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Upcoming Events

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| 18 Apr | Mission Interest Group (MIG) meeting |
| 21 Apr | Newcomers' Lunch |
| 18 May | Bloom |
| 21-23 Jun | SalT Camp |
| 4-7 Oct | Church Camp |

For more information, check out sle.church/events

Today's Service

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| Welcome and Singing | ♪ He Is Our God |
| | ♪ Before The Throne Of God Above |
| | ♪ My God Is All I Need / My God Is So Big |

Community News

Bible Reading 1 Samuel 18:1 - 19:18

Sermon By Jordan Tan

Lord's Supper

Song of Response ♪ Come Behold The Wondrous Mystery

Financial Updates

Last Week	\$4,341.75
Weekly Required	\$9,654.00
Shortfall 2023-2024	\$11,113.79

Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

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

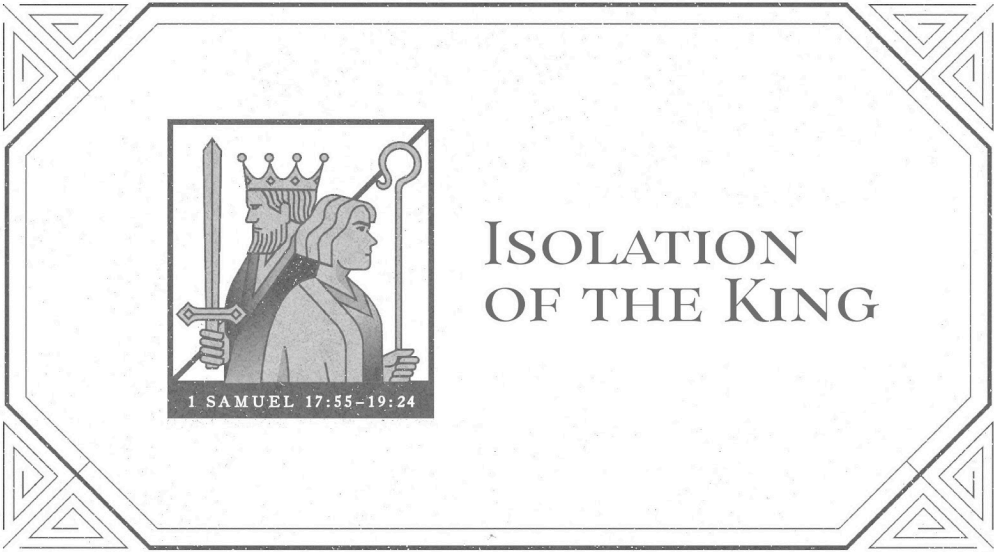
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane.



7 April 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.



Isolation Of The King

We rejoin the narrative of 1 Samuel after David defeats Goliath. How will people react? Especially, will King Saul react with thanksgiving or jealousy?

Prayer Points

Praise the God of mercy that he has washed away our sins, given us new birth in the Spirit, and redeemed us by the blood of Christ. Pray that as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus, we would deepen our awareness of God’s gift of life and so seek to put away our old selves and put on Christ. Pray that this might lead us to thankfully and joyfully serve Christ our Lord with our whole lives.

Pray that as we watch Saul’s downfall as king, we would mourn our own sinfulness and rejection of Jesus as our king. Give thanks for the innocent suffering of Jesus, who endured scorn and shame on the cross was crowned victorious as our king to save us.

Pray for our Junior Kids Church as they seek to be in awe of God’s rescue plan and know Jesus as King. Give thanks for the SaLT teens and newer teachers who have stepped up into new roles, and pray for more teachers to be raised up and trained to replace those who are leaving or taking a break. Give thanks for the newcomers from the Christmas and Easter evangelistic events who have now become regulars at JKC. Pray for the team as they manage uneven numbers between age groups and adjust the curriculum to find suitable materials for each age group. Pray also for strong relationships between teachers and parents as they partner together to disciple their children in Jesus.

Pray for our Senior Pastor, Steven Tran, and his family as they take leave to rest and reset. Give thanks for Steve and his faithful service to our church as Senior Pastor this past year and for the many years prior. Pray that God would continue to uphold and energise him in his ministry, and that Steve would continue to prayerfully depend on his Lord and Saviour as he serves. Pray for Steve and Steph as they pastorally care for people in our church, and ask God to give them wisdom to navigate complex situations and point people to the grace and love of Jesus. Pray for their children to continue trusting in Jesus and keep growing in faith, hope, and love.

Community News

MISSIONS INTEREST GROUP, Thursday 18 April, 6:30pm (dinner), 7:30-9pm (meeting)

“There are no shortcuts in missions.”

In an insta-world, we want quick results, and taking shortcuts is what we do to get ahead. But not so for missions. Why is that? And what impact does that have on our mission partners? How should that make you re-think missions?

Join us for MIG as we think about this together, and pray for our mission partners in light of this reality!

Register at sle.church/events

NEWCOMERS LUNCH Sunday 21 April, 11am and 12:30pm @ North Hall

All newcomers to SLE Church are warmly invited to join a Newcomer’s Welcome Lunch happening after church on Sunday 21 April. This is a great chance for newcomers to get to know our church family better, hear personally from our pastors and find out more about the heart and vision behind SLE Church.

Lunch Session:
11am & 12:30pm
North Hall @ SLE Church

RSVP: Tuesday 16 April at sle.church/events

SAVE THE DATE: BLOOM Women’s Ministry

18 May 2024, Saturday. 1-4pm

SAVE THE DATE: SALT CAMP 2024!

For SaLT Teens Ministry.
21-23 June, Friday-Sunday.

SAVE THE DATE: SLE CHURCH CAMP 2024!

Join us this October during the King’s Birthday long weekend at the SLE Church Camp, where we will gather as One Church to sit under God’s word, strengthen relationships, and disciple one another.

Church Camp is a fantastic opportunity to have deeper conversations, encouragement in singing, and sharing stories of grace as we come together in fellowship.

Right now, we would love for you to:
- **Save the date in your diary now**
- **Start setting aside funds today**

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

Isolation Of The King

Introduction

Saul's Downfall

David's Innocence

Application