# THE MESSAGE

### Always The Same, Ever Changing **Tom Hughes**

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will use	to make
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4. We will accomplish more	than
with what we have.	
3. We will be	and
	for Christ.
2. We will do anything short	of sin to
i. we will stay	to Christ.

John 15:5 (NRSV) - I am the vine, you are the branches. Those who abide in me and I in them bear much fruit, because apart from me you can do nothing.

1 Corinthians 9:19-23 (NRSV) - <sup>19</sup> For though I am free with respect to all, I have made myself a slave to all, so that I might win more of them. <sup>20</sup>To the Jews I became as a Jew, in order to win Jews. To those under the law I became as one under the law (though I myself am not under the law) so that I might win those under the law. 21To those outside the law I became as one outside the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law) so that I might win those outside the law. <sup>22</sup>To the weak I became weak, so that I might win the weak. I have become all things to all people, so that I might by any means save some. <sup>23</sup>I do it all for the sake of the gospel, so that I may share in its blessings.

John 20:21 (NRSV) - Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'

Luke 6:38 (NRSV) - give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.'

# **MESSAGE NOTES**

P2 Luke 21:1-4 (NRSV) - 1He looked up and saw rich people putting their gifts into the treasury; <sup>2</sup>he also saw a poor widow put in two small copper coins. <sup>3</sup>He said, 'Truly I tell you, this poor widow has put in more than all of them; 4for all of them have contributed out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty has put in all she had to live on.'

> Matthew 25:23 (NRSV) - His master said to him, "Well done, good and trustworthy slave; you have been trustworthy in a few things, I will put you in charge of many things; enter into the joy of your master."

> Acts 4:34-35 (NRSV) - 34There was not a needy person among them, for as many as owned lands or houses sold them and brought the proceeds of what was sold. 35They laid it at the apostles' feet, and it was distributed to each as any had need.

2 Thessalonians 3:10-12 (NRSV) - <sup>10</sup>For even when we were with you, we gave you this command: Anyone unwilling to work should not eat. 11For we hear that some of you are living in idleness. mere busybodies, not doing any work. 12 Now such persons we command and exhort in the Lord Jesus Christ to do their work quietly and to earn their own living.

John 17:20-23 (NRSV) - 20'l ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, 21 that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. 22The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, <sup>23</sup>I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.


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### **Financial Update**

2024 General Budget: \$9.100.000.00

YTD 08.31.2024 - Requirement: \$5,950,000.00

YTD 08.31.2024 - Offering: \$6,320,182.32

August Kingdom Offering: \$66,494.96 YTD Kingdom Offering: \$550,194.57



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Service Times:

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

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# Welcome

September 21 & 22, 2024

Worship God Become part of His Family Extend His Kingdom

# **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!



Tom Hughes (Lead Pastor) and the CA Pastoral Team

# 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 seat-backs 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 drop box 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!



Invite a friend and join us next weekend, as we continue in our new series: Always The Same, Ever Changing: Finding Your Place In God's Mission. God's mission is unchanging and universal, as shown in the Great Commandment and Great Commission. Yet, each person has a unique role to play. Learn how to find and fulfill your specific part in God's mission, overcome common fears, and step into your purpose and discover more together!



If you're between the ages of 18-35 years old, come join us at beautiful Hume Lake Christian Camp, the weekend of Oct. 4-6. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to grow deeper in Christ and get even more plugged into our Fusion family at an incredible location. Cost is \$170! For more info and to register, please visit: cafusion.com/retreat



Moms, join us this Fall for CA Moms to be encouraged and connect with other moms! We'll be gathering for 8 weeks on Wednesday mornings starting Sep. 25 at 9:30am. Breakfast is provided. Free childcare is also available. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/camoms



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

We offer programs for both middle and high schoolers. For grades 6th-8th, we meet on **Saturdays** (6pm-7:15pm) and for grades 9th-12th, we meet on **Wednesdays** (7pm-8:30pm). For more info, please visit: castudents678.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



hosting a 5-week class **Before - "I Do"** for pre-engaged, pre-married, and/or newly married couples. Cost is \$35 per couple.

### Date:

Sundays - Beginning Oct. 13

### Time:

1pm - 2:30pm

### Location:

2435 Colorado Blvd., Rm 21 (north)

To register for our upcoming class, please visit: cachurch.com/beforeido

### **Women's Bible Study**

Women's Bible Study is kicking off September 24/25. Join us as we study the book of Philippians. We meet in person at 2435 Colorado Blvd. (North Sanctuary) on Tuesday nights (7pm) or Wednesday mornings (9:30am). We also offer online and satellite groups! Free childcare is provided, all you need to do is register your children beforehand. For more info and to register for childcare, please visit: cachurch.com/wbs

### **Partnership Class**

Whether you are new or have been to CA for years, Partnership class is an important step towards belonging. Our 4-week class begins, Sunday, Sep. 29 (9am-10:30am) at 2435 Colorado Blvd. Rm. 30 (north). Join us to meet and hear from many of our pastors, learn about our church's history, values & beliefs, and to meet others. Coffee & light breakfast is provided. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/partnership

### **Thrive Class: Overcoming Anxiety**

If you are currently living with anxious thoughts that plague you emotionally, mentally and physically, this 4-week class is for you. You will learn about how the brain responds to anxiety and ways to tame it. With scriptural support you can learn to overcome anxiety while leaning into God's strength and power. **Monday nights starting Sep. 23 (7pm)**. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/thrive

# **Compelled Conference**

As the Church, we are all called to join God on mission! Join us for Compelled Kingdom Conference on Saturday, Oct. 19 (9:30am-1:30pm) at 2435 Colorado Blvd. (north)! This conference will equip you on how to live out your Kingdom calling in your everyday life. The conference is free and lunch will be provided. For more info and to register, please visit: cachurch.com/kingdom

### **Tagalog Bible Study**

We invite any Tagalog speakers to join us the last Friday of the month for a time of bible study, worship, and community. We are currently studying the parables of Jesus. Our next meeting will be on **Friday, Sep. 27 at 2435 Colorado Blvd., Rm. 21 (7pm-8:30pm)**.

### Art Exhibits At CA

Come check out the artistic creations from some of CA's gifted artists. Fine art, watercolor, oil, ink, digital art, photography, pottery, wood and more will be on display in the South Courtyard before/after our weekend services on Oct. 5/6 & Oct. 12/13.

## Kingdom Weekend: Sep. 28/29

Next weekend is a Kingdom Weekend. We will hear an update about our international mission trips, as well as the importance of living missionally in our daily lives. We will also give a second offering for our Kingdom partners and efforts.