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Upcoming Events

11 Dec	Christmas Carols
25 Dec	Christmas Services

Today's	Service
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Singing

Sermon

Welcome and What Child Is This O Come O Come Emmanuel Hark The Herald Community News Missions spot **Bible Reading** Hebrews 2

By AI Stewart

Song of Response Glory Be To God

Financial Update

Last Week	\$11,880.46
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
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane	

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11 December 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



God and Sinners Reconciled

The incarnated Christ was born to die, turning away God's wrath.

Prayer Points

GIVE PRAISE TO OUR GREAT GOD

AND LORD JESUS CHRIST who though was in the form of God did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of man. How amazing is our Lord Jesus that He would so incredibly humble himself for our sake in this way!

GIVE PRAISE AND THANKS FOR THE

PERFECT SALVATION that is given to us through God becoming flesh! Praise the immeasurable wisdom of God that Jesus being fully God and fully man means that He is perfectly able to deal with sin - in his divinity, having the power to defeat sin and death; in his humanity being able to be our substitute and die in our place. Give thanks also that His incarnation means that Jesus is able to perfectly sympathise with our weaknesses, experiencing what it means to suffer grief, loss, pain and even temptation.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD NOT ONLY MARVEL AT GOD'S SALVATION PLAN

through Jesus, but also come to put our trust completely in Him, to know that Jesus truly is our perfect substitute who is able to take away our sins and bring us back to God. **PRAY THAT WE WOULD HAVE THE MIND OF CHRIST**, being willing to humble ourselves like He did and to serve others like Christ served us.

CONTINUE PRAYING FOR YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS who do not know the Lord Jesus, that God would use you, or someone or something else, to draw them to a knowledge and faith of Jesus.

PRAY FOR THE CHRISTMAS CAROLS

EVENT TONIGHT! Pray that the event itself (and the advertising of it in the lead up) would raise awareness of our church's presence in the St Lucia community. Pray that those who come, especially those who don't know Jesus as Lord and Saviour and those who don't normally go to church, would start their journey towards coming to Christ and being part of His church. Pray that SLEers would be genuinely welcoming to all who come to this event.

Community News

CHRISTMAS CAROLS Sing-a-long Sunday 11 December, 5-6pm, South Hall

Come and join us with a fun evening of singing and getting into the Christmas cheer!

Free dinner and desserts to follow!

Spaces are limited, so RSVP now at <u>https://sle.church/carols</u>

Ignite Training Conference 2023 January 16-20 @ Brisbane School of Theology

Want to be equipped to read and teach the Bible better? Want to be inspired to keep pressing on in God's mission? Want to grow as a Christian? Check out this conference. Head to <u>www.ignitetrainingconference.com</u> or speak to Pastor Ben or Pastor Steven to find out more.

God and sinners reconciled... (Hebrews 2:4-18)

Introduction:

3. Compassion — Does God really understand my struggles? (2:17-18)

1. Incarnation — Why was Jesus born into our world? (2:4-16)

2. Propitiation — Is God angry with me? (2:17)