

THIS WEEK at Word of Life

All events at church building unless noted otherwise.

Sunday, August 4

Traditional Worship

8:30 am

Contemporary Worship with Sunday School

9:45 am Livestream available at

www.wordoflife4u.com/watch

Apologetics Bible Study

9:45 am Front Meeting Room

Questions? Greg Peterson, 210-845-7468

Contemporary Worship with Sunday School

11:00 am

Saturday, August 10

SSS to River Whey Creamery

10:30 am

Meet at church to carpool.

Questions? Donna Molina, 210-705-9586

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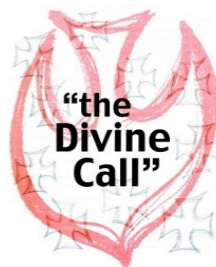
Congregational Assembly to Call a Second Pastor

Noon (after 3rd service)



Snacks & Coffee

Join us for coffee, tea, and assorted snacks after each of the morning services. Enjoy delightful conversation. Have a snack you want to share? Feel free to bring it!



NEXT Sunday

Special Congregational Assembly to Call an Associate Pastor

A special congregational assembly to call an associate pastor will take place **NEXT Sunday, August 11** after the late service (**shortly after noon**). Your

prayers and participation are vital for the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the building of His Kingdom through Word of Life.

Two candidates are under consideration:

Pastor Joshua Brown

39 yrs. old, graduated seminary in 2011, currently sole pastor at St. Luke's Reno, NV

<https://www.youtube.com/@st.lukeslutheranyoutuber576/streams>

Wife: Brittany Brown

Wife's Vocation: Workshop Arts Director

Two children, 10 and 12 years old

Presented very well in the interview, relaxed, confident, self-admitted Type A personality
Strong answers to Youth Discipleship and Leadership Development, good answer to Evangelism, in all three areas he emphasized the importance of relationships.



Pastor Philip Doublestein

36 yrs. old, graduated seminary in 2015, currently sole pastor at The Church at Brooks, San Antonio

https://www.facebook.com/brookschurchsa/live_videos

Wife: Kate Doublestein

Wife's Vocation: Marketing/Advertising

Two children, 4 and 6 years old

Presented very well in the interview, smart, well-read, emphasized relationships
Strong answer to Youth Discipleship, good answers to Evangelism and Leadership Development, emphasis is on making disciples that make disciples, things move forward at the speed of relationships.



While a call is a human as well as a divine process, therefore subject to error, we trust in the providence of the Father, the guidance of the Holy Spirit, and the mercy of Jesus Christ to lead us to the Lord's choice for a second pastor at Word of Life. Keep this process in your prayers this week and plan to attend the meeting.

Word of Life Fellowship

Building a bigger heaven & better lives!

August 4, 2024

8:30 Traditional

9:45 Contemporary

11:00 Contemporary

213 Coy Lane

Cibolo, Texas 78108

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Welcome!

We respect and welcome people of every race, culture, status and religious background. We're first and foremost Christian and Christ-centered. Secondly, we are part of the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, an international church body which

stands on the authoritative Word of God, upholds God's law and proclaims the Gospel which offers God's free gifts of forgiveness, a better life now and heaven forever. All this and more are received by grace alone through faith alone in Jesus Christ alone.

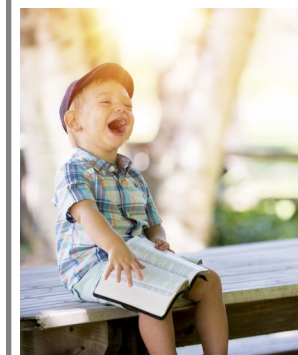
Children's Ministry

We are so happy you have brought your children to worship today. After the Children's Message, children (Infants—6th grade) are invited to attend age appropriate Sunday school classes:



- Movers & Shakers—Infant thru 3 yr old,
- JAM (Jesus & Me)—4 yr old thru 3rd grade,
- 'Tweens—4th thru 6th grade.

Please pick up your children from their classroom at the end of the worship service.



A Nursery room is available in the yellow classroom through the door under the left screen.

Children's Activity Bags are available in the lobby. They include activity books, coloring sheets, crayons and more. Please return the bags to the "tree" after the service.

Building a Bigger Heaven in Texas

This week we're praying for pastor Jason Moreno and Christ Memorial as they reach out to people in Houston and beyond. We support their work through gifts given to Texas Partners in Mission (TPIM).



