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## Today's Service

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**Welcome and Singing** All creatures of our God and King

Behold our God

Turn your eyes

**Holy Communion**

**Community News**

**Bible Reading** Zechariah 6:1-8

Ezekiel 14:12-23

Revelation 6:1-17

**Sermon** By Pastor Ben Ho

**Song of Response** Begone Unbelief

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## Financial Update

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Last Week \$6,700.91

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



30 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)



## The Six Seals

*The Lamb opens the seals showing his sovereignty in judgement on the earth and in the persecution of believers, as final judgement awaits. This brings understanding, comfort and perseverance to believers as they await final vindication. This also brings warning to unbelievers to turn to Jesus as they taste the foretaste of final judgement.*

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## Prayer Points

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**PRAISE GOD, AGAIN, FOR THE BOOK OF JOB** – a massive book, exploring wisdom and faith in the middle of suffering. Pray that the lessons we've learned may last us a lifetime and sustain our faith in the years ahead – especially during the dark seasons of suffering and trial we all go through. Pray that we would cling onto the goodness of God and trust in his sovereign control and wisdom in all things.

**PRAISE GOD THAT GOD AND JESUS ARE ON THE THRONE.** Praise God that Jesus is the One with authority to open the scrolls – and so enact God's plans and purposes in this world. Praise God that he is worthy of all worship and praise – and pray that we would joyfully join the worship and praise of Jesus! Pray that we would not outlive our desire or joy in following Him.

**PRAY FOR THE UPCOMING CHURCH @ HOME GROUPS NEW ROUND.** Pray that God would sustain us through the weariness of the year so far, and that we would be enthused again to meet with God's people to mutually encourage each other as we sit under God's Word together. Pray for a high registration and attendance rate – that the numbers would reflect a growing desire within each of us to gather as God's people.

**PRAISE GOD FOR THE MANY GOOD THINGS THAT ARE HAPPENING IN OUR CHURCH CALENDAR AT THE MOMENT.** The past Grunt session, the upcoming Bloom session, Singleness workshop, membership classes, Christianity Explained classes, on top of our weekly fellowship and bible study gatherings. Pray that God would use the times to grow our fellowship and relationships, be inclusive of newcomers and outsiders, and continue to edify and encourage each other to pursue holiness together.

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## Community News

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### SINGLENESSE MATTERS 4-5 JUNE

Rev. Dr. Dani Treweek, founder of Single Minded ([www.singleminded.community/](http://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 via [sle.church/eb](https://sle.church/eb) to look for the workshops

### SLE AGM – SATURDAY 19 JUNE 9

AGM 2021 is back – but this time bigger and better than ever! On Saturday 19 June, SLE Church members will be able to get to listen to various stories of grace from over the past 12 months. It will be an opportunity for us to hear what has happened in our church fellowship groups and members, rejoice and pray in thanksgiving, while also taking care of AGM business.

Stories of grace will begin from 9am, with the AGM to begin at 11am. Lunch is being organised for the day as well. Further details to come soon.

### OTHER AGMS

SLDB AGM—Sunday 30 May, 11:45am, South Hall.

CCCB Inc AGM—Sunday 13 June, 8pm via Zoom.

Information for the above AGMs have already been emailed out. Please respond accordingly.

### COMMUNION SUNDAY 6 JUNE

Communion will be held at Church @ Ryans Road after each of the services on 6 June. Church @ Home groups will be receiving instructions to organize to have the Lord's Supper.

### 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)

This event is a COVID safe event.

### MARRIAGE REFRESHER – SAT 10 JULY

A one-day marriage refresher retreat will take place on Saturday 10 July. Married couples of all ages are encouraged to attend. More details to be released soon. For now, please mark the date in your diary!

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## The Six Seals (Revelation 6)

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### 1. Introduction

### 2. The First Four Seals—Punishment & Purification (6:1-8)

#### A. The Four Horsemen

#### B. Implications

##### i. The Lamb is in control

##### ii. Foretaste of final judgement

##### iii. Testing of faith

### 5. Seals Five & Six—Persecuted, but Protected (6:9-17)

#### A. The Martyrs

#### B. The End

### 6. Conclusion