Practice Guides Emotionally Healthy Relationships Pt. 1 (11/5/20)

Sermon Recap:

Looking at 1 Corinthians 13, we continued our series in Wholehearted Community, exploring the need for Emotionally Healthy Relationships. Here are Pastor Brandon's main points from Sunday:

- It's impossible to be spiritually mature while being emotionally immature.
- Emotional health and maturity are critical skills that must be learned if we're going to love God and others well.
- The good news is that Jesus came to empower and teach us to love God and our neighbors with all of our hearts.

Read Scripture: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

<u>Prayer/Silence:</u> Have one person open in prayer and then take 2-3 minutes of silence. As you sit in silence, ask the Holy Spirit to help you understand the passage just read.

Discussion:

- 1) What about the passage stirs you?
- 2) How can pursuing Emotional/Spiritual Health be a pathway to greater love for God and others?
- 3) Take the Emotionally Healthy Spirituality Assessment (15 min): In efforts to get greater levels of awareness to better love God and others, we will take this short assessment together and then discuss what we found. A reminder that this is not a pass/fail test. Instead, this is to be taken with a Growth Mindset. Where can you celebrate what God has done, and where do you see prompting for growth? (Send this Link to Group)

EHS assessment: https://www.emotionallyhealthy.org/mature/personal-assessment/?v=4096ee8eef7d

- 4) What did you learn about yourself taking this assessment?
- 5) Looking at part B, which areas can you celebrate, and where do you see promptings for growth?
- 6) How does Jesus's perfect love for you on the cross motivate you to press into our need to grow in love?

Closing Prayer