

The Father's Heart

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Psalm 25:8-11

<sup>8</sup> The Lord is good and does what is right; he shows the proper path to those who go astray. <sup>9</sup> He leads the humble in doing right, teaching them his way. <sup>10</sup> The Lord leads with unfailing love and faithfulness all who keep his covenant and obey his demands. <sup>11</sup> For the honor of your name, O Lord, forgive my many, many sins.

John 3:16

<sup>16</sup> For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life.

Romans 7:21-24

<sup>21</sup> I have discovered this principle of life—that when I want to do what is right, I inevitably do what is wrong. <sup>22</sup> I love God’s law with all my heart. <sup>23</sup> But there is another power within me that is at war with my mind. This power makes me a slave to the sin that is still within me. <sup>24</sup> Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death?

Romans 7:25-8:2

<sup>25</sup> Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord. So you see how it is: In my mind I really want to obey God’s law, but because of my sinful nature I am a slave to sin.

<sup>1</sup> So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus. <sup>2</sup> And because you belong to him, the power of the life-giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death.

Romans 8:15-16

<sup>15</sup> So you have not received a spirit that makes you fearful slaves. Instead, you received God’s Spirit when he adopted you as his own children. Now we call him, “Abba, Father.” <sup>16</sup> For his Spirit joins with our spirit to affirm that we are God’s children.

Romans 8:31-39

<sup>31</sup> What shall we say about such wonderful things as these? If God is for us, who can ever be against us? <sup>32</sup> Since he did not spare even his own Son but gave him up for us all, won’t he also give us everything

else? <sup>33</sup> Who dares accuse us whom God has chosen for his own? No one—for God himself has given us right standing with himself. <sup>34</sup> Who then will condemn us? No one—for Christ Jesus died for us and was raised to life for us, and he is sitting in the place of honor at God’s right hand, pleading for us. <sup>35</sup> Can anything ever separate us from Christ’s love? Does it mean he no longer loves us if we have trouble or calamity, or are persecuted, or hungry, or destitute, or in danger, or threatened with death? <sup>36</sup> (As the Scriptures say, “For your sake we are killed every day; we are being slaughtered like sheep.”) <sup>37</sup> No, despite all these things, overwhelming victory is ours through Christ, who loved us. <sup>38</sup> And I am convinced that nothing can ever separate us from God’s love. Neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither our fears for today nor our worries about tomorrow—not even the powers of hell can separate us from God’s love. <sup>39</sup> No power in the sky above or in the earth below—indeed, nothing in all creation will ever be able to separate us from the love of God that is revealed in Christ Jesus our Lord.

The Father's \_\_\_\_\_ reflects the Father's \_\_\_\_\_, not our \_\_\_\_\_.

Check out ministries that you can be involved in at Christian Assembly.

**Kids Church** (Infants - 5th grade)  
[www.cakidschurch.com](http://www.cakidschurch.com)

**CA Students** (6th - 12th grade)  
[www.castudents.com](http://www.castudents.com)

**College Age** (18 - 23 year olds)  
[www.cafusion.com/college](http://www.cafusion.com/college)

**Fusion** (18 - 35 year olds)  
[www.cafusion.com](http://www.cafusion.com)

**Women**  
[www.cachurch.com/women](http://www.cachurch.com/women)

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[www.cachurch.com/men](http://www.cachurch.com/men)

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[www.cachurch.com/lifegroups](http://www.cachurch.com/lifegroups)

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[www.cachurch.com/thrive](http://www.cachurch.com/thrive)

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[www.cachurch.com/TRC](http://www.cachurch.com/TRC)

For more information: [info@cachurch.com](mailto:info@cachurch.com)

Financial Update	
2015 General Budget	\$5,250,000
YTD as of 05/31/15 Requirement	\$2,221,154
YTD as of 05/31/15 Tithes & Offering	\$2,253,782
May Kingdom (Blue Bucket) Offering	\$12,846
YTD Kingdom Offering	\$166,843

2424 Colorado Blvd, Los Angeles, CA 90041  
Phone 323.255.1421  
Regular Weekend Service Times:  
Saturday 6:00pm South  
Sunday 9:00am and 11:15am (both North & South)  
Fusion (18-35yrs) Sunday 6:00pm South  
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Welcome  
June 21, 2015

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Extend His Kingdom



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## GetStarted

### Welcome!

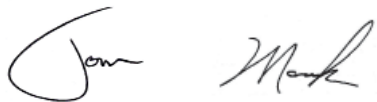
We're so glad you've chosen to join us.

