

South Hayward United Methodist Church

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

2nd Sunday in Lent

March 16, 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

“Sweet Hour of Prayer”

WELCOME

Dev Cape

Come, all who need help! Come, all who desire blessing! Come,
all who long for salvation! Come, the Lord is waiting.

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP**

God loved the world so much!

God gave the world Jesus, God’s only Son.

God loved the world so much!

God gave the world eternal life.

God loved the world so much!

God gave the world salvation through Jesus Christ.

****HYMN OF PRAISE**

“To God Be the Glory”

UMH#98

****INVOCATION (Unison)**

God of ages and days to come, open our hearts to the message
of your love. Bless us with your truth and wisdom, that we
might be a blessing to others, revealing your promises to the

world in our words and actions. Blow through our lives with
your Spirit, that we may be born anew, with love and faith
for all to see. In Christ’s name 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 all!

Congregation: And also with you!

ANTHEM

“We Worship As One”

SHUMC Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Dev Cape

SCRIPTURE READING

John 3:1-17

WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY

“Got Jesus?”

Pastor Elmar

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

HYMN OF DEDICATION

“Living for Jesus” (Vv 1, 2)

FWS#2149

PASTORAL PRAYER/DISCIPLE’S PRAYER

(Vv 3, 4)

WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD

The Lord continues to shower us with gifts, including the
greatest gift of all, his own Son, Jesus Christ. In
thanksgiving and praise, let us offer our time, our
resources, our very selves. In these actions we proclaim our
intention to be a blessing to the world.

OFFERTORY

“This so sweet To Trust in Jesus”

OFFERING

****DOXOLOGY**

UMH#94

****PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Dev Cape

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WE DEPART TO SERVE

****HYMN OF BENEDICTION**

"Blessed Assurance"

UMH#369

****BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

"O God Our Help in Ages Past"

Please remain seated until postlude is complete

Flowers: *Becky Fernando*

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown*

Pastor: *Rev. Elmar R. De Ocera*

Lay Leader: *Alde Sarmiento*

Council Chair: *Alde Sarmiento*

Offering Counters: *Irene Potter*

Jully Laxamana

Evelyn Russell

Cynthia Elliott

District Superintendent: *Rev. Schuyler Rhodes*

Ensemble Director: *Ed Keller*

Choir Director: *Exie Granadosin*

Nursery: *Gloria Morales*

Alison English

Jesus Loves



Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

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