

Lugar Brae Ministry Teams and Programs

Minister: Rev. Kwang Min (Kevin) Kim (0414 746 735)

Children and Families Worker: Ryan Buesnel (0406 409 846)

Pianists: Keira Tu, In-Ae Lee

Prayer Group: Bob Vickery (9369 2705)

meets every Sunday at 9:15am in the fellowship area

Music Team: Rehearses at 6:30pm on Thursdays

Bible Study: David Robinson (0410 568 849)

Meets Monday at 6:30pm in the fellowship area

Tuesday Bible Study: Kevin- meets every second Tuesday at 5:30pm in the fellowship area

Bronte Playgroup: Kevin

Meets Wednesdays from 10-11:30am in the Church hall

Lugar Brae Community Choir Rehearses at 4:30pm each Wednesday in the Church

Saturday Fellowship Group: Margery Whitehead (9663 1827)
Meets on the first Saturday of the month at 2pm in the fellowship area



Upcoming Events & Announcements

- October fellowship meeting will be held on Sat, 7th at 2pm.
- The next Family Fun Church will be on Sunday 15th October
- 2017 Variety Concert will be held on Sunday, 29th of October at 2pm.
- Monday Bible Study resumes tomorrow evening
- Stay connected with us: facebook.com/lugarbraeuca

Lugar Brae Uniting Church



Sunday 1st October, 2017

Our vision is to effectively engage with the community
to proclaim God's love through word and action



www.lugarbrae.unitingchurch.org.au



A very warm welcome to all our visitors! We would love for you to join us for refreshments after the service if you are able

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Service Schedule

This week

(October 1st): 9:30am

Worship Service:

Rev. Kevin Kim

Sunday School:

Ryan B. / David R.

Holy Communion:

Bob V. / Margaret W.

Bible Readers:

Ann T. / Ryan B.

Bible Readings:

Exodus 17:1-7, Psalm 78:1-4; 12-16, Philemon 2:1-13, Matthew 21:23-32

Next Week

(October 8th): 9:30am

Worship Service:

David R.

Sunday School:

Ryan B.

Bible Readers:

Marilyn T. / Sarah J.

Bible Readings:

Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Philippians 3:4b-14; Matthew 21:33-46

BE PREPARED: PSALM 19

Prepare for it: Pray for God's help for this passage to change your heart.

Psalm 19 is a wisdom hymn which brings three distinct ideas together: creation praise (vv.1–6), wisdom (vv.7–11), and a prayer for forgiveness (vv.12–14). The psalm is attributed to David and the note "For the director of music" suggests it was sung in public worship. C. S. Lewis once wrote of psalm 19 "I take this to be the greatest poem in the Psalter and one of the greatest lyrics in the world."

Read It: Psalm 19(www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Psalm+19)

What proof of God's glory does the psalmist identify in vv1-4a?

What heavenly body is praised in vv4b-6? Why is this important?

What aspect of God's revelation is covered in vv7-9? How is this revelation described?

How is the Law to be valued? (v10) Why is it so prized? (vv11-12)

How does the psalmist respond to God's law? (vv12b,13) What title does the psalmist give God in v14?

Think About It:

Can you see God's glory in creation? Does that affect your life?

What is God's greatest revelation to His people? (Heb 1:1-3)

Get the Message:

Echoing Paul's thought in Rom 1:20 the psalmist opens by declaring that God's glory can be clearly seen in the glory of His creation, particularly the "heavens" and the "skies". In vv1-6 the psalmist uses the general Hebrew name for God, El. Though the skies have no voice, their very existence "declares" the knowledge and glory of their creator. Of particular significance is the sun, the greatest of the heavenly bodies (at least for humans on earth) – it dominates the skies and is the source of life on earth, but even the mighty sun owes its existence to God, who created it and governs its daily passage across earth's skies. The focus moves from the general revelation of creation to the special revelation of the Law, in vv7-11. The psalmist uses the covenant name for God (Yahweh) to highlight the special relationship between God and His people. The psalmist uses a range terms for the Law in these verses (law, statutes, precepts, commands and decrees) to highlight the many virtues (perfect, trustworthy, right, radiant, pure and firm) and benefits of God's Law (refreshing, making wise, giving joy and light and enduring forever). Because of its great virtue God's Law is to be prized above gold and considered sweeter than honey. This value comes from the Law's ability to warn and correct us – we cannot always see our own faults, but the Law is a firm standard which reveals them to us and leads us to repentance. All God's revelations creation, the law and finally in Jesus are aimed at our redemption.

Bible Trivia!

Did you know that China is the world's largest supplier of Bibles?!

