

## 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

#### May 2025:

May General Fund Income: \$44,471

May General Fund Expenses: \$54,856

*Monthly income behind expenses by \$10,385*

*Budgeted Monthly Income Need: \$52,699*

#### YTD—06/01/2024—05/31/2025:

YTD Income: \$652,808

YTD Expenses: \$625,417

*YTD offerings exceed expenses by \$27,391*

*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))

**Ryan Wilson**, Pastor of Worship and Disciple Making ([ryan@hwc.church](mailto:ryan@hwc.church))

**Lisa Oetken**, Pastor of Families ([lisa@hwc.church](mailto:lisa@hwc.church))

**Jonah Beckermann**, Interim Director of Youth Ministry ([youth@hwc.church](mailto:youth@hwc.church))

#### SUPPORT STAFF

**Jillian Stone**, Executive Administrator ([office@hwc.church](mailto:office@hwc.church))

**Kari Snider**, Office Assistant ([kari@hwc.church](mailto:kari@hwc.church))

**Linda Waystedt**, Director of Congregational Care ([lindaw@hwc.church](mailto:lindaw@hwc.church))

**Abigail Keller**, Nursery Coordinator ([nursery@hwc.church](mailto:nursery@hwc.church))

**Jessica Boss**, Youth Administrative Assistant ([youth@hwc.church](mailto:youth@hwc.church))

#### SERMON NOTES

#### Today's Songs

A Thousand Hallelujahs  
And Can It Be  
His Glory and My Good  
What A Beautiful 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*



**June 29, 2025**

Worship Services

9:00 & 10:30AM

"The Body of Christ"

Romans 13:8-14

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](https://www.facebook.com/haywardwesleyan) OR [hwc.church/live](https://www.hwc.church/live)

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

**Connecting Every Life To Jesus**

## SMALL GROUPS

The below groups are open to the public:

**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: July 25**

**Senior Saints** is every Wednesday at 1PM, in the HWC Library; Together, Senior Saints walks through various Right Now Media studies to gain a deeper understanding of God's word.



**Women's Health Club** - Wednesdays at 6AM through August 27. Together we will explore what it means to honor God with our whole selves through devotionals, light exercise and spiritual, mental and physical health topic chats. Learn more on Facebook, the Church Center App or by emailing [jillian@hwc.church](mailto:jillian@hwc.church)

**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. Email: [celebraterecovery@hwc.church](mailto: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](mailto:ryan@hwc.church)

## RESOURCES



We've partnered with **RightNow MEDIA**, which gives our church and all of YOU unlimited access to free Christian video resources for adults, small groups, families, kids/teens, and any kind of ministry/discipleship you can think of. All you have to do is set up your account, and you're good to go! Sign up at: [www.hwc.church/rightnowmedia](http://www.hwc.church/rightnowmedia)

## 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

### HWC Kids is in the "Journey Today Show"

**Bible Story:** The Book of Proverbs:

Compassionate Wisdom

**Big Idea:** When we show compassion to the poor and suffering, we show compassion to Jesus.

**Memory Verse:** "Anyone who is kind to poor people lends to the Lord. God will reward him for what he has done."  
~Proverbs 19:17 (NIRV)



**TRUE NORTH**  
Trusting Jesus in a Wild World

**REGISTRATION IS OPEN for VBS "True North"!**  
Sunday through Thursday, July 20-24

Kids ages 3 through 5th grade are invited! **TODAY is the last day to sign up as a volunteer!** Register on the Church Center App or by calling the Office. Together we'll explore what it means to *Trust Jesus in a Wild World!*



We are taking a break from regular Wednesday youth group during the summer. To request a copy of our summer events schedule please email [youth@hwc.church](mailto:youth@hwc.church)

## CARE & SUPPORT



The Stephen Ministry program is now interviewing and taking applications for the fall class starting **September 8th**. Training will be from 6:00 - 8:30 pm on Mondays and Wednesdays. This class will run through November 12th. If you are interested in becoming a **Stephen Minister** or wanting more information about the program please speak to one of the Stephen Leaders or call the church office at (715) 634-4613.

## MISSIONS

Want to learn more about world missions? We recommend these resources:

**Operation World**— Visit [operationworld.org](http://operationworld.org) to read detailed profiles of every nation on earth. This amazing reference equips believers to respond to God's call for his people to pray.



**Joshua Project**— Visit [joshuaproject.net](http://joshuaproject.net) to learn about the 7,248 unreached people groups. Sign up to receive a daily email guiding you in prayer for a specific group.



**The Shack at LCO** (a Christian community center that we support) is looking for help with its Gospel Kidz Club every Saturday from 1-2:30 p.m. If you can help with activities one or more Saturdays, Kristi Huckabee at [Kristi\\_huckabee@yahoo.com](mailto:Kristi_huckabee@yahoo.com). For all the opportunities The Shack offers for ministry with our Native neighbors, visit [theshacklco.com](http://theshacklco.com).



## HAPPENINGS AT HWC

**8AM Service** Throughout the Summer, HWC will continue to offer a traditional 8AM service in the Theatre Room. We're excited to provide an additional opportunity for worship with interactive readings, hymnals, and more.



**Say "Yes!" Wall** New items have been added to the HWC Say "Yes!" Wall— including supplies for VBS and 4th of July games! Be sure to check it out on your way out of service and see how you can help!

**Church Baptisms & Picnic:** Join us on Aug. 24 at 12PM at the Silverthorn Park in Seeley. Bring a chair, dish to pass and your family, as we celebrate what Christ has done! If you're interested in learning more about baptism email [ryan@hwc.church](mailto:ryan@hwc.church)



**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