

CHURCH LIFE | Announcements for October 31, 2021

Surviving the Holidays Grief Workshop | Mon., Nov. 1, 6:30-8pm at EFCC

This grief support workshop will help you prepare for and “survive” this holiday season. Cost to attend is \$15. Email cearly@efcc.org to sign up.

Next Worship & Prayer Night | Wed., Nov. 3, 6:30pm, Worship Center

Struggling with a heavy heart? Turn your worries into worship at our next Worship & Prayer Night this Wed., Nov. 3, at 6:30pm in the Worship Center.

Women's Fall Connection Event | Friday, November 5, 7-9pm at EFCC

\$15 to register at www.efcc.org/events | for more info: connect@efcc.org

Come gather together with other women as we focus on God through worship and the Word. This special evening of fellowship features a message of hope and grace from guest speaker, Bonnie Nichols, as well as some amazing gourmet desserts! Register online today or at the Courtyard table.

Thanksgiving Food Drive Opportunities | Sunday, November 7 at EFCC

To serve, pick up a flyer at the lobby Welcome area, or visit www.efcc.org/events

Here's three ways to bless others this Thanksgiving: **(1) Deliver & Connect.**

Use the provided shopping list (see the flyer available in the lobby) to prepare a gift bag and deliver to a family of your choice the week before Thanksgiving. **(2) Make a donation.** Purchase or gather non-perishable, non-expired food, place it in bags, and leave them behind your car on Sun., Nov. 7.

(3) Volunteer. Help sort food and then make deliveries on Wed., Nov. 10.

Suicide Prevention Workshop | Tuesday, November 9, 7-8:30pm at EFCC

Author and trainer, Joyce Bruggeman, will present a workshop on suicide prevention using the QPR (Question, Persuade, Refer) technique. This workshop is open to anyone, but will be useful especially for small group leaders and those in care or counseling roles.

Veterans/Military BBQ | Sat., November 13, 11:30am-1:30pm, Family Center

Veterans and military members, attend our Sat., Nov. 13 event! Enjoy great food and connect with like-minded brothers and sisters in Christ. Sign up (\$5 or free with ID) via email to cboo1970@gmail.com or on Nov. 7, at church.

Global Sunday | November 14, during and after all services

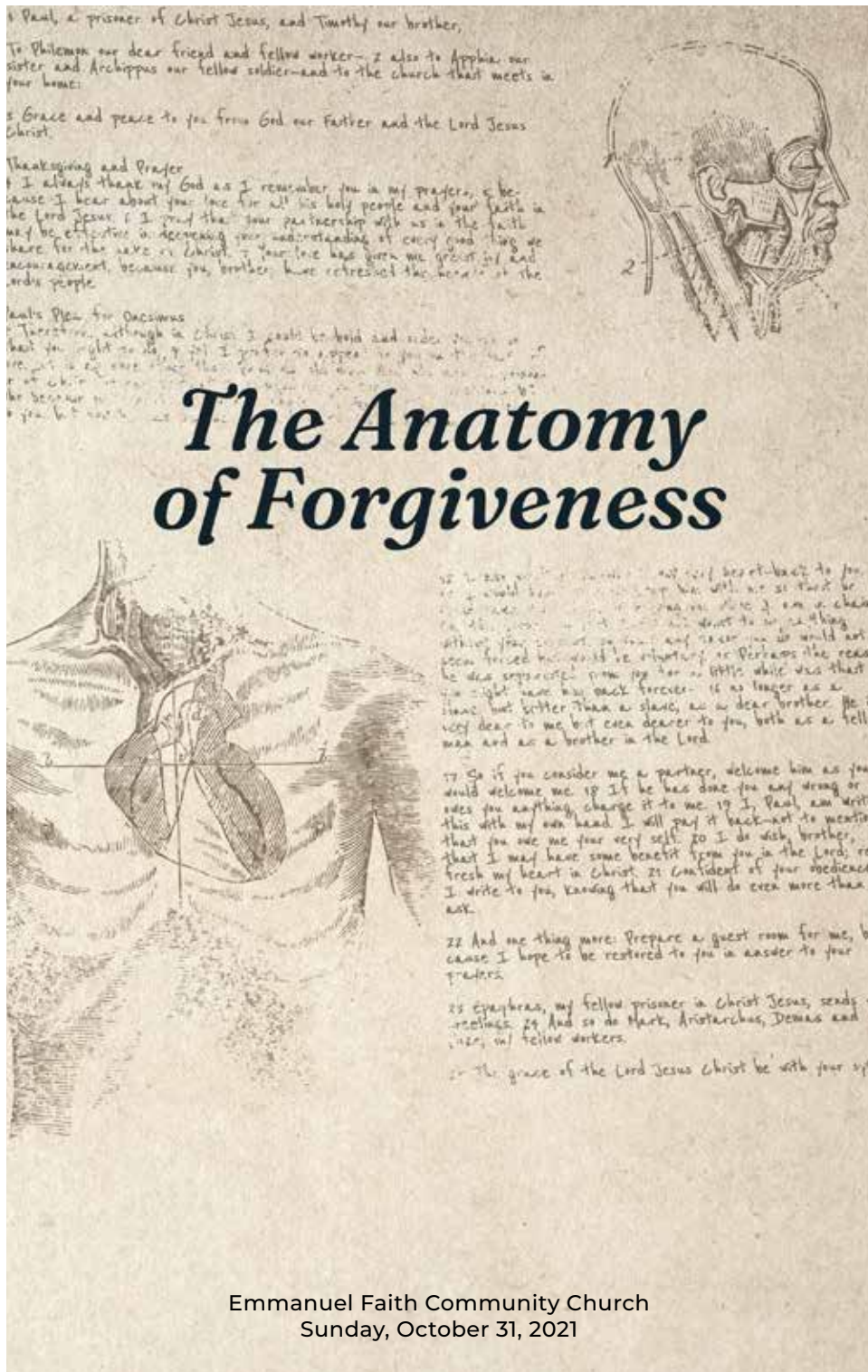
Whether it's spreading God's word across the street, or around the world, you can make a difference. On Sunday, November 14, we'll be having a Global Sunday event with a guest speaker and extra activities after all services.

