

Gospel Reading: Luke 10:25-37

L: The Holy Gospel according to St. Luke the 10th. Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord.

25 Behold, a lawyer stood up to put [Jesus] to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" 26 He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?" 27 And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart & with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself." 28 And he said to him, "You have answered correctly; do this, & you will live." 29 But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" 30 Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. 31 Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. 32 So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place & saw him, passed by on the other side. 33 But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. 34 He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. 35 And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' 36 Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" 37 He said, "The one who showed him mercy." And Jesus said to him, "You go, and do likewise."

L: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

Thanks for worshiping with us this evening. Your presence is your gift to us. We pray that our Service of Word and Sacrament is a blessing to you. Sealed by the Holy Spirit and marked with the cross of Christ forever we are praising, proclaiming and practicing Emmanuel – God with us – in daily life! We are saved and we are sent!

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Worship
Pentecost V
July 13, 2019
6:00 p.m.

Lutheran Book of Worship—Setting II

* indicates stand as you are able

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

*Brief Order for Confession & Forgiveness Page 77

*Gathering Hymn: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" #551

*Greeting Page 78

*Kyrie Page 78

*Hymn of Praise: "Glory to God" Page 79

*Salutation and Prayer of the Day Page 82

P: God of mercy and tender compassion, through the life, death, and resurrection of your Son, the depth and breadth of your mercy is profoundly revealed. By your Spirit empower us to lead lives that are faithful reflections of your own gracious mercy; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God now and forever.

C: Amen.

First Lesson: Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18

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Psalm 41

Second Lesson: Colossians 1:1-14

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Gospel Verse: "Alleluia"

*Holy Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

Children's Message: "Like a Good Neighbor"

Sermon: "Go and Do Likewise!"

*Hymn of the Day: "O God of Mercy, God of Light" #425

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*The Prayers (bulletin page 3)

*The Peace

Offering: *Gift of Music by our worship pianist*

*The Great Thanksgiving:

P: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

P: Lift up your hearts.

C: We lift them to the Lord.

P: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

C: It is right to give Him thanks and praise.

Eucharistic Prayer for Sundays after Pentecost

*Lord's Prayer: *Traditional Version*

Invitation & Distribution

Holy Communion is the Lord's Supper for the Lord's People:

"All are welcome to receive the Lord's Body and Blood who are baptized in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit and believe that Jesus Christ, crucified & risen, is truly present in, with and under the forms of bread & wine for the forgiveness of sins, life and salvation." We are practicing head of the aisle Communion tonight by means of Intinction.

Communion Hymn: "Jesus, Priceless Treasure" #458

*Table Blessing:

P: Now may the assurance of our Lord's resurrection and the promise of His coming again, strengthen you in faith & keep you in hope unto everlasting life. Amen.

*Post-Communion Prayer:

P: Let us pray. Pour out upon us the spirit of your love, O Lord, and unite the wills of those whom you have fed with one heavenly food; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

C: Amen.

*Benediction

***Closing Hymn: "Jesus Calls Us; O'er the Tumult"**

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*Dismissal:

P: Go in peace. Serve the Lord!

C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

A: By the power of the Holy Spirit, let us pray to God our Father in the name of Christ Jesus our Lord, making intercession for the Church, the world, and for all people according to their need.

A brief silence

A: Holy God, thank you for entrusting to us the ministry of extending mercy & compassion to everyone we meet. But sometimes it overwhelms us! Sometimes we get "compassion fatigue," and we make excuses for "passing by on the other side." Sometimes we are blinded by distractions and self-absorption. Forgive us, dear Father, and kindle your Holy Spirit within our hearts. Make us signs of your love to those who need it most. Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

A: When your Church lies wounded & bleeding, and its leaders pass by on the other side, send your dear Son to be her Good Samaritan. Anoint her with the oil of healing & gladness. Feed her with the medicine of immortality, the Body and Blood of her Savior. Raise her up to be your "Mercy Hospital" for a hurting & hurtful world. Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

A: Bring the healing balm of Jesus' grace and mercy to all who are wounded in body, mind, or spirit – especially those we name before you now [NAMES]. Bless all who act as a Good Samaritan to them. Grant that all that is needed for health and hope is provided, so that they may be restored to full fellowship with all who love them. Lord, in your mercy,

C: Hear our prayer.

