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Upcoming Events

- 6, 13, 20, 27 Nov Just Looking
- 6 Nov Centenary Evangelical Church—
Information & Prayer Session
- 20 Nov Christmas @ Home
- 27 Nov PKC Christmas Event
- 2 Dec Conversations for Faith & Life
- 4 Dec JKC Christmas Event
- 10 Dec Baptism
- 11 Dec Christmas Carols

Today's Service

Welcome and Singing There Is One Gospel
See Him Coming
To Live Is Christ

Community News

Mission Spot

Bible Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11

Sermon By Pastor Steven Tran

Song of Response We Belong To The Day

Financial Update

Last Week	\$5,964.66
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

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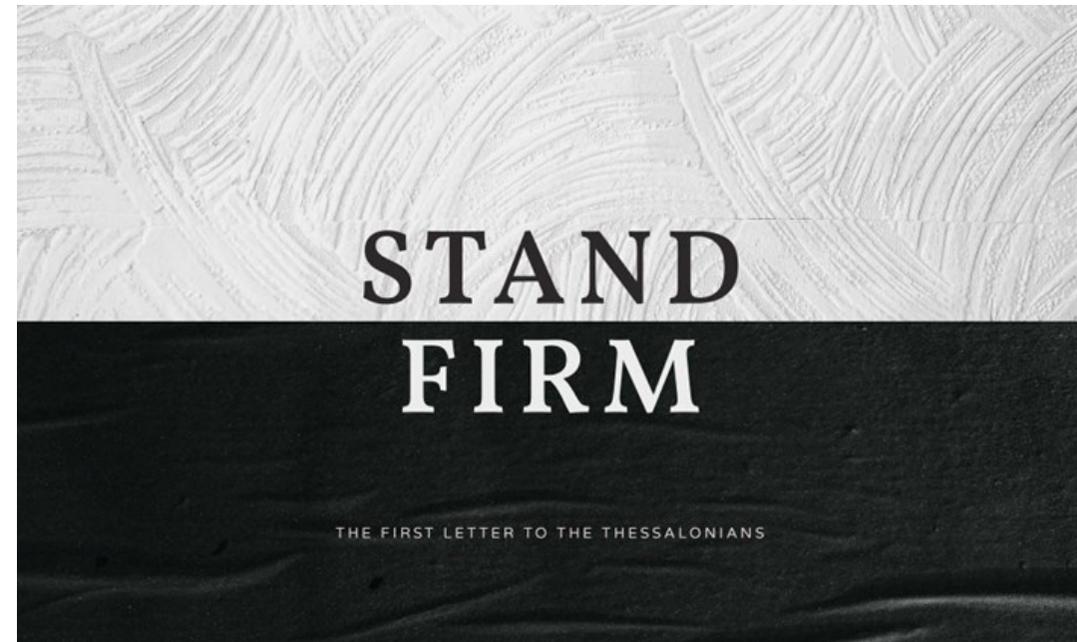


6 November 2022 | Service Times: 9am & 11am

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



Standing Firm with Second-Coming Hope

The return of Jesus gives hope and comfort to those grieving death, and motivates us to godly living while we wait for Jesus' appearing.

Prayer Points

GIVE PRAISE TO OUR HOLY GOD;

ascribe to Him glory and greatness due to the perfection of His power and purity!

THANK GOD THAT HIS WILL HAS BEEN MADE CLEAR FOR US,

that we might be sanctified people, shunning sexual immorality that damages not just ourselves, but also others, and greatly dishonours the Holy Spirit who dwells in every believer.

PRAY THAT GOD'S HOLY PEOPLE,

sanctified in Christ, would walk in the way of God, in a manner pleasing to God. Pray that we might do so more and more, not content to remain in cruise control, but pressing on in our calling to live as God's holy people, growing in purity in all aspects of our lives, growing in our love for others in the family of God, and living upright and holy lives in the world.

PRAY THAT OUR WITNESS TO THE WORLD WOULD BE SO VERY

ATTRACTIVE, being the fragrance of life, and giving us the opportunity to share the gospel and point people to the power of change that only God the Father, through His Son, by the Spirit, can bring.

GIVE THANKS FOR THE MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRAINING THAT THE PASTORS HAVE HAD

in recent months. Pray for them as they reflect on and consolidate these learnings, and wisely seek to put these into practice in their own lives and in the life of the church.

GIVE THANKS THAT THE CHURCH PLANT PLANS CONTINUE TO PRESS

ON, with much affirmation and answer to prayer. Give thanks for the opportunity for many from the different partner churches to gather this afternoon for the information and prayer session. Pray that it would be a wonderful expression of gospel unity and partnership. Pray that it would be a great encouragement and challenge to all who come, to be spurred on to serve in whatever way they can, whether they stay in their home churches or join the church plant.

Community News

CENTENARY EVANGELICAL CHURCH- INFORMATION & PRAYER SESSION

The first 'official' and public event for the proposed church plant is coming up very soon. It will be the public unveiling of the church plant plans to give information to those who are seeking to know more and partner with the church plant in some way, whether that be to send, to go, to give, and/or to pray.

Please join us, along with many from our partner churches, for this information and prayer session. All are welcome to attend!

Where: Centenary State High School, Sports Hall

When: Sunday, 6th November 2022, 3:30-4:30pm

RSVP (helpful, but not required): <https://fb.me/e/1KYh1FIVs>

CHRISTMAS @ HOME, Sunday 20 November

Celebrate Christmas in the comfort of a home with your unbelieving friends & family, before everyone goes away for holidays!

SLE is pre-recording a special Christmas service, which will premiere at 8:45am on our YouTube channel. You are free to watch it whenever it suits you & your guests.

What do you need to do now?

1. Organise the event: team up, assign a venue, sort out food plans.
2. Pray and invite your unbelieving friends, family, neighbours, colleagues etc.
3. Once settled, RSVP at <https://sle.church/Christmas-at-home> to let us know your plans.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS Sing-a-long Sunday 11 December, 5-6pm, South Hall

Come and join us with a fun evening of singing and getting into the Christmas cheer!

Free dinner and desserts to follow!

Spaces are limited, so registrations will only be open to those inviting others! (e.g. friends, family, neighbours).

Register at <https://sle.church/carols>

Standing Firm with Second-Coming Hope (1 Thess 4:13-5:11)

Introduction:

1. Hope for those who have fallen asleep (4:13-18)

Three reasons to not be uninformed

a. Jesus' death and resurrection

b. A word from the Lord

c. The obvious return of Jesus

Therefore encourage each other with these words

2. Motivation for living today (5:1-11)

a. Those not prepared for Jesus' sudden return

b. Those prepared

So, keep awake and sober

Therefore, encourage and build each other up just as you are doing!