

## Sending

### Benediction

**Sending Hymn** "Lord Jesus, You Shall Be My Song" #808

**Dismissal** Go in peace. Follow Jesus. **Thanks be to God.**

#### Please hold in prayer this week

Lori Storms	Daniel Berg
Boyd Lundquist	Wendy
Sandy Schmidt	Charlotte Sandeen
Kathy Schallberg	Carol Bastianello
Mary Berg	Mabel Hughes

<u>Worship Leaders for September 29</u>		<u>Worship Leaders for October 6</u>	
<b>Preacher</b>	Bryant Bakkum	<b>Preacher</b>	Bryant Bakkum
<b>Organist</b>	Lynn Seppman	<b>Organist</b>	Barb Steers
<b>Acolyte</b>		<b>Acolyte</b>	
<b>Lector</b>	Paul Lundquist	<b>Lector</b>	Gordon Decker
<b>Run A/V</b>	Josh Bugbee	<b>Run A/V</b>	
<b>Ushers</b>	Ann & Gordon Decker	<b>Ushers</b>	Larry Goetze & Kyle Bakkum
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Jeri Bowers & Carrie Hron	<b>Altar Guild</b>	Dave & Jan Lundquist
<b>Altar Flowers</b>	Sandy McGraw	<b>Altar Flowers</b>	
<b>Fellowship</b>	Paul & Jeanne Lundquist	<b>Fellowship</b>	

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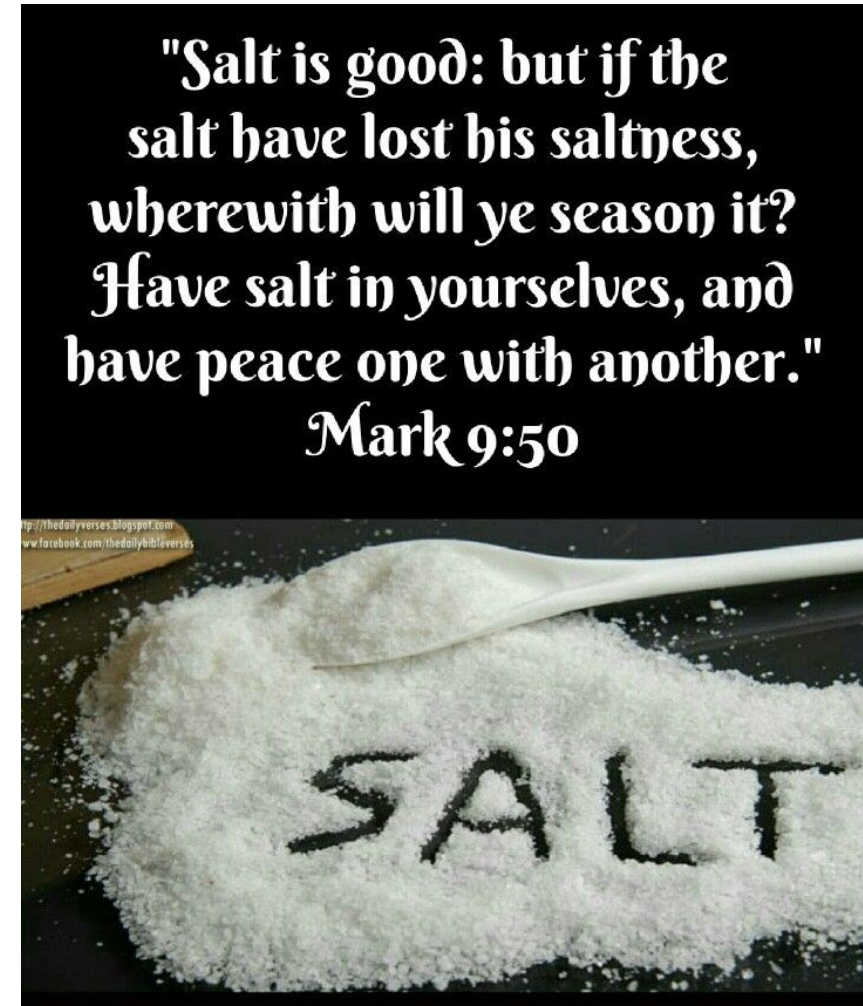
#### God Invites Our Generosity

9/22/24 Offering: \$2,550

Attendance: 65

## Pentecost

September 29, 2024 • 9:00 a.m. Worship



**East Union Lutheran Church**

*Carver, Minnesota*

## Gathering

### Hymn Sing

#### Welcome, Confession & Forgiveness

Blessed be the holy Trinity, † one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever. **Amen.** Let us confess our sin and come to God for healing. *Silence is kept for reflection.*

Gracious God, **have mercy on us. We confess that we have honored you with our lips, but have harmed our neighbors with our tongues. The cravings at war within us cause conflicts and disputes. In our desire to be first we make distinctions among ourselves. We place the needs of the poor and the suffering last. In your great mercy, forgive us our sins. Draw near to us with grace in time of need, and turn us to follow in the way of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

God promises to forgive our iniquity and to remember our sin no more. By grace you have been saved. In the name of † Jesus Christ, the source of eternal healing, your sins are forgiven. **Amen.**

**Gathering Hymn** “How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord” #580

### Greeting

**This Is the Feast** page 149

**Prayer of the Day**—Let us pray together:

**Generous God, your Son gave his life that we might come to peace with you. Give us a share of your Spirit, and in all we do empower us to bear the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.**

## Word

### Kid’s Sermon

**Special Music** Ted Wirtz

**First Reading: Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16, 24-29**

*What constitutes legitimate need and legitimate leadership is the focus of this reading. God provides manna in the wilderness, yet the people crave meat. What is truly needful? God bestows the spirit on seventy elders, yet two men not designated as leaders prophesy in the power of God’s spirit. What constitutes real leadership?*

**Second Reading: James 5:13-20**

*Marks of the Christian community include praying for those who are sick and in need, celebrating with those in good health, restoring those who have strayed, confessing sins to one another, and offering forgiveness to each other.*

**Gospel Acclamation** page 151

**The Holy Gospel Mark 9:38-50**

*On the way to Jerusalem, Jesus teaches his disciples about ministry that involves service and sacrifice. His disciples are slow to realize that these words apply to them as well as to others.*

**Sermon** Pastor Bryant Bakkum

**Hymn of the Day** “O Christ, Our Light, O Radiance True” #675

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

**Sharing of the Peace**

**Offering**

**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.**

## Meal

**The Great Thanksgiving** page 152

**Holy, Holy, Holy** page 153

**Words of Institution**

**The Lord’s Prayer** Our Father, who art in heaven... page 154

**Communion Hymns** “Lamb of God” page 154

“Let Us Break Bread Together” #471

**Prayer after Communion**—Let us pray together:

**Holy God, you have welcomed us to this meal and fed us with dignity at your table. Send us now to welcome others and to be at peace with one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**