to bring in their donation if they wish.
5. **Special lecture (7)**: A special lecture will be given through Zoom (ID: 829-456-226, #1) on Monday, 19 September from 8:00pm to 9:30pm. Rev. Charles Koh will give a lecture on "門訓知多少(二)". Brothers and sisters are welcome to participate
6. **Group Leader Meeting**: On 26th September (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.
7. **News from Regional Assembly**: The sessions of special topics of the 2022 EFC Australia Regional Meeting will be held on 1 October (Saturday) from 2:30 pm to 6:30 pm at the EFC Sydney. Dinner will be provided. All participants outside Sydney can join via ZOOM. All deacons and small group leaders are welcome to attend. In addition, the regional meeting will be held on 5 November from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. All deacons please reserve time to attend.
8. **Deacon meeting**: The October 2022 deacon meeting will be held at 10:40am on 8 October (Saturday) at church. All deacons please be prepared with the addenda and attend on time.
9. **General meeting**: The church will hold a general meeting after the Mandarin service on 23 October to elect new deacons for 2023. Members are invited to attend.
10. **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).

PRAYER POINTS

1. **Pray for the world**: 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 peace between Taiwan and China. May the Lord give wisdom to the governments to sort out the conflicts.
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 for Sister 顏侶文's and Brother 薛文正's recovery after surgery. We continue to 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, and brother Jeffrey Wang's father. We pray for the wellbeing of expectant mum Jasmine and her baby. We also pray for those brothers, sisters and children diagnosed Covid-19 or influenza positive. May the Lord heal their bodies and make them recover quickly without any after-effect.
4. **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.
5. **Online Offering**: During the pandemic of Covid-19, we recommend you make your offering online (BSB: 032090, Account Number: 364380).