### THE MESSAGE

## **MESSAGE NOTES**

#### The Greatest of These

Mark Pickerill

1 Corinthians 4:1-7 (NIV) - ¹This, then, is how you ought to regard us: as servants of Christ and as those entrusted with the mysteries God has revealed. ²Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful. ³I care very little if I am judged by you or by any human court; indeed, I do not even judge myself. ⁴My conscience is clear, but that does not make me innocent. It is the Lord who judges me. ⁵Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time; wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God.

<sup>6</sup>Now, brothers and sisters, I have applied these things to myself and Apollos for your benefit, so that you may learn from us the meaning of the saying, "Do not go beyond what is written." Then you will not be puffed up in being a follower of one of us over against the other.

<sup>7</sup>For who makes you different from anyone else? What do you have that you did not receive? And if you did receive it, why do you boast as though you did not?

1 Corinthians 4:9-13 (NIV) - 9For it seems to me that God has put us apostles on display at the end of the procession, like those condemned to die in the arena. We have been made a spectacle to the whole universe, to angels as well as to human beings. 10We are fools for Christ, but you are so wise in Christ! We are weak, but you are strong! You are honored, we are dishonored! "To this very hour we go hungry and thirsty, we are in rags, we are brutally treated, we are homeless. 12We work hard with our own hands. When we are cursed. we bless: when we are persecuted, we endure it; 13 when we are slandered, we answer kindly. We have become the scum of the earth, the garbage of the world—right up to this moment.

**1 Corinthians 8:1 (NIV)** - Now about food sacrificed to idols: We know that "We all possess knowledge." But knowledge puffs up while love builds up.

P6 1 Corinthians 15:9 (NIV) - For I am the least of the apostles and do not even deserve to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God.

**Psalm 19:12 (NIV)** - But who can discern their own errors? Forgive my hidden faults.

**2 Corinthians 4:16-18 (NIV)** - <sup>16</sup>Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. <sup>17</sup>For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. <sup>18</sup>So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

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### **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

### **WAYS TO GIVE**











March 9 & 10, 2019

WELCOME

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!**

## **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!

Jon Mark

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!



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. Come 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. Series begins March 16/17.





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



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cachurch.com/mensretreat

#### **Baptism Class**

If you've decided to trust Jesus with your life and to follow Him, we encourage you to proclaim your decision through baptism. There will be a mandatory class next **Sunday, Mar. 17 at 1pm** in **Rm 100**. For more info visit: cachurch.com/baptism

### **Open Choir**

Join the worship choir on Mar. 16/17 and every third weekend of the month. There are no auditions or sign ups. Just come to the south sanctuary next **Saturday, Mar. 16** at **3pm** to rehearse.

#### **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** 

#### **Beyond These Walls**

As the Church, we are called to proclaim and demonstrate the love of Christ to those around us. Scott Quay, our Kingdom Pastor, will teach on how to live missionally in your daily life. Come learn more about how to participate in our Kingdom efforts as a church. Sunday, Mar. 17 (1pm-3pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd., Rm 30. For more info and to register, visit: cachurch.com/kingdom

### **Kids Church Nursery Prayer**

If you're a parent of a baby (birth to 24 months), sign up for a prayer appointment and be prayed for. Monthly **Nursery Prayer Appointments** will be available next **Sunday, Mar. 17** and continuing every third Sunday of the month. For more info and to register for an appointment visit: cachurch. com/**npa** 

#### **Social Media Volunteer Team**

We are looking for volunteers to help capture and edit videos and photos to create engaging content for our social media platforms. If you are a photographer or a videographer and have a love for creative content and furthering God's Kingdom, email: KarleyC@CAchurch.com.