

TODAY at Word of Life

All events at our church building unless noted otherwise.

Sunday, April 25

Worship

8:30 a.m. Traditional

9:45 a.m. Contemporary

Livestream available www.wordoflife4u.com/watch

Silent Auction Bidding Open

Confirmation

6:00 p.m.

6:35 Youth Group

6:35 p.m.

Wednesday, April 28

Leadership TEAM

6:30 p.m.

Saturday, May 1

Men's Breakfast Bible Study

8:00 a.m.

Jalisco's, 790 Roy Richard Dr. Schertz

Questions? Mark Stemmermann, 210-508-2073

Sunday, May 2

Worship

8:30 a.m. Traditional

9:45 a.m. Contemporary

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Confirmation

6:00 p.m.

6:35 Youth Group

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Men's Bible Study

Join with other men for nourishment and encouragement. This group will meet at **8:00 a.m.**, **May 1**, at Jalisco Mexican Restaurant,

790 Roy Richard Drive, Schertz. Bring your Bible and a friend. Questions? Mark Stemmermann, 210-508-2073.



Pill Bottle Recycling

Matthew 25: Ministries accepts donations of empty plastic pill bottles. They will accept prescription and over-the-counter pill bottles, large or small with plastic lids (child-resistant and other). See the display in the lobby for instructions on cleaning and drying the bottles. Questions: Margie Dominguez, 210-637-9440.



Ways to give to the Lord at Word of Life:

- **Electronic Bill Pay**—Indicate the desired fund(s) on the account and/or memo fields in your bank's bill pay feature.
- **Check**—Indicate the desired fund(s) on the memo line of your check and place in the offering box near the door or mail to: Word of Life Fellowship, 213 Coy Ln, Cibolo, TX 78108.
- **Cash**—Place in the offering box near the door.
- **Give Online**—Go to www.wordoflife4u.com/give. Please note, the online service will retain a transaction fee of \$.30 plus 2.2% of the total amount of your donation. To minimize fees and maximize ministry, please consider using one of the above ways to give.

Guadalupe County Children's Advocacy Center

April is Child Abuse Prevention and Awareness Month. Did you notice the pinwheel display out near FM1003? This is one way to raise awareness about the issue of child abuse in our community. The Guadalupe County Children's Advocacy Center works with children & families when there are allegations of abuse and neglect. They work alongside their partners in law enforcement, Department of Family and Protective Services, prosecution, CASA, medical, and mental health professionals. The GCCAC works every day to ensure safety, justice, and healing for these courageous children!

COVID-19 has greatly hindered fundraising efforts for this important work! Your help is needed! To support this work, to volunteer or to find out more, visit <https://gccac.net/login/>. Don't want to donate online? Mail a check made out to "GCCAC" to 265 Wetz, Seguin, TX 78155.



Word of Life Fellowship

April 25, 2021

8:30 am Traditional

9:45 am Contemporary

213 Coy Lane

Cibolo, Texas 78108

210-566-2237

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Building a bigger heaven & better lives!



Word of Life Fellowship

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

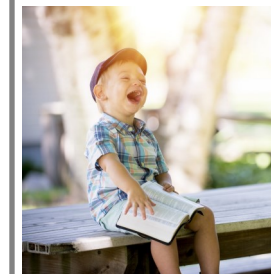
authoritative Word of God, upholds God's law and proclaims the Gospel which offers God's free gifts of forgiveness, a better life now and heaven later. All this and more are received by grace alone through faith alone in Jesus Christ alone.

Nursery

A nursery area is available for parents and children in the room to the left as you exit the worship area. This room is NOT staffed. Parents must remain in the nursery with their children. **Only children**



and parents from the same household are allowed to be in the nursery at the same time. Please use the available cleaning wipes to clean table surfaces, toys, door handles, etc. before you leave the nursery so that it is clean for the next family.

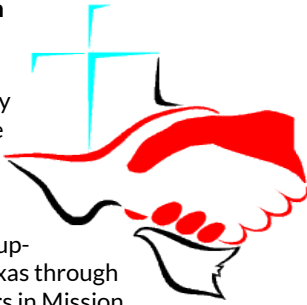


For Children

Children will stay seated with their families for the whole service. There are special **Children's Worship bulletins** available in the lobby. These include crayons and a Bible activity sheet. Children are encouraged to pick one up on their way in to worship.

