

South Hayward United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for

The Transformation of the World

12th Sunday After Pentecost

August 11, 2013, 10:30 AM

****Those Who Are Able, Please Stand** (PLEASE, silence your Cell Phone)

Child Nursery available – Just ask the ushers

WE ENTER TO WORSHIP

PRAISE SINGING

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Beethoven/Bock

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

Eva

Basa

God takes pleasure in opening God's realm to us. We must be alert, therefore, and ready to take action. God's reign is both here already and not yet fully realized. Such is the challenge of faith.

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP**

God said, “Gather to me my faithful ones.”

We gather to praise and give thanks.

Jesus said, “Do not be afraid, God gives us the kingdom.”

We gather to praise and give thanks.

God speaks and summons us to worship.

We gather to praise and give thanks.

****HYMN OF PRAISE**

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

UMH#158

****INVOCATION (Unison)**

God of Light and Love, who delights in all of creation, ignite our spirits to worship with sincerity; illumine our minds with the truth of your word; inspire our hearts to seek only your treasure, that we might be moved to action to share your love. Through Jesus Christ our hope and promise, we pray. Amen.

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD FOR US

CHILDREN'S TIME

****PEACE OF CHRIST IS GIVEN TO ALL**

Children: The peace of the living Christ be with you!

Congregation: And also with you!

SPECIAL MUSIC

Arnel De Pano

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Eva Basa

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 13, Luke 13:6-9

WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY

“A Second Chance”

Pastor Ancheta

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

HYMN OF DEDICATION *“Breathe on Me, Breath of God” (Vv 1, 2) UMH#420*

PASTORAL PRAYER/DISCIPLE'S PRAYER

(Vv 3, 4)

WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD

God has offered us unfailing treasures in heaven. In love and gratitude, let us return our gifts and offerings. May these offerings be used and stretched for the poor and the widow, the orphan and the downtrodden. May god use and stretch us, to do good, to seek justice and be God's light to the world.

OFFERTORY

Arnel De Pano

OFFERING

**DOXOLOGY

UMH#94

**THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Eva Basa

WE DEPART TO SERVE

**HYMN OF BENEDICTION

“Lead On, O King Eternal”

UMH#580

**BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Here I Am Lord”

Schutte/Carter

Please remain seated until postlude is complete

Flowers: *Aimee Ruth Ayroso*

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown*

District Superintendent: *Rev. Schuyler Rhodes*

Pastor: *Rev. Elmar R. De Ocera*

Ensemble Director: *Ed Keller*

Lay Leader: *Alde Sarmiento*

Choir Director: *Exie Granadosin*

Council Chair:

Nursery: *Gloria Morales*

Offering Counters: *Irene Potter*

Allison English

Jully Laxamana

Evelyn Russell

Cynthia Elliott



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“Let’s give it another year. I’ll dig around it and fertilize, and maybe it will produce next year, if it doesn’t, then chop it down.”