### THE MESSAGE

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#### Psalms: The Wisdom of Worship Mark Pickerill

Psalm 23 (NLT) - 'The Lord is my shepherd: I have all that I need. <sup>2</sup>He lets me rest in green meadows: he leads me beside peaceful streams. <sup>3</sup>He renews my strength. He guides me along right paths, bringing honor to his name. <sup>4</sup>Even when I walk through the darkest valley, I will not be afraid, for you are close beside me. Your rod and your staff protect and comfort me. <sup>5</sup>You prepare a feast for me in the presence of my enemies. You honor me by anointing my head with oil. My cup overflows with blessings. <sup>6</sup>Surely your goodness and unfailing love will pursue me all the days of my life, and I will live in the house of the Lord forever.

Psalm 23 (KJV) - 'The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.<sup>2</sup>He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. <sup>3</sup>He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. <sup>4</sup>Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. <sup>5</sup>Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil: my cup runneth over. <sup>6</sup>Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

John 10: 11-18 (NLT) - 11"I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd sacrifices his life for the sheep. <sup>12</sup>A hired hand will run when he sees a wolf coming. He will abandon the sheep because they don't belong to him and he isn't their shepherd. And so the wolf attacks them and scatters the flock. <sup>13</sup>The hired hand runs away because he's working only for the money and doesn't really care about the sheep.

<sup>14</sup>"I am the good shepherd: I know my own sheep, and they know me, <sup>15</sup>just as my Father knows me and I know the Father. So I sacrifice my life for the sheep. <sup>16</sup>I have other sheep, too, that are not in this sheepfold. I must bring them also. They will listen to my voice, and there will be one flock with one shepherd.

## **MESSAGE NOTES**

<sup>17</sup>"The Father loves me because I sacrifice my life so I may take it back again. <sup>18</sup>No one can take my life from me. I sacrifice it voluntarily. For I have the authority to lay it down when I want to and also to take it up again. For this is what my Father has commanded."

Isaiah 53:6 (NLT) - All of us, like sheep, have straved away. We have left God's paths to follow our own. Yet the Lord laid on him the sins of us all.

## **MINISTRIES**

Visit **CAchurch.com** for info on available ministries or email us: info@cachurch.com

Men | Women | Fusion 18-35vrs | Life Groups CA Students (6th-12th) | Kids Church Thrive Growth & Recovery | Stewardship **Counseling at The Relationship Center Kingdom & Evangelism** 

# WAYS TO GIVE



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

#### Financial Update

2021 General Budget: \$7.800.000.00

YTD 06.30.21 - Requirement: \$3.900,000.00

YTD 06.30.21 - Offering: \$3,700,115.46

June Kingdom Offering: \$37,667.49 YTD Kingdom Offering: \$230,990.37

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# WELCOME

Julv 24 & 25. 2021

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



INFORMATION

Ever been stuck for words? The Psalms are heaven's words for every earthly human experience. They become a wise teacher for every person who will sing, pray, and read them. The Psalms are not what you do alone but what the people of God do together. Join us this summer for our series, **Psalms: The Wisdom of Worship**.



**Lead a Life Group:** Life groups are a great place to grow your faith, share life and pray with others. If you are interested in leading a life group or want more information about becoming a leader, please visit: cachurch.com/**lifegroups** or 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**.

Our CA Students Programs will be on summer hiatus starting **July 24** for Jr. High (grades 6-8) and **July 28** for High School (grades 9-12). Programs will resume **Aug. 21** for Jr. High and **Aug. 25** for High School. Have a great summer!



Fusion is our community for 18-35 year olds and consists of life groups, morning devotionals online, and Sunday 6pm service. While our Sunday 6pm service is not meeting yet, stay tuned to our social media **@cafusion** to find out the latest news on Fusion happenings!

# OPPORTUNITIES

CA KINGDOM EFFORTS

### CA Serve Day with 1DayLA

Thanks so much to the 120+ people from CA who served on July 24 for the 1DayLA serve day!

We served at 6 different serve sites that included outreaches for foster families, homeless families, women in rehab, neighbors in Eagle Rock, and we did a teacher lounge remodel at a public high school.

We are thankful to be part of what God is doing in our city. If you want to get involved in our local kingdom efforts, you can find more information at cachurch.com/kingdom.

We have an outreach event happening once a month, as well as ways you can serve in an ongoing way.

### **Elam Ministries**

Please continue to pray for our kingdom partners at Elam Ministries and for God to move in the Iran Region and beyond.

You can find more information at www.elam.com

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

#### **Baby Dedications**

Our next baby dedication weekends are **Aug. 14/15**. If your baby is under one year old or you have recently adopted, fill out and turn in a request form in person or online. **Aug. 14/15 forms are due by Aug. 2**. Forms are available in the lobby or online at cachurch.com/**babydedications**.

### **CA Internships**

Apply for a CA Internship and **Answer God's Call** (Sep. 2021 - May 2022). Work with CA staff for 10 hours a week and be in a cohort led by our Evangelism Pastor, Matt Price. We want to help you discern God's call in your life and to have a greater impact in the local church and in the city. Whether you are a young adult or in the second half of life, apply today. Applications due **Aug. 1**. For more info and to download an application, visit: cachurch. com/internships.

### Kids Church - Special Buddies Needed

Kids Church has a Special Buddies Program that provides children with special needs a trained Buddy to walk through the service with them. This allows us to give one-on-one attention to children who may have difficulty communicating, physical limitations, and emotional challenges. If you would like to learn more about being a Special Buddy, please email Carlos Cecconi at **carlosc@cachurch.com**.

### **Thursday Night Fusion**

Are you a young adult 18-35 yrs old looking to find your people and your purpose? **We're launching Thursday Night Fusion on Aug. 5** where young adults will gather, connect, and learn together what it means to be a broken people "restored". For more info, please visit: cafusion.com/**tnf** 

### We're Hiring!

**Women's Pastor Position**: We are looking for a full-time Women's Community Life Pastor to join our staff! The role includes pastoring and discipling our women's community, developing leaders, and giving support and leadership to women's ministry programs, as well as serving at two weekend church services. **Applications due by Aug. 15**.

Administrative Assistant - Kingdom/Evangelism: We are looking for a part-time Administrative Assistant to support our Kingdom and Evangelism ministries. Applicants must be detail-oriented, strive for excellence in completion of tasks and have a positive attitude. Applications are due by Aug. 13.

For the job descriptions or to apply, please visit: cachurch.com/**jobs**.