

# THE MESSAGE

# MESSAGE NOTES

# MINISTRIES

Shine

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**James 1:19-27** - Understand this, my dear brothers and sisters: You must all be quick to listen, slow to speak, and slow to get angry. <sup>20</sup> Human anger does not produce the righteousness God desires. <sup>21</sup> So get rid of all the filth and evil in your lives, and humbly accept the word God has planted in your hearts, for it has the power to save your souls.<sup>22</sup> But don't just listen to God's word. You must do what it says. Otherwise, you are only fooling yourselves. <sup>23</sup> For if you listen to the word and don't obey, it is like glancing at your face in a mirror. <sup>24</sup> You see yourself, walk away, and forget what you look like. <sup>25</sup> But if you look carefully into the perfect law that sets you free, and if you do what it says and don't forget what you heard, then God will bless you for doing it.<sup>26</sup> If you claim to be religious but don't control your tongue, you are fooling yourself, and your religion is worthless. <sup>27</sup> Pure and genuine religion in the sight of God the Father means caring for orphans and widows in their distress and refusing to let the world corrupt you.

**Proverbs 17:27-28** - A truly wise person uses few words; a person with understanding is even-tempered. <sup>28</sup> Even fools are thought wise when they keep silent; with their mouths shut, they seem intelligent.

**Ephesians 4:26-27** - And "don't sin by letting anger control you." Don't let the sun go down while you are still angry, <sup>27</sup> for anger gives a foothold to the devil.

**The Shine Reading Plan:**

Please read **James 2:1-13, Mark 12:28-34, Matthew 18:21-35, Romans 2:1-16 and Proverbs 2** with us this week!

**Full reading plan and prayer guide for this series** is available in the lobby or online: [cachurch.com/shinereadingplan](http://cachurch.com/shinereadingplan)

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



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

**Financial Update**

2016 General Budget:  
**\$6,000,000**

YTD 8.31.16 - Requirement:  
**\$4,038,462**

YTD 8.31.16 - Offering:  
**\$4,204,014**

August Kingdom (Blue Bucket) Offering: **\$13,969**  
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$322,426**

# WELCOME

October 8 & 9, 2016

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

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## 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](http://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](http://castudents.com)



Calling All Women!

Our Annual Day of Hope is next Saturday, so mark your calendars, gather your friends and let's roll up our sleeves! We'll spend the day showing the love of Jesus to our city in a real and practical way.

Saturday, October 15th // 9am-2pm

*Registration is now open.*  
\$5 donarion for lunch  
[cachurch.com/dayofhope](http://cachurch.com/dayofhope)

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### Fusion Retreat

Calling 18-35 year olds! Escape the busyness of life back at home, meet new friends, worship, learn, grow, and have fun! **Nov 11-13**. Early Bird Rate: \$145 (if you register by Oct 9). Regular Rate: \$165 (after Oct 9). Register at [cafusion.com/retreat](http://cafusion.com/retreat)

### Baptism Class

Baptisms are coming up 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](http://cachurch.com/baptism)

### We're Hiring!

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

### Save the Date: Women's Retreats

**Women's Retreat 2017 is March 3-5 AND March 10-12**. This year we have two weekend options so that the space is less crowded, making our time together with God and others more intimate. So choose a weekend and mark your calendar!

### Keep Us Updated

If you've moved, changed your number or email, update your contact information by filling out a connection card in service and turning it in with the offering or updating us online at [cachurch.com/connection-card](http://cachurch.com/connection-card).