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Tues. 2-8 pm, Wed. & Thurs. 10am to 3pm

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Mon. & Thurs. 9am to 2:30pm

**Worship Leaders Today**

<b>Ministers</b>	All the baptized!
<b>Organist</b>	Barb Steers
<b>Preacher</b>	Pastor Sarah Bunge
<b>Acolyte</b>	Alex Haas
<b>Lector</b>	Rita Lundquist—Acts 1:1-11
<b>Ushers</b>	Haas Family
<b>Coffee Servers</b>	Kitty Seck & Gary Lokken
<b>Dish Washers</b>	Joan Abraham & Jamie Abraham

**Worship Leaders for Next Sunday, May 20**

<b>Ministers</b>	All the baptized!
<b>Organist</b>	Barb Steers
<b>Preacher</b>	Pastor Sarah Bunge
<b>Acolyte</b>	Riley Haas
<b>Lector</b>	Carol Kolodejchuk—Acts 2:1-21; Romans 8:22-27
<b>Altar Setup</b>	Olav & Ruth Steen
<b>Communion Svr</b>	Tom Steers
<b>Ushers</b>	Larry Goetze & Bonnie Wigfield
<b>Coffee Servers</b>	Mik & Heidi Gusenius
<b>Dish Washers</b>	Sandy McGraw & Stephanie Cardinal

**Ascension of Our Lord**

May 13, 2018 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



***East Union Lutheran Church***

*Carver, Minnesota*

<b><i>Gathering</i></b> <i>The Holy Spirit calls us together as the people of God.</i>		
<b>Ringling of the Bell</b>		
<b>Call to Worship</b>		
<i>(Please hold your applause as we begin our worship with music)</i>		
<b>Welcome</b>		
<b>Welcome One Another</b>		
<b>Gathering Song</b>	“For the Beauty of the Earth”	<b>#879</b>
<b>Greeting &amp; Hymn of Praise</b>		<b>page 148</b>
<b>Prayer of the Day</b> —Let us pray together:  <b>Almighty God, your only Son was taken into the heavens and in your presence intercedes for us. Receive us and our prayers for all the world, and in the end bring everything into your glory, through Jesus Christ, our Sovereign and Lord. Amen.</b>		

<b><i>Word</i></b> <i>God speaks to us in scripture reading, preaching, and song.</i>
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**First Reading: Acts 1:1-11**

**Kids’ Sermon**

<b>Gospel Acclamation</b>	“Halle, Halle, Hallelujah”	<b>#172</b>
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<b>The Holy Gospel</b>	<b>Luke 24:44-53</b>	
<b>Sermon</b>	“Up, Up, But Never Away”	<b>Pastor Sarah Bunge</b>

<b>Hymn of the Day</b>	“A Hymn of Glory Let Us Sing!” (vs 1, 4 & 5)	<b>#393</b>
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<b>Offering</b>		
<b>Offertory Song</b>	“ <i>We Are An Offering</i> ”	<b>#692</b>

<b>Prayers of the People</b>		
<b>The Lord’s Prayer</b>	Our Father in heaven...	<b>page 154</b>

<b><i>Sending</i></b> <i>God blesses us and sends us in mission to the world</i>
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**Announcements**

**Blessing**

<b>Sending Song</b>	“Christ is Alive! Let Christians Sing”	<b>#389</b>
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**Dismissal**

**Please hold in prayer this week**

Lyle Goetze	Zachary McKeever
Allan Quatmann	George Meyer (Rita’s brother)
Dona Decker (Gordon’s mom)	Baby Michelle Rose
Veronica DeYoung (Rochelle’s mom)	Bob Wasik (Matt’s dad)
Karen Knudten-Webster	