

**Sending**

**Benediction**  
**Sending Hymn**     “Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”     #843  
**Dismissal**     Go in peace. You are God’s beloved. **Thanks be to God!**

Please hold in prayer this week	
Lori Storms	Peg Scott
Boyd Lundquist	Wendy
Sandy Schmidt	Charlotte Sandeen

Worship Leaders for February 4		Worship Leaders for February 11	
<b>Preacher</b>	Bryant Bakkum	<b>Preacher</b>	Bryant Bakkum
<b>Organist</b>	Barb Steers	<b>Musicians</b>	Barb Steers & Jim Wirtz
<b>Acolyte</b>	Aidan Primmer	<b>Acolyte</b>	Gracelynn Heggstad
<b>Lector</b>	Josh Bugbee	<b>Lector</b>	Ann Decker
<b>Run A/V</b>	Jason Wieland	<b>Run A/V</b>	Josh Bugbee
<b>Ushers</b>	LuAnn Haas & Tom Petersen	<b>Ushers</b>	
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dave & Jan Lundquist	<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dave & Jan Lundquist
<b>Altar Flowers</b>	Merlin Loge (In Memory of Marilyn)	<b>Altar Flowers</b>	Cheryl Hubbard & Merlin Loge
<b>Fellowship</b>	Toby N, Sandy M & Stephanie C	<b>Fellowship</b>	

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 1/28/24 Offering: \$1,785

**Epiphany**

February 4, 2024 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



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

# Welcome Confession & Forgiveness

**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.**

**Gathering Hymn**      “We Come to You for Healing, Lord”      **#617**

**This Is the Feast** **page 140**

**Everlasting God, you give strength to the weak and power to the faint. Make us agents of your healing and wholeness, that your good news may be made known to the ends of your creation, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## Kid's Sermon

## First Reading: Isaiah 40:21-31

## Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 9:16-23

**Gospel Acclamation** **page 142**

## The Holy Gospel Mark 1:29-39

**Sermon** **Pastor Bryant Bakum**

**Hymn of the Day**                      “Creating God, Your Fingers Trace”                      **#684**

**Prayers of the People**    Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

## Sharing of the Peace

## Offering

**Offertory Song**                      “We Are an Offering”                      **#692**

*We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our lives, they are yours: we are an offering. All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you. We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering, we are an offering.*

**Offering Prayer**—Let us pray together:

**Blessed are you, Holy One, for all good things come from you. In 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.**

**The Great Thanksgiving** **page 144**

**Holy, Holy, Holy** **page 144**

## Words of Institution

**The Lord's Prayer**      Our Father, who art in heaven...      **page 145**

**Communion Hymn**                      “Lamb of God”                      **page 146**

**Prayer after Communion**—Let us pray together:

**Giver of every gift, Christ's body is our food, and we are Christ's body. Raise us to life by your power for the benefit of all and to your glory, now and forever. Amen.**