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## Say hello

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## Today's Service

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**Welcome and Singing** Blessed Be Your Name  
I Will Glory In My Redeemer  
The Lord Is My Salvation

### Holy Communion

### Community News

**Bible Reading** Job 42:7-17, James 5:7-11, Revelation 21:4-7

**Sermon** By Pastor Steven Tran

**Song of Response** God Moves

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## Financial Update

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Last Week \$10,419.60

Weekly Required (adjusted) \$6,550.00

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



16 May 2021 | Service Times: 9am & 11:15am

## 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)



## Wisdom, Mystery, and the Meaning of Suffering

*We have a happy ending as Job is restored by God in the sight of all, helping us see how good and gracious Yahweh is.*

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## Prayer Points

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**PRAISE GOD THAT HE IS GOD AND WE ARE NOT.** Pray for a greater understanding and realization of this. Magnify God in your mind and heart that we may honour and revere and trust Him in all things, and especially when we are going through sufferings or uncertainties.

**PRAY THAT IN OUR QUESTIONING** and searching for answers and direction from God that we do so without demanding, but with humility and confidence that God is in control and that He is good. Pray that we would know and experience that knowing God and being known by God is infinitely more important and sufficient than having all our questions answered and problems in this life solved.

**THANK GOD FOR THE BOOK OF JOB** and the sermon series. Pray that we would continue to remember and reflect on the lessons learnt, especially in recognizing the limits of human wisdom, and therefore our absolute need to fear God, to seek Him and trust Him.

**PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SUFFERING IN DIFFERENT WAYS.** Pray for those who are struggling in their faith. Pray for those feeling the weight of sin and guilt. Pray for those who are dealing with loss of various kinds. Pray that God would be their comfort, strength and hope. Pray that the love and grace of the gospel of Jesus Christ would be known and experienced by them in these difficult times.

**THANK GOD FOR THE GRUNT SESSION YESTERDAY.** Pray that the men of our church would express anger for the right reasons and in the right ways to achieve the glory and purposes of God and the good of others.

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## Community News

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### SINGLENESSE MATTERS 4-5 JUNE

*"I'm still single... why?"*

*"What is the gift of singleness and how do I know I have it?"*

*"Who will look after me when I'm old?"*

*"How do I respond to the pressure and expectations from family and friends?"*

*"How can I care for and serve those who are single around me?"*

*"Since there's no marriage in heaven, what does that mean for both single and married people as we live in the present?"*

Perhaps you've asked one or more of these questions before. And still, there are so many more questions that can and should be asked about the issue of singleness – perhaps questions that you've never thought to ask and find answers to.

Whatever stage in life we're in – young or old, single, married, divorced or widowed – we will either be single, or we will know single people, and we'll certainly all be 'unmarried' in heaven (Matthew 22:29-32). Knowing what the Bible teaches about singleness and being equipped to think and serve in this area is something we can and should invest time and energy to.

Rev. Dr. Dani Treweek, founder of Single Minded (<https://www.singleminded.community/>), will be conducting two workshops for us – one for the teens, and one for the rest of the church. All are highly encouraged to attend!

Teen's workshop: 4th June, 7-9pm  
Church (adult) workshop: 5th June, 10am-12noon (child care will be provided)

Location: 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia (church hall/s)

Registration details will be released soon.

### CHURCH @ HOME GROUPS

Round 4 is starting next Sunday (23/5 to 20/6). If you're an existing attendee, we expect that you are able to attend all 5 weeks of Round 4. If you're away for part of the round, please contact [hosts@sle.church](mailto:hosts@sle.church) and let us know when. This would be very helpful for the planning team.

New hosts and attendees can sign up anytime! Register here: [sle.church/homechurchrego](https://sle.church/homechurchrego)

Existing attendees will continue to stay as part of Church @ Home Groups and will be automatically assigned in Round 4. If you are part of Church @ Home Groups and wish to opt out of home groups or become a host, please contact [hosts@sle.church](mailto:hosts@sle.church).

### BLOOM

What is "womanhood"? Talking about womanhood can sound rather old-fashioned or offensive.

This year, we have a very precious opportunity to grow in our understanding of biblical womanhood. God's design for women was intentional and purposeful, and he wants us to discover and embrace his design.

In the first event of our series on 'God's Good Design', our guest speaker Robyn Bain (from Queensland Theological College) will open up God's Word with us. This session is for women in all seasons and stages of life.

When: Saturday, 26 June, 1.30-4pm

Where: SLE Church @ 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia

Register: [sle.church/bloom](https://sle.church/bloom)

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## **Wisdom, Mystery, and the Meaning of Suffering (Job 42:7-17)**

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Introduction:

1. Job Vindicated (7-9)

2. Job Restored (10-15)

3. Job Remembered (16-17)

4. Job, Wisdom, Mystery, and the Meaning of Suffering