South Hayward United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for The Transformation of the World

Fourth Sunday After the Epiphany UMW Sunday

January 31, 2016-10:30 am

**Those Who Are Able, Please Stand

(PLEASE, silence your Cell Phone)

WE ENTER TO WORSHIP

WELCOME Lady Shauf

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ GUESTS/BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDELS "The Prayer"

INTROIT

Patti Conner and Exie Granadosin

**INVITATION TO WORSHIP (Psalm 71)

Eva Basa

Leader: Where can we go and seek refuge?

People: We've taken refuge in you, LORD.

Leader: Who can rescue us from the grip of the wrongdoer?

People: We plead our case to you, LORD.

Leader: Is there any place we can run to escape the spiritual dangers that surround us?

People: The LORD is our rock and refuge.

ALL: Let us lift up our praise as we celebrate the deliverance found only in

the LORD.

**OPENING HYMN

"A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

UMH#110

**OPENING PRAYER (Unison) (1 Corinthians 13)

God of hope and love, let your love shine upon this day. Let your patience and kindness flow through us, inspiring us to new depths of love and hope. Transform our love, that we might overcome envy and resentment, and rejoice in justice and

righteousness. Envelop us in your love, that believing, hoping, and enduring may become our way of life on the path of love. In loving hope, we pray. Amen.

WE LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD FOR US

CHILDREN'S TIME

Cherrie Laxamana

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

Congregation: And also with you!

**PASS THE PEACE OF CHRIST

ANTHEM

"God is Great"

SHUMC Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Eva Basa

SKIT: "LOYAL TO THE END"
(THE BOOK OF RUTH)
Carol Morgan as Naomi,
Ruth Macapagal as Ruth,
Rhoda Razon as Orpah,
Becky Fernando as Boaz,
Lady Shauf as the Foreman

**HYMN OF DEDICATION

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee: UMH#430

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

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

"Make Me a Blessing"

Patti Conner

UMH#895

OFFERING

**DOXOLOGY UMH#94

**THANKSGIVING PRAYER

Eva Basa

WE DEPART TO SERVE

**HYMN OF BENEDICTION "To the Work" See Insert

**BENEDICTION Patti Conner

POSTLUDE "Holy, Holy, Holy"

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

Flowers: Lito Eugenio's Birthday (1-30-16)

Bishop: Rev. Warner Brown **District Superintendent:** Rev. Schuyler Rhodes

Pastor: Rev. Rochelle Frazier
Lay Leader: Jully Laxamana
Choir Director: Ed Keller
Choir Director: Exie Granadosin

Ad Council Chair: Alde Sarmiento

Offering Counters: Jully Laxamana

Nursery: Alison English
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"WHERE YOU GO, I WILL GO;
WHERE YOU LODGE,
I WILL LODGE;
YOUR PEOPLE SHALL
BE MY PEOPLE,
AND YOUR GOD MY GOD."

RUTH 1:16b