

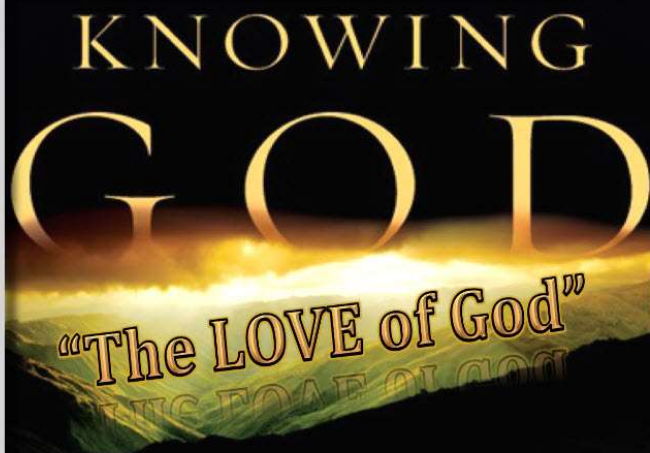
MINNEHAHA
CHURCH OF CHRIST

SERVING WITH LOVE

Today's Sermon:

"The LOVE of God"

Dave Kubow



LORD'S DAY APRIL 19TH 2026

MINNEHAHA CHURCH OF CHRIST

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MIKE KENNEDY, MINISTER

ELDERS: Mike Kennedy, Sam Judd, Mark Williams, Martin Roman

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ASIA'S CHILDREN: Laine & Christy Johnson

Date: April 19, 2026

9:30 BIBLE STUDY TEAM



Mark Williams
TODAY
Revelation 12



Dave Kubow
Next Week
Revelation 13

10:45 MAIN ASSEMBLY SINGING LEADERS



Jimmy Kennedy



Lauren Priest



Stephanie Kennedy



Ken Smithline

Lord's Supper Time – Each week we prioritize the Lord's Supper.



Today – Dave Kubow
"The LOVE of God" – 1 John 4:7-11, 16

Next Week: Mike Kennedy
– "Leaning as God's Children" – 1 John 4:1-6

The mission of the Minnehaha Church of Christ is to worship God, equipping every member to serve and build up one another and to lead people into a saving and enriching relationship with Jesus Christ.

PRAYER LIST ITEMS:

-- **Ken Bowcutt** – Please keep Ken in your prayers as he continues to deal with the issues of his heart failure.

-- **Joyce Ryan, Ken & Virginia Smithline, Sam Judd, Rose**

Williams – Please be in prayer for these fellow saints and their various struggles.

-- **Luke Chapman & Family** –

Please be in prayer for the Chapman's regarding the passing of Jim. The memorial will be May 16 at 1:00pm here at MCC.

-- **Cyndi Shively** – Please keep Cyndi in your prayers as she deals with liver cancer.

-- **Stormie Priest** – Be in prayer for our Sister as she struggles with cancer issues.

-- **Carl Fich** – Be in prayer for our Brother as he deals with cancer throughout his body.

Word of God Speak! – This is Real LOVE!

¹⁰ "This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.

– **1 John 4:10** [NLT]

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

TUESDAY – **MIKE KENNEDY**

TUESDAY – **JAMES HERRINGTON**

FRIDAY – **KADEN FERGUSON**

FRIDAY – **AUSTIN CHAPMAN**

Useful Numbers

(Data as of: 4/17/26 4:53 PM)

Facebook Viewers	Class	109
	Sermon	152
	Hispanic	186
YouTube Viewers	Class	5
	Sermon	21
	Hispanic	29
Rumble Viewers	Class	65
	Sermon	102
	Hispanic	87

Weekly also on our own app.

Last Sunday Attendance:	English	39
	Hispanic	6

2026 Weekly Budget:	\$ 1,843
Last week	\$ 2,213
13-week average:	\$ 1,531
26-week average:	\$ 1,469

THIS MONTH AND LATER

April 22, Wednesday, 6:30 pm – Evening Prayer Meeting

April 29, Wednesday, 6:30 pm – Evening Prayer Meeting

May 6, Wednesday, 6:30 pm – Evening Prayer Meeting

May 9, Saturday, 8:30 am – Staff Meeting

May 9, Saturday, 9:00 am – Women's Bible Study

May 9, Saturday, 10:00 am – Leaders' Meeting at 35th Church

“How He Loves”

Writer: John Mark McMillan

Copyright Owner/Publisher: Integrity's Hosanna! Music (ASCAP)

Administrator: Capitol CMG Publishing

Release Year: 2005

Alternative Title: "How He Loves Us

"How He Loves" was written by John Mark McMillan in 2002 after his best friend, youth minister Stephen Coffey, died following a car accident. The song was born out of profound grief, aiming to process the pain while reaffirming God's unconditional love, often described as a messy, "unforeseen" love rather than a gentle one.

Key Details Behind the Song:

- **Tragic Origins:** McMillan wrote the song the day after Coffey died. That same night, Coffey had prayed, "I'd give my life today if it would shake the youth of the nation".
- **The "Sloppy Wet Kiss" Line:** Originally, the lyrics contained the line "heaven meets earth like a sloppy wet kiss," which McMillan described as a metaphor for God's love being intense and overwhelming, rather than just neat or "hot-pink".
- **David Crowder Cover:** While often associated with the David Crowder Band's 2009 cover, the song was changed in that version to "unforeseen kiss" due to church sensitivities.
- **Meaning:** The song focuses on God's love during difficult, broken times, describing it as powerful enough to sustain believers through personal tragedy.

McMillan wrote the song as a personal "conversation with God" to speak to his frustration and heartbreak.