THE MESSAGE

Anxious for Nothing

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Philippians 4:4-7 (NLT) - ⁴Always be full of joy in the Lord. I say it again—rejoice! ⁵Let everyone see that you are considerate in all you do. Remember, the Lord is coming soon.

⁶Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done. ⁷Then you will experience God's peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.

Acts 8:3 (TLB) - Paul was like a wild man, going everywhere to devastate the believers, even entering private homes and dragging out men and women alike and jailing them.

Philippians 3:4-6 (TLB) - ⁴Yet if anyone ever had reason to hope that he could save himself, it would be I. If others could be saved by what they are, certainly I could! ⁵For I went through the Jewish initiation ceremony when I was eight days old, having been born into a pure-blooded Jewish home that was a branch of the old original Benjamin family. So I was a real Jew if there ever was one! What's more, I was a member of the Pharisees who demand the strictest obedience to every Jewish law and custom. ⁶And sincere? Yes, so much so that I greatly persecuted the Church; and I tried to obey every Jewish rule and regulation right down to the very last point.

Acts 9:1-9 (NIV) - ¹Meanwhile, Saul was still breathing out murderous threats against the Lord's

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disciples. He went to the high priest ² and asked him for letters to the synagogues in Damascus, so that if he found any there who belonged to the Way, whether men or women, he might take them as prisoners to Jerusalem. ³As he neared Damascus on his journey, suddenly a light from heaven flashed around him. ⁴He fell to the ground and heard a voice say to him, "Saul, Saul, why do you persecute me?"

⁵"Who are you, Lord?" Saul asked.

"I am Jesus, whom you are persecuting," he replied. 6"Now get up and go into the city, and you will be told what you must do."

⁷The men traveling with Saul stood there speechless; they heard the sound but did not see anyone. ⁸Saul got up from the ground, but when he opened his eyes he could see nothing. So they led him by the hand into Damascus. ⁹For three days he was blind, and did not eat or drink anything.

Philippians 3:7,9 (TLB) - ⁷But all these things that I once thought very worthwhile—now I've thrown them all away so that I can put my trust and hope in Christ alone... ⁹and become one with him, no longer counting on being saved by being good enough or by obeying God's laws, but by trusting Christ to save me; for God's way of making us right with himself depends on faith—counting on Christ alone.

1 Timothy 1:13-17 (NIV) - 13 Even though I was once a blasphemer and a persecutor and a violent man, I was shown mercy because I acted in ignorance and unbelief. 14 The grace of our Lord was poured out on me abundantly, along with the faith and love that are in Christ Jesus.

¹⁵Here is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance: Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners—of whom I am the worst. ¹⁶But for that very reason I was shown mercy so that in me, the worst of sinners, Christ Jesus might display his immense patience as an example for those who would believe in him and receive eternal life. ¹⁷Now to the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only God, be honor and glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Romans 12:1 (NIV) - Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.

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 | Stewardship Counseling at The Relationship Center Kingdom & Evangelism

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September 22 & 23, 2018

WELCOME

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

Financial Update

2018 General Budget: **\$7.000.000**

YTD 8.31.18 - Requirement:

\$4,576,922.90

YTD 8.31.18 - Offering: **\$4,650,523.67**

August Kingdom Offering: \$37,550.22 YTD Kingdom Offering: \$351,578.08

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INFORMATION

OPPORTUNITIES

UPCOMING EVENTS

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!



The U.S. is now the most anxious nation in the world according to one study. And yet, God's Word tells us to "be anxious for nothing..." (from Philippians 4:6). Join us next week as we continue in our series filled with practical steps to help us live a life that is anxious for nothing.





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 (grades 9-12) Wednesdays at 7pm. For more info visit: **castudents.com**





Fusion is one of our weekend services and is specifically geared toward 18-35 year olds. We meet on Sunday nights @ 6pm. Join us! For more info visit: cafusion.com

FALL RETREAT

Exstudents

WHERE: Green Valley Lake Christian Camp 678 - Nov. 2 - 4

High School - Nov. 30 - Dec. 2

Early Bird Rate: \$150 (through Sep. 29)

\$175 after Sep. 29

LEAD WITH US

CA Students is seeking volunteer leaders for our Jr. High & High School groups.

Volunteer leaders are essential to our mission of leading students to complete commitment to Christ.

To sign up for Fall Retreat or get more information on leadership, visit castudents.com or email castudents@cachurch.com

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Fusion Vision Night

Fusion, our community of 18-35 year olds and **Sunday 6pm** service, is hosting a Vision Night on **Friday, Sep. 28 (7pm)** at the Church Park. If you want to learn about where Fusion is headed and your place in that future, then come and join us. We'll have tasty hors d'oeuvres and pour over coffee. All are welcome. For more info and to RSVP visit: cafusion.com/**visionnight**

Fusion Retreat

This November, our Fusion Community will be heading up once again to Lake Arrowhead to RETREAT for a weekend (Nov. 9-11). It's a chance to get away, connect with God, make new friends, and have a blast! We will be hearing from speaker Karl Romeus on our theme of "UNEXPECTED" from the Sermon on the Mount. Early bird rate of \$175 ends on Oct. 8th! Register now at cafusion. com/retreat

PreMarried/PreEngaged Class

The Relationship Center is hosting a 6-week class for pre-married or pre-engaged couples. Class starts **Oct. 7, 1-2:30pm**. For more info and to register visit: cachurch.com/trc

Kids Church Parenting Class

Would you like to grow in your ability to have spiritual conversations with your children? Join the Kids Church staff for a night of conversation and instruction on how to create rhythms for the spiritual development of your family. **Thursday, Oct. 25 (7pm-9pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd.** To register for this class and childcare, visit: cachurch. com/spiritualconversations

Anxious For Nothing - The Class

We are hosting a 6-week class for anyone who wants to go deeper with our "Anxious for Nothing" series and process what you've been learning. The class starts **Thursday, Oct. 4 (7-8:30pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd.** Cost for materials is \$25. Register online at cachurch.com/**thrive**. No childcare.

Kingdom Weekend: Sep 29 & 30

Next weekend is a **Kingdom Weekend** where we take some time to talk about our local/global efforts and partners. We will also give a second offering specifically towards these efforts.