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Darcy Akerberg's Office Hours

Mon. & Thurs. 9am to 2pm

<u>Worship Leaders</u>	<u>Today</u>	<u>Next Sunday</u>
Organist	Barb Steers	Barb Steers
Preacher	Pastor Sarah Bunge	Pastor Sarah Bunge
Acolyte	Landon Leistiko	Brianna Berg
Lector	Adam Holder— Romans 5:1-11	Ephesians 5:8-14
Altar Setup	Rita Lundquist	
Bread Baker	Rita Lundquist	
Communion Svr	Dave Lundquist	
Altar Flowers		
Ushers	Trimbo Family	Berg Family
Coffee Servers	Barb Steers	
Dish Washers		

Please hold in prayer this week

Kennedie Haas	Lars Akerberg
Ruth Steen	Jade Hallin, Military Service
Lois Scott	Family of Karen Young
Marvin Grimm	

God Invites Generosity

March 8, 2020 Offering:
Attendance: 70

Tithe.ly Online Giving-<https://get.tithe.ly>

Lent

March 15, 2020 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



East Union Lutheran Church

Carver, Minnesota

<i>Gathering</i> <i>The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.</i>		
Prelude		
Ringing of the Bell		
Welcome & Announcements		
Gathering Hymn	“Give Me Jesus”	#770
Greeting		
Prayer of the Day —Let us pray together: Merciful God, the fountain of living water, you quench our thirst and wash away our sin. Give us this water always. Bring us to drink from the well that flows with the beauty of your truth through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.		
<i>Water</i> <i>God welcomes us all through Holy Baptism</i>		
The Sacrament of Holy Baptism	Willow Grace Abraham	page 227
Kids’ Sermon		
<i>Word</i> <i>God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.</i>		
Reading: Romans 5:1-11		
The Holy Gospel: John 4:5-42		
Sermon	Pastor Sarah Bunge	

Hymn of the Day	“I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say”	#332
Prayers of the PeopleHear us, O God. Your mercy is great.	
Offering		
Offertory Song	<i>Jesus, remember me</i> <i>When you come into your kingdom.</i> <i>Jesus, remember me</i> <i>When you come into your kingdom. (x2)</i>	#616
<i>Meal</i>		
<i>God feeds us with the presence of Jesus Christ</i>		
Words of Institution		
The Lord’s Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven...	page 154
Communion Hymns	“Come with Us, O Blessed Jesus”	#501
	“For the Bread Which You Have Broken”	#494
	“Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence”	#490
<i>Sending</i>		
<i>God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world</i>		
Blessing		
Sending Hymn	“Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”	#843
Dismissal	Go in peace. Share the good news.	
Thanks be to God!		

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Weekly Announcements

Sunday, March 15th

Easter Flower Order Form

Orders due by Sunday, March 22 (no later)

Flowers are available for you to purchase for the East Union Easter Sunday altar. If you wish to give in honor or memory of someone, please fill in the information below. Place form, along with your payment, in the offering plate or turn it in to the parish office. You may take home your flowers following the 9:00 a.m. Easter service.

FLOWER/PLANT	QTY	COST	TOTAL
Easter Lily		\$15.00 ea.	\$
Tulips		\$10.00 ea.	\$
Cyclamen		\$13.00 ea.	\$
Daffodil		\$10.00 ea.	\$
Begonia		\$15.00 ea.	\$
Mum		\$13.50 ea.	\$
Hydrangea		\$28.00 ea.	\$
TOTAL COST			\$

In Honor of: _____

and/or

In Memory of: _____

** If ordering multiples, please note if specific flower types should correspond to a specific honor or memory. Thank you.*

Given by: _____

Welcome! Please help extend the gracious East Union welcome. We love having visitors join in worship. All are welcome here, in God's House! Make yourself at home and we hope you enjoy it here.

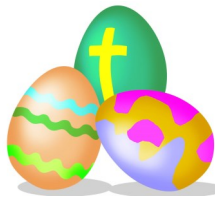
Being brought to Christ through Holy Baptism today is Willow Grace Abraham, child of Jesse & Caroline Abraham. Sponsors are Lauren Johnson and Jed Ylitalo. Welcome to God's family!

Volunteers Needed—Please check the bulletin board and sign-up for a way to help with worship.

Lent 2020 Wednesday Worship--Our theme is God's Story; Our Story. Each week we'll learn one of the most important stories of the Bible. Then, we'll figure out what that story has to do with us and how we live. You will leave each week with practical to-do's, you will get to share about your faith and life & you'll learn and grow with your church family. Best of all, this will all happen during our shared meal. Yep, that's right, Dinner Church! Please sign up on the bulletin board if you would like to help host a meal.



Wednesdays 18, 25 & April 1 will all be the Dinner Church format. This Wednesday—Queen Esther. Come at noon, or come at 6pm, whichever works best for you. We'll eat, learn, discuss, pray & grow all right in our Parish Center. I hope you'll join in the fun & growth, Pastor



Egg Hunt Donations—The Youth & Ed Committee is looking for candy and small prizes (small enough to fit into an Easter egg) for our Annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 5th. Please have donations to the Parish Center by Sunday, March 29th. Thank you!

Thank you—With the generous donation towards the Spaghetti Dinner from By the Yard, we made over \$5,000! Thank you again to everyone, this year was a huge success.

This Week's Events!

Congregation Council Meeting, March 17—The Congregation Council will meet in the Parish Center Library at 6:00pm.

Lent Worship, March 18—Worship & Meal will be in the Parish Center at Noon & 6pm.

Chime Rehearsal, March 18 —Rehearsal will be in the Sanctuary at 7pm.

Next Sunday, March 22—8:00am Chime Rehearsal

9:00am Worship with Fellowship to follow

10:00am Education Classes

Save the date...

Quilting Group, March 23 from 1-4pm in the Parish Center.

Lent Worship, March 25—Worship & Meal will be in the Parish Center at Noon & 6pm.



Palm Sunday, April 5
After 9am worship
All are welcome, bring your baskets!

Youth & Education Committee Meeting, April 7— Meets on Tuesday at 6:30pm in the Parish Center Library. Come and join this fun team!

Choir Rehearsal, April 8 & April 12 —Rehearsal will be in the Sanctuary at 7pm on 4/8 and 8am on 4/12.

Maundy Thursday Worship, April 9—Worship will be at 7pm in the Sanctuary.

Good Friday Worship, April 10—Worship will be at 7pm in the Sanctuary.



Easter Worship, April 12—Services will be held at 7 & 9am!

Chime Rehearsal, April 15—Rehearsal will be in the Sanctuary at 7pm.

Jeans & Gems, April 17—The Southern Valley Alliance for Battered Women is hosting their 21st Annual event on Friday, April 17th starting at 6pm at Mystic Lake Center. Tickets are \$75/person, register online at www.svabw.org by April 5th.