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Upcoming Events

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| 27 Jul | International YF Welcome Lunch |
| 30 Jul | Mamak for Mission |
| 3 Aug | Newcomers' Lunch |
| 5 Aug | LIFE |
| 17 Aug | Primary Kids Church
Bring-a-friend Day |

For more information, check out
sle.church/events

Today's Service

Welcome and Singing	♪ This Is Amazing Grace
	♪ O Church Arise
	♪ On That Day

Community News

Bible Reading	2 Thessalonians 3:6-18
Sermon	Pastor Richard Wong

Lord's Supper

Song of Response	♪ We Are One
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Financial Updates

Last Week	\$13,876 (Target: \$11,000)
Received to date 2025-26	\$13,876 (Target: \$11,000)
Budget 2025-26	\$572,000

Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

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

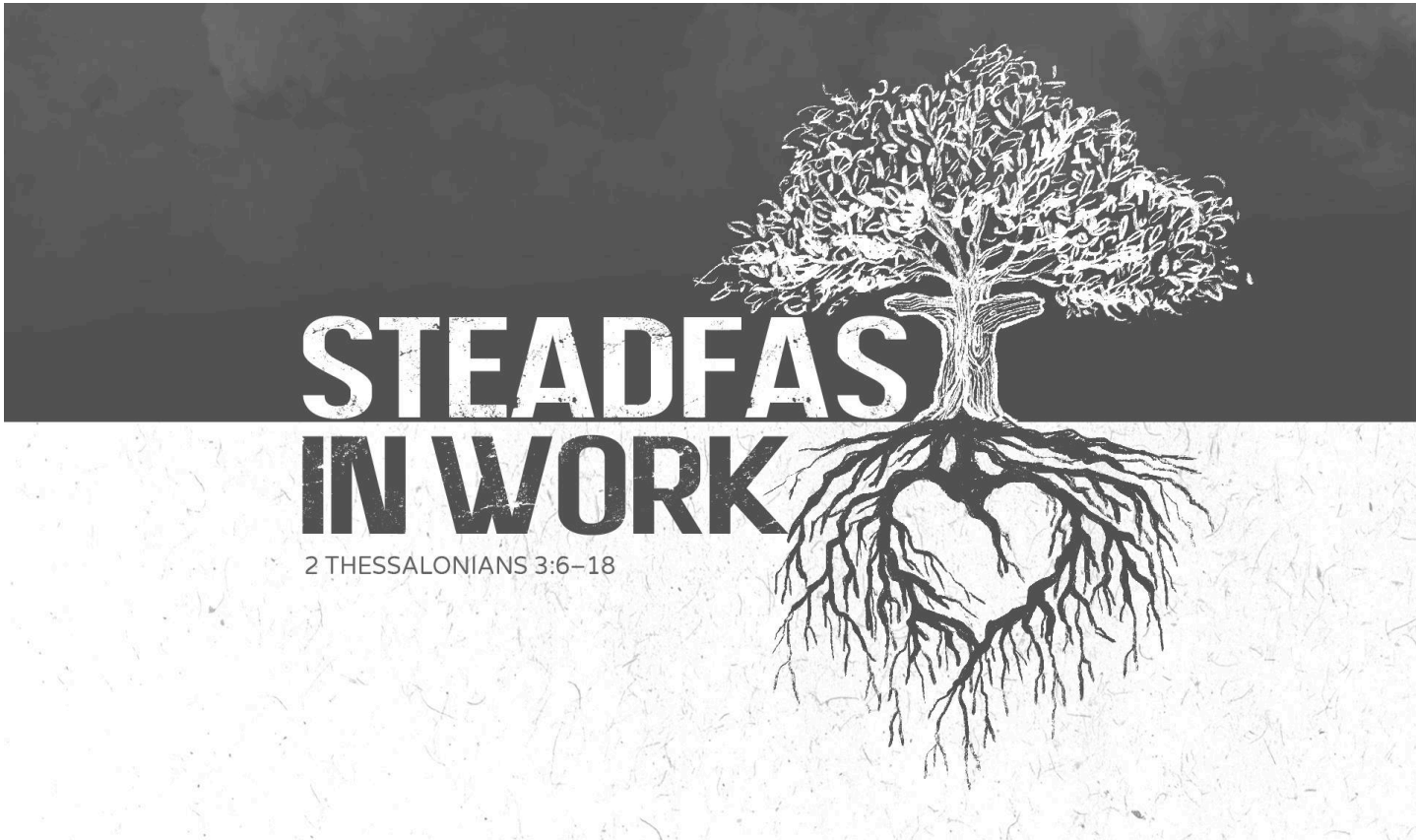
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane.



