

South Hayward United Methodist Church

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Ministry Opportunities for the Week: May 6–May 12, 2012

Today	9:30 am	<i>Ensemble/Introit Practice</i>
	9:45 am	<i>Chancel Choir Practice</i>
	10:30 am	<i>Worship Service</i>
	12:30 pm	<i>Fellowship Snacks/Choir Practice</i>
M/T/W/F	9:00 am –11:30 pm	<i>Open Door Classes</i>

CALENDAR OF EVENTS/MEETINGS

UMW –*1st Saturday of the month at 10 AM*

Youth- *Every Saturday at 10 AM, combining Bible Study with their Praise Team Practice*

Equal Exchange Fair Trade/Organic Table-*1st & 3rd Sundays of each month*

Open Door Fund Raiser-*2nd Sunday of the month*

Worship – *2nd Sunday of the month at 1:30 PM to 2:15 PM*

Trustees – *3rd Sunday of Every Other Month-Special Meeting May 6th after church*

Fijian Language Ministry-*2nd, 3rd & 4th Sunday of the month at 2:30*

Finance – *2nd Tuesday of each month as necessary, 7 PM*

SPRC- *1st Wednesday of the month*

Men's Club - *2nd Wednesday, 6:30PM*

Ad Council – *2nd Thursday, 7 PM in the Fireside Room*

Worship Service at Josephine Lum Lodge- *Every Last Thursday of the month, at 2 PM*

Adult Bible Study- *Fridays at 7 PM in the Fireside Room, any changes will be announced*

Christian Ed – *as needed, Communication* – *as needed, NOWE* – *as needed*

Peace & Justice- *as needed*

NEXT SUNDAY: MAY 13, 2012 Mother's Day

SOUTH HAYWARD UMC'S 2ND ANNUAL FAIR TRADE FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 2012 10 AM TO 3 PM

Join us, rain or shine, for our 2nd Fair Trade Festival. Opportunities to sample, and purchase Fair Trade products, as well as baked goods made with at least one Fair Trade ingredient.

The church will have the Equal Exchange table, and we will have the following businesses represented: Devine Chocolates, Cloudforest Initiatives, Alter Eco, Bridge For Africa, Oimei, Global Exchange, Globally Minded, Theo Chocolates, Sjaak's Organic Chocolate, Reach & Teach (social justice educational materials), Partners for Just Trade, Fair Trade USA, Fair Trade Resource Network, and hopefully Lucuma Designs.

The Dark Side of Chocolate will be shown at 11:30 AM, in the sanctuary, followed by a discussion.

Why Fair Trade? Because God is very much about fairness and justice, and so should we, in all of our dealings with other people. Farmers, workers, and artisans also have families to care for, and need decent wages to survive.

SATURDAY MAY 19, FESCO SHELTER SHUFFLE

Fesco Shelter Shuffle Walk-A-Thon at San Leandro Marina Park, registration begins at 8:45 AM. Opening Ceremony starts at 9:30 AM, the Walk-A-Thon starts at 10 AM. Our group picture will be at 10 AM at the West trail entrance. Starting at 11 AM there will be food, entertainment, and prizes. Closing Ceremony at 12 noon.

GENERAL CONFERENCE NEWS

General Conference ended on May 4, to get all the news check out UMC.org the website that covers the General Conference. You can review all the changes that affect our church.