All Church Baptisms | Sunday, November 21, during the services

Take the next step in your faith journey through baptism during all services coming up on Sunday, November 21. Register on our website today.

Christmas Concerts Return to EFCC | December 10-12, Worship Center

Don't miss our Christmas concerts this season, featuring timeless carols, beautiful hymn renditions, and an encouraging message from Lead Pastor Ryan Paulson. Join us for a concert on Fri, Dec. 10, at 7pm; Sat., Dec. 11, at 2 and 5pm*; or Sun., Dec. 12, at 2pm. Free tickets and more info will be available next weekend. *Childcare available at the Saturday 5pm concert.



Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother,
To Philemon our dear friend and fellow worker - I also to Apphia, our
sister and Archippus our fellow soldier - and to the church that meets in
your house:
Grace and peace to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus
Christ.
Thanksgiving and Prayer
I always thank my God as I remember you in my prayers, because
I hear about your love for all his holy people and your faith in
the Lord Jesus. I pray that your partnership with us in the faith
may be effective in deepening your understanding of every good thing we
have for the sake of Christ. Your love has been my great joy and
encouragement, because you, brother, have refreshed the hearts of the
whole people.
Paul's Plea for Onesimus
Although in Christ I could be bold and order you to do as
best you might - as if I were in a cage - I prefer to appeal to you as a
friend. Onesimus, who was once my slave, has now become my
brother in Christ. He has been very helpful to me, and I have
been very grateful to you for him. He has been very helpful to me,
and I have been very grateful to you for him. He has been very helpful
to me, and I have been very grateful to you for him. He has been very
helpful to me, and I have been very grateful to you for him. He has
been very helpful to me, and I have been very grateful to you for him.
The Anatomy of Forgiveness
17 So if you consider me a partner, welcome him as you
would welcome me. If he has done you any wrong or
owes you anything, charge it to me. If I, Paul, am writing
this with my own hand, I will pay it back - not to mention
that you owe me four very self. So I do wish, brother,
that I may have some benefit from you in the Lord, to
freshen my heart in Christ. Be confident of your obedience.
I write to you, knowing that you will do even more than
ask.
22 And one thing more: Prepare a guest room for me, be-
cause I hope to be restored to you in answer to your
prayers.
25 Epaphras, my fellow prisoner in Christ Jesus, sends
greetings. He and so do Mark, Aristarchus, Demas and
Lucius, my fellow workers.
26 The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit.

