

## Welcome to Hayward Wesleyan Church

We are a community of people who are being changed by the love of God. We're down to earth and upbeat. We believe that it's the gospel of Jesus that truly changes people and those people are the ones who bring about change in the world.

**There's a place for you!**

**So that we know you are here today**, we ask EVERYONE to please either check-in using the Church Center phone app or fill out the Connect Card located in the chair seat back (one per family) and hand it to a Host Team Member on your way out.

**If this is your first time here, thank you for coming!** We are grateful to have you! We would love to know who you are and help you get connected to the church body. Please fill out a card found in your seat back pocket and hand it to one of the host team members on your way out today.

### FAITH & FINANCES

#### September 2024:

September General Fund Income: \$47,425  
September General Fund Expenses: \$48,658  
**Monthly income behind expenses by \$1,233**  
*Budgeted Monthly Income Need: \$52,699*

#### YTD—09/01/24—09/30/2024:

YTD Income: \$205,075  
YTD Expenses: \$212,617  
**YTD offerings behind expenses by \$7,541**

*If you would like additional information on weekly financial data please contact the church office.*

**Giving cheerfully is part of our worship.** Your generosity allows us to help more people experience the life-changing impact of belief. You may hand your tithes and offerings to a host team member as you leave today or use the wooden offering receptacles in the foyer.

**We encourage electronic giving!** Visit [www.hwc.church](http://www.hwc.church) and click on "GIVE" or find "GIVE" within our Church Center phone app.

**WIFI available: "HWC Guest network"**  
**Password: wesleyan4613**

#### HWC Church Center Phone App

Stay up to date with events, ongoing small groups, e-giving, registration, directory and more!

- Download the [Church Center](#) app on your phone.
- Select Hayward Wesleyan as your church
- Enter in your phone number or email
- Select your profile (if no profile appears, continue to follow the prompts in the app to get you added)



#### PASTORAL STAFF

**Ben Kidder**, Lead Pastor ([ben@hwc.church](mailto:ben@hwc.church))  
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#### SUPPORT STAFF

**Jillian Stone**, Administrative Assistant ([office@hwc.church](mailto:office@hwc.church))  
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#### SERMON NOTES

#### Today's Songs

Build Your Kingdom Here  
In Christ Alone  
Is He Worthy?  
Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me  
Hope Has a Name

Hayward Wesleyan Church Office  
[office@hwc.church](mailto:office@hwc.church) | (715) 634-4613  
Office Hours: Monday-Friday  
8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



HAYWARD **wesleyan** CHURCH

*Connecting every life to Jesus*



**October 20, 2024**

Worship Services

9:00 & 10:30AM

"Missions Sermon"

Global Partners Missionary

**LIVESTREAM** of services in our

**Fireside Room & Family Cry Room #101**

This Sunday's online worship service for 9:00 & 10:30AM will be a pre-recorded message of Pastor Ben's September 8th sermon to ensure the safety of the missionary sharing today's message.

Previous recordings are available @ [www.hwc.church/messages](http://www.hwc.church/messages)

**Connecting Every Life To Jesus**

## CONNECT WITH A GROUP

The below groups are ongoing and open to the public:



**Encore**—(luncheon for those 65+) 4th Thursday of each month @ 11:30am; Join us for a time of fellowship, music, games and fun! Please bring a dish to pass. *Next Encore:* October 24

**Senior Saints**— Wednesdays @ 1PM in the Library; Currently studying in the book of Daniel.

**Gals in Grace** will meet on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 9AM. The current study is Max Lucado's "Unshakable Hope" (video and study guide)

**Our Inheritance**, an 8 week, ladies Bible verse mapping small group, will begin October 15, on Tuesdays from 7-8:30PM through December 10th. Register on the Church Center App or by calling the Office. Space is limited! Bring your Bible, pens & a notebook.

**Young Adult Bible Study** - for 20-something's (or those soon to hit their 20's) on Tuesdays at 7pm in the Fireside Room

**Northwoods Morning MOMCo**— 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 9-11AM  
*Next meetup: Thursday, November 7th @ 9AM*

**Northwoods Evening MOMCo**— 2nd Friday of each month  
*Next meetup: Friday, November 8 @ 6:30PM*  
*Visit: <https://hwc.church/ministries/northwoodsmomco/>*

**Prayer Group**—Mondays at 10:00AM (Fireside Room)

**Celebrate Recovery**—  
Tuesdays 5:30-7:00PM (Theatre Room); Open to anyone with a hurt, hang-up or habit that is hindering your walk with God. Refreshments will be served.

