



St Phil's

December

To present every person in our community mature in Christ

Sunday Service times:



- 8am Prayer Book Service (English)
- 9.30am Family Service (English)
- 9.30am Family Service (Mandarin)
- 11am Cantonese/Mandarin Service
- 6.30pm Night Church Service (English)

OUR MISSION

To present every person in our community mature in Christ

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OUR CORE VALUES

The Command to Love God
and one another
The Authority of the Bible

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OUR STRATEGY

Connect, Grow, Serve

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Preaching Program

All sermons are recorded and are available on line at www.stphils.org.au and on iTunes: search for "St Philips Eastwood"



DATE	SERIES	PREACHER	PASSAGES
Dec 3	Compassion Sunday	Paul Beeston	
Dec 10	Special – TBA	Bruce Stanley	
Dec 17	LUKE - Before the King	Al James	Luke 1:1-25
Dec 24	LUKE - King Announced	Al James	Luke 1:26-45
Dec 25	LUKE - King born	Bruce Stanley	Luke 2:1-21
Dec 31	LUKE King over temptation	Bruce Stanley	Luke 3-4

Preaching program available at: <http://en.stphils.org.preaching-program/>



Dec 10: Twilight Carols – 6:30pm outdoor service

Dec 24: Christmas Eve – all usual services **PLUS**
Family Celebration: 5pm - 7:30pm

Dec 25: Christmas Day:

8am English – traditional

9:30am – English - Family service

9:30am – Mandarin service

11am – Dual Language service (Cant/Mand)

***Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances;
for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.***

1Thessalonians 5:16-18

Giving at St Philips

Please consider giving electronically to the ministry at St Philip's. Below are the account details required:

Bank: Commonwealth Bank Branch: Eastwood

Account: St Philip's Anglican Church Eastwood

BSB: 062161

Account Number: 10075604

When prompted for a payment description, simply enter the service you normally attend and "offertory".

E.g. 6:30pm English offertory

Please
remember
St Philip's
Church in
your will

Calendar

Visit our website or Facebook page for more information

Coins for Cakes

On the first Sunday of each month, Choose a cake and make a donation of a coin (or a note!) ALL money goes to missions support at St Phil's.

And at 6:30pm service:

It's a buck for a brownie for BCA!



DURING SCHOOL TERM

ENGLISH CLASSES

TUESDAYS

10am - 12pm



English Classes – Help Needed!

English Classes are an amazing ministry to people in our community. But we need more helpers and teachers. Please fill in an enquiry form to show your interest.

Diary dates:

Dec 6: Friendship service – 11am service, 12pm lunch.

Dec 3: Coins for Cakes (Missions)

Dec 3: Compassion Sunday

Dec 10: Twilight Carols

Dec 12: Parish Council

Dec 16: Missions Prayer Group 9am

Dec 24: Christmas Eve – all usual services

Dec 25: Christmas Day

8am English – traditional

9:30am – English - Family service

9:30am – Mandarin service

11am – Dual Language service (Cant/Mand)

TWILIGHT CAROLS

December 10th

6:30pm

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8pm

Outdoor service
of Christmas
carols for all
ages!

Parish Council Update

Correspondence can be made to the Secretary, Mr. Mike Lum - mike.lum@gmail.com

WARDENS: Trevor Strickland, Chris Stretton, Mike Lum. **COUNCILLORS:** Darrel Causbrook, Peter Chik, Andrew Fairhurst, Yvonne Hall, Jenny Pullen, Rose Shum, Naomi Lum, Terence Chu

January – September 2017 Giving Update

Offertory required: \$481,622
Current Offertory: \$463,258
Weekly required: \$10,946
Current weekly: \$10,529
Shortfall (year to date): \$18,365

Current Offertory is 96.2% of budget
Full Parish Council report in fover.

October meeting outcomes:

Staff: Report given on position description for P/T youth minister. Agreed to begin this new position from as early as January 2018.

Budget: Draft budget accepted with 14% increase to allow for Children's worker full time. Given that growth is 11% so far this year, this was seen as an achievable budget, under God.

Development Application: No news yet, but hopefully by Christmas. Please pray!

Next Parish Council- Tuesday December 12

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