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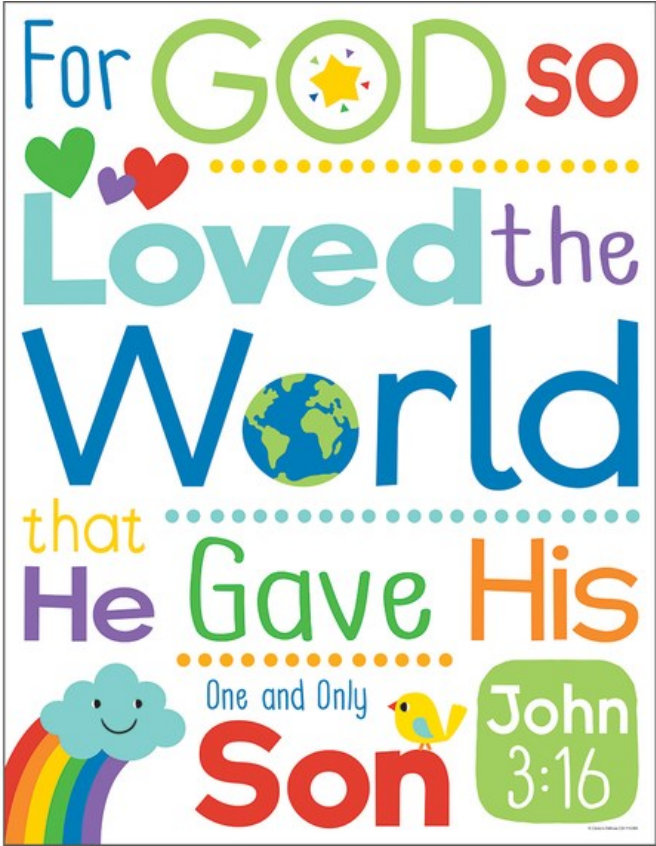
Worship Leaders	Today	Next Sunday
Organist	Barb Steers	Barb Steers
Preacher	Pastor Sarah Bunge	Pastor Sarah Bunge
Acolyte	Sean Haas	Landon Leistiko
Lector	Marlee Wirtz— Romans 4:1-5, 13-17	Adam Holder— Romans 5:1-11
Altar Setup		Rita Lundquist
Bread Baker		Rita Lundquist
Communion Svr		Dave Lundquist
Altar Flowers	Trimbos	
Ushers	Haas Family & Dan & Abby Person	Trimbo Family
Coffee Servers	Duwaine & Rita	Barb Steers
Dish Washers	Mik Gusenius	

God Invites Our Generosity
March 1, 2020 Offering:
Attendance: 95

Church Door Goal—\$9,600.00
YTD = \$10,465.00

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

Lent
March 8, 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		
Ringling of the Bell		
Welcome		
Gathering Hymn	“Lift High the Cross”	#660
Greeting		
Prayer of the Day —Let us pray together:		
O God, our leader and guide, in the waters of baptism you bring us to new birth to live as your children. Strengthen our faith in your promises, that by your spirit we may lift up your life to all the world through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.		

<i>Word</i> <i>God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.</i>		
Kids’ Sermon		
Reading: Romans 4:1-5, 13-17		
Special Music	“There is a Green Hill Far Away”	Choir
The Holy Gospel: John 3:1-17		
Sermon		Pastor Sarah Bunge

Hymn of the Day	“God Loved the World”	#323
Apostles’ Creed		page 105
Offering		
Offertory Song	<i>Jesus, remember me When you come into your kingdom. Jesus, remember me When you come into your kingdom.</i>	#616
Prayers		
The Lord’s Prayer	Our Father in heaven...	page 154
<i>Sending</i> <i>God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world</i>		
Blessing		
Sending Hymn	“In the Cross of Christ I Glory”	#324
Dismissal	Go in peace. Share the good news.	
	Thanks be to God!	
Please hold in prayer this week		
Kennedie Haas	Marvin Grimm	
Marilyn Loge	Lars Akerberg	
Curt Lundquist	Dave Hellriegel	
Ruth Steen	Jade Hallin, Military Service	
Lois Scott	Peter Sterbonic	
Kay Wieland		

East Union Lutheran Church
Weekly Announcements
Sunday, March 8th

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		\$

Clip ➡ board Today you will not have a clipboard passing by your pew. Instead, your church leadership kindly invites you to check out the bulletin board at the Church's entrance. You will find ways to help with worship and writing utensils there. Your attention will help make this transition smooth. Your Church Council is mindful of everyone's desire to focus on worship and engage meaningfully.

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.

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and/or

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

Given by: _____

Wednesdays March 11, 18, 25 & April 1 will all be the Dinner Church format. 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

Thank you—I would like to express my sincere gratitude for the outpouring of prayers, encouraging words, gifts, cards and visits these past weeks. It is so wonderful to have such a loving church family and community. Many blessings, Ruth Steen



This Week's Events!

Quilting Group, March 9 from 1-4pm in the Parish Center.

Lent Worship, March 11—Worship & Meal will be in the Parish Center at Noon & 6pm.

Feed My Starving Children, March 11—This event has been cancelled.

Chime Rehearsal, March 11—Rehearsal will be in the Sanctuary at 7pm.

Next Sunday, March 15—9:00am Worship with Fellowship to follow
10:00am Education Classes

Save the date...

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 & March 22—Rehearsal will be in the Sanctuary at 7pm on 3/18 and 8am on 3/22.



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

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!

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 at www.svabw.org by April 5th.