DID YOU KNOW? Word of Life is one of the **top 50** contributors to mission efforts in the Texas District!! In 2023, our gifts helped start 15 new congregations, facilitated the training of dozens of new Evangelists and assisted in training several new Kingdom workers at our seminaries! Thank you for your generosity! You're helping share God's Word and change lives!



Sometimes Saturday Sisterhood **August Event** **River Whey Creamery**

Did you know there is a creamery in Schertz? Come tour it with your Sometimes Saturday Sisterhood friends. Meet at church at **10:30 am, August 10** to carpool to Whey River Creamery. The tour lasts about 2 hours and costs \$20/person. We must have a minimum of 8 to tour. Afterward we'll grab lunch and then return to church. Questions/RSVP to Donna Molina, 210-705-9586.

Church Community Builder (aka MYWORD)

Need to look up someone's phone number? Want to send an email to a Sunday School teacher? Trying to remember the name of that person you met Sunday? MYWORD is the place for answers. To set up your online profile, visit: wol.ccbchurch.com or wordoflife4u.com and click on MYWORD.

If you've shared information with Word of Life through the Info Slip, some info will already be included in the profile. Add a picture, update your communication preferences, and check out the latest Word of Life info. It's a secure way to communicate with your church family. Need help? Tara Hatfield, 210-573-4369.



Splash Back to School

All children are invited to join in some fun water games on **Sunday, August 25** during the **9:45 am** service. Be sure to dress to get WET.

Bring a towel and wear sunscreen! Invite your friends to join in the fun. **We also need volunteers** to help set up and supervise the kids. If you can help, connect with Margie Dominguez, kindermeister@mail.com

Children's Ministry Memory Verse

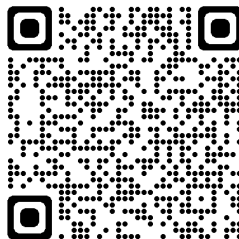
For this is how God loved the world: He gave his one and only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life. (John 3:16)

Giving to the Lord at Word of Life:

Electronic Check—Write the fund/funds you want to give to in the memo field in your bank or credit union's bill pay feature.

Check—Write the fund/funds you want to give to on the memo line of your check. Place in the offering box near the door or mail to: Word of Life Fellowship, 213 Coy Ln, Cibolo, TX 78108.

Cash—Write the fund/funds you want to give to on an envelope and place it in the offering box near the glass doors.



Online—Scan the QR code or go to WordofLife4u.com/give. The online service provider will retain a transaction fee of \$.49 plus 1.9% of the total amount of your donation. These are the lowest fees we could find.

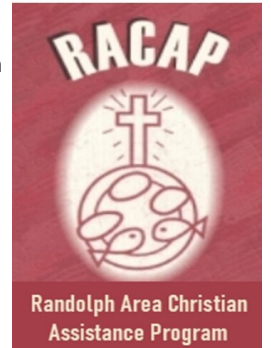


RACAP (Randolph Area Christian Assistance Program) operates a food pantry and provides emergency assistance to people in need in our community. RACAP is a cooperative effort of several churches in the area.

Current needs:

- Canned fruit
- Jelly
- Jello
- Cornbread mix
- Diapers, sizes 4, 5, & 6

Please place items in the blue RACAP bin in the lobby.



Calling all gardeners!

Is your harvest too big for your own use? Donate your extras to RACAP, 307 Pfeil St, Schertz, Monday through Friday between 1 and 3 pm.



Donations may also be dropped at the 24 HR Emergency Centers in both Schertz and Cibolo. The Schertz center is on FM 3009 next to HEB. The Cibolo center is on Cibolo Valley Drive next to the Cibolo Walmart. Just mention that the items are for RACAP.

Discontinued: **Pill Bottle Recycling**

For various reasons, it is no longer feasible to continue our pill bottle recycling. Thank you for supporting this effort! We encourage you to ask your local pharmacy about recycling they may sponsor.



Opportunities to Serve
Take a look at the RSVP form to discover current volunteer opportunities:

- help open the building for 8:30 service
 - help with nursery during 9:45 service, as needed
 - help livestream during the 9:45 service
 - help record offerings after the 11:00 service
- Indicate your interest. A leader will reach out to you.