P: In the power of the Holy Spirit, we entrust our prayers and petitions into your hands, gracious Father, for the sake of your beloved Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

C: Amen.

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WORSHIP SERVANTS Tonight:

Pianist: Mary Ann Groven

Sound: Don Holtan

Communion Server: Leitha Bothun

Scripture Reader & Prayers: Darald Bothun

Ushers: LeRoy Quam & Bob Harms

Coffee: Peg Holtan

Treats: Jean Wanek

Acolyte: Elijah Matske

Greeters: Pending

Set-up: Julie Steffenson

Take-down: Janet Sunde & friend

Byron Parade: Jenna Serr & Julie Edwards are coordinating our Emmanuel Float for this year's Byron Good Neighbor Days Parade on Sunday, July 21 (3pm). Anyone wishing to donate candy, or to ride/walk in the parade is encouraged to do so.

7th Annual Mega Kid's Camp: 319+ kids are already registered. A couple of adults from Emmanuel are also signed up to be helpers. Dates: Monday, July 29th - Thursday, August 1st, from 8:45am-Noon each day). www.evangelum.org. Cost: Only \$40 per child.

Men's Bible Study Breakfast: Men of Emmanuel are looking at the Book of Psalms on Tuesdays at 8am & discussing the appointed Psalm for the week. This Week (July 16): Looking at Psalm 27.

Worship at Madonna Towers: Twice a month on Wednesdays, Emmanuel members are invited to participate in a ministry to area seniors. Our next Madonna Towers Worship Services will be on Wednesdays, July 17 & August 14 and 21 at 1:00 pm. Contact Lee Pearce if you would like to participate in this wonderful ministry.

Women's Bible Study: Women of Emmanuel have completed their study on the Book of Esther. They are enjoying a summer break while staying active in the Word. A new study will begin in the fall. Tentatively, we plan on studying the Prophet Isaiah.

National Night Out: This year's neighborhood celebration event will be held on Tuesday, August 6. Let's apply for a Thrivent Action Team grant and host several Emmanuel Root Beer Stands in various members' locations. Anyone interested? Contact Pastor Steffenson! Pastor Dave & Julie Steffenson are hosting a stand at their home!

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The Emmanuel Weekly

Saturday, July 13, 2019

Pentecost V—6 pm

"Praising, Proclaiming and Practicing Emmanuel—God with us—in daily life!"



CALENDAR ITEMS

- Sat, July 13—Pentecost V Worship at 6pm
- Sun, July 14—Centennial Celebration at FLC in Hope, MN (10:30am)
- Mon, July 15—Church Council Mtg. at 10am
- Tues, July 16—Men's Bible Study at 8am; Women's Get-Together at Julie Steffenson's home (10am); Clergy Text Study at 10:30am; Mega Kids Camp Adult Leader's Training Event (6:30pm at Evangel United Methodist)
- Wed, July 17—Madonna Towers Worship (1pm)
- Sat, July 20—Pentecost VI Worship at 6pm

Women's Get-Together

Women of Emmanuel are invited to attend a social gathering at Julie Steffenson's home on Tuesday, July 16 at 10am. Coffee & conversation will be enjoyed. Treats will be served. Bring a friend!

Emmanuel T-Shirts & Yard Signs

Advertising Emmanuel is our God-given mission. T-Shirts that say, "I Love My Church" & Yard Signs that say, "We Love Jesus" have been ordered. Garage sales & campaign signs may be fun, but JESUS is always #1. Thanks for promoting the good news of Jesus! We are clothed so to speak!