Emmanuel Faith Community Church
Sunday, October 31, 2021



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The Anatomy
of Forgiveness, Part 1

Philemon
Josh Rose, Teaching Pastor

Forgiven people _____.

1. We forgive because _____ us.

- Forgiveness has always been _____ because it's always been _____.

2. We forgive to _____.

- Forgiveness is only an option when someone _____.

3. We forgive as an _____, not _____.

- The willingness to forgive is supposed to be a _____ of the _____ of God's _____.

4. We forgive in order to _____.

- Forgiveness that results in _____ is a _____ that _____.

This week I will ...

Have questions about the sermon, the Scriptures, or just life? Email them to Questions@efcc.org and we'll try to answer them on our weekly podcast.

Helpful links: www.efcc.org/sermons | www.efcc.org/devos | www.efcc.org/podcasts

WELCOME TO EMMANUEL FAITH COMMUNITY CHURCH!

OUR MISSION: *Living in the Way of Jesus with the Heart of Jesus*

CONNECT WITH US

NEW TO EFCC? — Learn more about Emmanuel Faith's mission and vision. In five minutes, you'll hear an introduction on how we strive to *live in the way of Jesus with the heart of Jesus*. Stop by the Welcome area in the church lobby today!

NEED PRAYER? Share your prayer request on a Connection Card, via our website form at www.efcc.org/prayer or by email to prayer@efcc.org.

FIND A GROUP — Connect with others in an EFCC Life Group. Visit our page online at www.efcc.org/life-groups.

MAKE AN IMPACT THROUGH SERVING

Scan the QR code at right to find several ways to serve at EFCC in our ministries including with FaithKids, student ministries, worship and music, outreach, welcome team, and more.



GIVING TO EFCC

Did you know that your generosity changes lives? You can give online at www.efcc.org/give. Or by check via an offering envelope (drop boxes are located in the foyer).

OUR WORSHIP SERVICES

CLASSIC | Worship Center, Sundays, 9am

MODERN | Chapel, Sundays, 9am (video venue)

MODERN | Worship Center, Sundays, 10:45am & 5pm

EN ESPAÑOL | Chapel, Sundays, 10:45am



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EFCC Open Wi-Fi Password: John3:16

EFCC Family News Update

Sharing our family passings and prayer needs

October 31, 2021

Pray for Our Church Family

Home With the Lord

Upcoming Memorial Services

A memorial is planned for former EFCC pastor, **Jim Adkins**, on Friday December 3, at 2pm in the EFCC Chapel. Please continue to pray for his family.



In the Hospital or Outpatient (at Present or Pending)

Rose Bell, Renee Choy, Jim Sorrell, and Larry Thweatt.

Recovering at Home or in Extended Care

Carleen Albright, Omar Beck, Kaylee Lumley, Suzie McDowell, Joye Nolte, Helen Sharpe, Ralph Sotello, Craig Timmons, Nancy Wilson, and Carole Zanella.

In Hospice Care

Ron Chambers, Pam Munson, Jerold Schreiber, Carol Smith, and Fran Smith.

Currently Undergoing Diagnosis or Treatment

Mark Bennett, Frank Denz, David Fraser, Barbara Frederick, Kalani Jones, David Sebastian, and Richard Sloan.

(People undergoing treatment may also be listed in the hospital, recovering and fighting cancer sections of this update.)

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EFCC Family News Update

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Fighting Cancer

Bruce Bechard
Elizabeth Birch
Ginny Bowman
Ruby Chan (child)
Denise Dominguez
Don Duttweiler
Betty Eastman
Kim Elliott
Greg Forman
Bob Halstead
Mary Gene Hassell
Terry Haynes
Ron Henderson
Donna Jio
Sherman Johnson

Madison Jones (child)
Dave Keller
Joseph Kelsch
Paul Mayer
Pam Munson
Barbara Neely
Terry Ogden
Lynn Petersen
Joe Phelps
Dorothy Plunkett
Jack Reed
Luanne Rishel
Debbie Roberts
Shirley Roireau
Virginia Sanderson

Dan Sandland
Connie Schacher
Ed Schacher
David Sebastian
Richard Sloan
Carol Smith
Patrick Stoker
Isla Strobl (child)
Marlene Sympton
Pamela Thacker
Craig Timmons
JoAnn Twombly
Donna Vuckovich
Rev. Jim Welch
Brett Wright