

THIS WEEK at Word of Life

All events at Word of Life unless noted otherwise.

Sunday, September 14

Service

9:00 am

Livestream available at wordoflife4u.com/watch

Bible Class/Sunday School for All

10:15 am

Service

11:15 am

Confirmation

4:00 pm

Wednesday, September 17

Fall Festival Planning Meeting

6:30 pm

Saturday, September 20

Rise N Shine

8:30 am

Questions? Contact Jan Pawelek, 210-865-6952.

Women's LifeGroup

9:30 am

The Brooks of Cibolo, 816 Everyday Way, Cibolo
Questions? Patti Mitschke, 210-862-2075

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Calendar



Give Online



Find a Group

Rise N Shine

Join this group of faithful volunteers and help clean our church **THIS Saturday, Sept. 20, 8:30 am**. All supplies are provided. Our cleaning service takes care of bigger jobs, so our group will be done in less than an hour. Questions? Contact Jan Pawelek, 210-865-6952.



Fall Festival Planning Meeting

Join us Wednesday, **Sept. 17 at 6:30 pm** for a follow-up planning meeting for our Fall Festival. It is planned for Saturday, Oct. 25 from 11 am—2 pm. We need you to make the event a success! Come share your excitement and get first dibs on helping out! Questions?

Carrie Johnson, (315) 286-0456.

Sometimes Saturday Sisterhood Bunco Party

Ladies are invited for a fun get together at the home of Julia Herrera (4309 Golden Oak, Schertz) on Saturday, **Sept. 27** from 11 am - 2 pm. Bring a dish to share and enjoy some friendly games of Bunco with your gal pals. We'll play a few rounds, break for a potluck lunch, then play our final rounds! Invite a friend to come along! Questions? Julia Herrera, (210) 452-3447.



Children's Ministry Memory Verse

Together, we are his house, built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets. And the cornerstone is Christ Jesus himself. Ephesians 2:20



Bibles for Young Readers

Our 3rd grade students will be presented with their own copy of My Very First Bible. We pray they will bring it to Sunday School and read it regularly.

Word of Life Fellowship

September 14, 2025

213 Coy Lane

Cibolo, Texas 78108

210-566-2237

9:00 am Service

10:15 Sunday School for all ages

11:15 am Service

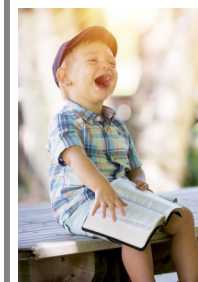
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*Building a
bigger heaven
& better lives!*

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.



We love having all ages in worship - yes, even the noisy ones. We know it's not always easy to focus with active kids. If it helps, feel free to use our **Nursery/Active Room for Kids (ARK)** through the door under the left screen. It's equipped with audio (and soon video) so you won't miss the Good News while giving your little ones some space.

Clipboard Lesson materials which reinforce our Sunday School curriculum are available for children during the service. Clipboards in front are for kids 7+. Clipboards toward the back are designed for younger kids.

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

Sunday School & Bible Class

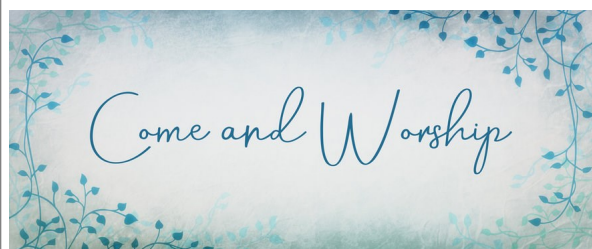
Learn about Jesus and apply the Bible to your daily life.

- Infant thru 4 yr old (yellow classroom)
- K - 6th grade (teal classroom)
- 7th - 12th grade (front classroom)
- Adults (worship area)



Building a Bigger Heaven in Texas

This week we're praying for Pastor Jaime Gonzalez and the people of Expansion as they reach people in Rockwall, Texas and beyond with the Gospel. We support their work through gifts given to Texas Partners in Mission (TPIM). Find out more at txlcms.org/tpim.



