

East Union Lutheran Church **Weekly Announcements** Sunday, January 2nd

Being brought to Christ through Holy Baptism today is Ava Rose Metso, child of Donald & Angela Metso. Welcome to God's family!

DATE CHANGE: Annual Congregational Meeting, February 6th—Join your church community for our annual meeting after Worship.



Annual Reports—If you are a committee lead, please submit your article for this year's official report. We want to make sure that this year's report is an accurate reflection of our ministry year.

Council Members—Your church council will have 2 open positions at our meeting in February. If you have interest in serving in this way, please talk to President Paul Lundquist or Pastor.

Supporting your church—Your offering envelopes for 2022 are in the Parish Hall for you to pick up. Did you know we also offer an online giving option. Find out more at this link or on our website.
<http://www.eulc.org/Giving>



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!



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

12/26/21 Offering: \$3,780, Christmas Offering: \$1,468

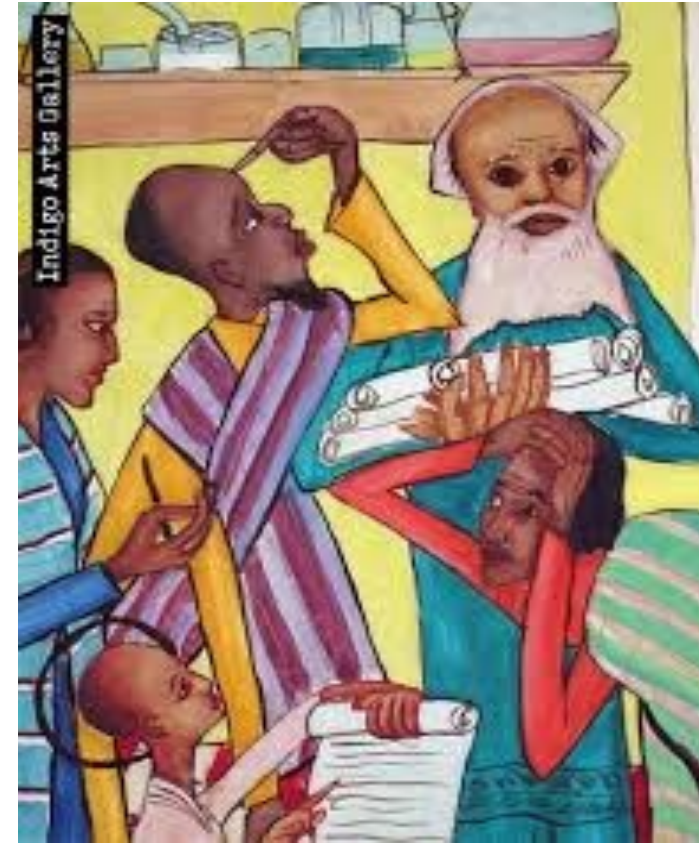
Attendance: 19

Offering YTD: \$133,363

Offering Budget 2021: \$160,000, Deficit to Date: \$26,637

Christmas

January 2, 2022 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



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Carver, Minnesota

Gathering

Prelude

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome

Gathering Hymn “O Come, All Ye Faithful”

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Kyrie

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This is the Feast

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Prayer of the Day—Let us pray together:

Shine into our hearts the light of your wisdom, O God, and open our minds to the knowledge of your word, that in all things we may think and act according to your good will and may live continually in the light of your Son, Jesus Christ, Amen.

Word

Kid’s Sermon

Reading: Colossians 3:12-17

Gospel Acclamation

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The Holy Gospel Luke 2:41-52

Sermon

Pastor Sarah Bunge

Hymn of the Day “Cold December Flies Away”

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Prayers of the People

Offering

Offertory Song “What Child Is This” **#296**

What child is this, who, laid to rest, on Mary’s lap is sleeping? Whom angels greet with anthems sweet while shepherds watch are keeping? This, this is Christ the king, whom shepherds guard and angels sing; haste, haste to bring him laud, the babe, the son of Mary!

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 “Let Our Gladness Have No End” **#291**

“Your Little Ones, Dear Lord” **#286**

Sending

Blessing

Sending Hymn “This Little Light of Mine” **#677**

Dismissal Go in peace. Rejoice in Christ our Savior.

Thanks be to God!