

# THIS WEEK at Word of Life

All events at church building unless noted otherwise.

Sunday, May 8

**Traditional Worship**  
8:30 am

**Bible Study—Paul**  
9:45 am



**Contemporary Worship with Sunday School**  
9:45 am  
Livestream [www.wordoflife4u.com/watch](http://www.wordoflife4u.com/watch)

**Contemporary Worship with Sunday School**  
11:00 am

**Confirmation Instruction**  
4:00 pm

**NO Youth Group**

**Fresh Start with God**  
5:00 pm

Saturday, May 14

**Saturday Women's LifeGroup**  
9:00 am

Margie Dominguez' home (7715 Trophy Club, Selma)  
Questions? Patti Mitschke, 210-862-2075

Sunday, May 15

**Traditional Worship**  
8:30 am

**Contemporary Worship with Sunday School**  
9:45 am

Livestream available @ [www.wordoflife4u.com/watch](http://www.wordoflife4u.com/watch)

**Bible Study—Paul**  
9:45 am

**Contemporary Worship with Sunday School**  
11:00 am

**Easter Take-Down**  
4:00 pm

**Confirmation Instruction**  
4:00 pm

**Youth Group**  
4:45 pm  
Weissmann's (108 Rustic Trail, Cibolo)  
Questions? 210-314-3754

**Fresh Start with God**  
5:00 pm

## Church Administrative Assistant

Word of Life is seeking a part time, hourly employee, up to 20 hours a week, to attend to the many different administrative duties of the church, including managing records, business, communications, facilities and developing volunteers and systems to help Word of Life Fellowship build a bigger heaven and better lives. Compensation will be commensurate with training, experience, skills and performance. Please share this information with people you know who may be a good fit. You may find the position description at: [www.WordofLife4u.com/position](http://www.WordofLife4u.com/position)  
Send resumes to [BetterLife@WordofLife4u.com](mailto:BetterLife@WordofLife4u.com).



## Stephen Ministry

Stephen Ministers are trained in topics including listening, feelings, assertiveness, and confidentiality. They minister to people in transitional situations such as divorce, terminal illness, grief and childbirth. Stephen Ministers are also trained to recognize when a care receiver's needs go beyond the

care a Stephen Minister can provide and know where the care receiver may seek additional care.

Confidentiality is a cornerstone of Stephen Ministry. Stephen Ministers don't reveal what their care receivers have told them: not to the pastor, not to Stephen Leaders, not to spouses or friends, and not to other Stephen Ministers. Want to know more? Please call Tammy Weissmann, 210-314-3754 or Becky Peterson, 210-240-7776.

## Easter Take-Down

Volunteers are needed **next Sunday, May 15, 4:00 pm** to help take down the remaining Easter decorations. We'll need some young helpers to climb the BIG ladder and take down the fabric and the butterflies from the cross. Questions? Patti Mitschke, 210-862-2075.



# Word of Life Fellowship

*Building a bigger heaven & better lives!*

May 8, 2022  
8:30 Traditional  
9:45 Contemporary  
11:00 Contemporary  
213 Coy Lane  
Cibolo, Texas 78108  
210-566-2237  
[www.WordofLife4u.com](http://www.WordofLife4u.com)



## 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

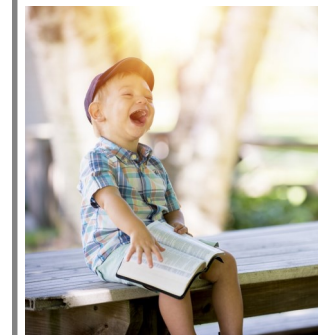
which stands on the authoritative Word of God, upholds God's law and proclaims the Gospel which offers God's free gifts of forgiveness, a better life now and heaven later. All this and more are received by grace alone through faith alone in Jesus Christ alone.

## For Children

We are so happy you have brought your children to worship today. After the Children's Message in both contemporary services, 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.**

Children may be picked up from their classroom at the end of the worship service.



**Nursery** is available in the yellow classroom. To access the room use the door to the left of the stage.

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

### Building a Bigger Heaven in Texas

This week we pray for newly installed missionary pastor Gerry Harrow as he prepares to plant a church in or near Robinson, TX. We support this ministry by giving a portion of our offerings to Texas Partners in Mission. For more information, visit [txlcms.org/tpim](http://txlcms.org/tpim).



