

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 Wednesday 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

- Family Fun Church is on today with a theme of 'Pentecost'.
- May church council meeting will be held after the service today.
- 'May Lunch with us' will be on next Sunday, 27th from 12 pm.
- Stay connected with us: facebook.com/lugarbraeuca
- Birthday - Zena S. (May 23)

Lugar Brae Uniting Church

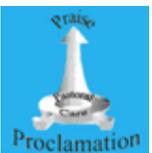


Sunday 20th May 2018

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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Bible Facts!

The day of Pentecost is also known as 'the birth of the Church.'

Service Schedule

This week

(May 20th): 9:30am

Worship Service:

Rev. Kevin Kim

Family Fun Church:

David R. / Ryan B.

Bible Readers:

Ann T. / Jongsoon K.

Bible Readings:

Ezekiel 37:1-14, Psalm 104:24-34, Romans 8:22-27, John 15:26-27.

Next Week

(May 27th): 9:30am

Worship Service:

Rev. Kevin Kim

Sunday School:

David. R. / Ryan B.

Bible Readers:

Marilyn T. / David R.

Bible Readings:

Isaiah 6:1-18, Psalm 29, Romans 8:12-17, John 3:1-17

BE PREPARED: PSALM 104

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

The Hebrew name for the book of Psalms means "hymns" or "songs of praise." There are five "books" within Psalms and Ps 29 is in the first of those books (Pss 1-49). Like most of the psalms in the first 2 books, this one is credited to David. It is a psalm of praise that seems to have been used in either the Feast of Weeks or the Feast of Tabernacles.

Read It: Psalm 29(www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Psalm+29)

For what does David call in vv1,2? Who should do this? What does "ascribe" mean? What follows from doing this?

What aspect of God is mentioned 7 times in vv3-9?

Why is God's "voice" significant? (vv3-9)

How does this effect those who worship Him? (v9b)

Where does God reign? What does He give His people? (v10,11)

Think About It:

Where do you see God's power displayed in creation?

Have you found the quiet peace within the "storm of God"?

Get the Message:

This psalm, that celebrates God's power, begins with a call for glory and strength to be ascribed to the LORD. To "ascribe" something to God means to give him the credit for having it. This call is to the "heavenly beings", a phrase that translates the Hebrew *bā-nê 'ê-lîm*; which literally means "sons of the gods" and seems to have been used to refer to the heavenly beings that surround God's throne. The word "Lord" is used to translate the Hebrew word "Yahweh" which was the proper name of the one true God with whom the Israelites had a covenant. In vv3-9 the psalmist refers to "the voice of the Lord" seven times. Yahweh's voice is the way His power is given expression. In vv3,4 this voice is likened to the thunderstorm at sea, having power and majesty. This reference to God controlling the thunder storm may have been intended to show the superiority of Yahweh over Baal, the Canaanite god of thunder. In vv5,6 Yahweh's voice is credited with the earthquakes that bring down the great cedars of Lebanon and make Lebanon and Sirion (Mt Hermon) "leap like a calf". V7 describes this voice as striking "with flashes of lightning". Vv8,9 speak of God's power revealed in the desert. By addressing the sea, the mountains and the desert the psalmist is displaying God's power over all creation. The effect of these evidences of God's power lead all "in His temple" to cry "glory"! God's voice is powerful and God sits as ruler even of "the flood" which destroyed creation in the days of Noah. Remarkably the effect of this great power on God's people is to give strength and peace to His people as they realise God will use this great power and majesty with love for the good of His people, those who come to Him by Jesus.