



## **Term 4**

**Thursday, 6 October to  
24 November 2016**





# Psalm 111

Praise the Lord.

I will extol the Lord with all my heart  
in the council of the upright and in the assembly.

Great are the works of the Lord;  
they are pondered by all who delight in them.

Glorious and majestic are his deeds,  
and his righteousness endures forever.

He has caused his wonders to be remembered;  
the Lord is gracious and compassionate.

He provides food for those who fear him;  
he remembers his covenant forever.

He has shown his people the power of his works,  
giving them the lands of other nations.

The works of his hands are faithful and just;  
all his precepts are trustworthy.

They are established for ever and ever,  
enacted in faithfulness and uprightness.

He provided redemption for his people;  
he ordained his covenant forever—  
holy and awesome is his name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;  
all who follow his precepts have good understanding.

To him belongs eternal praise.

# Integration

Integration is seen as an ongoing ministry to new women who join Women Connect throughout the year. The Integration team help to ensure that all newcomers are made to feel welcome and integrated into their new groups.

Within the growth groups integration needs will be addressed through a variety of means such as phone calls, social invitations, etc. **Team Members:** Lib Webb – 3374 1407 / 0412 672 283; Irene Fulcher – 3202 8661 / 0438 306 617; Kim Moffatt – 3871 2101/ 0417 717 201.

# Connect Socially



**Coffee at Bliss - 11.45am at Kenmore Village Shopping Centre**  
Every Thursday after Women Connect ladies get together at Bliss Cafe for coffee and/or a light lunch.

Enjoy getting to know some of the ladies better. Contact Dianne Wicht (0432 903 530) or Jenny Martin (0409 488 395).

# Connect Funds

A voluntary donation of a \$2 gold coin is collected during the small group time. This enables us to help cover the cost of general Connect and child care expenses.

Our Connect Treasurer is Brigitta Eliasson.

# **Vision Statement**

A space for all women where -  
encircled in God's presence  
we come to Him, without constraints,  
to learn about Him  
and come closer to Him,  
to worship Him.

Reaching upwards to God  
and outwards to others  
knowing that we are loved and  
accepted by God  
beautiful in His eyes.

Part of a community of women,  
being healed, encouraged, renewed  
and transformed.

His forever we are undaunted,  
willing to follow  
Jesus in all parts of our lives.

# Format - Thursday Mornings

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <b>9.00 – 9.30am</b>        | Morning Tea   |
| <b>9.30 – 10.00am</b>       | Connect Time (altogether as a large group-as below) |
| <b>10.00 – 11.30am/12pm</b> | Small Group Time                                    |

All new ladies are encouraged to join a growth group regardless of how frequently they can attend. Growth groups are the place in which we study the Bible, care for each other and support each other on our journeys to becoming the women God intends us to be.

You don't have to be a member of Kenmore Baptist Church to be part of a growth group.

There are different studies and a prayer group on offer and growth group information is available through any of the group leaders.

## Connect Time - Worship and Sharing

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|-------------|--|
| 6 October   | <b>Nic Riddel</b> leading worship and sharing about mission work in Borneo                         |
| 13 October  | <b>Michaela Singer</b> leading worship   |
| 20 October  | <b>Barb Peck</b> leading worship and sharing about worship   |
| 27 October  | <b>Yoomi Kim</b> - creative worship  |
| 3 November  | <b>Tomoko Kikuchi</b> - Sharing about <b>Hope Collective's</b> mission trip to Japan               |
| 10 November | <b>Lyndal Brunner</b> - Sharing about her work in Thailand with LIFT (Life Impact Foundation Team) |
| 17 November | <b>John Mansfield</b> sharing about mission work in China  |
| 24 November | <b>Christmas Celebrations</b>  |

# Term Verse:

## Psalm 111: 9-10

He provided redemption for his people;  
he ordained his covenant forever—  
holy and awesome is his name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;  
all who follow his precepts have good understanding.

To him belongs eternal praise.

## Child Care

- Kenmore Baptist Church aims to provide quality care for all the children who attend these mornings.

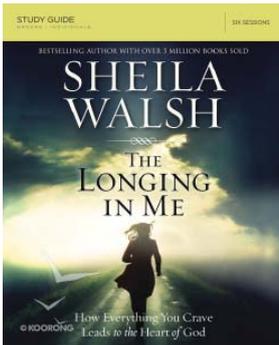


- Volunteers have to possess a Blue Card in order to be able to work with the children. Most weeks there are usually two or three child carers.
- Mums with young babies (0–12 months) are encouraged to keep their children with them during the session. Childcare is provided only for those aged between 1 and 5 years (downstairs in the Lower Hall).
- Please refrain from bringing children other than your own.
- For further enquiries regarding child care, please phone Kim Theisen on 0410 080 054 or email [kim@gzd.com.au](mailto:kim@gzd.com.au).

