

THE MESSAGE

Shine

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Tom Hughes

_____ you think of yourself mainly as a
_____, then God becomes
something we _____, rather than
something we are _____.

_____ the image of God in
_____, _____ the
image of God in _____.

God wants to _____ us from being
controlled by _____.

James 1:18 - In fulfillment of his own purpose he gave us birth by the word of truth, so that we would become a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

James 2:1-4 - My brothers and sisters, believers in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ must not show favoritism.² Suppose a man comes into your meeting wearing a gold ring and fine clothes, and a poor man in filthy old clothes also comes in.³ If you show special attention to the man wearing fine clothes and say, "Here's a good seat for you," but say to the poor man, "You stand there" or "Sit on the floor by my feet,"⁴ have you not made distinctions among yourselves and become judges with evil thoughts?

Genesis 1:26a & 27 - Then God said, "Let us make humankind in our image, in our likeness" ...So God created humankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

MESSAGE NOTES

Deuteronomy 10:17 - For the Lord your God is God of gods and Lord of lords, the great God, mighty and awesome, who shows no partiality and accepts no bribes.

Leviticus 19:15 - God tells us, "Do not pervert justice; do not show partiality to the poor or favoritism to the great, but judge your neighbor fairly."

James 2:5-7 - Listen, my dear brothers and sisters: Has not God chosen those who are poor in the eyes of the world to be rich in faith and to inherit the kingdom he promised those who love him?⁶ But you have dishonored the poor. Is it not the rich who are exploiting you? Are they not the ones who are dragging you into court?⁷ Are they not the ones who are blaspheming the noble name of him to whom you belong?

James 2:8-13 - If you really keep the royal law found in Scripture, "Love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing well.⁹ But if you show favoritism, you sin and are convicted by the law as lawbreakers.¹⁰ For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles at just one point is guilty of breaking all of it.¹¹ For he who said, "You shall not commit adultery," also said, "You shall not murder." If you do not commit adultery but do commit murder, you have become a lawbreaker.¹² So speak and act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty.¹³ For judgment will be without mercy to the anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgment.

The Shine Reading Plan:

Please read **James 2:14-26, Matthew 7:24-29, Genesis 22:1-19, Hebrews 11, and Proverbs 3** with us this week!

Full reading plan and prayer guide for this series is available in the lobby or online: cachurch.com/shinereadingplan

MINISTRIES

Visit **CAchurch.com** for info on available ministries or email us: info@cachurch.com

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

WAYS TO GIVE



Online



Check



Cash



Kingdom
(monthly)

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

Financial Update

2016 General Budget:
\$6,000,000

YTD 9.30.16 - Requirement:
\$4,500,000

YTD 9.30.16 - Offering:
\$4,389,334

September Kingdom (Blue Bucket) Offering: **\$29,288**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$378,151**



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WELCOME

October 15 & 16, 2016

Worship God

Become part of His **Family**

Extend His **Kingdom**

 Christian Assembly

WELCOME!

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 / OPPORTUNITIES



Join us next weekend as we continue in our series through the book of James. This book will show us faith is not only something we believe, it's something that empowers us to shine with God's goodness in everyday ways.



Life Groups are small groups of people that gather in homes, coffee shops & other places to do life together. They are a great way to grow together in Jesus!



We offer child care 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 6 pm** and high school **Wednesdays at 7 pm**. More information at castudents.com

OPPORTUNITIES

2016

Fusion Retreat

WHO WE ARE

Who: 150+ young adults [age 18-35]

What: Get away, get refreshed. Worship and meet with God. Meet new friends. Enjoy free time with optional games, sports, crafts and other activities.

When: November 11-13

Where: Twin Peaks Conference Center in Lake Arrowhead

Cost: \$165

[**\$80 deposit required to secure your spot**]

All money is non-refundable/non-transferrable



For more info & to register:
cafusion.com/retreat

UPCOMING EVENTS

Baptism Class

The next baptism weekend is on Dec. 10 & 11. If you've decided to trust Jesus with your life and to follow Him, we encourage you to proclaim that decision through baptism. **There will be a mandatory class on Nov. 20 at 1pm in Rm 100 (South side).** More info at: cachurch.com/baptism

We're Hiring!

We are looking to hire two Community Life Pastors (one male & one female) **for Fusion**, our 18-35 year old community, **and an Associate Pastor of CA Students** (female). Job descriptions and more info at: cachurch.com/jobs

Serving with Kids Church

Looking for an opportunity to serve and have fun at the same time? Kids Church is inviting people to share the love of Christ with kids in a variety of ways. Check out our website to fill out an application: cakidschurch.com/kc-volunteer

Thank You!

Big thanks to those of you who park at one of our three off-site lots: College View Lot (one block West, Orange building) and Target (two blocks West) for all our services or Seventh Day Adventist (one block South) for our services on Saturday at 6pm, Sunday at 11:15am and Sunday Fusion at 6pm.

Did you know?

We offer **Spanish language translation at the 9am South service.** Translation devices available before the service in the lobby.