



**Uniting
Church**
Boronia Park
Congregation

Joyful People + Christ's Love

Newsletter August – September 2020 Issue



Fagan Park, Galston NSW (Photo by Seung Jae Yeon)

SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES (Wherever you are):

Worship resources and all the safety updates are available on our website

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BORONIA PARK UNITING CHURCH

Readings and Prayers for weekly spiritual practice

Day	Bible Readings	Local Churches' Prayer Cycle	World Cycle of Prayer
16 August Pentecost 11	Genesis 45:1-15 Psalm 133 Romans 11:1-2a, 29-32 Matthew 15:10-20	Anglican Parish of Hunters Hill - All Saints and St. Mark's	Liberia, Sierra Leone
23 August Pentecost 12	Exodus 1:8 – 2:10 Psalm 124 Romans 12:1-8 Matthew 16:13-20	Uniting Church congregations, faith communities, chaplains* in the City of Ryde Zone	Cape Verde, Gambia, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Senegal
30 August Pentecost 13	Exodus 3:1-15 Psalm 105:1-6, 23-26, 45b Romans 12:9-21 Matthew 16:21-28	Villa Maria Holy Name of Mary and St. Peter Chanel	Benin, Ivory Coast, Togo
6 September Pentecost 14	Exodus 12:1-14 Psalm 149 Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 18:15-20	Hunters Hill Congregational Church	Ghana, Nigeria
13 September Pentecost 15	Exodus 14:19-31 Psalm 114 Romans 14:1-12 Matthew 18:21-35	St Charles Borromeo and Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish	Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay
20 September Pentecost 16	Exodus 16:2-15 Psalm 105:1-6, 37-45 Philippians 1:21-30 Matthew 20:1-16	GladesHill Presbyterian Church and Kalos Korean Presbyterian Church	Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Peru
27 September Pentecost 17	Exodus 17:1-7 Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 Philippians 2:1-13 Matthew 21:23-32	All Christian churches and communities in the City of Ryde and Hunters Hill	Colombia, Ecuador, Venezuela

* Epping and Sam Il Korean, Eastwood, Macquarie University Chaplaincy, Wesley Mission Macquarie Campus, Marsden Road Carlingford, UNITING chaplain and pastoral practitioner at Arrunga and Thomas Bowden village, Ryde, North Ryde Community, One Heart Sydney and Boronia Park.

Dates for your Diary:

Thursday 20, 27 August & 3, 10, 17, 24 September: The church office is open between 10 am and 12pm. Minister will be attending the office, welcoming you if you need prayer or simply talk. Also, unperishable foods (cans, coffee, long-life milk and pasta) and goods (toilet paper or nappy) are received to donate them for the emergency aid of Sydney Community Services.

Church On-line Worship Roster

** All elders are on duty of pastoral care service for your need.*

Date	Lead	Bible Reading	Kid's Talk / Grown-ups'	Prayers of the People
16 August	Seung Jae Yeon			
23 August	Robyn Harvey	Joshua Yeon	Margaret Treble	Jenny Keast
30 August	Youth Full BPUC	Boronia Park Youth Group	Boronia Park Youth Group	Boronia Park Youth Group
6 September	Father's Day Seung Jae Yeon	Justin Han	Alan & Jenny Keast	Barnabas Joo
13 September	Communion Seung Jae Yeon	Jenny Keast	Rosemary Brook	Isabella Lee
20 September	Seung Jae Yeon	Christy Kim	Margaret Maxwell	Phoebe Kim
27 September	Seung Jae Yeon	Alan Keast	School Holiday	Justin Han

Church Activities & Events are ALL suspended until further notice.

Prayer Requests

Elders and the minister will continue holding all the members and their family near and far. If you want them to pray for your current circumstances and issues, please let them know. All information you share with is confidential.

- * For those who works at the frontline in order to reduce the curve of COVID-19 pandemic and to develop vaccine and anti-virus medication in Australian and around the world.
- * For those who are suffering from the disease, caring for their family member in hospital or being self-isolated at home.
- * For those who have lost job or been depressed by being isolated.

A way to seek God willing: Seung Jae's day walk along the Great Northern Walk (GNW) – Part 1

“Were not our hearts burning within us while he talked with us.”

(Luke 24:32)

I have recently found that I love walking. Maybe walking genes in somewhere of my body or soul. Let me find it then say to you more. I think I am a sole walker. I would prefer to wander by myself. But let me try to find my future walk mates. I can walk fast if walking alone. I can walk far if with others. Maybe you are one of them. Who knows?

A few days ago, I had a chance to ask Kevin Lee, whose walking career is terrific, my questions about shoes, clothing and other walking accessories such as walking poles. All information given by him is very useful. Also, I felt that a great joy in his walking was imparting to me. It is like a link that I would be connected to a bigger world where today many people love walking. Then I can see daily there are many walkers, hikers and even runners. I am walking alone but at the same time, on this planet, there are many walking along their own tracks.

Jesus walked along the ways in that region with fellow walkers for spreading the good news – the Life in Him and the reign of God the Father. They walked together, listening to the no-accounts, telling unsung stories, and performing miracles in order to let them see the world God created with the eye of faith, hope and love. Jesus Christ meant for them a lot because he walked with them. He, with the disciples, the crowds, all common people and us, is the Messiah who brings God's presence and will to this world. I believe that Jesus keeps inviting us to walk with Him and then continue the journey along the path where He leads. I am one of many. You are part of many. Let us walk together in Him and find God willing. **(Next: Seung Jae's first 20km walk in the GNW.)**