

THIS WEEK at Word of Life

All events at church building unless noted otherwise.

Sunday, September 10

Traditional Worship

8:30 am

Contemporary Worship with Sunday School

9:45 am Livestream available at www.wordoflife4u.com/watch

Ruth & Esther Study

9:45 am Front Classroom

Contemporary Worship with Sunday School

11:00 am

Youth Group

4:45 pm 108 Rustic Trail, Cibolo

Questions? Tammy 801-682-7291

Wednesday, September 13

Leadership TEAM

6:30 pm

Saturday, September 16

Rise N Shine

8:30 am

Questions? Mary Flowers 210-219-0368

Sunday, September 17

How to BLESS Your Neighbor

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Confirmation Parents Orientation

4:00 pm Front Classroom

How to BLESS Your Neighbor

4:00 pm Middle Classroom

How to BLESS Your Neighbor - Youth

4:45 pm 108 Rustic Trail, Cibolo

How to BLESS Your Neighbor

5:00 pm Front Classroom

Guest Pastor

Be sure to introduce yourself to our guest pastor for today—Rev. Dr. Brian Kachelmeier. His message is titled, “The Shepherd Searches and Saves.” It is based on passages from Ezekiel, Romans, and Matthew.



Financial Peace University

You work way too hard to be this broke! Now is the time to take back control of your money, and that starts by taking Financial Peace University. Visit www.wordoflife4u.com/fpu to join our class (or scan the QR code) beginning **Sept. 20**. Start making your money work for you!

Registration is \$99.99 and includes the course workbook, one year of access to Financial Peace University and three months of access to the premium version of EveryDollar. Active duty military receive a free one year trial. Questions? Jerry Johnson 315-286-9220 or Ed Herrera 210-452-1588.



RACAP Needs

The Randolph Area Christian Assistance Program (RACAP) provides emergency assistance to people in need. They currently need:



- Canned Pasta Meals
- Meat Helpers
- Canned Fruit
- Dry Rice
- Canned Tomatoes
- Spaghetti Sauce
- Cereal
- Soup
- Jelly
- Diapers (size 4/5/6)
- Mac and Cheese

Leave donated items in the blue RACAP bin in the lobby. Monetary donations are also needed. Write a check to Word of Life Fellowship and put ‘RACAP’ in the memo line or place cash in a RACAP envelope.

Word of Life Fellowship

September 10, 2023

8:30 Traditional

9:45 Contemporary

11:00 Contemporary

213 Coy Lane

Cibolo, Texas 78108

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Building a bigger heaven & better lives!



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

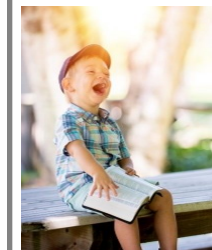
which stands on the authoritative Word of God, upholds God's law and proclaims the Gospel which offers God's free gifts of forgiveness, a better life now and heaven forever. All this and more are received by grace alone through faith alone in Jesus Christ alone.

Children's Ministry

We are so happy you have brought your children to worship today. After the Children's Message 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.



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 missionary Pastor Steve Morfitt and the people of Mt. Calvary as they reach out to people in Raymondville, TX and beyond. We support their work through gifts given to Texas Partners in Mission (TPIM).



Confirmation Parents Orientation

If you have an unconfirmed 7th, 8th or 9th grader in your home, you're invited and encouraged to attend a Confirmation Parents Orientation on **Sunday, Sept. 17, at 4:00 pm** in the

front meeting room at the church to discuss objectives, expectations and materials. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Ken at 210-862-7629 or Ken@WordofLife4u.com

Leadership TEAM

Your Leadership TEAM meets **this Wednesday, Sep. 13 at 6:30 pm**. Please pray for God to guide and direct them. Questions or requests? Please contact President David Christiansen at dchristiansen1@gmail.com



Operation Backpack

With the start of the school year, we're also restarting Operation Backpack. Word of Life, in partnership with Communities in Schools, provides shelf-stable food for children in need each week of the school year. Volunteers purchase food items which are delivered to

several local schools and distributed to children identified by the Communities in Schools representative on campus. There are often more kids in need than we have volunteers available. Now is the time to volunteer for the new school year. If you would like to help with this vital project, sign up in the lobby or contact Margie Dominguez, 210-637-9440.



What If You Could Change the World Without Changing Your Daily Routine?

When you've been transformed by God's love, you can't help but want others to experience the same grace and freedom. But how do you share it without scaring them away or offending them?

For most Christians, "evangelism" is an intimidating word that suggests handing out tracts to strangers or doing other awkward things. But what if there was a more organic, Biblical, more authentic way to share your faith with your friends, neighbors, and coworkers?

Next Sunday, **Sept. 17**, we will begin a 6-week series to help us learn to BLESS the lives of others.

- Sept. 17 - The Jesus Mission
- Sept. 24 - Begin with Prayer
- Oct. 1 - Listen
- Oct. 8 - Eat
- Oct. 15 - Serve
- Oct. 22 - Story

Everyone is strongly encouraged to join a BLESS group during this **whole congregation emphasis** to learn more about five simple, straightforward practices that will allow you to authentically share your faith. **Please sign up on the Info Slip to indicate which group you will attend.**

All groups are for all adults and meet in the front classroom at church unless otherwise indicated.

Sundays

- 9:45 am Jim Weissmann (starts 9/24)
- 11:00 am Melody Dunaway
- 4:00 pm Tammy Weissmann (middle classroom)
- 4:45 pm Klyn Stark YOUTH (108 Rustic Trail)
- 5:00 pm Pastor Ken

Wednesdays

- 10:00 am Kara Latimer
- 7:00 pm Mark Stemmermann MEN (middle classroom)

Thursdays

- 7:00 pm Greg Peterson COUPLES (2839 Pond Apple)

Saturdays

- 9:00 am Patti Mitschke WOMEN (1531 Jasmine Dr)

Rise N Shine

Join this group of faithful volunteers as they clean the church **this Saturday, Sep. 16**. Meet at the church at **8:30 am**. All necessary supplies are provided. The cleaning service takes care of bigger jobs, so this group is usually done in about an hour. Questions? Contact Mary Flowers at mlflowers@sbcglobal.net

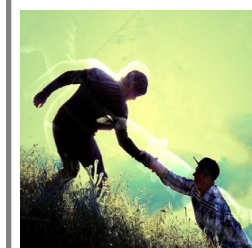


GriefShare

If you've lost a spouse, family-member or friend, you've probably found there are not many people who understand the deep hurt you feel. This can be a confusing time when you feel isolated and have many questions about things you've never faced before. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone.

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. It may be hard for you to feel optimistic about the future right now. Groups meet weekly to help you face these challenges and move toward rebuilding your life.

We plan to start a group this fall. Possible meeting times are: Option #1: Sunday afternoon/evening; Option #2: Tuesday evening; or Option #3: Saturday afternoon/evening. If you would be interested in joining the group, please rank these options on your Info Slip. Just note them in the prayer section. Questions? Jageé Valentine, 210-383-2864.



Care Contacts

Prayer Chain:

Jayne Edwards, 210-382-5711

Meals for Ill or Grieving:

Carrie Johnson, 315-286-0456

Hospitalization, Surgery,

Major Illness, Pastoral Care:

Leadership TEAM members