

THE MESSAGE

The Book of Revelation

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Tom Hughes

1. If _____ is not at the _____ of your _____, _____.
2. If you _____ evil, it will ultimately _____.
3. Every generation must be willing to be _____ than the _____ to be _____ to _____.

Revelation 17:1-6 (NIV) - ¹One of the seven angels who had the seven bowls came and said to me, "Come, I will show you the punishment of the great prostitute, who sits by many waters. ²With her the kings of the earth committed adultery, and the inhabitants of the earth were intoxicated with the wine of her adulteries." ³Then the angel carried me away in the Spirit into a wilderness. There I saw a woman sitting on a scarlet beast that was covered with blasphemous names and had seven heads and ten horns. ⁴The woman was dressed in purple and scarlet, and was glittering with gold, precious stones and pearls. She held a golden cup in her hand, filled with abominable things and the filth of her adulteries. ⁵The name written on her forehead was a mystery: babylon the great the mother of prostitutes and of the abominations of the earth. ⁶I saw that the woman was drunk with the blood of God's holy people, the blood of those who bore testimony to Jesus. When I saw her, I was greatly astonished.

John 10:10 (NIV) - The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

Revelation 18:4 (NIV) - Then I heard another voice from heaven say: 'Come out of her, my people,' so that you will not share in her sins...

MESSAGE NOTES

Revelation 17:7-18 (NIV) - ⁷Then the angel said to me: "Why are you astonished? I will explain to you the mystery of the woman and of the beast she rides, which has the seven heads and ten horns. ⁸The beast, which you saw, once was, now is not, and yet will come up out of the Abyss and go to its destruction. The inhabitants of the earth whose names have not been written in the book of life from the creation of the world will be astonished when they see the beast, because it once was, now is not, and yet will come. ⁹"This calls for a mind with wisdom. The seven heads are seven hills on which the woman sits. ¹⁰They are also seven kings. Five have fallen, one is, the other has not yet come; but when he does come, he must remain for only a little while. ¹¹The beast who once was, and now is not, is an eighth king. He belongs to the seven and is going to his destruction. ¹²"The ten horns you saw are ten kings who have not yet received a kingdom, but who for one hour will receive authority as kings along with the beast. ¹³They have one purpose and will give their power and authority to the beast. ¹⁴They will wage war against the Lamb, but the Lamb will triumph over them because he is Lord of lords and King of kings—and with him will be his called, chosen and faithful followers."

¹⁵Then the angel said to me, "The waters you saw, where the prostitute sits, are peoples, multitudes, nations and languages. ¹⁶The beast and the ten horns you saw will hate the prostitute. They will bring her to ruin and leave her naked; they will eat her flesh and burn her with fire. ¹⁷For God has put it into their hearts to accomplish his purpose by agreeing to hand over to the beast their royal authority, until God's words are fulfilled. ¹⁸The woman you saw is the great city that rules over the kings of the earth."

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Financial Update

2022 General Budget: **\$8,300,000.00**

YTD 07.31.22 - Requirement: **\$4,948,076.92**

YTD 07.31.22 - Offering: **\$4,787,425.78**

July Kingdom Offering: **\$56,635.23**
YTD Kingdom Offering: **\$406,575.91**

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Service Times:

- Saturdays | 6pm (south)
- Sundays | 9am & 11:15am (south)
- Sunday [Fusion, 18-35] | 6pm (north)

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August 13 & 14, 2022

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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.

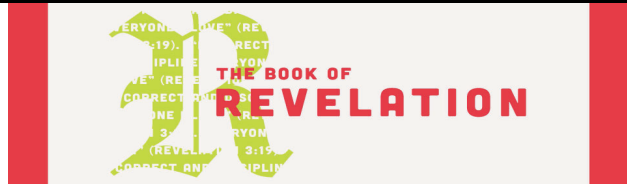
Enjoy the service!

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. The courtyard is also available with a live feed. Just ask an usher!

INFORMATION



Join us next weekend as we continue in our series, **The Book of Revelation**. Revelation is not only the final book in the Bible; it is also the final chapter in the story of God's redemption of His people and creation. We will see that God will come to dwell with His people forever and always—not in a tent or a temple, but in a heavenly city come to earth, where there will be no more death, tears, or pain. So, invite a friend and join us for this exciting series as we see how we can be full of hope, knowing that God is in control and Christ's victory is assured. Next weekend is a **Baptism weekend**.



We have 8-week Life Groups kicking off the week of Sept. 26 and we're looking for men and women who want to lead. Groups will meet to grow in friendship, discuss our weekend sermon series, and pray for one another. If you're interested in getting more info about leading, please visit: cachurch.com/8weeklifegroups



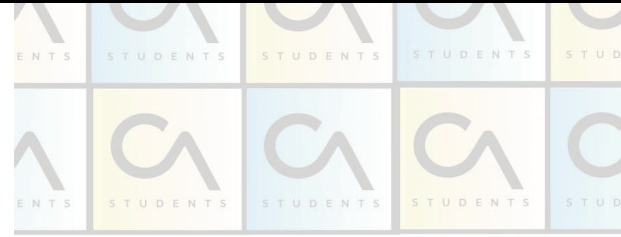
Our Kids Church Program is offered during all services for children from birth to 5th grade. For more information stop by the Kids Church tent or visit: cakidschurch.com

Our CA Students programs are on summer hiatus. **Programs will resume on Saturday, Aug. 20 for Middle School (6th-8th grades) and Wednesday, Aug. 24 for High School (9th-12th grades).** Have a great summer!



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



SIX.SEVEN.EIGHT. | AUGUST 20TH

FALL LAUNCH

CA STUDENTS | AUGUST 24TH

We are so excited to welcome our Students back to **CA Students and 678 Fall Launch!**

678 (6th-8th grade)

6pm | Saturday, Aug. 20th

CA Students (9th-12th grade)

7pm | Wednesday, Aug. 24th

We will meet at 2435 Colorado Blvd. (north)

For more info, please visit: castudents.com



UPCOMING EVENTS

Women's Gathering

Join us for our **Women's Gathering Fall Kick-Off** on **Wednesday, Sep. 7 (7pm) at 2424 Colorado Blvd. (south sanctuary)**. It will be a great chance to connect with other women, worship God, pray together, be encouraged by God's Word, and have fun! Stick around afterward for FREE churros and coffee! No RSVP needed - just invite some friends and show up! **No childcare will be provided.** For more info and online option, please visit: cachurch.com/womens-gathering

Men's Leadership Breakfast

We are excited to announce a **Men's Leadership Breakfast** on **Saturday, Aug. 27** on CA Campus (Rm. TBD). Come learn about **3 Keys to Success in Work and Family Life!** Spots are limited. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/men

Kids Church Summer Park Meet-Ups

Join Kids Church for our last Summer Park Meet-Up on **Saturday, Aug. 28 (McCambridge Park in Burbank) from 2pm-4pm** for snacks, games, and summer hangs with Kids Church. Invite a neighbor or friend to join the fun. For more info, please visit: cachurch.com/summerparkmeetups

Worship Tech Team Volunteers

Join the Worship Tech Team! We're looking for volunteers to serve with us running cameras, live sound, and lyrics at our weekend services. No previous experience is necessary, just a heart to worship and a willingness to learn. For more info, please email Chris at: chris@cachurch.com

Available Parking Lots

We have three off-site parking lots available for all our weekend services: College View Lot (one block West, Orange building), Seventh Day Adventist (one block South), and Target (two blocks West). Each of these lots are available for all our service times. There is parking on the streets surrounding the church; however, we ask you to be considerate to our neighbors and not double park or block driveways in our neighborhood.