

Lugar Brae Ministry Teams and Programs

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

Pianists: Keira Tu, In-Ae Lee

Prayer Group: Bob Vickery (0433 110 024)
meets every Sunday at 9:15 am in the fellowship area

Music Team: Rehearses at 11:15 am on Sundays

Tuesday Bible Study: Kevin -
meets every second Tuesday at 6 pm in the fellowship area

SMART Recovery Group: meets Tuesday at 6:30 pm

Bronte Playgroup: meets Wednesdays from 10 - 11:30 am
in the church hall (Kevin)

Lugar Brae Community Choir: rehearses at 4:30 pm
each Wednesday in the church

Wednesday Bible study: David Robinson (0410 568 849)
Meets Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the fellowship area

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

Upcoming Events and Announcements

- Next **Messy Church** will gather on Friday, 18th October at
3:15 pm.

- **2019 Variety Concert** will be held on Saturday, 26th of
October at 2 pm. Please invite your friends and families.

- Kevin will be away next week. **Rev Lindsay Cullen** (National
Consultant, Assembly Resourcing Unit) will take the service on
Sunday, 13th.

- Stay connected with us: [Facebook.com/lugarbrae](https://www.facebook.com/lugarbrae)

Lugar Brae Uniting Church



Messy Church
Spring Festival: New Life in Jesus

Friday 18 October 3:15 - 5 pm
Lugar Brae Uniting Church, Waverley
Cnr. Lugar Brae Ave
& Leichhardt St Waverley

Crafts Butterfly rings, Handprint sunflower,
Spring tree, Sand art, Planting a seed

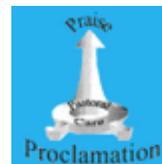
Games Dart balloon game, Racing game

Songs Yummy Food

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Sunday 6th October 2019

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 6) 9:30 am

Worship Service:

Rev Kevin Kim

Holy Communion:

Bob V. / Margaret W.

Sunday School:

In Ae Lee

Bible Readers:

Bob V. / Marilyn T.

Bible Reading:

Lamentations 1: 1 - 6, Psalm

137, 2 Timothy 1: 1 - 14,

Luke 17: 5 - 10

Next Week:

(October 13) 9:30 am

Worship Service:

Rev Lindsay Cullen

Sunday School:

TBA

Bible Readers:

Margaret W. / Grant B.

Bible Reading

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7, Psalm 66:1-

12, 2 Timothy 2: 8 - 15,

Luke 17: 11 - 19

Be Prepared: Psalm 66:1-12

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

Psalm 66 is a psalm of praise and thanksgiving. It is arranged in three parts: vv1-7 call for all the earth to praise God for His great acts of creation; vv8-12 call on God's people to praise His Kingship, and vv13-20 are a prayer of individual thanksgiving. Some people believe it was originally 2 separate psalms (vv1-12 and vv13-20). While we do not know the circumstances that gave rise to this psalm, the ascription "to the Director of Music" suggests it was used in public worship.

Read It: Psalm 66: 1-12

(www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Psalm+66)

1. Who is encouraged to "shout for joy" at the start of this psalm? (v1) What else is this group encouraged to do in vv2-4
2. What event does the psalmist recall in vv5,6?
3. What conclusion does the psalmist draw from this event? (v6)
4. Why are God's people called to praise Him (vv8, 9)?
5. What events are reported in vv11-12a, b? How did these troubles end? (v12c) What was the purpose of these hardships? (v10)?

Think About It:

6. Why does God allow His people to suffer hardship?
7. What can we promise God that will cause Him to help us?

Get the Message

We do not know what, if any, specific event led to the creation of this psalm, or if it was created for public worship based on historical events such as the Exodus. Whatever the reason, it is God's saving power ("he as preserved our lives") that is the basis for this call to praise. Reflecting God's total sovereignty, the psalm opens with a call for the whole earth to "Shout for joy to God" and "Sing the glory of his name". The 's glory and motivation for this universal praise is the display of God's glory and power. These qualities of God are such that God's enemies will cringe before Him.

Indeed, all the earth, either willingly or unwillingly, will acknowledge God's power and glory. The psalmist recalls God great work of separating the waters of the Red Sea to allow the nation of Israel to escape from captivity in Egypt. It is a common theme in the psalms to look back at God's past faithfulness in times of trouble; because God's character does not change and since He has acted to save in the past, He will again

The psalmist reports that God did not spare His people from hardship ("You bought us into prisons and laid burdens on our backs") but He did bring them to "a place of abundance". This suffering was not without purpose: the psalmist says this happened because God "refined us like silver". We might hope God will only send us pleasant circumstances, but it seems that learning to trust Him in hardship is necessary for a strong and pure faith.