# 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 John Graham, Associate Pastor Jacob Oglesby, Youth/Family Ministries Director Fifth Sunday in Lent / Sunday, April 3, 2022

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.

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#### **GATHERING**

Prelude and Announcements \*Brief Order of Confession p. 3 Open the Eyes of my Heart Gathering Song black 69 Greeting/Kyrie p. 3

Prayer of the Day

Almighty God, our redeemer, in our weakness we have failed to be your messengers of forgiveness and hope in the world. Renew us by your Holy Spirit, that we may follow your commands and proclaim your reign of love; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever. Amen.

## WORD

Children's Message Pastor Ken

First Reading Isaiah 43:16-21 Second Reading Philippians 3:4b-14

\*Gospel Acclamation Turn my heart, O God, turn my heart, O God

Take my pain and brokenness, shape my life for you,

Come and turn my heart, O God.

John 12:1-8 Gospel

Response: Thanks be to God

More Precious than Silver or Gold Sermon Pastor John \*Hymn of the Day Beneath the Tree of Life 1-3 black 58 Apostles' Creed p. 7

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

#### MEAL

Offering Lamb of God (Your Only Son) red 336

1. Your only Son, no sin to hide, but you have sent him from your side to walk upon this guilty sod and to become the Lamb of God. Refrain Refrain: O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God.

Oh, wash me in your precious blood, my Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

- 2. Your gift of love we crucified. We laughed and scorned him as he died. The humble king we named a rod and to be called a lamb of God. Refrain
- 3. I was so lost, I should have died, but you have brought me to your side to be led by your staff and rod and to be called a lamb of God. Refrain

#### \*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.

\*Congregation please stand Continued next page Great Thanksgiving p. 9 p. 10 Lord's Prayer Lamb of God **11** 1-3 **Distribution Hymns** 70, 76, 27, 58 4-5 \*Prayer after Communion

### **SENDING**

Benediction

Sending Song In Christ Alone black 79

Dismissal Response: Thanks be to God

Postlude

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 is available in the nursery.

**Holy Communion Instructions**—All baptized Christians are invited to the Lord's table. Come down the center aisle and receive the bread with open hands. Then an assisting minister will place a prefilled glass (wine or grape juice) on the altar rail in front of you.

Wiggle Worship at 10:30a—After the children's sermon, kiddos ages 3-7 can follow a teacher for wiggle worship. They will return to their parents during the offering to participate in communion with their families.

Serving Today		
	8:00	10:30
Acolyte	Alex Gould	Zachery Sanders
Altar Guild	Mary Anne Ricci	Shari Kraus
Assistants	Jim Kent / Kathy Schwing	lt Nancy Duffin / Karen Gourley
Counters	Ethel Cleis and Dave & Rosie Williams	
Greeters	Sid Landers	Mike & Jutta Romans
Nursery Attendants Lydia Zelones & Amelia Makowsky		
Piano	Landra Decker	
Reader	Nancy Lord	Sunny Wilson
Recorder	Dave Williams	
Ushers	Bill & Mary Montie	Greg & Tracy Kleine
WW Helpers	Brian Gould & Allie Graham	

Flowers are given today in Honor of Lora Kobilan's parents. and to the Glory of God by the Kerstein's.