

South Hayward United Methodist Church

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for
The Transformation of the World
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost*

October 12, 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

WELCOME

Pastor Rochelle

PRAISE SINGING

ANNOUNCEMENTS/INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

“This Our Hymn of Grateful Praise”

arr. Gilbert Martin

INTROIT *“He Ain’t Heavy, He’s My Brother”*

(Russell and Scott)

SHUMC Ensemble

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP (Psalm 99, 1 Thessalonians 1)**

Jully Laxamana

O give thanks to God, who calls us here.

We will sing of God’s glorious deeds.

O listen for God’s wisdom, that speaks to us now.

We will listen for inspiration and truth.

O worship our God, who is holy and just.

We will worship God with honor and praise!

OPENING HYMN

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

UHM#139

OPENING PRAYER (Unison)

Creator God,

Bless us with your wonderful presence so we may know the strength of your guiding hand and tender mercy of your love. Teach us to understand your gracious instructions so we may be prosperous in our lives. Teach us to trust you so we may find peace in our hearts. In Jesus’ name, we pray. Amen.

WE LISTEN TO GOD’S WORD FOR US

CHILDREN’S TIME

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

Congregation: **And also with you!**

****PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST**

ANTHEM

“Every Valley”

SHUMC Chancel Choir

STEWARDSHIP TESTIMONIAL

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Jully Laxamana

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 6:38

MESSAGE

“Gracious Giving”

Pastor Rochelle

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD’S PRAYER

****HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“God Will Take Care of You”

UMH#130

WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Thank you for your tithes, talents, gifts and time.
May the LORD bless you for your generosity.

OFFERTORY

OFFERING

****DOXOLOGY**

UMH#94

****THANKSGIVING PRAYER**

Jully Laxamana

WE DEPART TO SERVE

****HYMN OF BENEDICTION** *“Standing on the Promises”*

UHM#374

****BENEDICTION**

Pastor Rochelle

POSTLUDE

“Blessed Assurance”
Please remain seated until postlude is complete

Knapp/Ritter

Flowers:

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown*

District Superintendent: *Rev. Schuyler Rhodes*

Pastor: *Rev. Rochelle Frazier*

Ensemble Director: *Ed Keller*

Lay Leader: *Alde Sarmiento*

Choir Director: *Exie Granadosin*

Council Chair: *Alde Sarmiento*

Nursery: *Alison English*

Offering Counters: *Irene Potter*

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*Give, and it will be given
to you. A good measure,
pressed down, shaken
together, running over, will
be put into your lap; for the
measure you give will be
the measure you get back.*

Luke 6:38