
Prayer Points

PRAISE GOD OUR FATHER FOR CALLING US TO BE HIS CHILDREN.

Pray that we would adopt a child-like attitude by depending completely on our Heavenly Father.

PRAY THAT WE WOULD BE OBEDIENT CHILDREN,

pursuing the holiness that God has already called us into through the precious blood of Christ.

PRAY FOR THOSE WITHIN SLE CHURCH WHO ARE FEELING WEARY, SICK, OR ANXIOUS

Ask that God might provide rest to the weary, healing to the sick, and comfort to the anxious. Give thanks for the love and support that God's people provide to one another in times of need.

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE EXPLORING CHRISTIANITY, that they might see the goodness of the gospel and how it provides hope amidst the suffering and futility of this world. Pray that the Spirit would illuminate their hearts and lead them to put their faith in the Lord Jesus.

Community News

NEWSCOMERS LUNCH SUNDAY 5 MAR

Hello there! Thanks for visiting us. If you are new to SLE Church in the past 6 months and would like to know more about what we do, get connected with the church, what better way to do so than to join our Newcomers Lunch? You will also hear our pastors on the mission and vision of SLE Church.

Date: Sunday 5 March

Please choose one of the two sessions available with details below (Lunch is on us!)

Session 1:

Time: 11am-12:15pm

Venue: North Hall, SLE Church

Or

Session 2:

Time: 12:30pm-1:45pm

Venue: North Hall, SLE Church

RSVP before 1st March at sle.church/events —look for Newcomers Lunch

We can't wait to see you there!

For more information/queries:

Contact Louis at 0423 577 783

DATE CLAIMER: BAPTISM CLASSES

15 & 22 March.

More information coming soon!

KIDS CHURCH EASTER EVENTS

Registration for Kids Church Easter Events are live now at sle.church/events. Do register for your kids and their friends! If you have any questions, drop us an email at juniorkidschurch@sle.church or primarykidschurch@sle.church.

- Junior Kids Church: 19 March (Sun) 8.45am
- Primary Kids Church: 26 March (Sun) 8.45am

We look forward to seeing you at the events!

Being the Bad Guys (1 Peter 2:4-12)

Introduction:

1. Being "bad" ... like Jesus (4-8)

- I am laying a stone... a cornerstone... (Isaiah 28:16)

- The stone the builders rejected (Psalm 118:22)... a stone of stumbling (Isaiah 8:14)

2. The privileges of being the "bad guys" (9-10) (cf Exodus 19:1-6, Hosea 1-2)

6 privileges

1) Chosen race

2) Royal priesthood

3) Holy nation

4) People for his own possession

5) Once we're not a people... now God's people

6) Once had not received mercy... now received mercy

3. "Bad guys" in action (11-12)