

South Hayward United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for

The Transformation of the World

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

July 31, 2016-10:30 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

SHUMC Praise Team

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ GUESTS/BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

PRELUDE & PROCESSION OF THE LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

“We Gather Together”

****INVITATION TO WORSHIP (Psalm 107)**

Jully Laxamana

Leader: O give thanks to our God, who is so good.

People: God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: O give thanks to our God, who is faithful.

People: God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: O give thanks to God, who has redeemed us from the hands of our enemies.

People: God’s steadfast love endures forever.

Leader: O give thanks to God, who satisfies the thirsty and the hungry.

ALL: God’s steadfast love endures forever.

****OPENING HYMN**

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

UMH#140

****OPENING PRAYER (Unison)(Psalm 107, Colossians 3)**

Beckoning God, you call your people from the north and the south, the east and the west. You long to gather us, from the places we have wandered, into a community of love and justice. End our wanderings here today. Open our eyes, that we may

recognize your presence among us, and clothe ourselves in your mercy and grace. In Jesus’ name, 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

“Cast Thy Burdens Upon the Lord”

SHUMC Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Jully Laxamana

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 107:1-9, 43

PRESENTATION

*“Affirming Life in the Face of Occupation” Ata Manasra and
(Q&A in the sanctuary after the service). Adel Hroub*

SPECIAL OFFERING:

*Make checks payable to SHUMC and write WFCDP
on the memo line. Thank you.*

****HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“Amazing Grace”

UMH#378

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

UMH#895

INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

Let us give abundantly of what we have been given, that we may meet the needs of neighbors near and far.

OFFERTORY

“His Eye is On the Sparrow”

OFFERING

****DOXOLOGY**

UMH#94

****THANKSGIVING PRAYER**

Jully Laxamana

WE DEPART TO SERVE

****HYMN OF BENEDICTION** *“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”*

UMH#664

****BENEDICTION**

Pastor Rochelle

POSTLUDE

“Holy, Holy, Holy”
Please remain seated until postlude is complete

Flowers:

Bishop: *Rev. Warner Brown* **District Superintendent:** *Rev. Schuyler Rhodes*
Pastor: *Rev. Rochelle Frazier* **Ensemble Director:** *Ed Keller*
Lay Leader: *Jully Laxamana & Wilhelmina Shauf* **Choir Director:** *Exie Granadosin*
Council Chair: *Alde Sarmiento* **Nursery:** *Alison English*
Offering Counters: *Evelyn Russell* *Gloria Morales*
Bob Pepler
Irene Potter



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THANKSGIVING

FOR

DELIVERANCE

FROM

MANY TROUBLES

PSALM 107