

Pentecost

June 28, 2026 • 9:00 a.m. Worship

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| Please hold in prayer this week | |
| Daniel Berg | Mabel Hughes |
| Wendy | Koreen Larson |
| Carol Bastianello | Charles Massey |
| Bob & Jean Edlund | Beth Martin |

| Worship Leaders for June 28 | | Worship Leaders for July 5 | |
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| Preacher | Bryant Bakkum | Preacher | Bryant Bakkum |
| Organist | Barb Steers | Organist | Barb Steers |
| Lector | Sarah Brendel | Lector | Tami Johnson |
| Run A/V | Jason Wieland | Run A/V | Jamie & Lori |
| Ushers | Mike & Kathy Coleman | Ushers | Larry Goetze & Doug Hillstrom |
| Altar Guild | Ann & Gordon Decker | Altar Guild | Jon & Patty Johnson |
| Altar Flowers | Mike & Kathy Coleman | Altar Flowers | Ann & Gordon Decker |
| Fellowship | Grimms & Steens | Fellowship | Sandy M, Stephanie, Larry |

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6/21/26 Offering (envelopes & online giving): \$3,495
Attendance: 74

East Union Lutheran Church
Carver, Minnesota

Gathering

Welcome

Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, whose compassion endures forever. **Amen.**
Let us confess our sin to God. *Silence is kept for reflection.*

Compassionate God, **we confess to you all our sins. Our burden is heavy, and we cannot free ourselves. In your mercy, call us back to you. Your yoke is easy and your burden is light. Restore us to dwell in your peace. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.**

Jesus says, "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." In the name of God, Father, † Son, and Holy Spirit, your sins are forgiven. Rest in God's love. **Amen.**

Gathering Hymn

"All Are Welcome"

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Kyrie & Glory to God

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Prayer of the Day

O God, you direct our lives by your grace, and your words of justice and mercy reshape the world. Mold us into a people who welcome your word and serve one another, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Word

Kid's Sermon

Special Music

"10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)"

Barb & Todd

First Reading: Jeremiah 28:5-9

Through a symbolic action Jeremiah insisted that Judah and all the surrounding nations should submit to the king of Babylon (Jer. 27). Hananiah contradicted the word of Jeremiah, who in reply insisted that Hananiah's rosy prediction should not be believed until it came true. God confirmed the word of Jeremiah and sentenced the false prophet Hananiah to death (vv. 16-17).

Psalm 89

Your love, O Lord, forever will I sing; from age to age my mouth will proclaim your faithfulness.

For I am persuaded that your steadfast love is established forever; you have set your faithfulness firmly in the heavens.

"I have made a covenant with my chosen one; I have sworn an oath to David my servant:

'I will establish your line forever, and preserve your throne for all generations.'"

Happy are the people who know the festal shout! They walk, O Lord, in the light of your presence.

They rejoice daily in your name; they are jubilant in your righteousness.

Second Reading: Romans 6:12-23

Sin is an enslaving power which motivates us to live self-serving, disobedient lives. Sin's final payoff is death. We, however, have been set free from sin's slavery to live obediently under God's grace, whose end is the free gift of eternal life.

Gospel Acclamation "Alleluia. Lord, to whom shall we go?"

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The Holy Gospel Matthew 10:40-42

When Jesus sends his disciples out as missionaries, he warns them of persecution and hardships they will face. He also promises to reward any who aid his followers and support their ministry.

Sermon

Pastor Bryant Bakkum

Hymn of the Day "Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life", vs 1, 3, 5 & 6 #719

Apostles' Creed

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Sharing of the Peace

Offering

Offertory Song

"We Are an Offering"

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Offering Prayer—Let us pray together:

God of glory, great are your wonders among us and many are the blessings you bestow. Use us and these your gifts for the needs of the world, that all the ends of the earth may rejoice in your saving grace, through Christ our Savior. Amen.

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

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven...

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Sending

Benediction

Sending Hymn

"Lord, Speak to Us, That We May Speak"

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Dismissal

Heaven has come near. Go, share the good news!

Thanks be to God.