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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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## Our Pastors

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Check out [sle.church/groups](https://www.sle.church/groups) to find a group that you can join.

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## Today's Service

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**Welcome and Singing**      How Great Is Our God  
                                    Have Mercy On Me  
                                    No Other Name

### Community News

**Bible Reading**      Ezekiel 24  
**Sermon**                By Pastor Steven Tran  
**Song of Response**    Power Of The Cross

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## Financial Update

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| Last Week                  | \$4,979.91 |
| 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



5 September 2021 | Service Times: 8:45am & 10:45am

## 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 Weighty Arrival of Judgement

*The inevitable judgement of Jerusalem has arrived, nothing can prevent it, and the incredible weight of it will overwhelm their grief.*

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## Prayer Points

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**PRAISE THE LORD JESUS CHRIST** for being the true hope of the world, through whom the grace of God, the promise of blessing, the salvation of our sinful souls and full redemption of all brokenness is found.

**THANK GOD FOR GIVING TO US** and making known to us, with all spiritual insight, Jesus Christ, His Son, who is our true Saviour. Thank God that He saves us from our greatest enemies—sin, death and the evil one. Thank God that He delivers us from all insecurity and false hopes.

**PRAY THAT WE WOULD TRUST IN** Christ alone as our only Saviour. Pray that we would be aware of and reject all of the ‘functional saviours’ we so often and easily grow to depend on.

**PRAY THAT THE SPIRIT WILL HELP** you to identify these false ‘saviours’ and hopes in your life. Pray that you will have the strength and desire to unmask these idols and bring them to the cross. Pray that you will bring these idols to the light, by confessing to God and to others. Pray that you will daily return to the true hope found in Christ. Pray for conviction to believe in the power and hope of restoration in our failings.

**AS WE CONTINUE TO LIVE IN A** broken world filled with much suffering, pain and difficulties, think hard about the people around you—in our church, our homes, our neighbourhood—as well as those further afield. Think of their needs—spiritual, emotional, relational, physical—and pray for them.

### **JAMES 5:13-16**

13 Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise. 14 Is anyone among you sick? Let him call for the elders of the church, and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord. 15 And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up. And if he has committed sins, he will be forgiven. 16 Therefore, confess your sins to one another and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person has great power as it is working.

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## Community News

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### **SPUR DAY CONFERENCE, SATURDAY 11 SEPTEMBER, 9AM-4PM**

SPUR Conference aims to spur people on in their thinking about full-time ministry, through Bible talks, discussions & pastoral conversations. It's so encouraging to do so with others who want to give their life for the cause of the gospel, and are weighing up their suitability for vocational ministry.

Please come if you're in any stage of considering full-time ministry for yourself, or if you're helping others do so!

Please register at [uqes.org.au/spur](http://uqes.org.au/spur) ASAP! It's only \$20 and will be held in St Lucia (hosted by UQ Evangelical Students).

### **NEWCOMERS LUNCH 12 SEPTEMBER**

If you are new or know of someone who is new to SLE Church and would like to get to know more about what we do and maybe get connected with other members of the church, what better way to do so than to join our Newcomers Lunch? You will also hear more from Pastor Ben Ho on the Mission and Vision of SLE Church.

Date: Sunday 12 September

Please choose one of the two sessions available with details below (Lunch provided for both session).

Session 1:

Time: 10.45am-12.00noon

Venue: St Lucia Playground,  
119 Carmody Road, St Lucia, OR

Session 2:

Time: 12:15pm—1:30pm

Venue: SLE Church, 83 Ryans Rd, St Lucia

RSVP by 8 September at [sle.church/eb](http://sle.church/eb)

We can't wait to see you there!

For more information / queries: contact

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### **COMING BACK TO CHURCH**

We are now able to return back to church with 100% allocated seating.

Please note the following:

- Register tickets for services on [sle.church/eb](http://sle.church/eb) starting Tuesday 9am of each week.
- Kids church is back for both 8:45am and 10:45am services. Parents please take note to bring the necessary items for your kids. See [sle.church/visit](http://sle.church/visit) for more details.
- Parking—be mindful to not block our neighbours' driveways. Those who are able to park further, please do so in loving service to the more elderly and families with young children who would benefit from parking along Ryans Road and Armadale Street..
- Take note of current government guidelines regarding mask wearing.
- Check in via the Check In Qld app.
- Observe traffic flows around the building on Sundays, as far as able, please use the single-file system when using stairs.
- Those who are unwell with covid-19 or flu symptoms are encouraged to stay home until better.

# The Weighty Arrival of Judgement (Ezekiel 24)

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Introduction:

1. Losing Jerusalem (23:1-14)

a. Judgement has arrived

b. A Masterchef parable

c. A bloody city

2. Losing the Delight of Your Eyes (24:15-27)

a. Ezekiel's silent grief

b. Israel's silent grief

c. Speech restored

3. Heaven's Delight Lost