### It's NOT too late to join! Fresh Start with God

This course will help you discover what Word of Life believes and help you grow in your connections with Jesus, with one another and, if desired, in meaningful membership. **Everyone should go through this seven-**

**week course at least once.** Meet in the front classroom on Sundays, from 5:00—6:00 pm. Questions? Pastor Ken, 210-862-7629 or [Ken@WordofLife4u.com](mailto:Ken@WordofLife4u.com).

THANK YOU for joining us for last Sunday's Taco Lunch! Proceeds will help us get to the National Youth Gathering.



Every three years, since 1980, the Lutheran Church Missouri Synod (LCMS) hosts a multi-day gathering for high school youth. The 2022 Gathering will be held in Houston, TX, **July 9-13** and 11 youth: Luke, Liam, Ryan, George, Alvin, David, Addison, Scout, Roselyn, Devin and Lois, and 2 adults: Tammy and Toby will be attending!



### Leadership TEAM

The Leadership TEAM meets **this Wednesday, May 11, 6:30 pm.** Please pray for God to guide as they carry out our vision & mission. Questions or requests? Please contact President David Christiansen, [dchristiansen1@gmail.com](mailto:dchristiansen1@gmail.com).



### Vacation Bible School

**Mark your calendar and get ready for Monumental VBS!**

We need your help to make VBS a success! There are opportunities for everyone! VBS will be **Monday to Thursday, June 20-23 from 9 am—noon.** VBS is for 4-12 year olds. A nursery will be available for the younger children of volunteers. Everyone 13 years old and older is encouraged to volunteer! Go to [WordofLife4u.com/vbs](http://WordofLife4u.com/vbs) or scan the QR to register! Please take a look at the display in the lobby and sign up to help. Questions? Kylyn Stark, [kylynstark@gmail.com](mailto:kylynstark@gmail.com).

Register today!

Scan or go to:  
[WordofLife4u.com/vbs](http://WordofLife4u.com/vbs)



### Care Contacts

#### Prayer Chain:

Jayme Edwards, 210-382-5711

#### Meals for Ill or Grieving:

Hillary Rubel, 210-787-8972

#### Hospitalization, Surgery, Major Illness, Pastoral Care:

Pastor Ken 210-862-7629

### Sometimes Saturday Sisterhood invites you to Creative Crochet

Want to learn the basics of crochet? Join us for a simple lesson on **Saturday, May 21, 11:00 am.** All supplies provided! We ask only that you bring a summer salad to share and invite a female friend to join us! To make sure we have enough supplies, RSVP by May 18 to Shirley Christiansen, [cotaqueen@gmail.com](mailto:cotaqueen@gmail.com) or text (210) 452-0372.



# I DONUT KNOW HOW TO THANK YOU!

### Ministry Appreciation Celebration

During the month of May we want to say "THANK YOU" to all our volunteers and staff who make ministry at Word of Life possible. On **Sunday, May 22**, we will celebrate all of our **great volunteers.**

We'll thank those who give their time and talents to make things happen: greeting, cleaning, mowing, landscaping, bookkeeping, teaching Sunday School, nursery caring, leading groups or teams, teaching Bible class, helping with communion, printing, folding and the list goes on!



On **Sunday, May 29**, we'll worship together in ONE service at 9:45 a.m. followed by a BBQ lunch! We'll recognize our staff and celebrate our Word of Life family.

How can you help?

- 1) Pitch in with planning and set-up.
- 2) Sign up in the lobby for sides, salads and desserts.
- 3) The decorating theme will be red, white and blue.

Loan us your decorative items in this color scheme

Got question? Talk to Shirley Christiansen, [cotaqueen@gmail.com](mailto:cotaqueen@gmail.com) or Patti Mitschke, at [Patti@wordoflife4u.com](mailto:Patti@wordoflife4u.com).



### Pill Bottle Recycling

Matthew 25: Ministries accepts donations of empty plastic pill bottles. They accept prescription and over-the-counter pill bottles, large and small with plastic lids. You do not

have to remove the label prior to donating. Just drop your empty bottles with lids in the container in the lobby. Questions: Margie Dominguez, 210-637-9440. Our thanks to a generous family for covering the cost of shipping the empty pill bottles to Ohio. Thanks!