## Studies - available in Term 4

### New Small Group Studies

#### The Longing In Me



In **The Longing in Me**, Sheila Walsh explains how each of us has a sacred ache within us—a longing for the very heart of God. She draws on the biblical example of David, the greatest king Israel ever had, who was known as “a man after God’s own heart.” Yet at times even David had frustrations, doubts, and worries about his situation.

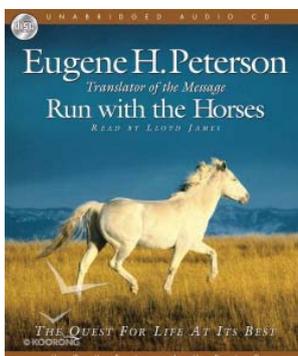
David’s life paints a portrait of the longings we all share but also how we can channel those longings in a way that brings us closer to God. His life also shows us that no matter how great our longing is for God, it will never compare to the depth of his great longing for us!

The Longing in Me will help you find the one true source who can meet your deepest longings and give you real tools to help you heal from the past and find joy today.

**Leaders:** Caroline Harris

**Book:** Study Guide \$12

#### Running with Horses



**Run with the Horses - The Quest for Life at Its Best, by Eugene Peterson.**

In Jeremiah 12:5 the Lord said: “So, Jeremiah, you’re worn out in this footrace with men, what makes you think you can race against horses?”. God was calling and challenging Jeremiah to live an extraordinary life. He calls us to do the same...to live life at its best... to fuse freedom and spontaneity with purpose and meaning.

There will be 7 weekly reflections, each weekly topic exploring on the heart of what it means to be fully mature, whole, and blessed to live life at its best.

**Leader:** Charlotte Philpot and Yoomi Kim

**Book:** Not compulsory, ebook available now, books on back order

## Communion and walking in the power of the Spirit

Each week we will commence with Holy Communion. We will then explore in theory and practice various gifts of the Holy Spirit. These will include

Words of knowledge and prophecy, Healing, Deliverance, Speaking in tongues and interpretation

**Leader:** Susan Sinn

**Book:** No book purchase required

**Cost:** \$5 Photocopying

## Transformation Course

**Change happens to us all, and it happens all the time. This course helps us experience the FULLNESS OF GOD'S FREEDOM**

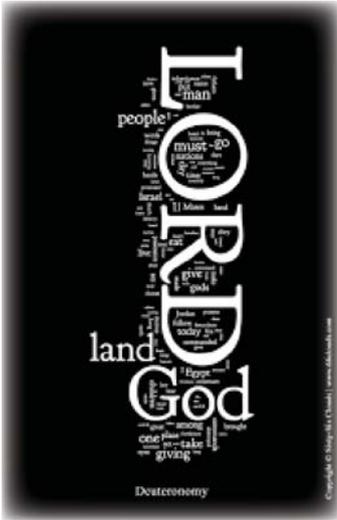
Transforming presents a simple yet profound "circular journey" of transformation, commencing with identifying the opportunities to grow which appear before us each day. You are encouraged to take a detour from your normal, often damaging reactions to life, and take a journey with God into the more abundant life offered by Jesus. Using the Beatitudes as way points along the path, you will learn to identify the root-causes of your internal chaos, the significant points in life in which those roots take hold, and the elements of a GROWTH environment which can bring you back to life!

**Leader:** Tomoko Kikuchi (Japanese language limited)

**Cost:** \$40 for material

## Large Group Study

### Deuteronomy



These are the words Moses spoke to all Israel in the wilderness east of the Jordan... See, I have given you this land. Go in and take possession of the land the Lord swore he would give to your fathers—to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob—and to their descendants after them.” Deuteronomy 1:1, 8

An excellent large Bible teaching class that will look at the book of Deuteronomy which is full of life lessons and role models of faith (Moses, Joshua, the people of Israel and God) - people who challenge believers to put their faith into action.

Themes include God’s love, covenant, choices and the poor.

**Leader:** Margo Heyburn

**Cost:** Optional: Psalm Intensity Note Book \$10

## Prayer

Each group at Women Connect shares prayer needs and supports each member in prayer throughout the week. In addition, KBC has a prayer chain and you may email your prayer requests to [church@kbc.org.au](mailto:church@kbc.org.au) or phone 3378 3595.

