

# *East Union Lutheran Church*

## ***Weekly Announcements***

**Sunday, December 5th**

**Christmas Eve Worship, December 24**—We are offering 3 services this year to celebrate Jesus' birth at **4pm, 5:30pm and 7pm**. Hope you can spread your families out. If at all possible, come to a later service



**Altar Guild** We are looking for a team to be responsible for changing paraments, communion set-up, filling candles, etc. Sign up on the clipboard at church, talk to Pastor or Carol Kolodejchuk our Music Director.

**Lector Volunteers**—If you would like to volunteer to lector during 2022, please sign up on the clipboard as well.

**Spaghetti Dinner Donations** We are looking ahead to our February 13th event. We'd love your help! If you'd like to make something or have a contact for a silent auction item, Great!

**Thank you** to our fabulous decorating team for getting our church—and us—ready for the holiday.

**Calendar Updates** Please notify the office when your committee has a meeting or hosts a special event as soon as you know the dates. We will update our communications to help get the word out early.



**Towel Ministry** We continue to collect towels as the needs are great. Thank you for your donations. Ann Decker leads this ministry  
deckerag@gmail.com

### **God Invites Our Generosity**

11/28/21 Offering: \$865

Attendance: 50

## **Advent II**

December 5, 2021 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



***East Union Lutheran Church***  
*Carver, Minnesota*

Gathering

Prelude		
Ringling of the Bell		
Welcome		
Gathering Hymn	“Prepare the Royal Highway”	#264
Kyrie		page 147
This is the Feast		page 149

Prayer of the Day—Let us pray together:

Stir up our hearts, Lord God, to prepare the way of your only Son. By his coming give to all the people of the world knowledge of your salvation; through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Word

Kid’s Sermon		
Advent Wreath Song	“O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” vs. 3 & 4	#257
3.	O come, O come, O Lord of might, as to your tribes on Sinai's height in ancient times you gave the law in cloud, and majesty, and awe. <i>Refrain</i>	
	<i>Refrain:</i> Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.	
4.	O come, O Branch of Jesse, free your own from Satan's tyranny; from depths of hell your people save, and give them vict'ry o'er the grave. <i>Refrain</i>	

Reading: Philippians 1:3-11

Gospel Acclamation	page 151
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The Holy Gospel Luke 3:1-6

Sermon	Pastor Sarah Bunge
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Hymn of the Day	“On Jordan’s Bank the Baptist’s Cry”	#249
Prayers of the People		
Offering		
Offertory Song	“We Give Thee but Thine Own”	#686

We give thee but thine own, whate’er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

Meal

The Great Thanksgiving		page 152
Holy, Holy, Holy		page 153
The Lord’s Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven...	page 154
Communion Hymns	“Comfort, Comfort Now My People”	#256
	“Around You, O Lord Jesus”	#468

Sending

Blessing		
Sending Hymn	“Hark, the Glad Sound!”	#239
Dismissal	Go in peace. Christ is near.	
	Thanks be to God!	

Please hold in prayer this week

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