Building a Bigger Heaven in Texas

In our prayers this week, we're lifting up missionary vicar Isaac Lujang and the people of African Immigrant Ministries as they reach out to people in Ft. Worth and beyond. We support new ministries in Texas through our gifts to Texas Partners in Mission.



Communication Coordinator

Word of Life Fellowship is seeking a part time employee or service provider to:

- create media for worship slides, website, LED sign, and social media,
- produce announcements, brochures, and other printed media,
- schedule livestreams and livestream posts,
- convert, edit, and upload sermons to our website and podcast directories,
- maintain archives of media and productions, and
- seek, train and support volunteers to assist with media tasks.

We're seeking someone who:

- produces attractive visuals which communicate the message,
- attends to detail, spelling, grammar, consistency, conciseness, and clarity,
- meets weekly deadlines,
- takes initiative, is a self-starter,
- collaborates and cooperates with staff,
- is fearless and persistent in learning new software and skills,
- is proficient or able to become proficient with ProPresenter, WordPress, Venus Control Suite, Canva, Church Community Builder, Microsoft Publisher, Office 365 and other tools.

About 75% of the work may be done remotely, but some work must be done at our facility each week. Compensation will be commensurate with training, experience, skills, and performance. The tasks currently require about 8 hours/week. Additional hours may be available for various administrative tasks. If you or someone you know may be interested, please contact Pastor Ken, 210-862-7629 or Ken@WordofLife4u.com.



Silent Auction

Youth Ministry Fundraiser

Bidding starts TODAY for the great auction items you see around the lobby, kitchen and worship area. Be sure to browse the available items and add your bid on the bidding sheet. All proceeds go to the Word of Life Youth Ministry and will help our students to travel to servant events, the National Youth Gathering, and other important activities. The auction will close on **Sunday, May 9 (Mother's Day)**. Perhaps you can bid on something that would make a **great Mother's Day gift?!!** Items include jewelry, spa day kit, camping necessities, museum passes, cornhole sets and more! Questions? Contact Tara Hatfield, 210-573-4369 or Noelle Williams, 210-777-3637.

RACAP Needs

Randolph Area Christian Assistance Program (RACAP) provides a variety of assistance to area families in need. You may help with monetary or food donations. Food items may be left in the RACAP barrel in the lobby or dropped off 24/7 at the following locations:



- Physicians Premier Emergency Room, 580 Cibolo Valley Dr. Ste.#137, Cibolo, (near the Cibolo Walmart)
- Schertz Cibolo Emergency Clinic, 4825 FM 3009, Ste. 200 Schertz (behind HEB)

Monetary donations may be made electronically through the RACAP website at www.racap.org.

Current Pantry Needs:

- Feminine Hygiene Products (pads, tampons, etc.)
- All toiletry items (shampoo, bar soap, deodorant, toothpaste, etc.)
- Diapers sizes 4-6, and Pull-Ups sizes 3T-5T



Gardeners: Do you have fruits or vegetables you would like to share with RACAP clients? RACAP will accept your surplus fruits or vegetables! Drop them off at the RACAP office, 307 Pfeil Rd, Schertz, Monday-Friday 1-3 p.m.

Leadership TEAM Update

The Leadership TEAM is meeting this Wednesday, **April 28 at 6:30 p.m.** Significant first steps have been taken by volunteer teams to improve ministry. Please keep these leaders and volunteers in your prayers as they seek God's guidance for Word of Life.



Texas District Church Extension Fund

The building loan for our facility was financed through Texas District Church Extension Fund (CEF) and we are enrolled in their loan rebate program. This provides a rebate based upon a congregation's ratio of "designated investments" to unpaid loan balance. Designated investments come from investors, **like you!** Every CEF investor is invited to designate a Texas congregation of their choice to receive a "loan rebate credit" for their invested dollars. Not only does your investments make loans possible, but they also earn an attractive interest rate AND can help increase our congregation's loan rebate check.



Our loan rebate for 2020 is **\$2717.36!**

Find out more about the investment opportunities and competitive rates available through Texas CEF at texascef.org.

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Luther Lands/

Oberammergau Passion Play Tour

Pastor Mark Barz of Crown of Life Lutheran Church in San Antonio, invites you to join him for an 11-day tour from September 6 to 16, 2022. Sites will include most of the key cites of the Reformation and in the life of Martin Luther, various places of history and beauty in Germany, and the world-renown Oberammergau Passion Play. Flights, hotels, tickets, and most meals are included. Daily devotions will also add to this time of faith and friendship. Email pastor@crownoflifes.org for info.

