### **Gospel – Luke 6:36-42**

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36 Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

37 "Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven. 38 Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you."

39 He also told them this parable: "Can a blind man lead a blind man? Will they not both fall into a pit? 40 A student is not above his teacher, but everyone who is fully trained will be like his teacher.

41 "Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? 42 How can you say to your brother, 'Brother, let me take the speck out of your eye,' when you yourself fail to see the plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.

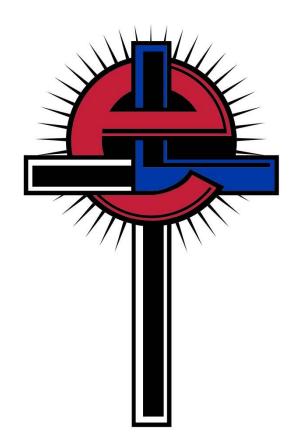
## Sermon – Psalm 51:10-15

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10 Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. 11 Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. 12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

13 Then I will teach transgressors your ways, and sinners will turn back to you. 14 Save me from bloodquilt, O God, the God who saves me, and my tongue will sing of your righteousness. 15 O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth will declare your praise.

# **Emmaus Evangelical Lutheran Church**



"Christ's mercy is ours to show to others"

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# July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME: To all our quests and visitors we extend a warm and sincere welcome. To those seeking a church home, we offer fellowship with a living Redeemer, membership in His Church and citizenship in His Kingdom. Our message is as old as God's Word to mankind: Jesus Christ, crucified and risen for the salvation of mankind. Please sign our Guest Register as you leave the church.

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Organist: Worship leader:	Mrs. Marilyn Feliciano Pastor Kermit Habben	
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-	Pastor Kermit Habben	8:00/10:30 am 9:15 am
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Worship leader: TODAY	Pastor Kermit Habben <u>This Week at Emmaus</u> Worship w/Lord's Supper Family Bible Study	

Lord's Supper - is celebrated today. Our Savior gives us his body and blood along with the bread and wine for our forgiveness in this Blessed Sacrament. Because he also wants us to examine ourselves prior to communing (1 Corinthians 11:23-29), and that those who commune with one another be united in doctrine and practice (1 Corinthians 10:16-17; Romans 16:1-17; 2 John 9-11), we respectfully ask that those who are members of Emmaus, or members of congregations in fellowship with the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod, commune with us this morning. If you are not a member and would like to join us for communion, please speak with Pastor Else, so we can set up a time to study what God's Word has to say to us concerning Lord's Supper and church fellowship. Thank you for your understanding.

# First Lesson – Genesis 50:15-21

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15 When Joseph's brothers saw that their father was dead, they said, "What if Joseph holds a grudge against us and pays us back for all the wrongs we did to him?" 16 So they sent word to Joseph, saying, "Your father left these instructions before he died: 17'This is what you are to say to Joseph: I ask you to forgive your brothers the sins and the wrongs they committed in treating you so badly.' Now please forgive the sins of the servants of the God of your father." When their message came to him, Joseph wept.

18 His brothers then came and threw themselves down before him, "We are your slaves," they said.

19 But Joseph said to them, "Don't be afraid. Am I in the place of God? 20 You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. 21 So then, don't be afraid. I will provide for you and your children." And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.

## Second Lesson – Romans 12:14-21

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14 Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse. 15 Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. 16 Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited.

17 Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eves of everybody. 18 If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. 19 Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay," says the Lord. 20 On the contrary: "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head."

21 Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

#### Announcements

#### In Our Prayers -

Those with ongoing health and other struggles - Sarah Eversole, Tanda Weimer, Shawna Mahn, Barb Osborn, Katie Conklin, Brad Anderson, (back surgery) Joseph Trovini, (Donna Schulz's father), Terri Porter, (friend of the Toetz family) Polly Mackenzie, Hunter Miller, Vince Wallenberg, Ellen King, Diane Scheel

**Those who are** - sick, unemployed, traveling, celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, serving in the military, single, married, parents, children.

Thank you - to Pastor Habben for leading us in worship today.

**Pastor Else** - is on vacation until July 18<sup>th</sup>. You may contact Pastor Casmer if you need Pastoral assistance. His number is 602-992-4981. Laurie Conklin will also be out of the office from July 9 - July 23<sup>rd</sup> for vacation.

<u>Ordination & Installation</u> - Deer Valley Lutheran Church of Phoenix, AZ, invites you to rejoice with us as we receive Candidate Luther Zuberbier as our new pastor. The service of Ordination and Installation will take place next Sunday, July 23rd at 4 pm, Pastor Michael Zuberbier, father of Luther, as the guest speaker. A meal will follow in the Ministry Center. Pastors are invited to participate in the laying on of hands - red stoles, please.

<u>1st and 2nd Grade Teacher</u> - We are happy to announce that Faith Schroeder has accepted our call to teach 1st & 2nd grade for the 2017-2018 school year. Faith is from Novi, Michigan where she grew up with five younger brothers. In 2013, she graduated from Michigan Lutheran Seminary and decided to attend Martin Luther College the following fall to study Secondary Physical Education and Elementary Education. In her free time, Faith enjoys playing basketball, scrapbooking, reading, and spending time with family and friends. She looks forward to this new school year, excited to use the gifts and abilities the Lord has given her to best serve Emmaus Lutheran and its community.

<u>Survey Link</u> - Please go to <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/MQSW39G</u> to complete the online member survey.

<u>Children's Bulletins</u> - We have special bulletins for our children each Sunday. The ushers will have them when they are handing out the weekly bulletins. Please feel free to ask them for this bulletin. Crayons are also available from the ushers. Each week's bulletin will correspond with the current week of the church year calendar.

<u>Bathrooms/Baby Changing Tables</u> - are located in the Fellowship Hall, which is the large building in front of the church. (The building closest to the parking lot) There are changing tables in both bathrooms for your convenience. The bathrooms are located on the east end of the building.

Morning Aide & Afternoon Extended Care Positions at Emmaus - Emmaus is looking to hire 2 individuals for the 2017-2018 school year. The first position is for an aide in the PreK classroom Monday - Friday from 8:00 am - 12:45 pm. This person will be asked to monitor students in the classroom, set up and clean up of snack, art, etc. They will get students who stay for aftercare started on lunch and do some cleaning after lunch is started. The second position is in Extended Care in the afternoon from 3:00-5:30 PM or until the last student is picked up, Monday through Friday on. This person will be asked to monitor students in the classroom while they are playing, watching a movie, playing on the computer, or working on homework, and cleaning the Extended Care room after the students leave. The compensation for each position is \$10 per hour. Benefits are not included. Each person will also be compensated to complete 18 continuing education clock hours each year to keep our AZ ECM (Early Childhood Ministries) license current. Because of the nature of the position, the applicant needs to be a person who shares the same faith, values, outlook, and purpose of our church and school. If you are interested in applying for either of these positions, please contact Maria Else, Andy Plocher or call the school office 602-843-3853.