

## Our Pastors

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## Upcoming Events

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| 27 Feb  | Life Course begins               |
| 07 Mar  | Mamak for Mission                |
| 16 Mar  | Men's Conference                 |
| 17 Mar  | Junior Kids Church Easter Event  |
| 24 Mar  | Primary Kids Church Easter Event |
| 31 Mar  | Baptism                          |
| 4-7 Oct | Church Camp                      |

For more information, check out [sle.church/events](https://sle.church/events)

## Today's Service

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| Welcome and Singing | How Great Thou Art          |
|                     | God Is Faithful (Psalm 114) |
|                     | Ancient Of Days             |

Community News

Mission Spot

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| Bible Reading | 1 Samuel 4-5          |
| Sermon        | By Pastor Steven Tran |

Lord's Supper

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| Song of Response | Only A Holy God |
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## Financial Updates

Last Week	\$9,702.75
Weekly Required	\$9,061.00
Shortfall 2023-2024	\$4,964.79

Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

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

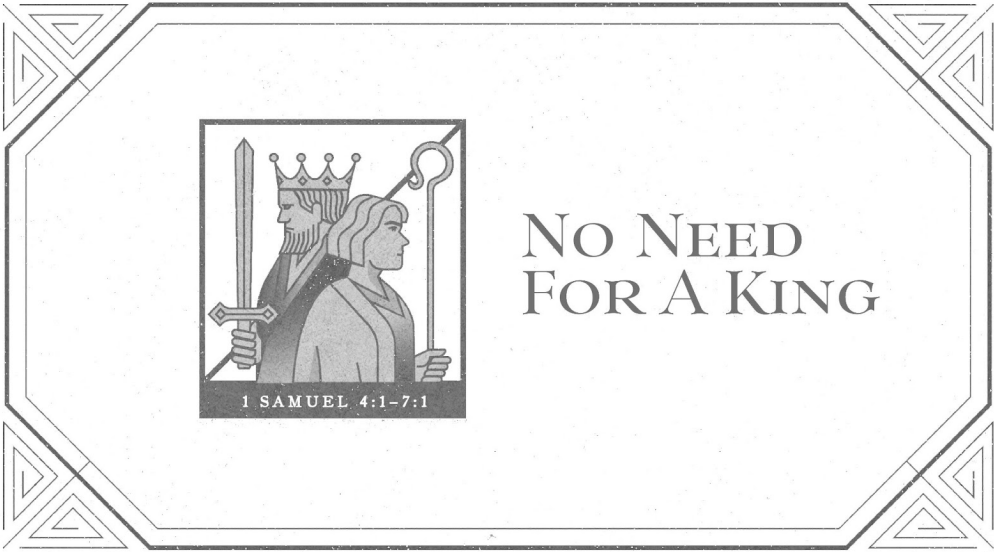
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane.



25 February 2024  
Service Times: 9am & 11am

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

We are a church family committed to following Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour. We gather to sing songs, read the Bible, and know more about Jesus. Check us out at [www.sle.church](https://www.sle.church).



## No Need For A King

God warns that his holiness means he will not be treated lightly by his people or others.

# Prayer Points

**Praise God for his faithfulness to us in Jesus**, speaking and fulfilling his promises to overcome sin and death and bringing those lost in darkness into a life-giving relationship with him. Praise God that we can trust him and pray to him because he has already acted to save us through our true king Jesus.

**Pray that we would see and know God as the all powerful and sovereign ruler of the universe.** Pray that we would not view God as a lucky charm for our lives or as a source of power that serves our desires, but we would recognise that we in fact serve him. Give thanks that we can stand before our holy God beloved and forgiven because of his grace and mercy to us in the Lord Jesus Christ.

**Pray for the LIFE Course starting this week!** Pray for those coming along to explore Jesus that they would be compelled by the gospel of Jesus and find true life and satisfaction in him. Pray that the gospel would be proclaimed clearly and faithfully, and that God might work powerfully by his Spirit to save. Pray that those exploring would be convicted of their sin and be captivated by God's grace.

**Pray for our Rivers of Living Water (RoLW) Grow Group** as they start back up for the new year. Give thanks to God for their continued faithfulness to Jesus and to their brothers and sisters at SLE Church, especially for the hospitality they show to the younger generations. Pray for them to continue encouraging one another as they meet to sit under God's Word to learn and be transformed. Pray that they would continue to be a group that is warm and inviting to those exploring the Christian faith.

# Community News

For the upcoming events, please register at [sle.church/events](http://sle.church/events):

- 1. Life Course
- 2. Mamak for Mission
- 3. Kids Church Easter Events

## LIFE COURSE, Tue 27 Feb, 6:30pm, SLE Church

Have you considered the meaning of life and the claims made by Jesus in the Bible?

Jesus is the most significant figure in all history! And if the claims made about him are true, it will have a massive impact on our lives today... and for eternity.

LIFE is a 5 part series that includes FREE tasty food, good coffee, an engaging talk about Jesus and the Bible, and the opportunity for discussion and questions. Everyone is welcome!

## MAMAK FOR MISSION, Thu 7th March, 6:30pm

Join us to hear about how God is working in Malaysia, and join to pray for our brothers & sisters there. You'll even hear about some SLE grads who are involved.

In typical Malaysia fashion there will be great food-CKT at minimal cost (:

All are welcome- you don't need to be Malaysian or have connections to the country. But you never know how God might grow your heart for the people and ministry there. Come "Scope" it out!

## KIDS CHURCH EASTER EVENTS

What a great opportunity to share about Jesus this Easter to kids of all ages through engaging stories, songs, crafts and fun games. Invite any kids that you know from 2 years old to Grade 6 to one of our Kids Church Easter Events:

Junior Kids Church - SUPER SAVIOUR  
For 2 year old to Prep age  
Sun 17 Mar, 9am-10:30am at SLE Church

Primary Kids Church - THE ULTIMATE SWAP!  
For Grade 1 to 6  
Sun 24 Mar, 8:45am-10:45am at St Lucia Playground  
RSVP by Sun 17 Mar

## SAVE THE DATE: BAPTISM Sunday 31 March

Baptism is a wonderful and joyous occasion for our church. A great time to witness and hear how the gospel has been at work in someone! Do save the date for baptism on 31 March (Easter Sunday).

In the coming weeks Pastor Steven will be holding a couple of baptism classes to know what baptism is and what it means for SLE Church.

If you are interested please contact Pastor Steven on 0411 621 159 or [steven.tran@sle.church](mailto:steven.tran@sle.church)!

## SAVE THE DATE: SLE CHURCH CAMP 2024!

Join us this October - King's Birthday long weekend, as we gather for camp, together as One Church united in Christ Jesus. Our camp offers a memorable time to sit under God's Word, build relationships and disciple each other. [Mark this date in your diary now](#) and start saving!

When: Friday 4 Oct—Monday 7 Oct  
Where: QCCC Tamborine  
Who: Open to all at SLE Church  
Cost: Approximately \$100/night across 3N4D

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# No Need For A King (1 Samuel 4:1-7:1)

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Introduction

1. Mistreating God's presence (4:1-22)

2. Mistaking God's power (5:1-6:12)

3. Mismanaging God's holiness (6:13-18)

4. Hope to stand before a Holy God (Revelation 7:9-12)