## **Our Pastors**

#### SENIOR PASTOR STEVEN TRAN

+61 411 621 159 ≥ steven.tran@sle.church

#### **PASTOR RICHARD WONG**

+61 415 070 705 ⊠ richard.wong@sle.church



## **Upcoming Events**

29 Jun	Kingdom Prayer Group
3 Aug	Newcomers' Lunch
5 Aug	LIFE

For more information, check out sle.church/events

## **Today's Service**

♪ Come People Of The Welcome and Singing Risen King ♪ His Glory And My Good

♪ On That Day

Community News		
Mission Spot		
Bible Reading	2 Thessalonians 2:1-17	
Sermon	Pastor Richard Wong	
Mission Spot		
Lord's Supper		

Song of Response ♪ Our Assurance

## **Financial Updates**

Last Week	\$21,205 (Target: \$11,000)
Received to date 2024-25	\$527,451 (Target: \$530,400)
Budget 2024-25	\$541,400

#### **Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer**

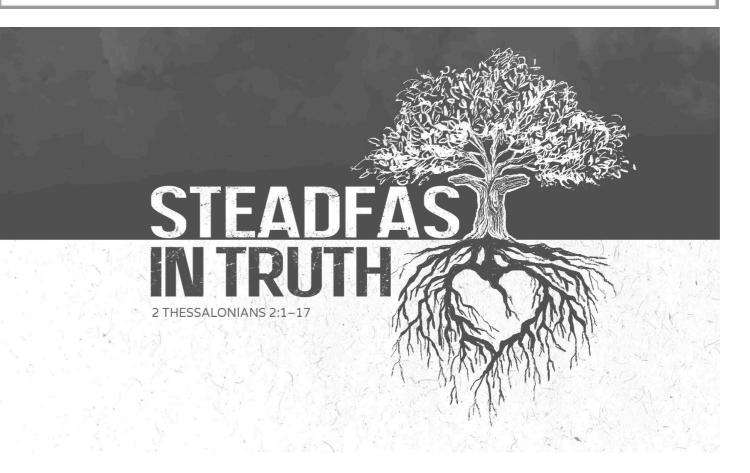
A/C Name	SLE Church
Bank	National Australia Bank
BSB:	084-424
Acc No.:	396558544

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



## 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 sle.church.



## **Steadfast In Truth**

The church must remain steadfast in the truth of the gospel of Jesus so that we won't be distracted from our hope for the future.



## **Prayer Points**

Monday: Pray for SLE Church as we sit under 2 Thessalonians. Ask that God, by His Spirit, would help us to receive His Word with humility, grow in steadfastness amidst afflictions, and hold fast to the hope of Christ's return.

#### Tuesday: Pray for those on school and

university holidays. Pray for students and staff Friday: Pray for ongoing conflict around on school and university holidays. Give thanks for God's provision of rest. Ask that the break would be used wisely-for reflection, refreshment, and deepening desire and love for learning and living under God's Word.

#### Wednesday: Gives thanks to God that Clay was able to celebrate their first Thanksgiving Night in the past week.

Thank God for His kindness in growing the young workers into more maturing disciples of Jesus within Clay, through their weekly bible studies, times of fellowship, and reflection on Jesus and the goodness of God.

#### Thursday: Pray for the various **Country-focused Prayer Groups in SLE**

**Church.** Ask that these gatherings would be marked by a deep concern and growing love for the lost, and a commitment to prayer that reflects God's heart for the nations.

the world. Acknowledge God's sovereignty over the nations, and ask that in His mercy, He might restrain evil, uphold justice, and bring about peace according to His purposes - that more and more may be drawn to Jesus. Pray also for Christians in these regions to stand firm amidst afflictions and be beacons of hope as they point others to God.

Saturday: Pray for Steve and his family as they continue to rest. That the family will be able to find rest, that Steve will be able to work on writing his book and come back refreshed and ready to lead our church with God's help.

## **Community News**

#### **KINGDOM PRAYER GROUP:** Sunday 29 June 6:30 PM Dinner, 7:00 PM Start

Join us for an evening of food, conversations, songs of praise and most importantly, to partner in prayer for the growth of God's kingdom in an undisclosed nation in S.E. Asia!

Date: Sunday 29 June Time: 6:30 PM (Dinner), 7:00 PM-8:30 PM (Meeting) Location: Toowong **Dinner:** Available (if you're happy to chip in) RSVP: Register at sle.church/events or speak to Leya/Jodie.

#### **NEWCOMER'S LUNCH:** Sunday 3 August, 11am and 12:30pm

If you are new to SLE Church in the past few months and would like to know more about what we do, what better way to do so than to join our Newcomer's Lunch with our Senior Pastor Steven Tran, who would love to help you take the next steps to connect with church.

Lunch sessions: 11am or 12:30pm at church.

RSVP: By Tuesday 29 July at <u>sle.church/events</u>

### LIFE: Starting Tuesday 5 August for 5 weeks

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!

Whether you would like to attend as a quest, accompanying a guest, or to help serve at LIFE, we invite you to register at sle.church/events

# Steadfast in Truth (2 Thessalonians 2:1–17)

1. We have a problem with truth

2. Don't be shaken by untruth (2:1–2)

4. Stand firm in the truth (2:15–17)

3. Remember the truth (2:3–14)

5. Love the truth