



- 15th - Christmas Cantata - 6:00 pm
- 18th - Wednesday Bible Study - 11:00 am
- Wednesday Night Dinner - 5:00 pm
- Bible Study - 5:45 pm
- Choir Practice - 6:30 pm
- 19th - Prayer Meeting - 10:30 am
- 21st - Men's Breakfast - 8:30 am
- Happy Birthday Jesus - 1:00 pm
- 22nd - No Evening Service
- 23rd - Jan. 1 - Office Closed
- 23rd - Rest Home Ministry - 11:00 am



**Ushers**

Sean Kelleher  
Dean Marshall  
John Kopet  
Don Walton

**Greeters**

Chery Hanna  
Barbara Trimble



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**Church Office Hours:** Mon – Thursday  
8:00 am to 1:00 pm - Closed Friday

<i>Pastor</i>	<i>Associate Pastor</i>	<i>Worship Leader</i>
Dr. Tim Hines	Ken Hillard	Shauna Shoptaw-Duncan

*Administrative Assistant*  
Caryl Shaw

In case of an Emergency call  
Pastor Dr. Tim Hines at 276-3688 or  
Assoc. Pastor Ken Hillard at 512-2479

or one of our deacons: Mike Fortner 872-4080,  
Chairman of Deacons Al Thornell 783-1611.

**Bible Study Classes for All Ages**  
Sunday School 9:30 am  
Morning Worship 10:45 am  
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

**Wednesday Morning Bible Study 11:00 a.m.**  
**Wednesday Evening Family Fellowship**  
Meal 5:00 pm ~ Activities 5:45 pm

**Deacon of the Month**

Al Thornell

If for any reason you need to speak with someone, please feel free to call Mr. Al Thornell at 783-1611. Whatever your need may be, we are willing to do what we can to help you meet it. If you need someone to talk with or some other need fulfilled, you are welcome to call.

**What's Happening Today**

**10:45 a.m. Service**  
"The Attitude of Gratitude"

Luke 7:36-50

**6:00 p.m. Service**  
"Christmas Cantata"

**At the End of the Pastor's Message**  
there is a time for you to respond.

You may respond by accepting Jesus into your life. You may want to be baptized. You may ask for prayer. You may want to know how to join our church.

You can receive help either by checking a box on the back of the Yellow Welcome Card and putting it into the offering plate or you may come to the front of the church when the Pastor stands at the front at the end of his message. We are here to help you on your Christian journey.

6 Month Budget Goal for 2013: \$86,675  
Monthly Amount needed for budget: \$14,446  
December monthly amount received as of  
December 8: **\$6,083**

**Ongoing Ministries**

✝ **Driftwood Center** in Hayward is a convalescent home. We visit on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month at 11 AM. Speak with Ken Day for more information.

✝ **Open Door Mission** feeds homeless in Oakland. We meet here at 6:15 PM on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month. **Don't forget we need your cupcakes.**

✝ **Prayer Meeting** meets on Thursday Mornings. Organized prayer will start at 10:30 a.m.

**Announcements**

**Men's Breakfast**  
Saturday, December 21st at 8:30 a.m. Come join us for breakfast at the HomeTown Buffet in Hayward.

**Wednesday Activities**  
December 25th and January 1st we won't be having any activities, so enjoy the holiday time with your family We will resume on January 8th.

**Sunday Evening Services**  
December 22nd and December 29th we won't be having an evening service. We will resume on January 5th.

**Office Closed**  
December 23rd through January 1st the church office will be closed for the holiday's. Have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**Prayer Meeting**  
Thursday, December 26th we won't be meeting. We will resume on January 2nd.

**Lord's Supper**  
Sunday, December 29th we will be having the Lord's Supper during the am worship service.

# Welcome to our Guests

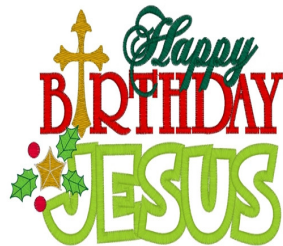
We welcome each of you to our Church. We hope that you are uplifted by the encouraging message, the beautiful music and the wonderful fellowship of our church family.

It's our desire that people grow in their relationship with Christ and find a place to serve Him. If you do not attend a church regularly, we invite you to become a part of what God is doing here. Please fill out a Welcome Card (yellow). This will help us keep in touch with you. We'll try to answer your questions and provide whatever help we can. We will collect the cards during the offering.

As members of the Body of Christ, we find our purpose in:

~ Glorifying God ~  
~ Loving One Another ~  
~ Reaching the World ~

As a Church, we find our purpose in equipping our members to live out this goal.



*Christmas Party, 2013*

*"Happy Birthday Jesus"*

*Saturday, December 21st  
1:00 pm*

"Aren't birthday party's fun? On December 21st at 1:00 pm, we will gather at the church to celebrate the birthday of our Lord. There will be food, fellowship, and sharing of gifts! Please bring a favorite dish along with a gift (valued at \$5 or more) to share with everyone for the gift exchange. Along with the gift exchange we will have games, so put on your birthday/Christmas hat and join the festivities.

# Prayer Requests / Praise

**Bob Belger** – continue to pray for his health

**George & Alden Bocar** – pray for the people in the Philippines, my country mates who suffered and lost their homes, their love ones, and their properties due to typhoon Haiyan

**Heidi Brogan** – pray for my strength to continue on to college; for my daughter and grandchildren; for conflict between me and Tara

**Pete Dal Ferro** - pray for him for healing as he is in Kaiser Post Acute Care `+

**The Glatze Family** – pray for the family for comfort and strength in the loss of Karen

**Justine Hillard** – continue to pray for her health

**Jean Johnson** – pray for the health of Sylvia, Exzetta, Hazel, Alvin, Justine, Dorothy, Lois, Helen and Bea

**Sean & Brenda Kelleher** – please pray for my friend Kathy as she just lost her mom

**Ed Kelton** – continue to pray for his health

**John & Stacie Kopet** - pray for Josh's health

**Ron Poolaw** – continue to pray for Ron and his dad Jack

**PRAY FOR THE PHILIPPINES  
and for the victims of Typhoon Haiyan**



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# Bulletin

**December 15, 2013**

**10:45 AM and 6:00 PM Services**

## TODAY'S MESSAGE

**The Attitude of Gratitude**

**Luke 7:36-50**



**Christmas Cantata Tonight - 6:00 pm  
"Christ Was Born For This"**

This musical tells the reason why Christ was born. He was born to break the curse under which we live and turn them into blessings. As believers, Christ has given us Light, Hope, Salvation and Eternal Life. Come and bring your friends and family to this musical Celebration of Jesus Christ.

Just after the Cantata, please join us in our candlelight procession as we commemorate this Light that came into the world. Refreshments to follow.