

THE MESSAGE

Daniel: What do you do when life doesn't turn out like you planned? P8

Matt Price

Daniel 5:31 - And Darius the Mede took over the kingdom at the age of sixty-two.

Psalms 89:11-15 - ¹¹The heavens are yours, and the earth is yours; everything in the world is yours—you created it all. ¹²You created north and south. Mount Tabor and Mount Hermon praise your name. ¹³Powerful is your arm! Strong is your hand! Your right hand is lifted high in glorious strength. ¹⁴Righteousness and justice are the foundation of your throne. Unfailing love and truth walk before you as attendants. ¹⁵Happy are those who hear the joyful call to worship, for they will walk in the light of your presence, Lord.

Daniel 6:16-25 - ¹⁶So at last the king gave orders for Daniel to be arrested and thrown into the den of lions. The king said to him, "May your God, whom you serve so faithfully, rescue you." ¹⁷A stone was brought and placed over the mouth of the den. The king sealed the stone with his own royal seal and the seals of his nobles, so that no one could rescue Daniel. ¹⁸Then the king returned to his palace and spent the night fasting. He refused his usual entertainment and couldn't sleep at all that night. ¹⁹Very early the next morning, the king got up and hurried out to the lions' den. ²⁰When he got there, he called out in anguish, "Daniel, servant of the living God! Was your God, whom you serve so faithfully, able to rescue you from the lions?" ²¹Daniel answered, "Long live the king! ²²My God sent his angel to shut the lions' mouths so that they would not hurt me, for I have been found innocent in his sight. And I have not wronged you, Your Majesty." ²³The king was overjoyed and ordered that Daniel be lifted from the den. Not a scratch was found on him, for he had trusted in his God. ²⁴Then the king gave orders to arrest the men who had maliciously accused Daniel. He had them thrown into the lions' den, along with their wives and children. The lions leaped on them and tore them apart before they even hit the floor of the den. ²⁵Then King Darius sent this message to the

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people of every race and nation and language throughout the world: "Peace and prosperity to you!" ²⁶"I decree that everyone throughout my kingdom should tremble with fear before the God of Daniel. For he is the living God, and he will endure forever. His kingdom will never be destroyed, and his rule will never end. ²⁷He rescues and saves his people; he performs miraculous signs and wonders in the heavens and on earth. He has rescued Daniel from the power of the lions." ²⁸So Daniel prospered during the reign of Darius and the reign of Cyrus the Persian.

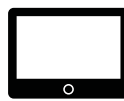
Galatians 5:13-14 - ¹³For you have been called to live in freedom, my brothers and sisters. But don't use your freedom to satisfy your sinful nature. Instead, use your freedom to serve one another in love. ¹⁴For the whole law can be summed up in this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."

MINISTRIES

Visit **CAChurch.com** for info on available ministries or email us: **info@cacchurch.com**

- Men | Women | Fusion 18-35yrs | Life Groups**
- CA Students (6th-12th) | Kids Church**
- Thrive Growth & Recovery**
- Counseling at The Relationship Center**
- Kingdom & Evangelism**

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Kingdom (monthly)

Go to **CAChurch.com** or use the envelope in the seat backs at our services.

Financial Update

2017 General Budget:
\$6,200,000

YTD 7.31.17 - Requirement:
\$3,576,923

YTD 7.31.17 - Offering:
\$3,965,036

July Kingdom (Blue Bucket) Offering: **\$16,461**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$343,482**

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WELCOME

August 26 & 27, 2017

Worship God
Become part of His **Family**
Extend His **Kingdom**



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We're so glad you've chosen to join us!

Christian Assembly (CA) is a community started in response to God's grace shown to us through Jesus Christ. **That grace compels us to lead spiritually convinced and unconvinced people to complete commitment to Jesus Christ.**

We don't profess to have all the answers, but we do believe there is a God who is worth knowing and following. Whether you are simply curious about Jesus or have been a long-time follower of Christ, we welcome you and are excited you are with us today.

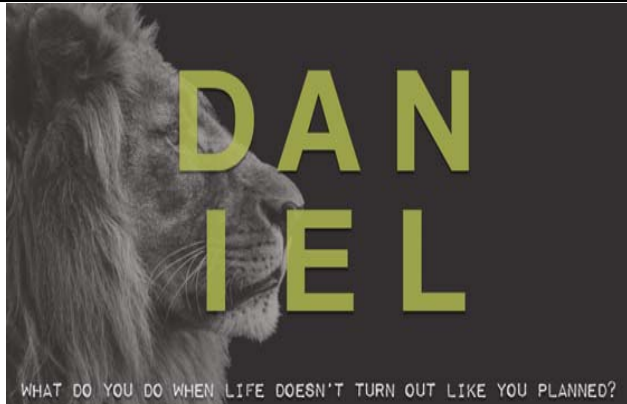
Enjoy the service!

Tom Hughes & Mark Pickerill
Co-Lead Pastors

NEW?

- We'd love to meet you! Stop by our **New People's Table** in the lobby where we have a welcome gift for you.
- There is a **Connection Card** in the seatbacks that you can use to ask questions, submit a prayer request or just let us know you're visiting. Fill it out and drop it in the offering bag or at the New People's Table.
- If you have an infant or you'd like your child to be with you during service, there is a **family room** that is equipped with a live feed of the service as well as a private **nursing room** for mothers. Just ask an usher!

INFORMATION /



Join us next weekend as we continue in this teaching series on the book of Daniel and learn how God is always at work even in times of suffering.



Come to the Men's Gathering **Wednesday, Sept 13 at 7pm** in the South Sanctuary for worship, prayer and encouragement. Join us for a **Tailgate BBQ in the church park at 5:45pm.**



Our Kids Church program is offered during all services for children from birth to 5th grade. For more information stop by the Kids Church tent or visit cakidschurch.com



Do you have junior or senior high school-aged kids? We offer programs for junior high (grades 6-8) Saturdays at 6pm and high school Wednesdays at 7pm. More information at castudents.com

OPPORTUNITIES



Happening this weekend
after all services!

- Meet Life Group Leaders
- Learn more about the different Life Groups we have all over Los Angeles, including groups for:

Men
Women
Marrieds
Families
Co-ed
Young Adults (18-35s)
& More

- Enjoy snacks & drinks!

LOCATION:
Church Park (south campus)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study is a great way to connect with God and other women. Our next session begins **Sept 12/13**. To register for free childcare and for more info visit: cachurch.com/wbs

Starting Point

Are you new to faith or to this church family? We want to invite you to our 6-week class to help you grow deeper with Jesus and others. **Class begins Sunday, Sept 17 at 11:15am**. For more info and registration: cachurch.com/startingpoint

Thrive Growth & Recovery Groups

Thrive's Fall Groups are starting soon! Check out these classes: Boundaries and Healing the Father Wound on **Thursday nights at 7pm. Starts Sept 21**. More info and online register at cachurch.com/growthgroups

Navigating Singleness

If you're single and older than 35, check out this event as Matt Price will be sharing about the value of healthy community on the journey of following Jesus as a single person. **Tuesday, Aug 29 at 6:30pm at 2417 Colorado Blvd.** Bring a \$6 donation for dinner. RSVP to casingles@cachurch.com

Pure Desire

Pure Desire is a group for men struggling with pornography and/or other sexual addiction. A confidential environment for learning, discussion, accountability, and freedom. For the location and time of this group visit cachurch.com/puredesire