

Black Forest Lutheran Church

12455 Black Forest Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80908

Church office - 495-2221 Tues. - Fri. 9:00-2:00p

Ken Hohag, Pastor

Andrew Koetsier, Youth and Family Director

Lisa Regennitter, Director of Ministries; Stephanie Strasner, Admin Assistant

Second Sunday After Pentecost / Sunday, June 2, 2024

The order of worship is the white Setting 4 booklet in the **black** Worship book.

The hymns are listed as **black**, liturgy pages as p.

Please turn off your cellphone.

GATHERING

Prelude and Announcements

*Brief Order of Confession

Gathering Song *Thy Word Is a Lamp*

Greeting/Kyrie

Prayer of the Day

Lord God of all nations, you have revealed your will to your people and promised your help to us all. Help us to hear and to do what you command, that the darkness may be overcome by the power of your light; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

WORD

Children's Sermon

First Reading Deuteronomy 5:12-15

Second Reading 2 Corinthians 4:5-11

*Gospel Acclamation

Gospel Mark 3:1-5

Sermon Response: **Thanks be to God**

He Will Give You Rest

*Hymn of the Day *Beneath the Tree of Life v.1-3*

Apostles' Creed

Youth Mission Trip Commissioning

Prayers of Intercession Response: **Hear our prayer**

Sharing of the Peace

MEAL

Offering *Come to the Water v. 1, 3, 4*

*Offering Prayer

Merciful Father, we offer with joy and thanksgiving what you have first given us – ourselves, our time, and our possessions, signs of your gracious love. Receive them for the sake of him who offered himself for us, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Great Thanksgiving

Lord's Prayer

Lamb of God

Distribution Hymns

*Prayer after Communion

SENDING

Benediction

Sending Song

Dismissal

Postlude

*Congregation please stand.

**Our mission is to glorify God through
worship, prayer, education, and service as
ambassadors of Christ.**

Visitors and Members—Please sign our blue Friendship Book and pass it down the row. A nursery for infants & toddlers is through the narthex double doors. A nursing chair with a retractable privacy screen for mothers and changing table are available in the nursery.

Holy Communion Instructions—All baptized Christians are invited to the Lord's table. Grape juice is available in the pre-filled glasses for those who cannot drink wine. Gluten-free bread is also available.

Wiggle Worship – After the children's sermon, kiddos ages 4-7 can follow a teacher for wiggle worship. They will return to their parents during the offering.

Youth Mission Trip leaves today through June 6. Pray for our mission team as we serve and spread the love of Jesus in Denver this week. Our team members are:

YOUTH:

Cameron Gaetano

Audrey Koetsier

Eleanor Makowsky

Emma Webb

Brian Gould

Alex Lacomia

Lillian Makowsky

Jason Yonce

Hannah Joiner

Clara Makowsky

Alysha Snyder

Jenna Yonce

ADULTS:

Karina Isley

Barbara Richardson

Andrew Koetsier

Christine Makowsky

Serving Today

9:00a

Acolyte

Altar Guild

Assistant

Greeters

Nursery Attendants

Piano

Reader

Recorder

Sound

Ushers

Uploader

Wiggle Worshipers

Brian Gould

Mary Anne Ricci

Karen Gourley/Kathy Schwindt

Jerry & Ginny Johnson

Holly Hanson/Jenna Yonce

Alexandra Cullen

Todd Gould

Pat Turechek

Cesar Shinall

David Meyer/Lisa Regennitter

Patrick Turechek

Jessica Worrell

Cameron Gaetano

*Flowers are given today in
Celebration of Todd & Jeannette Gould's 29th Wedding Anniversary.*

First Reading

Deuteronomy 5:12-15

5 ¹² Observe the sabbath day and keep it holy, as the Lord your God commanded you. ¹³ For six days you shall labour and do all your work. ¹⁴ But the seventh day is a sabbath to the Lord your God; you shall not do any work—you, or your son or your daughter, or your male or female slave, or your ox or your donkey, or any of your livestock, or the resident alien in your towns, so that your male and female slave may rest as well as you. ¹⁵ Remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, and the Lord your God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm; therefore the Lord your God commanded you to keep the sabbath day.

Second Reading

2 Corinthians 4:5-11

4 ⁵ For we do not proclaim ourselves; we proclaim Jesus Christ as Lord and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake. ⁶ For it is the God who said, 'Let light shine out of darkness', who has shone in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ. ⁷ But we have this treasure in clay jars, so that it may be made clear that this extraordinary power belongs to God and does not come from us. ⁸ We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed, but not driven to despair; ⁹ persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed; ¹⁰ always carrying in the body the death of Jesus, so that the life of Jesus may also be made visible in our bodies. ¹¹ For while we live, we are always being given up to death for Jesus' sake, so that the life of Jesus may be made visible in our mortal lives.

Gospel

Mark 3:1-5

3 Again he entered the synagogue, and a man was there who had a withered hand. ² They watched him to see whether he would cure him on the sabbath, so that they might accuse him. ³ And he said to the man who had the withered hand, 'Come forward.' ⁴ Then he said to them, 'Is it lawful to do good or to do harm on the sabbath, to save life or to kill?' But they were silent. ⁵ He looked around at them with anger; he was grieved at their hardness of heart and said to the man, 'Stretch out your hand.' He stretched it out, and his hand was restored.

³⁰ The apostles gathered around Jesus and told him all that they had done and taught. ³¹ He said to them, "Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while." For many were coming and going, and they had no leisure even to eat. ³² And they went away in the boat to a deserted place by themselves. **Mark 6**

²⁸ "Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." **Matthew 11**