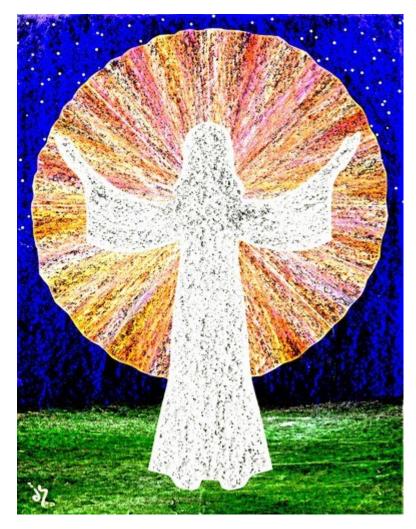
Please hold in prayer this week Lori Storms Peg Scott						
Boyd Lundquist		Peg Scott Wendy				
Sandy Schmidt		Charlotte Sandeen				
Worship Leade	rs for February 11	Worshin Leade	rs for February 18			
Preacher	Bryant Bakkum	Preacher	Bryant Bakkum			
Musicians	Barb Steers & Jim Wirtz	Organist	Barb Steers			
Acolyte	Gracelynn Heggestad	Acolyte Lector	Valo Doldaum			
Lector	Ann Decker		Kyle Bakkum Jamie & Lori Scott			
Run A/V	Josh Bugbee	Run A/V	Jamie & Lori Scott			
Ushers	Mark & Brenda	Ushers				
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Transfiguration of Our Lord

February 11, 2024 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



East Union Lutheran Church

Carver, Minnesota

Gathering

Welcome Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, + one God, creator of darkness and light, word of truth, wind sweeping over the waters. **Amen.** Let us confess our sin in the presence of God and of one another. *Silence is kept for reflection*.

God, our rock and refuge, **we pour out our hearts before you. We have known you but have not always loved you. We have wounded one another and sinned against you. We have not always recognized the Holy Spirit dwelling in each of us. Remember your covenant. Renew your creation. Restore us, that we might proclaim your good news to all. Amen.**

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters. God has spoken: The time of grace is now. In Jesus, the reign of God has come near. By the authority of + Jesus Christ, your sins are forgiven. You are God's beloved. **Amen.**

Gathering Hymn	"Thy Strong Word" vs. 1, 3 & 5	#511
Greeting		
Kyrie		page 138
Glory to God		page 139
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Prayer of the Day—Let us pray together:

Almighty God, the resplendent light of your truth shines from the mountaintop into our hearts. Transfigure us by your beloved Son, and illumine the world with your image, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Kid's Sermon

Special Music

Word

"In Christ Alone"

Choir

First Reading: 2 Kings 2:1-12

Today's reading centers on the transfer of power and authority from the prophet Elijah to Elisha. Their travels, which retrace the path of Joshua back to Moab (the place where Moses died) and the parting of the waters, demonstrate that Elisha and Elijah are legitimate successors of the great prophet Moses.

Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:3-6

The spotlight of Christian ministry is not on the people who carry out ministry but on the Lord Jesus Christ. Just as God made light shine at creation, God makes the light of Jesus Christ shine in our lives through Christian ministry.

Gospel Acclamation

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The Holy Gospel Mark 9:2-9

Mark's gospel presents the transfiguration as a preview of what would become apparent to Jesus' followers after he rose from the dead. Confused disciples are given a vision of God's glory manifest in the beloved Son.

Sermon	Pastor Bryant Bakkum		
Hymn of the Day	"How Good, Lord, to Be Here!"	#315	
Apostles' Creed		page 105	
Sharing of the Peace			
Offering			
Offertory Song	"We Are an Offering"	#692	
Lord, use our voices, Lord, u an offering. All that we hav we give to you. We lift our	ur hands, we lift our lives up to you use our hands, Lord, use our lives, t ve, all that we are, all that we hope voices, we lift our hands, we lift ou an offering, we are an offering.	hey are yours: we are to be, we give to you,	
Offering Prayer-Let us pr	ay together:		
	oly One, for all good things con open heaven to us. Meet us at t		

bread and cup you open heaven to us. Meet us at this table, that we receive what we seek and follow your Son, Jesus, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Prayers of the People	Lord, in your mercy. Hear our prayer.	
The Lord's Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven	page 145

Sending

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Sending Hyn	nn	"Shine, Jesus, Shine	e"	#671
Dismissal	Go in peace.	You are God's beloved.	Thanks be to God!	