...golden bowls full of incense, which are the prayers of God’s people.” Revelations 5:8

How our Lord values our prayers! What a privilege we have in the intimacy of prayer, to engage with and pour out our deepest longings to our awesome Lord. In this group we seek to soak in our Lord’s presence, to bring Him worship and praise, to lift up the needs of our Connect sisters, and to bring before the Lord those things He puts upon our hearts. All who desire to engage in prayer are welcome.

Joanne Foster, when available, will be praying for individuals and Connect as a whole each Thursday during Small Group time. If anyone wants to join or wants information contact Joanne 0438 732 450.

## Roster - Term 4 - 8 weeks

| <b>Week</b> | <b>Date</b> | <b>Morning Tea</b> |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------|
| 1           | 6 October   | Everyone           |
| 2           | 13 October  | Margo              |
| 3           | 20 October  | Carolyn            |
| 4           | 27 October  | Charlotte & Yoomi  |
| 5           | 3 November  | Tomoko             |
| <b>6</b>    | 10 November | <b>Susan</b>       |
| 7           | 17 November | Margo              |
| 8           | 24 November | ALL GROUPS         |

## Women Connect Morning Tea Roster

Thank you for your willingness to serve the ladies who come to Connect by taking part in the morning tea roster. This roster is set at the beginning of the year and then is organised through your growth group.

Each growth group takes it in turns to provide food (usually a combination of fruit, sweet and savoury) and milk for the morning and to help with the set up and clear up.

The information on the following pages will hopefully help you to serve effectively.

# Morning Set-up

- Collect Connect Boxes, banner and flowers from the cupboards under the kitchen counter in the Upper Hall.
- Put Childminding box (stored downstairs in Training Centre cupboard) in the Lower Hall.
- Turn on lights, air conditioners/fans/open windows as necessary.
- Fill up white urn (if not upstairs look in downstairs kitchen) and turn on to maximum.
- Open Connect Box with yellow lid and take out tablecloths, glasses, teaspoons, platters and bowls.
- Set up ten white round tables, with five chairs around each, in front of stage.
- Set up two round tables near door for welcome table. Put purple tablecloths on these.
- Set up welcome table with name badges, flowers, information etc.
- Set up two round tables or one long rectangular one by the urn and cover with purple tablecloths.
- Set up mugs, coffee/tea/sugar bowls, teaspoons, serviettes, glasses, jugs of water, and food on platters if needed.
- Coffee, tea, sugar and serviettes found in white cupboard at back of kitchen area. Disposable coffee cups are found underneath cabinet at far end of kitchen.
- One volunteer to dispense coffee from the Coffee pod machine (located above the wire framed shelving unit in the kitchen) and collect the money during the morning tea time.

# Morning Clean-up

- Clear away morning tea. Wash up mugs, glasses, bowls etc and put back into Connect Box with yellow lid.
- Empty urn of water and ensure disconnected from electricity.
- Please remove all food from hall
- Fold up tablecloths and put them in box. Take home and wash those that need it and return them the following week.
- Put away chairs and tables.
- Sweep/vacuum floor as necessary.
- Pack away welcome table into Connect Boxes.
- Connect Boxes and flowers to be returned to cupboard under kitchen bench.
- Turn off lights/air conditioner/fans and close windows/doors.

## Connect Team Details

|                   |                              |                          |
|-------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Glenda Condon     | Connect Leader               | 3378 3595                |
| Margo Heyburn     | Growth Group Leader          | 3719 5287 / 0416 243 500 |
| Carolyn Harris    | Growth Group Leader          | 3720 0957 / 0410 637 810 |
| Susan Sinn        | Growth Group Leader          | 3202 9362/ 0417 744 289  |
| Tomoko Kikuchi    | Growth Group Leader          | 0414 262 180             |
| Charlotte Philpot | Growth Group Leader          | 3878 8651 / 0403 855 011 |
| Yoomi Kim         | Growth Group Leader          | 3878 4668 / 0449 996 898 |
| Joanne Foster     | Prayer                       | 3162 6785 / 0438 732 450 |
| Brigitta Eliasson | Treasurer                    | 3279 6060 / 0413 081 195 |
| Kim Theisen       | Child Care Coordinator       | 3374 1346 / 0410 080 054 |
| Lib Webb          | Integration                  | 3374 1407 / 0412 672 283 |
| Irene Fulcher     | Integration                  | 3202 8661 / 0438 306 617 |
| Kim Moffatt       | Integration                  | 3871 2101 / 0417 717 201 |
| Diane Wicht       | Missions/Socials Coordinator | 3378 5748 / 0432 903 530 |







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