

GIVING/TITHING AT CBC-

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We are thankful to the following Helpers:

	12 November	19 November
Welcomers	Jan & Stuart Pittendrigh	Dianne & Clive Copelin
Prayer	Sylvia Collinson	Gary Dorey
Bible Reading	Dianne Daniel	Don Mathewson
Offering Count	Carol Hu/ David Tan	Lindsay Casey/Ken McGill
Livestream	Mark Chan	Don Hunt
Sound	Kim Poon	Tim Ridley
AV	Milton Purkiss	Melody Wong
Morning tea	Michelyn Daniel, Lily Woolley, Shiyu Yamauchi	Lucy Chua, Noorie Ng, Rosalind Soon
Kids Church	Emma, Amy, Yica	Catherine, Sabs, Jane
Grounds		22/11 Stuart Pittendrigh (Gardening & Blowing)

Congratulations to Mark & Kim Chan on the birth of their granddaughter Camelia born in Zurich on 25 October. Thank God for her safe arrival & His blessings.



CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER—

Anna, Albert, Jeremiah, Joshua, Benjamin and Veronica Hodgson, Don and Robyn Hunt.



Welcome to Carlingford Baptist Church NEWS — 12 November 2023

Today we will be hearing from Arthur Chan on 2 Peter 1-22



Prayer theme for November – Resting in God's presence

A philosopher many years ago said “ Take a rest. A field that has rested yields a beautiful crop”. Jesus encourages us to rest in him. In Matthew 11; 28-30 Jesus says “Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light”.

Our prayer theme for this month is about resting in God's presence. This week we can thank God for the promise of being our refuge and fortress as we are reminded in Psalm 91: 2. We can also pray to increase our trust in God, knowing we can come to Him and rest in His presence.

Senior Pastor: Howard Bennett
Korean Pastor: David Choi
Mandarin Pastor—Interim: Arthur Chan
Children's Ministry Worker: Emma Ridley
Youth & Young Adults Worker-Interim: David Chang
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Mission Spot- (GRN) Global Recording Network

The Orality Network suggests that almost 80% of the world's population is oral-preference learning. More people engage in Bible materials in their own language if it is in audio form rather than a literate paper form. That is why GRN keeps training people to equip Christians, whether GRN or from a different agency, to make resources available in people's heart language in a way that does not depend on literacy skills. In October, the Australian Office hosted several senior GRN recordists from South Africa, Pakistan, Cameroon, the Philippines and Thailand for a Recording Trainers Consultation. The consultation covered technical training matters for our recordists and also discussed a way forward to update the content of our scripts. Pray for God's provision for new staff and volunteers to fulfil various roles in GRN - accountant, property and maintenance manager, software developers and more recordists.



Pray too for the team in France recording our 'The Living Christ' stories and teachings of Jesus into standard Arabic for refugees in Europe. The project is to 1) Translate 'The Living Christ' into Standard Arabic 2) Find an Egyptian Arabic speaker who reads well 3) Record the freshly translated script 4) Produce the

recording in several audio and video formats 5) Inform those working with refugees about using the program in their ministry

We received an email from **Stephen & Jocelyn Head** in New Zealand this week. They worshipped for a short time with us at Carlingford over 20 years ago. Their Heartstream Resources ministry of retreats and spiritual direction will be concluding at the end of this year, so they can be more involved in their local church's ministry. They wish to thank their many friends around the world for their love, prayers and support over the past 45 years. If you would like to get in touch with them please contact the church office for their new email address

Farewell for Edgar & Jenny Voigts

TODAY there will be a special morning tea held after our service to say farewell to Edgar and Jenny Voigts (who are returning to South Africa on 18 November.)Please bring along a plate of morning tea to share. *Please note there is a card in the Church Foyer for everyone to sign.*



Church Prayer Meeting

Please join us next **Sunday—19 November** for our Monthly Church Prayer meeting, **2:30-3:30pm in the Church hall.**



Quarterly Church Meeting— Sunday 26 November at 11:30am

(after our Combined Service) Reports are available in the admin section of the website & paper copies in the Church foyer.

HOPESTREET THANK YOU...

Together we collected 30 boxes of food to the pantry, 50 boxes / bags of clothes, shoes, ornaments, craft & paintings, heater, food processor, DVD player. 18 pot plants, 8 × \$25 food vouchers. Many will be blessed by your generosity, including the people in ministry. *Thank you CBC!*

Do you love Jesus? Do you love helping children discover Jesus too?

Then chat to Emma about SRE! She has lots of great stories and would love to chat with you about praying, teaching or helping in school SRE (scripture) classes.

