

South Hayward United Methodist Church

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the
Transformation of the World*

Fifth Sunday After the Epiphany

February 9, 2014 -- 10:30 AM

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

Child Nursery available – Just Ask one of the Ushers

WE ENTER TO WORSHIP

PRAISE SINGING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

“Be Thou My Vision”

arr. Anna Laura Page

WELCOME

Ernie Navarro

God is with us in our justice-seeking and our compassion giving. Our light shines breaks forth like the dawn and shines brightly upon the hill for all to see. Our lives are salty with Christ-like love and mercy when we feed the hungry, house the homeless, and break the yokes of injustice and oppression. Let our light shine!

INTROIT ***“Gather Us In/O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”***

SHUMC Ensemble

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP**

Salt and pepper, light and dark, love and justice,

With these diverse gifts, we flavor the world with hope, and color creation with new possibilities and infuse this earth with a glimpse of God's realm.

Come, bring your flavorful presence into this time of worship.

****HYMN OF PRAISE** ***“Christ for the World We Sing”***

UMH#568

****INVOCATION (unison)**

Light of the world, shine upon us, that we may glimpse your wisdom this day. Love of all creation, flow through us, that we may be filled with your compassion and grace. Flavor and spice of life, salt us with your truth, that we may spread your justice and love into all the corners of the earth. In the light of your love we pray. Amen.

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD FOR US

CHILDREN'S TIME

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

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

All: And also with you!

ANTHEM

“Melody of Love”

SHUMC Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Ernie Navarro

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 5:13-20

The word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

THE WORD FOR TODAY

Pastor Elmar

SHARING OUR JOYS & CONCERNS

HYMN OF DEDICATION

“Pass It On” (Vv 1, 2)

UMH#572

PASTORAL PRAYER/DISCIPLE'S PRAYER

(V3)

WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD

You are the salt of the earth. Bring your flavorful gifts to God!

OFFERTORY *“Precious Lord/Just a Closer Walk”* *arr. Harold Best*

OFFERING

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

****PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** *Ernie Navarro*

WE DEPART TO SERVE

****HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP** *“The Voice of God Is Calling”* *UMH#436*

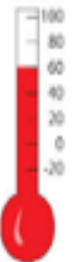
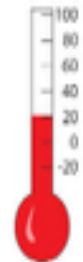
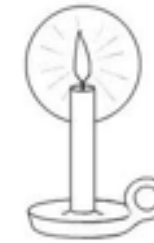
****BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”* *Haydn/Boud*
(Please be seated until postlude is complete)

Flowers:

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown*
Pastor: *Elmar De Ocera*
Lay Leader: *Alde Sarmiento*
Council Chair: *Alde Sarmiento*
Offering Counters: *Irene Potter*
Jully Laxamana
Evelyn Russell
Cynthia Elliott

District Superintendent: *Schuyler Rhodes*
Ensemble Director: *Ed Keller*
Choir Director: *Exie Granadosin*
Nursery: *Gloria Morales*
Alison English



You Are.....



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