

South Hayward United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for

The Transformation of the World

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

July 5, 2015-10:30 am

****Those Who Are Able, Please Stand**

(PLEASE, silence your Cell Phone)

WE ENTER TO WORSHIP

WELCOME

Pastor Rochelle

HYMNODY

“All The Way My Savior Leads Me”

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ GUESTS/BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

“God of the Ages”

Warren/Page

INTROIT

Fijian Language Ministry

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP (Psalm 48)**

Isei Daveta

Leader: Our God is great and worthy of praise!

People: God’s holy mountain is beautiful. It is the joy of the whole world!

Leader: In the midst of your temple, O God, we dwell in your faithful love!

People: Your praise and reputation, O God, go far beyond this mountain to the far corners of the earth!

Leader: Let us walk about this holy mountain, and behold its towers and fortifications.

Then let us teach our church about our strong and righteous God.

ALL: God is the One who will lead us, even to the very end! This is God, our God, forever and always!

****OPENING HYMN**

“Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing”

UMH#400

****OPENING PRAYER (Unison) (Independence Day)**

Almighty God, you rule all the peoples of the earth. Inspire the minds of all women and men to who you have committed the responsibility of government and leadership in the nations of the world. Give to them the vision of truth and justice, that by their counsel all nations and peoples may work together. Give to the people of our country zeal for justice and strength of forbearance, that we may use our liberty in accordance with your gracious will. Forgive our shortcomings as a nation; purify our hearts to see and love the truth. We pray all these things through Jesus the Christ, our Lord. 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

“Come Share the Lord”

SHUMC Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Isei Daveta

SCRIPTURE READING

(Fijian and English)

2 Corinthians 12:6-10

MESSAGE

“Freedom Grace”

Pastor Rochelle

SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS/ PASTORAL PRAYER/
THE LORD’S PRAYER

UMH#895

****HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“Amazing Grace”

UMH#378

WE OFFER OUR SELVES & OUR GIFTS TO GOD AS WE CELEBRATE GOD’S PRESENCE IN HOLY COMMUNION

God's grace is sufficient for us. Let us be gracious and share our abundance with our church and community.

HOLY COMMUNION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Jesus Christ, child of God, forgive us when we turn away from pain and humiliation, and do not look for your grace and power in servanthood and weakness.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

The grace of Jesus Christ is sufficient for us all. We are forgiven and made strong in our weakness. Great is God and worthy of our praise.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING-See Insert

Let Us Break Bread Together #618

One Bread, One Body #620

Eat This Bread #628

Take Our Bread #640

(After receiving the elements in Holy Communion, you are invited to come to the kneeler or stand in front of the altar to pray and receive a prayer of blessing)

WE DEPART TO SERVE

**HYMN OF BENEDICTION

"America the Beautiful"

UMH# 696

(In honor of Independence Day)

**BENEDICTION

Pastor Rochelle

POSTLUDE

"Mine Eyes Have Seen the Glory"

Steffe/Hayes

Please remain seated until postlude is complete

Flowers: *Ruth Navarro*

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown*

District Superintendent: *Rev. Schuyler Rhodes*

Pastor: *Rev. Rochelle Frazier*

Ensemble Director: *Ed Keller*

Lay Leader: *Jully Laxamana*

Choir Director: *Exie Granadosin*

Ad Council Chair: *Alde Sarmiento*

Nursery: *Alison English*

Offering Counters: *Irene Potter*

Gloria Morales

*Jully Laxamana
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