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## **Today's Service**

Welcome and Singing How Great Is Our God

My Hope Is Built

Still My Soul Be Still

**Holy Communion** 

**Community News** 

**Bible Reading** Revelation 4-5

**Sermon** By Pastor Ben Ho

**Song of Response** Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus

## **Financial Update**

Last Week \$5,426.80

Weekly Required (adjusted) \$6,550.00

Shortfall 2021 \$0.00

#### **Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer**

A/C Name: SLE Church

**Bank:** National Australia Bank

**BSB:** 084-424 **A/C No:** 396558544

SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane



## 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



## The Throne & The Lamb

The vision of heaven sees God on His throne in charge and in control over all rule and all creation, and sees Jesus the Son as the slain lamb who reveals and fulfils God's plan for salvation in human history. This is the vision that believers need to stay motivated to keep worshiping God, trusting Jesus and living godly lives in the face of persecutions, hardships and temptations of this life.

## **Prayer Points**

### PRAISE GOD, AGAIN, FOR THE BOOK

**OF JOB**— a massive book, exploring wisdom and faith in the middle of suffering. Pray that the lessons we've learned may last us a lifetime and sustain our faith in the years ahead—especially during the dark seasons of suffering and trial we all go through. Pray that we would cling onto the goodness of God and trust in His sovereign control and wisdom in all things.

PRAISE GOD THAT GOD AND JESUS ARE ON THE THRONE. Praise God that Jesus is the One with authority to open the scrolls—and so enact God's plans and purposes in this world. Praise God that He is worthy of all worship and praise—and pray that we would joyfully join the worship and praise of Jesus! Pray that we would not outlive our desire or joy in following Him.

## PRAY FOR THE UMPING CHURCH @ HOME GROUPS NEW ROUND. Pray

that God would sustain us through the weariness of the year so far, and that we would be enthused again to meet with God's people to mutually encourage each other as we sit under God's Word together. Pray for a high registration and attendance rate—that the numbers would reflect a growing desire within each of us to gather as God's people.

# PRAISE GOD FOR THE MANY GOOD THINGS THAT ARE HAPPENING IN OUR CHURCH CALENDAR AT THE

MOMENT. The past Grunt session, the upcoming Bloom session, Singleness workshop, membership classes,
Christianity Explained classes, on top of our weekly fellowship and Bible study gatherings. Pray that God would use the times to grow our fellowship and relationships, be inclusive of newcomers and outsiders, and continue to edify and encourage each other to pursue holiness together.

## **Community News**

#### SINGLENESS MATTERS 4-5 JUNE

Whatever stage in life we're in – young or old, single, married, divorced or widowed – we will either be single, or we will know single people, and we'll certainly all be 'unmarried' in heaven (Matthew 22:29-32). Knowing what the Bible teaches about singleness and being equipped to think and serve in this area is something we can and should invest time and energy to.

Rev. Dr. Dani Treweek, founder of Single Minded (https://

www.singleminded.community/), will be conducting two workshops for us – one for the teens, and one for the rest of the church. All are highly encouraged to attend!

Teen's workshop: 4th June, 7-9pm Church (adult) workshop: 5th June, 10am-12noon (child care will be provided)

Location: 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia (church hall/s)

Registration details will be released soon.

#### **SLE AGM- SATURDAY 19 JUNE 9**

SLE members, please set aside 9am-12noon for the SLE AGM on Saturday 19 June, at 83 Ryans Road. AGM information will be emailed out in the coming week.

#### **OTHER AGMS**

SLDB AGM—Sunday 30 May, 11:45am, South Hall.

CCCB Inc AGM—Sunday 13 June, 8pm via Zoom.

Information for the above AGMs have already been emailed out. Please respond accordingly.

#### **CHURCH @ HOME GROUPS**

Round 4 is starting today (23/5 to 20/6). If you're an existing attendee, we expect that you are able to attend all 5 weeks of Round 4. If you're away for part of the round, please contact hosts@sle.church and let us know when.

This would be very helpful for the planning team.

New hosts and attendees can sign up anytime! Register here: sle.church/homechurchrego

#### **BLOOM**

What is "womanhood"? Talking about womanhood can sound rather old-fashioned or offensive.

This year, we have a very precious opportunity to grow in our understanding of biblical womanhood. God's design for women was intentional and purposeful, and he wants us to discover and embrace his design.

In the first event of our series on 'God's Good Design', our guest speaker Robyn Bain (from Queensland Theological College) will open up God's Word with us. This session is for women in all seasons and stages of life.

When: Saturday, 26 June, 1.30-4pm

Where: SLE Church @ 83 Ryans Road, St

Lucia

Register: sle.church/bloom

This event is a COVID safe event.

| The Throne & The Lamb (Revelation 4-5) | B. The Slain Lamb and the Scroll                        |
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|  | i. The crisis—the sealed scroll (5:1-4)                 |
| 1. Introduction—Staying Motivated      |   |
|  | ii. The slain lamb is worthy to open the scroll (5:5-7) |
| 2. The Vision of Heaven                |   |
| A. God on His throne (Rev 4)           |   |
|  | iii. The slain lamb is worthy of all worship (5:8-14)   |
| i. Centre of all rule (4:2-4)          |   |
| ii. Centre of all creation (4:5-11)    | 3. Conclusion   |
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