Weekly Small Groups

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

Sunday English Service Roster

Today	roster.efcsydney.org	Next Week
Ps. Boon Quah	Speaker	Ps. Boon Quah
Gary Tan	Chairperson	Eddie Huang
Edison Huang	Song Leader	Amy Chen
Caleb Kao	Pianist	Yvonne Lu
	Guitar / Co-singer	
Gary Tan	Bible Reading	Eddie Huang
Thomas Kao	Audio & Projector	Bobby Lu
Ethan Koh	Sunday School Teacher	Natalie Hsu

Last Week Statistics

Total Offering $13,222.20

Mandarin Service	$337.20	Church Maintenance	$10,000.00
English Service	$5.00		
Tithe	$2,880.00		

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 147

Mandarin Service	114	English Sunday School Teacher	
English Service	33	English Sunday School Student	

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

4TH December 2022

Order of Service

Prelude	----------	Chairperson
Call to Worship	----------	Chairperson
Worship in Songs	----------	Congregation
Welcome and Notices	----------	Chairperson
Pastoral Prayer	----------	Chairperson
Holy Communion	----------	Ps. Boon Quah
Bible Reading	Matthew 2:1-12	Chairperson
Message	The Gifts of Christmas	Ps. Boon Quah
Response Song & Offering	To the ends of the earth	Congregation
Benediction	----------	Chairperson
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 6th December 2022 (Tuesday) via Zoom at 8:30pm. Zoom ID: 965 8543 4866. Passcode: 1.
3. **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.
4. **Deacons for 2023**: Chairperson: Gary Tan, Vice Chairperson/IT: Eddie Huang, Secretary: Martin Lee, Treasurer/Accounting: Deborah Tseng, Cashier: Vicky Tsai, Mandarin Service: Joanna Huang, Education/Devotion: Robert Chen & Peace Hong, General Affairs: Vicky Tsai, Caring/Fellowship: Hui Fu, English Service: Dan Kao, Eddie Huang & Bobby Lu, Mission: Peace Hong, Sunday School: Tina Lin.
5. **Deacon meeting**: The December 2022 deacon meeting will be held at 10:40am on 10 December (Saturday) at church. All deacons (both current and new) please be prepared with the addenda and attend on time.
6. **Annual Leave**: Ps. Chen is taking annual leave until the 9th December. The Mandarin pastoral matters during this period are handled by Ps. Kathleen Chye and Seminarist Jeffrey Wang.
7. **Christmas Service**: We will have a Chinese-English joint service on 25th December to celebrate Christmas. Please invite your family and friends to join us.
8. **The Glory Gospel Station**: The Glory Gospel Station has rented the St. Ives Uniting Church. The pre-service prayer meeting, service and fellowship will be held from 3:30 to 3:50 pm, from 4:00 to 5:00 pm and from 5:00 to 6:30 pm, respectively. Welcome all brothers and sisters to participate in the church planting ministry and pray for this ministry.
9. **Church Planting Dedication**: The Glory Gospel Station has applied for a bank account: EFC of Glory. BSB: 062-140. Account number: 11732315. Brothers and sisters who would like to donate please transfer directly to this account.
10. **Information from General Assembly**: 2023 is the Year of Worship. The theme is "All Nations Worship, Glory to His Name". The Bible passage is Psalm 86:9.

PRAYER POINTS

1. **Pray for the world**: We pray for peace between Russia and Ukraine. May the Lord give wisdom to the leaders of these two countries to solve the conflict. 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 casualties caused by the typhoon in the Philippines, the earthquake in Indonesia and the landslide in Ischia, Italy. May the Lord have more Christians and local charities to actively participate in disaster relief operations, ease the suffering of the people, and restore their life as soon as possible.
2. **Pray for Australia**: May the Lord bless Australia and give wisdom to the government authorities to effectively control the recent resurgence of Covid-19 pandemic.
3. **Church body**: Please pray for Sister Sera's and Sister 顏侶文's lung treatment. May the Lord give her special healing and mercy. We continue to pray for the recovery of Brother 薛文正, Elder Ruey-Rong Wang, Sister Becky Wang's mother, Sister 陳靜敏, Elder 洪昭明, Sister 陳玄乾, Brother Franklin Nieh and Sister Ruth Wei.
4. **Prayer Meeting**: The church still 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).