

# South Hayward United Methodist Church

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for*

*The Transformation of the World*

*19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

*September 29, 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**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT**

*"It Is Well with My Soul"*

*Bliss/Governor*

**WELCOME**

*Navarro*

*Ernest*

We can trust God in all circumstances and with all aspects of our lives. Trusting God, we find the peace that passes all understanding and the strength to heed Christ's call.

**\*\*INVITATION TO WORSHIP**

Those who love God,

**God will deliver.**

Those who know God by name,

**God will protect.**

Those who call out to God,

**God will answer.**

We gather this morning,

**As those who trust God.**

**\*\*HYMN OF PRAISE** *"Praise to the Lord, The Almighty"*

*UMH#139*

**\*\*INVOCATION (Unison)**

**Glorious are you, Creator of heaven and earth. Your handiwork is all around us. Help us to see it. Glorious are you,**

Savior of the lost, you are our light and salvation. Help us to abide in you. Glorious are you, Spirit of Truth, you transform the lives of your people. Give us your grace to overcome our frailties and failings. Indeed, as we gather to worship you this day, we ask that you would keep us from those things that harm us and others - and that you would guide us in the way of righteousness, compassion, and love. May our living render you praise, our actions exalt your most holy name, and our every deed provide hope to those we meet - hour by hour and day by day - both now and forevermore. 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!

**CHORAL ANTHEM**

*"We Will Be Your People" SHUMC Chancel Choir*

**PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION**

*Ernest Navarro*

**SCRIPTURE READING**

*Luke 16:19-31*

**WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY**

*"It's Your Problem, Not Mine" Pastor Elmar*

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM**

**SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**HYMN OF DEDICATION**

*"Jesu, Jesu" (Vv 1, 2)*

*UMH#432*

**PASTORAL PRAYER/DISCIPLE'S PRAYER**

*(Vv 3, 4)*

## WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Wealth, status, and success are uncertain, but we can trust God's abundant provision, and god's desire that we enjoy what

we have. Let us respond by working for justice, living generously, and sharing with others.

**OFFERTORY** *"You Are My Hiding Place"* *Ledner/Bergquist*

**OFFERING**

**\*\*DOXOLOGY** *UMH#94*

**\*\*THANKSGIVING PRAYER** *Ernest Navarro*

**WE DEPART TO SERVE**

**\*\*HYMN OF BENEDICTION** *"Are Ye Able"* *UMH#530*

**\*\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *"On Eagle's Wings"* *Joncas/Carter*  
*Please remain seated until postlude is complete*

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**Flowers:** *Miranda Rose Capistrano-Baptism*

**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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At his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus,  
covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his  
hunger...