

South Hayward United Methodist Church

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for
The Transformation of the World
Third Sunday After the Epiphany*

January 24, 2016-10:30 am

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

WE ENTER TO WORSHIP

WELCOME *Pastor Rochelle*

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ GUESTS/BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDELS
"Great God of Wonders" *Newton/Wyrtzen*

INTROIT *"Be Thou My Vision"* *SHUMC Ensemble*

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP (Nehemiah 8, Psalm 19, Luke 4)** *Gail Stringer*

Leader: This day is holy to the LORD your God.

People: The universe tells of God's glory!

Leader: On this holy day, we will eat good and share it with others.

People: The universe tells of God's glory!

Leader: On this holy day, we will hear the good news of God's love.

ALL: The universe tells of God's glory!

****OPENING HYMN** *"How Great Thou Art"* *UMH#77*

****OPENING PRAYER (Unison) (Nehemiah 8, Psalm 19, Luke 4)**

God of creation, your heavens and earth shout out the amazing news of your power and glory. God of justice, your laws of mercy and goodness reveal your vision of harmony for all people, God of Love, your Son Jesus the Christ proclaims the amazing news of your liberation for all who are hungry, poor, or oppressed. May we join with all of creation to become your message of love to the world. 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 *"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"* *SHUMC Chancel Choir*

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION *Gail Stringer*

SCRIPTURE READING *Luke 4:14-21, Matthew 22:34-40*

MESSAGE *"What time is it? Part 4"* *Pastor Rochelle*

****HYMN OF DEDICATION** *"The Summons"* *FWS#2130*

**SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS/ PASTORAL PRAYER/
THE LORD'S PRAYER** *UMH#895*

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

The Spirit has blessed us with love and power. Let us be used to bring about justice and dignity of life to every corner of this earth by sharing our gifts with our church. _

OFFERTORY

OFFERING

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

****THANKSGIVING PRAYER** *Gail Stringer*

WE DEPART TO SERVE

****HYMN OF BENEDICTION** “*They’ll Know We Are Christians
by Our Love*”

FWS#2223

****BENEDICTION**

Pastor Rochelle

POSTLUDE “*Sent Forth By God’s Blessing*” *arr. Mary McDonald*

.....*(Please remain seated until postlude is complete)*.....

Flowers: Becky Fernando

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: *Jully Laxamana*

Gloria Morales

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*“You shall love the
Lord your God
with all your heart,
and with all your soul,
and with all your mind”.*

*“And you shall love
your neighbor
as yourself”.*

Matthew 22:37-39