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## Say hello

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## Our Pastors

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## Today's Service

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**Welcome and Singing** Our Song from Age To Age  
All I Have Is Christ  
This Life I Live

### Holy Communion

### Community News

**Bible Reading** Luke 13:1-9  
Romans 2:1-5

**Sermon** By Mervin Chiang

**Song of Response** Once Again

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## Financial Update

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Last Week	\$5,551.10
Weekly Required (adjusted)	\$6,280.00
Shortfall 2020	\$0.00

### Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

**A/C Name:** SLE Church  
**Bank:** National Australia Bank  
**BSB:** 084-424  
**A/C No:** 396558544

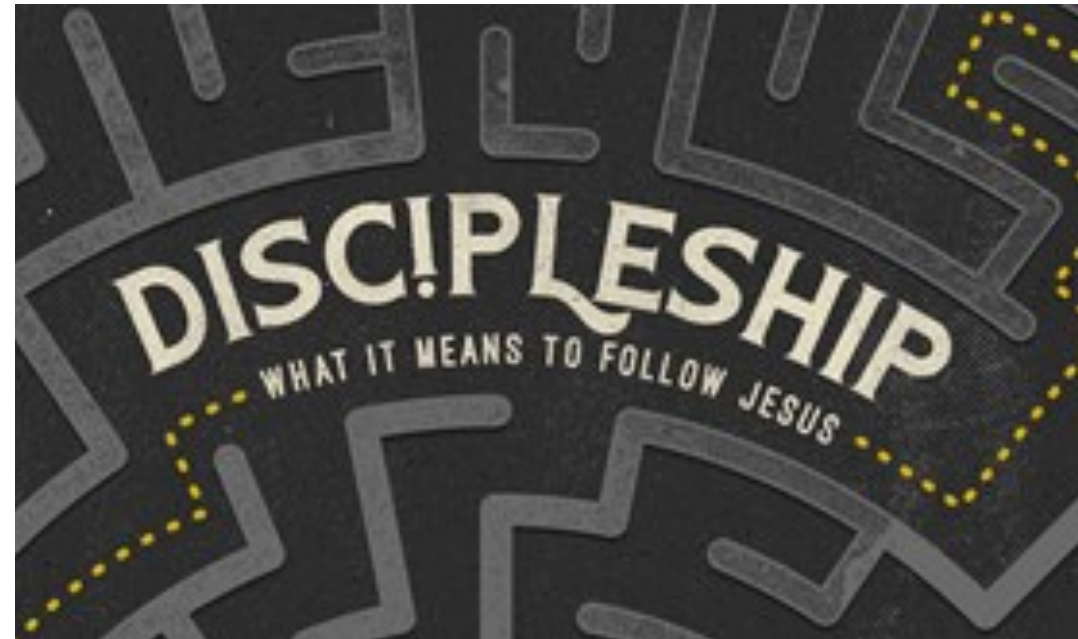
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27 December 2020 | Service Times: 9am & 11:40am

## Welcome, we're glad you're here!

We are a church family committed to following Jesus Christ as Lord. We do this by getting to know him through his living Word, the Bible, which is why the sermon is the key part of our Sunday services. Find out more about us at [www.sle.church](http://www.sle.church)



## Discipleship: Bear The Fruit Of Repentance

*A disciple of Jesus walks daily in personal repentance be it through suffering or blessing.*

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## Prayer Points

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**PRAISE GOD THAT IN OUR SAVIOUR HAS BEEN BORN!** Praise God that His coming signaled the clear revealing of God's salvation plan: that His Son would come to die in our place. Praise God that He is so gracious and merciful, that He did not leave us to walk in the darkness, but sent His Light to draw all to Himself.

**PRAISE GOD THAT THOUGH HIS KINGDOM HAD SMALL BEGINNINGS,** that it has grown and grown! Praise God that though it may feel like we are in a minority, we know that because Jesus and His Kingdom will reign supreme. Pray that this would encourage our personal faithfulness as well as spur us on in our ministry and service.

**PRAY THAT GOD WOULD HELP US REFLECT ON THE DIFFICULT YEAR THAT HAS BEEN—** to think on the grace that has been shown to us throughout. Pray for those struggling that they too would be able to point to His grace at work in their lives. Pray that we, as a church, would lovingly and sacrificially care for each other—that God's grace might be at work through us towards each other.

**PRAY FOR COVID19'S IMPACT ON OUR RECENT TRAVEL** and family catch up plans. Ask God to help us grieve the inability to see our families in this time—and to help us as a church family to lovingly care for each other: to be our home away from home.

**PRAY FOR PASTORS BEN AND STEVEN AS THEY TAKE LEAVE.** Pray that it would be a restful time with their families so that they can return to serving with enthusiasm. Pray for wisdom as they begin to plan our direction as a church family for 2021 and beyond.

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## Community News

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### CHURCH @ HOME GROUPS

The new Holiday 1 schedule is due to end next week (3 Jan). Another reminder that new hosts and attendees can sign up anytime! Register here: [sle.church/homechurchrego](https://sle.church/homechurchrego)

Existing attendees will continue to stay as part of Church @ Home Groups and be automatically assigned for Holiday 2. You do not need to register again. If you are part of Church @ Home Groups and wish to opt out of home groups or become a host, please contact [host@sle.church](mailto:host@sle.church). Due to the holiday period, we would really appreciate you informing your hosts/attendees accordingly when you are unavailable to attend.

Block Dates:

Holiday Schedule 1: 20/12/20-3/1/21

Holiday Schedule 2: 10/1/21-24/1/21

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## 12. Discipleship: Bear The Fruit Of Repentance (Luke 13:1-9)

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Introduction:

2. The Parable of the Fig Tree (13:6-9)

1. 2 Case Studies—Who are worse sinners? (13:1-5)

A. Headline news #1 “The Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled” (13:1-2)

B. Headline news #2 “Industrial Accident in Siloam: Tower Fell, 8 Dead” (13:4)

C. Unless you repent (13:3, 5)

So what?