

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.



Hearing Sensitivity Resources: Earplugs and headphones are available, by request, in the Welcome Center for those who may have sensitive hearing or difficulty hearing during service.

FAITH & FINANCES

April 2025:

April General Fund Income: \$50,181

April General Fund Expenses: \$51,272

Monthly income behind expenses by \$1,091

Budgeted Monthly Income Need: \$52,699

YTD—06/01/2024—04/30/2025:

YTD Income: \$608,337

YTD Expenses: \$571,531

YTD offerings exceed expenses by \$36,806

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 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)

Ryan Wilson, Pastor of Worship and Disciple Making (ryan@hwc.church)

Lisa Oetken, Pastor of Families (lisa@hwc.church)

Jonah Beckermann, Interim Director of Youth Ministry (youth@hwc.church)

SUPPORT STAFF

Jillian Stone, Administrative Assistant (office@hwc.church)

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Pam Gerken, Nursery Coordinator (pam@hwc.church)

Jessica Boss, Youth Administrative Assistant (youth@hwc.church)

SERMON NOTES

Today's Songs

Christ Is Enough

The Solid Rock/Amazing Grace/All the Way My Savior Leads Me

Jesus My Everything

Lord I Need You

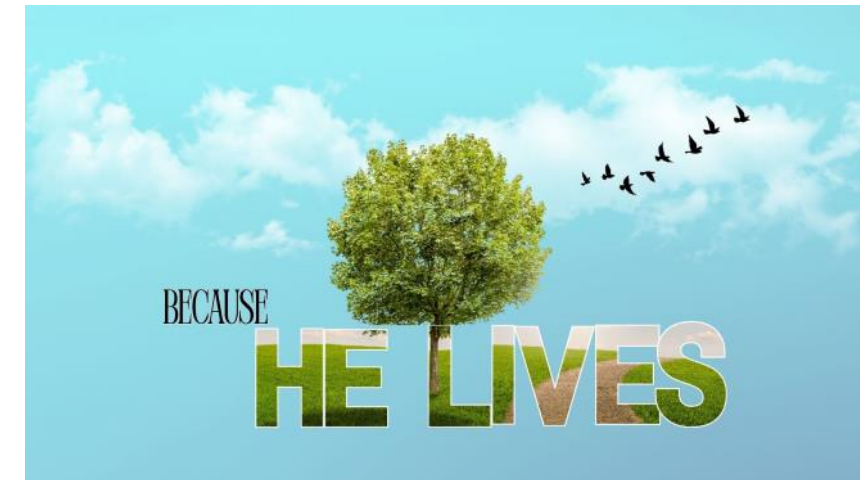
Hayward Wesleyan Church Office
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Office Hours: Monday-Friday
8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.



HAYWARD wesleyan CHURCH

Connecting every life to Jesus



May 25, 2025

Worship Services

9:00 & 10:30AM

"Because He Lives: Death and Dying"

John 11:25-26

Pastor Ben Kidder

LIVESTREAM of services in our

Fireside Room & Family Cry Room #101

Worship service streams online at 9:00 & 10:30AM at
facebook.com/haywardwesleyan OR hwc.church/live

Previous recordings are available @ www.hwc.church/messages

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HAPPENINGS AT HWC



Colson Fellows Affiliate Class, Deepen your faith and develop a confident biblical worldview by joining the Colson Fellows Church Affiliate Program being held at Hayward Wesleyan Church. Starting August 9, 2024, we'll meet monthly through April 2026 to grow in truth, wisdom, and courage. Register by July 15 via the Church Center App or contact Roy Brohaugh at 651-260-1036 or rwb@usfamily.net.

SMALL GROUPS

The below groups are ongoing and open to the public:



Bible Recap – Journey through the whole Bible in a year. Beginning on June 13, Fridays at 6:30AM in the Fireside Room. A Bible Recap Journal is included! Learn more and register on the Church Center App or by contacting Emily, at ecaves1502@gmail.com

Encore—(luncheon for those 65+) 4th Thursday of each month @ 11:30am in the **Fireside Room**; Join us for a time of fun, fellowship, music and games. Bring a dish to pass! **Next Encore: June 26**

Senior Saints is on Wednesdays at 1PM in the Library and will study "Jesus's Farewell Message" taught by Francis Chan.

Women's Health Club – Beginning June 11, Wednesdays at 6AM. Learn to honor God with our whole selves through devotionals, light exercise and health topic chats. Learn more on Facebook, Church Center App. Or by contacting the Office.

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 MOMCo— Visit our Website and Facebook page to stay up-to-date on the 2025-2026 dates and registration!

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

Celebrate Recovery— Tuesdays 5:30-8:00PM in the Theatre Room. Anyone with a hurt, habit or hangup is invited to enjoy a meal at 5:30PM then Celebrate Recovery beginning at 6PM. Contact via email at celebraterecovery@hwc.church

AA Group—Mondays at 7:00PM (Library)

HWC has several other small groups. If you are interested in joining or starting a group, please reach out to Pastor Ryan Wilson, via email at ryan@hwc.church

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

Our final Youth Group for the school

year is May 28th. Pick up a copy of our summer schedule at youth group or email youth@hwc.church to request a copy.



High School Collective will have their final meeting for the school year on Sunday, **June 8**, during the second service, at the Mavis' Family Home.



Thursday, June 12th from 2pm to 10pm! Sign up at youth group, on the Church Center App, or by calling the HWC Office, or email youth@hwc.church. Cost is \$40 and includes entrance fee, transportation, pizza and pop!

Middle School Bible Study will have their final Middle School Bible Study for the school year on Sunday, **June 1**. The study will return this Fall.

HWC Kids is in the series "The Big Build"

Bible Story: God's Story in Our Life

Big Idea: God's story of love and redemption continues today in the lives of His children.

Memory Verse: "See what amazing love the Father has given us! Because of it, we are called children of God." ~1 John 3:1a (NirV)



REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN for VBS "True North"!

Sunday through Thursday, July 20-24 for ages 3 through 5th grade. Learn what it means to *Trust Jesus in a Wild World!*

Volunteer & Kid Registrations are available on the Church Center App!

MISSIONS

Hayward Wesleyan Church supports the following missionaries.

Mary Beth Bagley, MK Wellness Specialist

After growing up as a missionary kid (MK) in southern Africa, God stirred Mary Beth's heart to use her experiences to encourage other MKs in their unique journeys. Since 2018, Mary Beth has been a full-time Wellness Specialist with Wesleyan Global Partners. She equips both MKs and their parents with specialized resources, training, and care. Her support helps MKs thrive through the joys and challenges of growing up cross-culturally. Mary Beth taught MKs in Central Asia from 2015- 2017 before her current role.



The Jesus Film Project



All across the globe, The Jesus Film Project is helping missionaries and local churches bring the Gospel of Jesus to remote people groups in their heart language. To date, the film has been translated into 2,200 languages, and more than 665 million men, women and children have indicated decisions for Christ after a viewing—including whole villages. New churches are being planted daily as a result.

CARE & SUPPORT

"Sometimes I just wish I had someone to talk to—someone who doesn't try to fix me, but simply cares that I'm going through this..."

Does this sound like you? You're not alone.

Stephen Ministers from our congregation are here to listen, to care, and to walk alongside you during difficult times—without trying to fix you. That's exactly what their trained to do. To learn more, reach out to our Referrals Coordinator, Kathy Kephart, at (715) 699-2552.



**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**