13 July 2025
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 sle.church.



Steadfast In Work

The church is commanded to remain steadfast in work so that we keep loving one another while we wait for Jesus to return.

Prayer Points

Monday: God is faithful! Therefore, we can be confident in the Lord because of His faithfulness as we do what He commands us to do. Praise God that we are called to be on the same mission that God sent His Son Jesus to do—proclaim His Kingdom come. Praise God that as we carry out His mission, we can trust that His Spirit would open hearts toward trusting in His gospel.

Tuesday: Forgive us for doing God’s work as if it solely depends on our efforts. We see this in how we rush headlong into planning and executing work without coming to God in prayer. Grow us to delight in depending on His strength and wisdom to do His work. Open our eyes to see God’s power at work—in us, and in those we minister to—as we serve.

Wednesday: Open our eyes and hearts to see that God’s mission is for the whole world. As we read news and scroll through social media, queue up for things and go about our lives, open our eyes to see the sobering reality—that without Christ, our world is hurtling headlong towards eternal separation from Him. Stir our hearts to cry out to God for more time for our world to repent, and for the Lord of the harvest to send out more workers.

Thursday: Pray for ourselves, and each other, that we would be faithful followers of Jesus. That we would seek to live, serve, and to be ministers of the gospel—whether in formal or informal ways. Ask God to help us live out our gospel-shaped identity in whatever role and responsibility He has entrusted to us, so that the fragrance of Christ might linger in our words and actions.

Friday: Pray for the various team trainings and gatherings that have taken place or are happening. Pray that each team would desire to grow as members of the body of Christ—learning to live and serve in unity. May God mature them to support one another in healthy, gospel-shaped ways. Guide them with wisdom and creativity, that they might use their giftings, skills and experiences to serve faithfully. May all that they co-labour in be done for God’s glory and for the flourishing of His church.

Saturday: Pray for the winter season—particularly those vulnerable to illness. Ask for God’s protection, and for His healing hand upon those needing recovery. Intercede for those struggling in body, mind, or spirit—that each would be comforted by the assurance of God’s ever-present care and their secure belonging in Him. Praise God for the love and care within our church family, which reflects the love that Christ has for us. And pray for us, that we would notice those who are absent from among us. May we pause, reach out, and extend the compassion of Christ to one another.

Community News

**International Youth Fellowship Welcome Lunch:
Sunday 27 July, 1-3pm, North Hall**

Are you an international student looking to connect with a gospel-centred community? Or do you know someone who is? International YF exists to grow international university students to be maturing disciples, captivated by and living for Jesus Christ in university and beyond.

Join us for our welcome lunch, where you'll get to know our fellowship group, hear how we grow together in Christ and connect with each other through sharing and games. Lunch is provided upon request and FREE for newcomers!

Please register for yourself and friends sle.church/events

**MAMAK FOR MISSION 2025 #2:
Wednesday 30 July @ Chapel Hill
6:30 PM Dinner, 7:00 PM Official Start**

Join us as we learn and pray about a diverse range of gospel work across Malaysia. This session, we will be learning about the indigenous people in Malaysia and hearing about gospel work happening in Penang. Malaysian food will also be served, so do bring hungry tummies and hearts!

RSVP: Register at sle.church/events

**NEWCOMER’S LUNCH:
Sunday 3 August, 11 AM and 12:30 PM**

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 sle.church/events

**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 guest, accompanying a guest, or to help serve at LIFE, we invite you to register at sle.church/events

Sermon Title here (2 Thessalonians 3:6–18)

1. Live to work?

d. What? Keeping away (3:13–14)

2. Work to live

a. The command (3:6)

3. Work to love

b. Why? The tradition (3:7–10)

4. Freed to work

c. Who? The idle (3:11–12)