

THE MESSAGE

Sowing & Reaping

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Tom Hughes

1. You can be _____ without being _____ & _____ without being _____.

2. Generosity _____ with _____ of our income to God.

3. God _____ you will _____ in _____ to what you _____.

Luke 21:1-4 (NLT) - ¹While Jesus was in the Temple, he watched the rich people dropping their gifts in the collection box. ²Then a poor widow came by and dropped in two small coins.

³"I tell you the truth," Jesus said, "this poor widow has given more than all the rest of them. ⁴For they have given a tiny part of their surplus, but she, poor as she is, has given everything she has."

Deuteronomy 8:17-18 (NRSV) - ¹⁷Do not say to yourself, "My power and the might of my own hand have gotten me this wealth." ¹⁸But remember the Lord your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, so that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your ancestors, as he is doing today.

Malachi 3:8-11 (NLT) - ⁸"Should people cheat God? Yet you have cheated me!"

"But you ask, 'What do you mean? When did we ever cheat you?'"

"You have cheated me of the tithes and offerings due to me. ⁹You are under a curse, for your whole nation has been cheating me. ¹⁰Bring all the tithes into the storehouse so there will be enough food in my Temple. If you do," says the Lord of Heaven's Armies, "I will

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open the windows of heaven for you. I will pour out a blessing so great you won't have enough room to take it in! Try it! Put me to the test! ¹¹Your crops will be abundant, for I will guard them from insects and disease. Your grapes will not fall from the vine before they are ripe," says the Lord of Heaven's Armies.

Matthew 23:23b (NLT) - You should tithe, yes, but do not neglect the more important things.

Luke 6:38 (NIV) - Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.

2 Corinthians 9:6-12 (NRSV) - ⁶The point is this: the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. ⁷Each of you must give as you have made up your mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that by always having enough of everything, you may share abundantly in every good work. ⁹As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever."

¹⁰He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your seed for sowing and increase the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹You will be enriched in every way for your great generosity, which will produce thanksgiving to God through us; ¹²for the rendering of this ministry not only supplies the needs of the saints but also overflows with many thanksgivings to God.

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

Financial Update

2021 General Budget: **\$7,800,000.00**

YTD 11.30.21 - Requirement: **\$7,200,000.00**

YTD 11.30.21 - Offering: **\$7,045,621.95**

November Kingdom Offering: **\$48,896.29**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$467,332.81**

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WELCOME

January 15 & 16, 2022

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 dropbox 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!
- Thank you for wearing masks at our indoor services and ministry events! We appreciate it much in this season.

INFORMATION



Join us next week as we conclude our series, **"Sowing & Reaping"**. We will not only learn the core Biblical principles of sowing and reaping but how they specifically apply to growing a glad spirit in our soul, a generous heart with our finances, and heart-felt unity within our relationships. Please invite a friend and join us as we learn from God's word how to plant good seeds in our emotional health, our financial health, and our relational health!



We are looking for those interested in leading one of our upcoming **10-Week** Mens, Womens, Married or Co-Ed Life Groups. We will have a Life Group leader training class via Zoom on **Thursday, Jan. 20 at 7pm**. For more info, questions, or to sign up for the training, please email: lifegroups@cachurch.com



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 students? We offer services 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 at 2435 Colorado Blvd. (north). Join us! For more info, visit: cafusion.com

OPPORTUNITIES



**NEW TO CA?
BEEN AT CA FOR YEARS?
PARTNERSHIP IS AN IMPORTANT
STEP TO BELONGING.**

Winter Partnership (4 weeks)

Starts: Sunday, January 23rd

Time: 11:15am to 12:30pm

Location: 2435 Colorado Blvd. (north)

Childcare, food & coffee provided!

**WHETHER YOU'VE DECIDED TO
CALL CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY HOME
OR YOU'RE STILL DECIDING, COME
JOIN US AT PARTNERSHIP!**

REGISTRATION
REQUIRED

Scan the QR code
or register online at
CACHURCH.COM/PARTNERSHIP



UPCOMING EVENTS

Remembering Martin Luther King Jr.

We remember and honor the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., his faith in Jesus Christ, his legacy and influence in the continual fight for biblical justice for Black people and all ethnicities.

Women's Bible Study

We invite you to dive into our 6-week Women's Bible Study on the books of 1, 2 & 3 John. Our Winter session begins on campus this **Tuesday, Jan. 18 (7pm) & Wednesday, Jan. 19 (9:30am)**. Childcare is available for on campus groups with pre-registration. For more info and to register for childcare, please visit: cachurch.com/wbs

Financial Peace University

We're excited to announce the return of **Financial Peace University** starting on **Thursday, Feb. 3 (7pm) at 2417 Colorado Blvd.** This 9-week biblically-based course empowers you to make wise financial decisions and teaches you how to budget, eliminate debt, save, build wealth, and grow in generosity. For more info and cost, please visit: cachurch.com/fpu

Thrive Growth Classes

Thrive Growth classes promote emotional health & growth in areas affected by family of origin or other past relationships. CA is offering **Divorce Care (In person - Jan. 31), Single & Parenting (Zoom - Feb. 7) and Beauty from Ashes (In person on Thursdays, women only)**. For more info and to register for these classes, please visit: cachurch.com/thrive or send us an email: thrive@cachurch.com

Kids Hope - Volunteers Needed

We're looking for mentors, prayer partners and nurses that are willing to serve our local community at Eagle Rock Elementary school. **"You Can Change A Life ... And That's No Small Change!"** For more info and to sign up, please visit: kidshopeaglerock.com