

Pentecost

November 10, 2024 • 9:00 a.m. Worship

Please hold in prayer this week	
Lori Storms	Betty Eliason
Boyd Lundquist	Wendy
Sandy Schmidt	Charlotte Sandeen
Kathy Schallberg	Carol Bastianello
Mary Berg	Mabel Hughes
Daniel Berg	Miles

<u>Worship Leaders for November 10</u>		<u>Worship Leaders for November 17</u>	
Preacher	Bryant Bakkum	Preacher	Richard Braun
Organist	Barb Steers	Organist	Barb Steers
Lector	Sandy Hitzeman	Acolyte	
Run A/V		Lector	Brenda Lundquist
Ushers	Kevin & Joan Abraham	Run A/V	Jason Wieland
Altar Guild	Mark & Brenda Lundquist, Barb Steers	Ushers	
Altar Flowers		Altar Guild	Mark & Brenda Lundquist, Barb Steers
Fellowship	Tami & Randy Johnson	Altar Flowers	Cheryl Hubbard
		Fellowship	Mark & Brenda Lundquist, Linda & Todd Johnson

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January—October Giving
Contributions Received = \$121,422
Contributions Budget = \$127,600
11/3/24 Attendance: 81



East Union Lutheran Church
Carver, Minnesota

Gathering

Welcome

Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, our refuge, our delight, our beginning and our end. **Amen.** Let us come in truth before the one who loves us and has freed us from our sin. *Silence is kept for reflection.*

Eternal One, robed in majesty and mercy, **we confess that sin has taken hold of us and we are complicit in its power. We are disturbed in spirit and our hearts cannot rest. Unbind us and set us free. Lead us again to the waters of rebirth, that we may live just and generous lives for the good of your world and the care of our neighbors, following in the servant way of Jesus. Amen.**

These words are trustworthy and true: Christ bore our sins once, for all, on the cross, swallowing up death forever. For his sake, you are † forgiven and God remembers your sin no more. Let your heart be glad again, and rejoice in your salvation. **Amen.**

Gathering Hymn “Blessed Assurance” **#638**

Greeting

Kyrie **page 138**

Glory to God **page 139**

Prayer of the Day—Let us pray together:

O God, you show forth your almighty power chiefly by reaching out to us in mercy. Grant us the fullness of your grace, strengthen our trust in your promises, and bring all the world to share in the treasures that come through your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Word

Kid’s Sermon

Special Music “Give Thanks” **Pastor Bryant & Barb**

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:8-16

This chapter begins the story of Elijah. God sends a drought on Israel because of the sins of King Ahab. This passage depicts God’s saving acts not only on behalf of Elijah, but also on behalf of those who are associated with the prophet, even a foreigner, the widow of Zarephath.

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

The letter to the Hebrews describes Christ as a high priest who offers himself as a sacrifice for our sin. Christ does not die again and again each year. He died once, is alive with God, and will reveal himself on the last day.

Gospel Acclamation

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The Holy Gospel Mark 12:38-44

After engaging in a series of public arguments with religious leaders in the temple, Jesus contrasts the proud and oppressive ways of those leaders with the sacrificial humility and poverty of the widow.

Sermon

Pastor Bryant Bakkum

Hymn of the Day “Day by Day” **#790**

Apostles’ Creed **page 105**

Sharing of the Peace

Offering “We Gather Together” **Pastor Bryant & Barb**

Offertory Song “We Are an Offering” **#692**

We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering. Lord, use our voices, Lord, use our hands, Lord, use our lives, they are yours: we are an offering. All that we have, all that we are, all that we hope to be, we give to you, we give to you. We lift our voices, we lift our hands, we lift our lives up to you: we are an offering, we are an offering.

Offering Prayer—Let us pray together:

Blessed are you, O God, source of every gift of your creation. By these gifts and with our lives, help us to serve one another and all in need, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Prayers of the People Lord, in your mercy. **Hear our prayer.**

The Lord’s Prayer Our Father, who art in heaven... **page 145**

Sending

Benediction

Sending Hymn “Jesus Shall Reign” **#434**

Dismissal Go in peace. Encourage one another in Christ. **Thanks be to God.**