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Upcoming Events

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| 18 June | SLE Church AGM |
| 19 June | CCCB Inc AGM |
| 10 July | Communion Sunday |
| 30 Sep-3 Oct | SLE Church Camp!! |

Today's Service

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| Welcome and Singing | You Alone can Rescue Great is Thy Faithfulness Christ Our Hope in Life and Death |
| Community News | |
| Bible Reading | Acts 6:1-15, 7:35-8:3 |
| Sermon | By Pastor Steven Tran |
| Song of Response | See the Man |

Financial Update

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| Last Week | \$5,285.07 |
| Weekly Required | \$7,500.00 |
| Shortfall 2022 | \$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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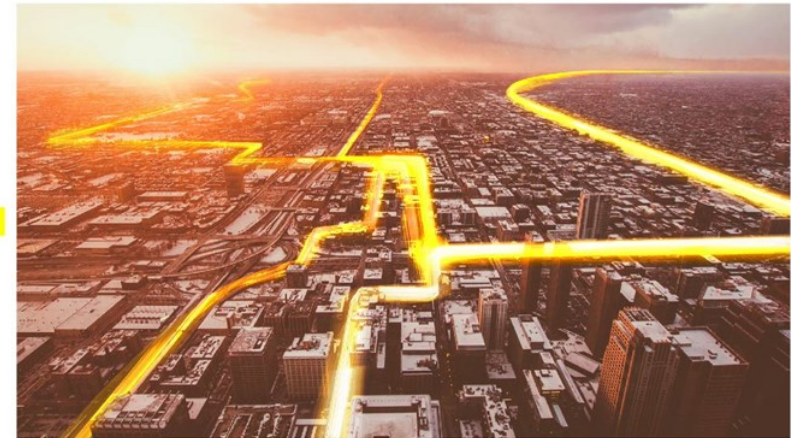


19 June 2022 | Service Times: 9am & 11am

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



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THE **GOSPEL** _____ **IN** MOTION

The Spirit-Filled Martyr who Advances the Mission

Jewish rejection of Jesus is typical of their history and the catalyst that pushes the church beyond Jerusalem with Jesus standing by His persecuted church.

Prayer Points

PRAISE GOD FOR GROWING THE CHURCH DESPITE OPPOSITION

that arises from inside or outside the church. Praise God that nothing can stop the gospel of salvation from going out, bringing forgiveness of sins and the hope of new life to a world desperately in need of both.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD NOT BE DISCOURAGED OR FEARFUL ABOUT

the opposition we face, trusting that can and does work through all things, even opposition, to achieve His purposes.

PRAY THAT GOD'S PEOPLE (HERE AT SLE CHURCH AND ALL OVER THE WORLD)

would have the right fear of God, convinced that God is truly and incomparably God, almighty, and will always get His way. Pray that this rightful, reverent fear will drive us to worship and obedience.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD NEVER

UNDERCUT the work of the Holy Spirit, deliberately living in lies and hypocrisy, or subtly or blatantly opposing the work of the church.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD EXPRESS OUR FEAR OF GOD

by being faithful to Jesus and His gospel, and courageous in standing up for and proclaiming our faith.

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR THE MANY WHO ARE DOING IT TOUGH IN LIFE—

in broken relationships, in inner turmoil, with physical ailments, struggling financially, and so on. Pray that they would draw near to God and find comfort and help. Pray that God would draw loving brothers and sisters into their lives to just be present and give encouragement.

PRAY IN PARTICULAR FOR THE HOHNBERG FAMILY (GLEN BEING THE PASTOR OF RISEN CHURCH)

as they grieve the death of their second oldest son, Xavier (15), to cancer.

Community News

SLE CHURCH CAMP REGISTRATION OPEN!

SLE Church Camp is back! We are excited about camp this year and we hope you are too. As we continue to spur one another on, we will always be considering how we can continue maturing in our faith and in our understanding of God's word. Whether at 5 or 80 years old, continued maturity of our faith and understanding is something we can all keep striving for.

When: Queen's Birthday long weekend, Friday 30 September – Monday 3 October

Where: QCCC Tamborine, 225 Beacon Road, North Tamborine. QLD 4272

Register at: [SLE Church Camp Rego 2022](#)

Early Bird Price Ends: 24 July, 2022

Registration Closing Date: 21 August, 2022

So do come join us and build each other up in maturity.

* SLE Church Council has set aside a limited amount for camp subsidies to assist those who may need it. This will be used at the discretion of the Camp Committee, in consultation with the SLE Church Council. If you require a subsidy to attend the camp, please contact Stanley Huang or Esmond Leong at the below emails.

If you have any other questions in the meantime, please email

-- Stanley Huang
(stanleyhuangjq@gmail.com) or

-- Esmond Leong (esie7@hotmail.com)

CCCB AGM--SUNDAY 19 JUNE, 7:30pm VIA ZOOM

SLE Church members, please note the Chinese Christian Church Brisbane AGM will be held on Sunday 19 June at 7:30pm via Zoom.

CCCB is the umbrella organisation, for our four sister Churches, and all members of SLE Church are members of CCCB.

Members who are unable to attend in person are able to submit a proxy for another member of SLE Church to represent them.

Zoom Link details have been emailed out. Please check your email.

Contact Winnie on info@sle.church for any issues.

The Spirit-filled Martyr who advances the Mission (Acts 6:1-8:3)

Introduction:

1. The Spirit continues His work (6:1-15)
 - a. The 'perfect church' hits a hurdle

- b. Stephen accused

2. A history of opposition (7:1-53)
 - a. Israel's beginnings weren't great

- b. You didn't listen to Moses

- c. The Temple is nice, but...

3. Martyrdom pushing the mission (7:54-8:3)
 - a. Stephen martyred

- b. The church scattered

So what?