

Our Pastors

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Upcoming Events

- 18 Aug Primary Kids Church Bring A Friend Day
- 20 Aug LIFE series for 5 weeks
- 4-7 Oct Church Camp

For more information, check out sle.church/events

Today's Service

Welcome and Singing	♪ The Chorus Of The Saved
	♪ Before The Throne Of God Above
	♪ Our Assurance

Community News

Bible Reading Hebrews 4:14-5:10

Sermon Pastor Steven Tran

Lord's Supper

Song of Response ♪ Our Assurance

Financial Updates

Last Week	\$8,304.72
Weekly Required	\$9,200.00
Shortfall 2024-2025	\$0.00

Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

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

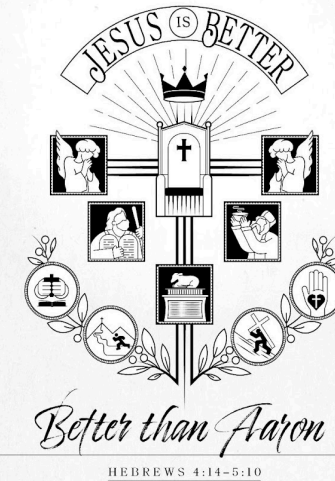
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane.



18 August 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.



Better Than Aaron

Jesus' high priestly ministry is better because his sacrificial sinless humanity secures for us eternal salvation - to our great comfort and assurance!

Prayer Points

Praise God for speaking to us! Praise God for the privilege of being able to hear His voice, clearly & authoritatively in the Scriptures. Praise God for His incisive Word, which never ceases to expose what is really in our hearts and minds. Praise God for being far more willing to speak to us, than we are to listen to Him, and for His mercy in forgiving us of this. Pray that we would heed the warning in Hebrews, and not harden our hearts when we read, listen or hear from the Bible.

Praise God that the promise of entering His rest is still open to us! Praise God that His rest, begun after the 6th day of creation, foreshadowed in Israel entering the Promised Land, is available to us through belief in Jesus. May we long to enter that rest, knowing how wonderful it will be to live in peace & perfection, with God, with creation, and with each other. Pray we would therefore strive to enter that rest, by continuing to hear God's voice & respond with soft hearts, full of faith & obedience.

Praise God for Jesus, our perfect High Priest, who enables us to draw near to the throne of grace with confidence! Praise God for making a way for sin to be dealt with, through the mediation of the high priests. We thank you that Jesus met, and then greatly exceeded the qualifications of a high priest, thus winning for us eternal salvation. Pray that God will help us understand more deeply the significance of Jesus our High Priest, and thus draw near to Him with confidence.

Pray for the provision of new pastoral staff for SLE church. Pray as we seek to appoint a new, full-time, pastoral staff member, to meet the growing demands of ministry needs at our church. Remember God's past faithfulness and pray with confident expectation that He will again provide what we need. Thank God that people continue to be equipped for ministry through theological colleges & through ministry apprenticeships like MTS, and pray that this would continue.

Pray for the upcoming church camp, "Better Together". Pray that all of us at SLE church would consider being part of this, as an expression of our unity and diversity as the body of Christ in this place, and as an excellent opportunity to love, serve & build each other up. Pray for the camp speaker, that he would be faithful in hearing your Word & preparing to teach us from it. Pray for the camp organising committee, that all would do their roles diligently and lovingly. Pray for any who are unsure or hesitant about coming, that they might be able to work through these feelings, both individually, and in community together.

Community News

To register for the following events, or to find out more, please head to sle.church/events

LIFE - LOOK INTO LIFE WITH JESUS From 6 August - 3 September

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

SLE CHURCH CAMP 2024 - BETTER TOGETHER

In a world so focused on the individual, which yearns for community, the church demonstrates that we really are 'Better Together'.

Join us for an extended weekend away to sit under God's word, build relationships and spur each other to live for Jesus.

When: Friday 4 Oct–Monday 7 Oct

Where: QCCC Tamborine

Who: Open to all at SLE Church

If you require or can offer financial assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us at churchcamp@sle.church. We would love everyone to be able to come! Registration closes on 1st September (Sunday).

Better Than Aaron (Hebrews 4:14-5:10)

Introduction

1. The best thing about Jesus being our High Priest (4:14-16)

3. The better qualifications of Jesus as High Priest (5:5-10)

So - since we have such a great High Priest, let us hold fast our confession...

... and let us confidently draw near to the throne of grace.

2. The qualifications of a High Priest (5:1-4)