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Upcoming Events

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| 12 Dec | Baptism @ Church |
| 19 Dec | Church @ Home |
| 25 Dec | Christmas Services @ Church |
| 26 Dec | Sunday Services @ Church
Communion Sunday |
| 17-21 Jan | Ignite Training Conference |

Today's Service

Welcome and Singing	O Come O Come Emmanuel O Holy Night Hear the Call of the Kingdom
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Community News

Bible Reading	Exodus 20:1-17; Luke 18:15-30
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Sermon	By Pastor Steven Tran
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Song of Response	Rock of Ages
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Financial Update

Last Week	\$8,527.55
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

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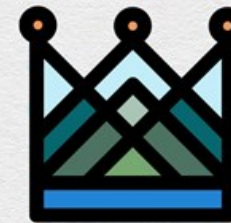


12 December 2021 | Service Times: 8:45am & 10:45am

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



seeing the King & His Kingdom

Luke 17:11 - 19:44

Kingdom Entry

Entrance into the kingdom is surprising: it is for those who humbly receive it, knowing they do not deserve it, with Jesus as the primacy of life. Those who do will see it is worth it.

Prayer Points

PRAISE GOD FOR BEING ALMIGHTY

and entirely worthy of receiving the highest honour and worship, yet He is a God of overflowing mercy. Praise God for humbling those who exalt themselves, but exalts those who humbles themselves before Him.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD have the right vertical perspective, recognising God for who He truly is, that He is holy, righteous and perfect, and in so doing that we would assess ourselves rightly, as those who are sinners in need of God's mercy.

GIVE THANKS FOR THE HOLY SPIRIT

who helps us to know God truly and who softens our hearts to His Word. Give thanks for the mercy that the Father gives through the atoning sacrifice of Jesus, His Son. Give thanks that humbling ourselves by receiving Jesus means that we stand justified before God right now and have certain hope that we will stand with the King when He returns to bring us into His eternal kingdom.

PRAY FOR OUR OWN SELF-

RIGHTEOUS tendencies and the self-righteousness that many of our family and friends possess. Pray that we and they will humble ourselves before God.

PRAY FOR THE FRIENDS WE ARE

REACHING OUT TO with the gospel. Pray for those who have come to various church services and events, and for those who have accepted invitations to our 19th December evangelistic service in homes. Pray that our unbelieving family and friends will draw near to Christ and come to trust Him.

Community News

BAPTISM SERVICE 12 DEC @ CHURCH. 1PM-2:30PM

Baptisms are coming! And to help us organise the day we ask that you and your family/friends register for the event to ensure seating and space! We look forward to sharing this great occasion with everyone, so book now! (note that lunch **will not be** provided).

Please register via sle.church/eb

EVANGELISTIC EVENT--SUNDAY 19 DEC

Pair up with others, invite your non-Christian friends and watch the service together at home! There would not be a physical gathering at Ryans Road that day. Service will premiere at 8:45am on our Youtube channel. There will be a separate Kids Church video for available for the sermon time of the service so that the adults can continue to watch the sermon, while the children can watch the Kids Church video. Links to the videos will be made available later. If you require Bibles to give to your friends, please collect them from church. In the meantime, do pray for your non-Christian friends!

KIDS CHURCH UPDATE

Kids Church is on a break and will resume again at the end of January 2022. In the mean time, families are welcome to bring your children along to participate in Sunday services. Registration for service opens weekly on Tuesday 9am via sle.church/eb

IGNITE TRAINING CONFERENCE

What does it mean to be a sexual being? You can't avoid this question. Our society is shouting different messages at us every day, and it's easy to get confused, and discouraged. Many of us feel we don't have the answers. Maybe it's easier to avoid the issue altogether? But there is hope. God's Word is the one voice that can give clarity in a sexually confused world.

At Ignite Training Conference 2022 we'll take a dive deep into scriptures to see what it means to be human, what it means to be sexual and how "being in Christ" changes everything. We are excited to have Mark Baddeley (Doctrine Lecturer at Queensland Theological College) help unpack this topic for us.

Ignite for 2022 is a day conference on 17 to 21 January from 9am to 3:30pm, with a separate night conference on Wednesday 19 January.

Visit <https://ignitetrainingconference.com/> for registration details. Early bird ends Monday 6 December 2021, so get in quick!

MANAGE YOUR TICKETS WITH THE EVENTBRITE APP

Thank you for using the Eventbrite app for booking and cancelling tickets! We hope you have found it to be a convenient way to manage your bookings. We are expecting more people to attend our services over the next few weeks, especially with Kids Church on a break. If you are not able to make it to service, and have booked tickets prior, please cancel your tickets as soon as possible. That would really help with logistical planning and enable more people to join us in the service. Thank you!

Kingdom Entry (Luke 18:15-30)

Introduction:

1. Receiving the Kingdom (15-17)

A. Children now vs back then

B. Children in the eyes of Jesus

C. ... like a child

2. Rejecting the Kingdom (18-27)

A. Good ... who is good?

B. Keep the commands

C. The weight of wealth

3. Rewards of the Kingdom

So what?