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Upcoming Events

- 7 Aug—11 Sep Christianity Explained Course
- 11 Sep EGM—Members only
- 15 Sep MIG
- 16 Sep CFL
- 30 Sep-3 Oct SLE Church Camp!!

Today's Service

Welcome and Singing See Him Coming
We Belong to the Day
To Live is Christ

Community News

Bible Reading Nehemiah 7:4-7, 61-73
Philippians 3:12-17

Sermon By Pastor Steven Tran

Song of Response Be Thou My Vision

Financial Update

Last Week	\$15,172.05
Weekly Required	\$7,500.00
Shortfall 2022	\$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

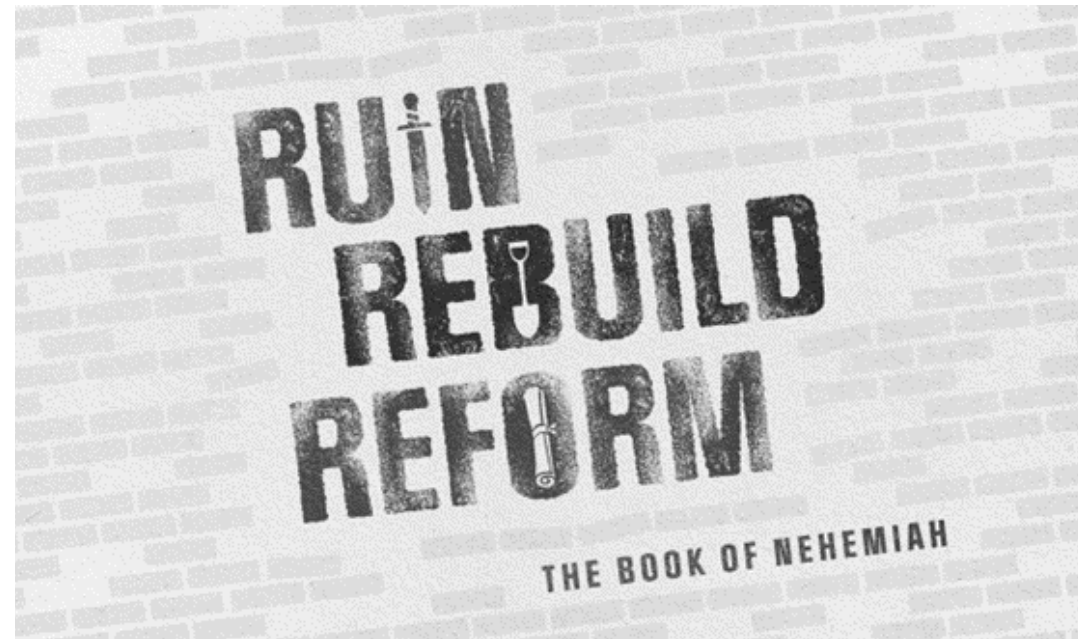


11 September 2022 | Service Times: 9am & 11am

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



Rollcall to Rebuild

As the wall is finished the remnant are counted, and though small the number represents the future hope of Israel.

Prayer Points

PRAISE OUR GOD WHO IS WORTHY TO BE FEARED, for He is almighty and great, never-failing in accomplishing His purposes, protector of His people, and making afraid those who frighten His flock. Praise God that those who fear God are those who are able to overcome fear.

PRAY THAT OUR FEAR OF GOD WOULD DRIVE OUT OUR FEARS that cause us to lose faith in or be unfaithful to God. Pray that we would not succumb to the fear of death, opposition, or suffering. Pray that we would not fear speaking up for Jesus and living differently for Jesus. Pray that we would not succumb to the fear of missing out in this world that tempts us to compromise our worship and live unfaithfully to our Lord.

MAY GOD HELP US TO TAKE OUR EYES OFF WHAT MAKES US AFRAID and to turn our eyes to God and our Lord Jesus. Pray for the Spirit to give us spiritual eyes to see and transformed hearts that long to fear God and find in the Lord Jesus the eternal significance, security and satisfaction that we need.

PRAY THAT OUR PROPER FEAR OF GOD WOULD CAUSE US TO GET ON with doing the word of God, resolute in building the Kingdom of the Son, serving with great energy, giving generously, being committed to attendance and community, building up fellow believers and being engaged in the mission of the gospel.

PRAY FOR THE ONGOING CHURCH PLANT PLANS. Pray for God to guide and empower these plans, if it is according to His will. Pray that God will provide all that is needed both for the plant to come to being and for SLE Church, the sending church, to continue to be able to thrive. Pray for physical, spiritual, relational, and emotional resources, all of which will be much needed for this task.

THANK GOD FOR THE FIEC NATIONAL CONFERENCE that many of the church staff and leaders from SLE Church and the other FIEC churches attended. Give great thanks for the wonderful time of fellowship and feeding from God's word, and for the opportunity to express our partnership in the wider work of the gospel as we heard much sharing from many different people and churches, both in informal conversations over meals, as well as from the 'front' during the sessions together.

Community News

CHRISTIANITY EXPLAINED

Christianity Explained is a 6-session course that gives you time and space to consider the big questions of life and to explore the life of the person at the heart of the Christian faith—Jesus Christ. You don't need to know anything about the Bible. You won't be asked to read aloud, pray or sing. You can ask any question you want or just listen.

Dates: Sundays from 7 Aug—11 Sep 2022

10am-11am @ 1/37 Alexandra Avenue, Taringa (Sonja's house)

11am—12noon @ 83 Ryans Road, St Lucia (SLE North Hall Cry Room)

Sign-up at: <http://sle.church/christianityexplained>

SLE CHURCH MEMBERS: NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING—11 September, 7:30pm, via Zoom

The Extraordinary General Meeting of SLE Church will be held from 7:30pm via Zoom on Sunday 11 September, 2022. An email of the Notice and Registration form has been sent out. Please check your inbox/spam box.

The members of SLE Church will be voting for the Appointment of one Pastor, and change in Financial Year.

Please check with the SLE Church Secretary (Winnie Wong) to verify your membership of SLE Church. If you are not yet a member of SLE Church, we welcome you to apply.

MISSIONS INTEREST GROUP (MIG) MEETING, 15 September, 7:30-9pm

Our last MIG for the year is just around the corner, and you're invited along. We'll be spending time clarifying what we mean by the term 'mission', and not only think about what mission IS, but also what it's NOT—and what all this might mean for us. As usual, we'll also spend time praying for our missionaries, as well as our own involvement in mission.

You can come at 6:30pm for dinner, in order to enjoy fellowship before the formal part of the evening starts.

Please RSVP through the church website, <https://sle.church/missions> by Sunday 11 September.

“CONVERSATIONS ON FAITH AND LIFE”, Friday 16 September, 6:30pm

CFL is a monthly Book Club for non-Christians where we read through an intelligent Christian perspective on some of the biggest issues of faith and life, and invite you to think aloud with us over a relaxed chit chat! It's chill, you get to air your views and listen to others on issues of eternal significance.

Every month, CFL explores an different chapter of New York Times' bestselling “The Reason for God: Belief in an Age of Skepticism” by Timothy Keller, founding pastor of Redeemer Presbyterian Church in New York City. Info & RSVP: <https://sle.church/conversations>

Rollcall to Rebuild (Nehemiah 7:5-73)

b. The work ahead

Introduction:

1. The count
 - a. Details to notice
 - b. God's promises sort of kept...
2. The (past) and future
 - a. Ezra 2 and Nehemiah 7: bookends
3. Looking back or looking forward (Philippians 3:12-17)