

THE MESSAGE

MESSAGE NOTES

MINISTRIES

Lessons from Africa

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Tom Hughes

John 6:5-15 (NLT) - ⁵Jesus soon saw a huge crowd of people coming to look for him. Turning to Philip, he asked, "Where can we buy bread to feed all these people?" ⁶He was testing Philip, for he already knew what he was going to do.

⁷Philip replied, "Even if we worked for months, we wouldn't have enough money to feed them!"

⁸Then Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up. ⁹"There's a young boy here with five barley loaves and two fish. But what good is that with this huge crowd?"

¹⁰"Tell everyone to sit down," Jesus said. So they all sat down on the grassy slopes. (The men alone numbered about 5,000.) ¹¹Then Jesus took the loaves, gave thanks to God, and distributed them to the people. Afterward he did the same with the fish. And they all ate as much as they wanted. ¹²After everyone was full, Jesus told his disciples, "Now gather the leftovers, so that nothing is wasted." ¹³So they picked up the pieces and filled twelve baskets with scraps left by the people who had eaten from the five barley loaves.

¹⁴When the people saw him do this miraculous sign, they exclaimed, "Surely, he is the Prophet we have been expecting!" ¹⁵When Jesus saw that they were ready to force him to be their king, he slipped away into the hills by himself.

Ephesians 3:20-21 (NLT) - ²⁰Now all glory to God, who is able, through his mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think. ²¹Glory to him in the church and in Christ Jesus through all generations forever and ever! Amen.

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

WAYS TO GIVE



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

Financial Update

2019 General Budget:
\$7,250,000

YTD 02.28.19 - Requirement
\$1,115,384.62

YTD 02.28.19 - Offering:
\$1,083,597.99

February Kingdom Offering: **\$41,387.44**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$79,366.89**

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WELCOME

March 16 & 17, 2019

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



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



It's been said that when God wants to teach you something special, He takes you on a journey. Two of CA's pastors, Tom Hughes and Albert Kim, recently returned from a trip to Africa. Tom has distilled the experience into four "Lessons from Africa" for life in Los Angeles. Join us as we continue to learn from God's Word and hear some remarkable stories from Africa that will encourage and strengthen your faith in God's power at work.



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

OPPORTUNITIES

JOIN US FOR
EASTER

AT CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

We'll celebrate together with live teaching and worship, including our Easter choir.

We'll also have a special program for kids (infant through 5th grade)

SERVICE TIMES:

SATURDAY, APRIL 20
4PM & 6:30PM

SUNDAY, APRIL 21
9AM & 11:30AM

Invite your friends, family, coworkers, and neighbors to join us!

To volunteer or learn more, visit cachurch.com/easter

UPCOMING EVENTS

Men's Retreat

Men's Retreat is **May 3-5!** We'll be going to Twin Peaks Conference Center near Lake Arrowhead. Come and enjoy worship, powerful talks, and life-giving breakout sessions. We will have times to hang out, eat meals together, and enjoy optional activities like basketball, volleyball, ping pong, and more. Register today at cachurch.com/mensretreat

Donut Weekend

Next weekend, Mar. 23/24, our Community Life team is hosting "**Donut Weekend at CA**" after every service. Stop by, grab a donut and a list of available life groups. Kids can stay in Kids Church while you enjoy your donut. Do-not miss out! Location: Courtyard (south) & Lobby (north)

Women's Bible Study

Women's Bible Study is back **Mar. 26/27** and we'll continue our study in Romans, talking about how we change without striving. Enjoy teaching, worship and community in the South Sanctuary. Childcare is available with pre-registration. We also have groups that meet in homes around the city. For more info and to register for childcare please visit: cachurch.com/wbs

Easter Decor Volunteers

Do you enjoy painting and working on crafts and decorations? We need volunteers to help with Kids Church Easter decorations on **Thursday, Mar. 21 & 28 and Apr 4 & 11 from 2pm-5:30pm**. If you're interested, please email: carlam@cachurch.com

Emotionally Healthy Spirituality

Join this class to better understand the root of unhealthy patterns and behaviors in your life, as well as how to grow in emotional health and relationship with God. 9-week class starting **Thursday, Mar. 21 (7pm-8:30pm)**. For more info and to register, visit: cachurch.com/thrive

Reach One

Everyone can reach one person with the Gospel. Boost your skills of conversational evangelism and discover the joy of helping someone know God and the new life He gives through faith in Jesus. Join us on **Saturday, Mar. 30 (9am-12pm)**. For more info and to register, visit: cachurch.com/reachone