Emmanuel Picnic Potluck

Save the Date! Our sixth annual church picnic will be held at the home of Larry and Deb Vomhof on Sunday, August 4. Bring a dish/dessert to share with your church family. We'll offer a table prayer and eat at 12:00 Noon. Please join us!

The July Emmanuel Prayer Calendar & Epistle Newsletter are available in print! Also, pick up your copy of the current "Our Daily Bread".

Leviticus 18:1-5; 19:9-18 — What to Do!

18:1 The Lord spoke to Moses, saying, 2 “Speak to the people of Israel and say to them, I am the Lord your God. 3 You shall not do as they do in the land of Egypt, where you lived, and you shall not do as they do in the land of Canaan, to which I am bringing you. You shall not walk in their statutes. 4 You shall follow my rules and keep my statutes and walk in them. I am the Lord your God. 5 You shall therefore keep my statutes and my rules; if a person does them, he shall live by them: I am the Lord. ... 19:9 “When you reap the harvest of your land, you shall not reap your field right up to its edge, neither shall you gather the gleanings after your harvest. 10 And you shall not strip your vineyard bare, neither shall you gather the fallen grapes of your vineyard. You shall leave them for the poor and for the sojourner: I am the Lord your God. 11 You shall not steal; you shall not deal falsely; you shall not lie to one another. 12 You shall not swear by my name falsely, and so profane the name of your God: I am the Lord. 13 You shall not oppress your neighbor or rob him. The wages of a hired worker shall not remain with you all night until the morning. 14 You shall not curse the deaf or put a stumbling block before the blind, but you shall fear your God: I am the Lord. 15 You shall do no injustice in court. You shall not be partial to the poor or defer to the great, but in righteousness shall you judge your neighbor. 16 You shall not go around as a slanderer among your people, and you shall not stand up against the life of your neighbor: I am the Lord. 17 You shall not hate your brother in your heart, but you shall reason frankly with your neighbor, lest you incur sin because of him. 18 You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the Lord.”

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 41—Read Responsively

L: Blessed is the one who considers the poor! In the day of trouble the Lord delivers him; the Lord protects him and keeps him alive; he is called blessed in the land;

C: **You do not give him up to the will of his enemies.**

L: The Lord sustains him on his sickbed;

C: **In his illness you restore him to full health.**

L: As for me, I said, “O Lord, be gracious to me; heal me, for I have sinned against you!”

C: **My enemies say of me in malice, “When will he die, and his name perish?”**

L: And when one comes to see me, he utters empty words, while his heart gathers iniquity; when he goes out, he tells it abroad.

C: **All who hate me whisper together about me; they imagine the worst for me.**

L: They say, “A deadly thing is poured out on him; he will not rise again from where he lies.”

C: **Even my close friend in whom I trusted, who ate my bread, has lifted his heel against me.**

L: But you, O Lord, be gracious to me, and raise me up, that I may repay them!

C: **By this I know that you delight in me: my enemy will not shout in triumph over me.**

L: But you have upheld me because of my integrity, and set me in your presence forever.

C: **Blessed be the Lord, the God of Israel, from everlasting to everlasting! Amen and Amen.**

Colossians 1:1-14 — Walk in a Worthy Manner

1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, 2 To the saints and faithful brothers in Christ at Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. 3 We always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, when we pray for you, 4 since we heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, 5 because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. Of this you have heard before in the word of the truth, the gospel, 6 which has come to you, as indeed in the whole world it is bearing fruit and increasing — as it also does among you, since the day you heard it and understood the grace of God in truth, 7 just as you learned it from Epaphras our beloved fellow servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf 8 and has made known to us your love in the Spirit. 9 And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you, asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of his will in all spiritual wisdom & understanding, 10 so as to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God; 11 being strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy; 12 giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light. 13 He has delivered us from the domain of darkness & transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, 14 in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

L: The Word of the Lord.

C: **Thanks be to God.**