

# *East Union Lutheran Church* ***Weekly Announcements*** Sunday, March 20th



Services continue each Wednesday throughout Lent at 7pm. Dinner is offered beforehand at 6pm. March 23rd, 30th & April 6th are here. Please help us host!

**April Newsletter**—The church office is working on the April newsletter. If you or your committee have a contribution email it to [eastunionlc@gmail.com](mailto:eastunionlc@gmail.com) by Tuesday at noon.

**Church Family Get Together**—Join us on March 26th from 10am-12pm for a day to get together to play games or put a puzzle together with church family friends. There will be popcorn and beverages served. All are welcome, bring a friend!

**Plant Sale**—Our Annual Plant Sale is Saturday, May 7th from 8am-noon!! We are looking for handmade donations (bird houses/ feeders, old wooden boxes, anything we can make into a planter). We will also be having a bake sale! We are looking for ALL homemade only items and canning items you would be willing to donate! We will have a coffee truck available along with hundreds of hanging baskets and more!



**Please hold in prayer this week**

Brad Gulden  
Daniel Berg  
Erica Bratland

Pastor Tom & Andra Stutelberg  
Todd Maxwell  
Jerry Wallace

**God Invites Our Generosity**

3/2/22—3/13/22 Offering: \$5,869  
Attendance: 61, Live Stream: 29

## **Lent**

March 20, 2022 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



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

Gathering

Prelude		
Ringing of the Bell		
Welcome		
Confession & Forgiveness		
In the name of God, who makes a way in the wilderness, walks with us, and guides us in our pilgrimage. <b>Amen.</b> <i>Silence is kept for reflection.</i>		
Holy One, <b>we confess that we have wandered far from you: we have not trusted your promises, we have ignored your prophets in our own day, we have squandered our inheritance of grace, we have failed to recognize you in our midst. Have mercy on us! Forgive us and turn us again to you. Teach us to follow in your ways, assure us again of your love, and help us to love our neighbor. Amen.</b>		
Beloved in Christ, the Word draws near to you, and all who call out to God shall be saved. In Jesus, God comes to you again and again and gathers you under wings of love. In ☩ Jesus’ name, your sins are forgiven. God journeys with you and teaches you how to live in love. <b>Amen.</b>		
Gathering Hymn	“Lamb of God”	#336
Kyrie		page 147
Prayer of the Day—Let us pray together:		
Eternal God, your kingdom has broken into our troubled world through the life, death, and resurrection of your Son. Help us to hear your word and obey it, and bring your saving love to fruition in our lives, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.		
Special Music	Grace & Luther Bunge	
Kids’ Sermon	Word	
Reading: Isaiah 55:1-9		

Word

Gospel Acclamation	“Return to the Lord”	page 151
Return to the Lord, your God, for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love.		

The Holy Gospel Luke 13:1-9

Sermon	Pastor Sarah Bunge	
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Hymn of the Day	“Jesus Is a Rock in a Weary Land”	#333
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Prayers of the People

Offering

Offertory Song	“We Give Thee but Thine Own”	#686
We give thee but thine own, whate’er the gift may be; all that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.		

Meal

The Great Thanksgiving		page 152
Holy, Holy, Holy		page 153
The Lord’s Prayer	Our Father, who art in heaven...	page 154
Communion Hymn	“In the Cross of Christ I Glory”	#324

Sending

Blessing		
Sending Hymn	“Restore in Us, O God”	#328
Dismissal	Go in peace. Jesus meets you on the way.	
	Thanks be to God!	