

THE MESSAGE

Experiencing God

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Tom Hughes

1. God _____ to _____ people.
2. God speaks about _____
and _____, often in that order.
3. _____ our capacity to
hear God.
4. _____ with God in
_____ helps you _____ His voice.

Hebrews 1:1-2a (NLT) - ¹Long ago God spoke many times and in many ways to our ancestors through the prophets. ²And now in these final days, he has spoken to us through his Son.

John 14:8-10 (NIV) - ⁸Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us."

⁹Jesus answered: "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? ¹⁰Don't you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work.

John 14:16-17 (NLT) - ¹⁶And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. ¹⁷He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth. The world cannot receive him, because it isn't looking for him and doesn't recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you.

John 16:13-14 (NLT) - ¹³When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own but will tell you what he has heard. He will tell you about the future. ¹⁴He will bring me glory by telling you whatever he receives from me.

John 16:7-8 (NLT) - ⁷ But in fact, it is best for you that I go away, because if I don't, the Advocate[a] won't come. If I do go away, then I will send him to you. ⁸ And when he comes, he will convict the world of its sin, and of God's righteousness, and of the coming judgment.

MESSAGE NOTES

John 14:26 (NLT) - But when the Father sends the Advocate as my representative—that is, the Holy Spirit—he will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you.

Mark 1:16-18 (NLT) - ¹⁶One day as Jesus was walking along the shore of the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew throwing a net into the water, for they fished for a living. ¹⁷Jesus called out to them, "Come, follow me, and I will show you how to fish for people!" ¹⁸And they left their nets at once and followed him.

Mark 1:19-20 (NIV) - ¹⁹When he had gone a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John in a boat, preparing their nets. ²⁰Without delay he called them, and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men and followed him.

Matthew 18:1-5 (NIV) - ¹At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who, then, is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?"

²He called a little child to him, and placed the child among them. ³And he said: "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. ⁴Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. ⁵And whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me.

Amos 8:4-6, 11 (NLT) - ⁴Listen to this, you who rob the poor and trample down the needy! ⁵You can't wait for the Sabbath day to be over and the religious festivals to end so you can get back to cheating the helpless. You measure out grain with dishonest measures and cheat the buyer with dishonest scales. ⁶And you mix the grain you sell with chaff swept from the floor. Then you enslave poor people for one piece of silver or a pair of sandals... ¹¹"The time is surely coming," says the Sovereign Lord, "when I will send a famine on the land—not a famine of bread or water but of hearing the words of the Lord.

John 8:47 (NLT) - "Anyone who belongs to God listens gladly to the words of God. But you don't listen because you don't belong to God."

John 10:27-29 (NIV) - ²⁷My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me. ²⁸I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish; no one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹My Father, who has given them to me, is greater than all; no one can snatch them out of my Father's hand.

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Financial Update

2022 General Budget:
\$8,300,000.00

YTD 01.31.22 - Requirement:
\$798,076.92

YTD 01.31.22 - Offering:
\$485,412.63

January Kingdom Offering: **\$33,008.64**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$33,008.64**



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WELCOME

March 5 & 6, 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

INFORMATION



Join us next weekend as we continue in our current series, **Experiencing God: Knowing and Doing the Will of God**. Many wonderful spiritually convinced people believe in God and even serve God, but have never experienced Him. Still others remain spiritually unconvinced because they have only learned propositions about God and never how to enter into the joy and the wonder of not just knowing about God but actually knowing God. This new series will walk you step-by-step through how to enjoy a vibrant, joyful, growing relationship with God.



Join us as we learn about the foster care crisis in LA County and how we can respond as believers. We'll cover various opportunities for involvement such as our new effort called Care Communities, made up of CA teams that wrap around and support foster families. **Sunday, March 13 (1-2:30pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd., Rm 30 (north)**. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/kingdom



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



WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

MARCH 11 & 12

Join us for Women's Conference and you'll get to enjoy:

- Meeting new friends
- Friday Night Fun event (in-person)
- Prayer opportunities
- Basket raffle (in-person)
- Worship
- Encouragement from God's Word
- And more!

WHEN:

March 11 (7pm-9pm) & March 12 (9am-2pm)

IN-PERSON:

2424 Colorado Blvd. (South Sanctuary)

Cost: \$25* (includes lunch)

ONLINE:

Cost \$15*

*all money given is non-refundable/non-transferable

Register today:

cachurch.com/womensconference

UPCOMING EVENTS

Marriage Conference: Remodeled

Join us for our one-day marriage conference, **Remodeled, Saturday, Apr. 2 (8am - 2:30pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd. (north)**. Come be encouraged and learn some relationship tips and skills that will help you move closer to experiencing God's design for marriage. You are invited whether you are married, engaged, or moving towards engagement. Cost is \$50 per couple (continental breakfast and lunch included). No childcare. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/marriage2022

Men's Gathering

Men, join us for our next Gathering on **Wednesday, Apr. 6!** Invite a friend, co-worker, your dad, grandpa and any man you know 18 years old and over! We'll gather for worship, encouragement, and prayer on **Wednesday, Apr. 6 (7pm) at 2424 Colorado Blvd. (South Sanctuary)**. For more info, please visit: cachurch.com/men

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. Our next baptism class will be this **Sunday, Mar. 6 at 1pm in Rm. 100 (south sanctuary hallway)**. Our next baptisms will be on **Apr. 9/10**. For more info, please visit: cachurch.com/baptisms

CA Students Spring Conference

If you are a student in 6th to 12th grade, join us for our CA Students Spring Conference! We will gather for games, an encouraging message and an extended time of worship and prayer. **Friday, Mar. 25 (evening) & Saturday, Mar. 26 (all day)**. Cost: \$25 per student. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/students

Men's Conference 2022

Registration is officially open for the 2nd annual CA Men's Conference on **May 13 & 14 (Fri. & Sat.)**. This is a time for men to gather for spiritual growth, brotherhood, food and fun. Cost is \$25. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/MC2022

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.