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## Say hello

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Let us know that you're here on our live stream's live chat. Or connect with us at [www.sle.church](http://www.sle.church).

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## Today's Service

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**Welcome and Singing** We Belong To The Day  
Turn Your Eyes  
Before You I Kneel

### Holy Communion

### Community News

**Bible Reading** Luke 12:29-34; 12:54-59;  
16:1-13

**Sermon** By Pastor Ben Ho

**Song of Response** Live For The Kingdom

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## Financial Update

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Last Week	\$5,194.30
Weekly Required (adjusted)	\$6,350.00
Shortfall 2021	\$0.00

### Giving by Electronic Funds Transfer

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

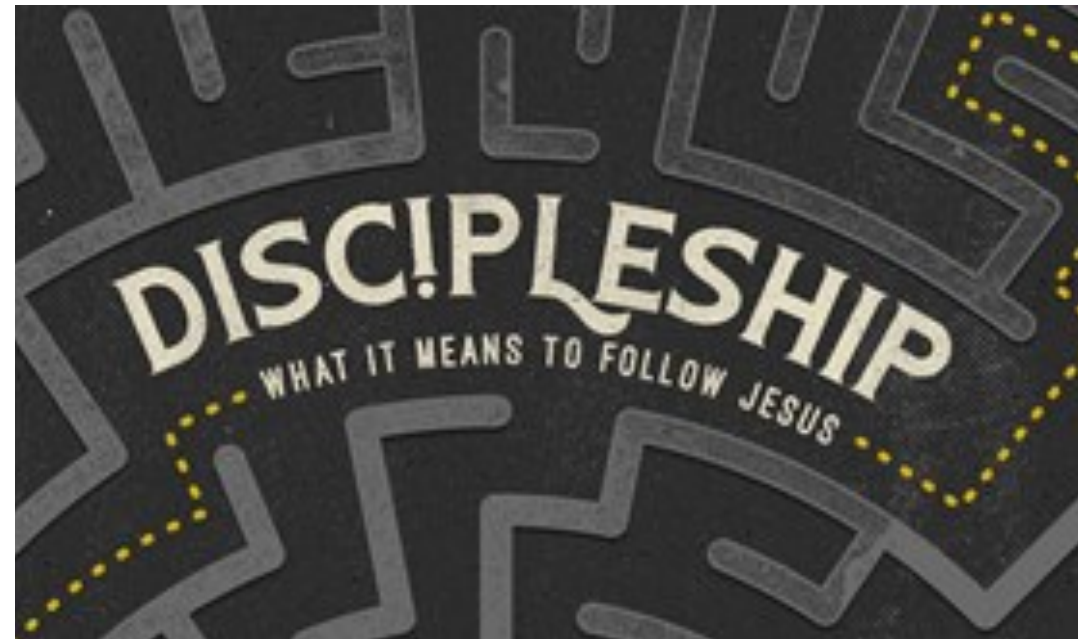
SLE Church is a branch church of Chinese Christian Church Brisbane



31 January 2021 | Service Times: 9am & 11:40am

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

We are a church family committed to following Jesus Christ as Lord. We do this by getting to know him through his living Word, the Bible, which is why the sermon is the key part of our Sunday services. Find out more about us at [www.sle.church](http://www.sle.church)



## Discipleship: Money Matters

*Followers of Jesus must be more shrewd than those of this world in living in light of the future. As we consider what Jesus says, let us consider to change the way we live in general, and the way we use money specifically, to reflect our faith in the future reality of the kingdom of God.*

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## Prayer Points

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**PRAISE GOD THAT WHEN WE WERE FAR AWAY FROM HIM**, rebelling against our Creator and spurning His love and rule, He came after us. Praise God that He searched for His lost sheep, found them, forgave them, and clothed them in the righteousness of His Son, Jesus. Praise God that we, Gentiles and strangers to the promises of God, have been included!

**PRAISE GOD THAT PRODIGALS WHO TURN TO THE FATHER ARE NOT TURNED AWAY BUT EMBRACED AND REJOICED OVER.** Pray for those in our lives that we know who have knowingly turned away from Christ. Pray that God would use whatever means or circumstances, even if they might be brought low, to turn back to Him in faith and repentance.

**PRAY THAT AS WE REFLECT ON THE MANY WORDS AND CHALLENGES OF JESUS OVER THE PAST FEW WEEKS THAT WE WOULD RESPOND FAITHFULLY.** Pray that God would help us—even with the loving help of friends—identify the idols we hold dear and help us renounce them to follow Christ. Pray that we would encourage each other more and more with our gatherings and time together to keep following Christ no matter the cost.

**PRAY FOR THE UPCOMING SERMON SERIES IN REVELATION 1-3.** Pray that as we reflect upon the letter to the seven churches that the challenges, warnings, and encouragements would be of great benefit for our own lives and the life of our church together. Pray that God would continue to grow our church as a place where disciples are grown and made as we reach out to all with the gospel.

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## Community News

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### **SLE CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER MEETING 31 JANUARY**

We will kick off the year with a gathering at SLE Church for church wide prayer meeting TODAY. We would love for you to join us.

Time: 1:30pm-3:30pm

Location; 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia

Registration via Eventbrite [sle.church/eb](https://sle.church/eb)

### **KIDS CHURCH REGISTRATION**

Preschool and Primary Kids Church starts TODAY!

Please register today at [sle.church/kidschurchrego](https://sle.church/kidschurchrego) or on the SLE Church website if you haven't already.

### **MISSIONS INTEREST GROUP (MIG) MEETING, 18 FEB, 7:30PM**

If you didn't know, SLE has a MIG, made up of church members who are interested in global mission. The aim is to meet together a few times a year, to encourage each other in our missionary interest & involvement, and to pray for God's global mission.

We'd love to invite you along for our first meeting of 2021! We'll get to hear a talk from Pastor Ben on "what is mission & how mission fits into SLE's MVV", and enjoy some discussion, fellowship & prayer together.

Please RSVP to [tinyurl.com/MIGmeeting](https://tinyurl.com/MIGmeeting) by 14/02/21 so we have numbers (which will determine whether we meet in a home, or at Ryans Rd).

### **NEWCOMERS MORNING TEA/LUNCH 28 FEBRUARY**

During these COVID-19 times, it is a greater challenge to be connected, especially for those who have visited us for the first time during this period. With this in mind, we will be having a Newcomers event on 28 February at Ryans Road to provide an opportunity for us as a church to get connected with those who have visited us in the past 3 months and to give an opportunity for us as a church to present our vision and answer any questions.

**Date:** 28 February

**Times:** 11am-12:30pm, or 1:15pm-2:45pm

**Location:** 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia

**What:** Lunch, information/Q&A session, chit chat

**Register:** [sle.church/eb](https://sle.church/eb)

**Info/RSVP/more information:** contact Louis (Louis.dp@icloud.com, Mob: 0423 577 783)

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## 17. Discipleship: Money Matters (Luke 16:1-13)

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### 1. Introduction:

### 2. The Parable: The Dishonest, but shrewd Manager

#### A. Getting sacked (1-2)

#### B. The crafty plan (3-7)

#### C. The master's commendation (8a)

#### D. Jesus' point (8b)

### 3. Implications

#### A. Shrewd use of money (9)

#### B. Faithful use of money (10-12)

#### C. Serve God, not money

### 4. Conclusion