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. For us, complete commitment means learning to **worship** God first and foremost in our lives, doing life together as His **family**, and extending His **kingdom** to the world around us through actions and words of faith, hope, and love.

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

Follow Tom on Twitter @tomhughes123

## Information and Opportunities

### How to Study the Bible

For the beginner and the pro - join us for a 4-week gathering on how to study the Bible. **All adults welcome. Tuesdays in July, 7-9pm** at 2435 Colorado Blvd. **Register online** at [cachurch.com/equip](http://cachurch.com/equip)



Life groups are our way of inviting people out of the crowd and into a community. Whether you are new to Christian Assembly (CA) or you have made it your church family, we encourage you to join a Life Group to do life together.

[www.cachurch.com/lifegroups](http://www.cachurch.com/lifegroups)



We offer classes for infants - 5th grade. If you choose to keep your infant or child with you during the service, we have a special section reserved for you. **We also have a room equipped with a live video feed of the service and a private room for nursing mothers.** Just ask an usher!

[www.cakidschurch.com](http://www.cakidschurch.com)  
[www.facebook.com/CAKidsChurch](https://www.facebook.com/CAKidsChurch)



### FAMILIES AND FORGIVENESS SEMINAR with Terry Hargrave, Ph.D.

We will look at the balanced way Christ forgives people, which is more than just "letting go" but also works toward restoring love and trustworthiness.

**Thursday, June 25 at 7pm**

Room 30 (3rd Floor) | 2435 Colorado Blvd.

*Register in the lobby or at  
[cachurch.com/summerofthrive](http://cachurch.com/summerofthrive)*

Got a question? Call us at 323-641-6760



## UpcomingEvents

### LoveLA Rescheduled

Love and serve a local elementary school as we transform their playground on **Saturday, August 1**. Register online or in the lobby today! [cafusion.com/lovela](http://cafusion.com/lovela)

### Fusion Beach Day

We are spending a day at Dockweiler Beach together on **Saturday, July 18**. Meet at Christian Assembly at 10am to carpool. [cafusion.com/summerevents](http://cafusion.com/summerevents)

### Fusion Worship Night

Join us for a night of worship with our 18-35 year old community, **Thursday, July 23 beginning 7pm at 2424 Colorado**, South Sanctuary. [cafusion.com/worshipnight](http://cafusion.com/worshipnight)

### Be A Welcomer

**Where kindness meets action everything changes!** Help greet outside, usher inside, get people connected at the new people's table, prepare coffee, or set up for the weekend! **Sign up in the lobby or email [leannes@cachurch.com](mailto:leannes@cachurch.com)**

### Co-Ed Softball

Wednesday nights at Eagle Rock Park starting **July 8. Players of all levels are welcome but registration is required to play. Cost \$45 per player.** Sign up in the lobby or email [leannes@cachurch.com](mailto:leannes@cachurch.com)

### Baby Dedications

Baby Dedication weekend is **July 11/12**. If your baby is under one or you have recently adopted, **fill out a Dedication Request Form in the lobby or at [cakidschurch.com](http://cakidschurch.com)**

### Kids Hope Mentoring Program

You can change a life by investing one hour a week serving an at-risk child in our community... and that's no small change. **Kids Hope is looking for 17 new mentors.** For more info email [kidshope@cachurch.com](mailto:kidshope@cachurch.com) or [www.cachurch.com/kidshope](http://www.cachurch.com/kidshope)