



# AN EAST UNION EPISTLE

## CHURCH UPDATES

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**A/V Upgrade** We have been slowly—yet steadily—making our way to our goal. After last week's announcement, we received an additional \$3,500! Thanks to all who contributed to this Audio-Visual Fund.

**New Exec Team** Now leading your Church Council is President Paul Lundquist, Vice President Alyssa Leistiko, and Secretary Jason Wieland. Continuing their service and terms are Jane Matthesen and Jeri Bowers. And new to the Council are Gordon Decker, Breann Stolz, Tom Simonson, and Tom Strobel. Our church is blest!

Our brother in Christ **Rich Hurlig** died on Feb 19<sup>th</sup> at the age of 83. He had been living in a care facility in Excelsior for the last year. A graveside service will be held here in the Spring.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

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### Wednesday Lenten Worship, March 3<sup>rd</sup>

Noon Drive-in FM Radio Worship in our parking lot  
6pm Facebook Worship

**Worship This Sunday, March 7<sup>th</sup>** join us in the church parking lot for FM transmission on 92.7 or, at from home through Facebook.

Your **Church Council** will meet on Tuesday, March 9<sup>th</sup>

### Wednesday Lenten Worship, March 10<sup>th</sup>

Noon Drive-in FM Radio Worship **at West Union**  
6pm Facebook Worship

## CHURCH REQUESTS

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**Special Music** Do you play an instrument or like to sing? We could use your gifts from God in our worship service. Contact Pastor if you would like to provide special music live, on a Sunday, or even record yourself from home.

**Church Beautification** As we look toward re-opening our buildings, some folks have offered their time and talents to help with some clean-up projects. If you would like to help with something contact Pastor.

**Vaccination Assistance** We rejoice to learn of your vaccinations! If you are having trouble accessing an appointment, feel free to contact the Church Office or Pastor directly, and we will work to secure an appointment and even a ride there.

**In-Person Worship** As the COVID-19 numbers in our County have become more reasonable, your Church Council plans to begin to allow folks to worship inside. We will utilize a reservation system on a first come, first served basis. As we look toward Holy Week (with Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday!) we are hopeful the weather will cooperate and we can have large festive outdoor gatherings.

## IN OUR PRAYERS

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Continued healing for **Pastor Tom Stutelberg, Kennedie Haas, Carol Kolodejchuk, Taylor Breimhorst, and Tom Steers.**

For all our members that live in Care Facilities: **Peter Sterbonic** (Carver); **Bev Anderson** (Auburn Manor, Chaska); **Vangie Stai** (Waconia); and at the Lutheran Home in Belle Plaine--**Marilyn Loge, Don Atkins, Duane Lenzen, and Curt & Esther Lundquist.**

If you have a prayer concern or personal need – please contact Pastor Sarah at anytime.

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