*Save the Date for Tuesday, October 29, 6PM-8PM. We will have a special guest, Comedian Mickey Bell.*

**AA Group**—Mondays at 7:00PM (Library)

**HWC has several other small groups.** If you are interested in joining one of these groups or starting a group, please talk to the office staff and/or fill out a survey at [hwc.church/groups](http://hwc.church/groups).



## CHILDREN'S & YOUTH MINISTRY

Available at the 9:00 & 10:30 Sunday Worship Services

**NURSERY CARE (ages 0-3)**

Available during the 10:30 Sunday Worship Service

**PRESCHOOL (AGES 3-5, potty-trained) Room 103**  
**KIDS' CHURCH (K-Grade 5) Theatre Room**



**Youth Group (Grades 6-12)**

HWC Youth Group meets Wednesdays from 7pm to 9pm at the church building (doors open at 6:30pm). Youth Group is a great place to hang out with friends, grow in faith, and be a part of fun activities! All students grades 6 to 12 are welcome to attend. Can't wait to see you this Wednesday!

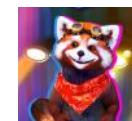
**Middle School Bible Study (6th-8th Grade), Sundays in Rm 110**

Middle school students are invited to a 10 week Bible study in Matthew, through December 15th. Students will meet up with leader, Ben LaBarre, after 10:30AM worship music, during greeting time, to walk down to Room 110 together.



**UMD College Hockey Game, Nov. 22**

High Schoolers are invited to attend a UMD College Hockey Game in Duluth on November 22. Tickets are \$20. Get your ticket soon as space is limited! Meet at 5PM at HWC. Bring money for dinner and dessert.



**HWC Kids** is the series "What's Next"

Ladies and gentlemen, squids of all ages—it's time for a silly new gameshow called "What's Next," hosted by none other than Ricky the Raccoon! During this gameshow, you'll pause throughout the Bible story to ask each team what they think is going to happen next. In the end, only one team will stand victorious! As for the other team, it's time to spin...THE WHEEL OF MISFORTUNE! Throughout the fun and games, kids will learn about the character and nature of God through stories of the patriarchs of the Bible.



**Followers** is an after school ministry for children who are in grades K-5. Followers meets every other Monday after school from 3:30-5:00 P.M. Please register in the Church Center App or by calling the office. Please call the school if your child plans to ride the bus this school year.

**Next Followers: Monday, October 28**

## UPCOMING AT HWC

**Name Tag Sunday, Today** is name tag Sunday! The third Sunday of each month please fill out and wear a name tag so we can get to know each other better as a Body of Christ.

**Connect Luncheon, TODAY, 11:45AM** If you are new to Hayward Wesleyan Church or not connected yet, you are invited to join the HWC Volunteer Connections Pastor, Charlene Pearson, in the Fireside Room to connect over a meal together.



**Nursery Volunteer Meeting & Lunch**

is scheduled for Sunday, October 27 at 12PM in the Fireside Room. We encourage all Nursery volunteers to attend the meeting.

**Trunk or Treat** is October 31st from 4PM-6PM. Trunk or Treat is a family friendly event located in the Community Parking Lot behind Frandsen Bank. To learn more about hosting or sponsoring a trunk visit our website at [www.hwc.church](http://www.hwc.church) or call the HWC office.



## MISSIONS & COMMUNITY



**Good News Mission Café, Sunday, October 27**

In support of upcoming mission trips, we're reviving our fundraising cafes under a new name: Good News Mission Cafe. We'll be sponsoring new mission trips in 2025, starting in January with Pastor Ben Kidder and Matt Godfrey traveling to Uganda to provide theological training to Wesleyan lay pastors. Our first Good News Cafe on October 27 after both services will help with Matt's expenses. If you're willing to donate food items or to help with this Cafe and others, please contact Holly Donato at [hgdonato1@gmail.com](mailto:hgdonato1@gmail.com) or text 612-805-0631.

**Give to those impacted by the hurricanes.**



The Wesleyan Emergency Relief Fund (WERF) has been activated to help our sister churches in the South respond to many urgent needs in the aftermath of the hurricanes. All donations go directly to Wesleyan church districts that are sending people emergency supplies and, in some cases, repairing their own churches. Give online at <https://wes.life/WERF-Helene> or make your check payable to The Wesleyan Church and mail to: WERF, 13300 Olio Road Suite 100, Fishers, IN 46037.