

1 John—Your thoughts and reflections

Here are some highlights from the book of 1 John. As you read through these quotes have a think about the following questions: How has this sermon series helped your understanding of the book? What encouragements have you received? What challenges have you received?

[1:4] And we are writing these things so that our joy may be complete.

[1:6-7] If we say we have fellowship with Him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not practice the truth. But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus His Son cleanses us from all sin.

[2:1-2] My little children, I am writing these things to you so that you may not sin. But if anyone does sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous. He is the propitiation for our sins, and not for ours only but also for the sins of the whole world.

[2:15-17] Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. For all that is in the world—the desires of the flesh and the desires of the eyes and pride of life—is not from the Father but is from the world. And the world is passing away along with its desires, but whoever does the will of God abides forever.

[2:26] I write these things to you about those who are trying to deceive you.

[3:1] See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know Him.

[4:1] Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world.

[4:11-12] Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and His love is perfected in us.

[5:11-12] And this is the testimony, that God gave us eternal life, and this life is in His Son. Whoever has the Son has life; whoever does not have the Son of God does not have life.

[5:13] I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God, that you may know that you have eternal life.



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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.slechurch.org.au.

This Week: Confident Christians

John encourages us to have confidence in our salvation and confidence in praying for and protecting each other from sin.

Next Sunday: Union with Christ 1



Today's Service

Welcome and Singing Come Praise and Glorify
The Saving One
The Lord is My Salvation

Holy Communion

Offering

Community News

Bible Reading 1 John 5:13-21

Sermon By Pastor Steven Tran

Song of Response Oh How Good It Is

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Say hello

Join us for morning tea at 10:30am.
We'd love to have a chat and get to know you better.

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Financial Update

Last Week	\$5,743.18
Weekly Required	\$5,750.00
Shortfall 2019	\$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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Prayer Points

PRAISE GOD FOR THE BOOK OF 1

JOHN! Praise God that He has given this book for our joy, for our assurance, and to encourage us to keep abide with and return to Jesus. Praise God for this grace.

PRAISE GOD FOR THE ASSURANCE of eternal life found in Jesus alone. Praise God that we need no other thing, but to believe and persevere in trusting Jesus. Pray that we would continually encourage each other to rely on nothing or no one else for our security and significance in life.

PRAY FOR A GROWING SENSE OF CONFIDENCE

in our prayers before God. Praise God that we can approach Him as His beloved children, requesting all things in accord with His will. Pray that our prayers would be shaped and molded by His agenda.

PRAY FOR CHURCH CAMP. Pray that we would value this opportunity as a church family to gather for an extended time to share our lives together. Pray that we would value these encouragements, seek them out, and do so sacrificially to build each other up.

Community News

CAMP REGISTRATION IS STILL OPEN FOR UPCOMING SLE CHURCH CAMP 2019 – 4 TO 7 OCTOBER

Speak to your fellowship leaders or Christopher Ooi & Nathaniel Ng

Registration at slechurch.org.au/camp2019

Serving

	Today	Next Sunday
Chair	Randy	Ps Steven
Prayer	Randy	Ps Steven
Preach	Ps Steven	Ps Ben
Bible Read	Simeon <i>Dan Lowe</i>	
M.Tea	YF Fri/Sat	YF Fri/Sat
Wash Up	YF Fri/Sat	YF Fri/Sat
Welcome	Ken Steph Meng Yin <i>Marilyn</i> <i>Jabez</i> <i>James</i>	Ken Steph Meng Yin <i>Marilyn</i> <i>Jabez</i> <i>James</i>
Stewards	Alvin John Graham <i>Stanley</i> <i>GengHao</i> <i>Edwina</i>	Alvin John Graham <i>Stanley</i> <i>GengHao</i> <i>Edwina</i>
Piano	Liesl	Joanna
Guitar	Mark	Shaun/Mark
Bass	Ethan	Ivan
Drums	Nigel	John
Vocal	Amanda	Alisha
PA	William <i>Stan</i>	Chris, Matt C <i>Daniel</i>

9. Confident Christians [1 John 5:13-21]

Intro:

The purpose statement (v13)

1. Confidence in prayer (v14-15)

2. Confidence in prayer for each other (v16-17)

3. Confidence in protecting each other (v18-19)

4. Confidence in understanding (v20-21)

I write that you may know...