Thank you for providing input on our worship schedule. Based upon your responses and comments (53 of them!) the Leadership TEAM has decided to continue with the current worship schedule:

9:00 am Worship w/clipboard lessons and supervised Active Room for Kids (ARK)
Live stream video

10:15 am Bible Class & Sunday School for all ages

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The pastors plan to trying various liturgy elements, hymns and songs, and asking for your responses as we seek to grow in becoming disciples and making them.



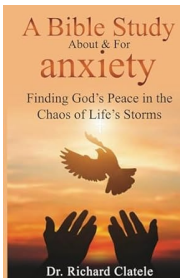
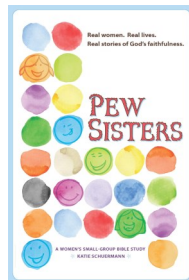
Operation Backpack

With the start of the school year, we're 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 project, sign up in the lobby or contact Margie Dominguez, 210-637-9440, kindermeister@mail.com

Saturday Women's LifeGroup

Every Christian woman has a story to share of God's faithfulness in her life, and we love to share our experiences and celebrate the sisterhood of believers. This study introduces real women in the church today and allows for reflection on God's faithfulness in all circumstances. We meet **Saturdays at 9:30 am** in the Activity Room at The Brooks of Cibolo, 816 Everyday Way, Cibolo. Patti Mitschke will lead the study and will have a supply of books on hand. They are \$10 each.



Monday Night LifeGroup

A Bible Study About & For Anxiety: Finding God's Peace in the Chaos of Life's Storms

This study invites you to go beyond simply reading scripture to letting its truth anchor your soul. We'll meet Mondays, starting **Sept. 22, at 7:00 pm** at The Molina's (416 Cortijo, Cibolo). Jerry and Carrie Johnson will lead. Sign up in the lobby so we can order books.

Common Threads Sewing Outreach

Neighbors of all backgrounds are invited to learn sewing and crafts in a welcoming, creative space. We aim to strengthen community ties, serve others, and reflect the love of Christ through hospitality, homemaking skills, and shared stories. We'll gather soon to create handmade items for the upcoming Fall Festival. We'll also use this opportunity to promote our beginner sewing class. Interested? Contact Kara Latimer, 210-748-5567.



Constitution Day

When Benjamin Franklin was asked what type of government was created, he responded, "A Republic, if you can keep it." As the nation pauses to commemorate Constitution Day this year, we have an opportunity to "keep it." For a free copy of Supreme Court cases based on Constitutional Religious freedoms, see the Resource tab at www.LCRLFreedoms.org.



Recommendations for Leadership TEAM Candidates

A Nominating Committee is being formed and now accepting recommendations from members for Leadership TEAM candidates for next year. All recommendations will be considered according to the qualifications stated in Bylaw III. B. 1. Qualified candidates will be contacted and written consent obtained indicating the candidate will strive to meet and uphold the following qualifications and duties.

Members of the Leadership TEAM shall strive to:

- Seek out non-churched people, pray for them, build relationships, share a verbal witness with them and invite them to groups, events and services;
- Actively participate in a LifeGroup or Bible class;
- Faithfully attend weekly worship services and receive the Lord's Supper;
- Offer at least 10% of their income to the Lord;
- Pray for/support fellow leaders, pastors and staff;
- Support the values, mission, vision and strategy of the Congregation and assist the pastors in communicating them;
- Make God-pleasing strategic and policy decisions which are driven by and consistent with the values, mission, vision and strategy of the Congregation;
- Recruit, empower and lead TEAMS to accomplish goals which are driven by/consistent with the values, mission, vision and strategy of the Congregation;
- Transact or supervise the transaction of all legal and general business of the Congregation (except that which is reserved for the Congregational Assembly), conduct business within the limitations of the annual ministry financial plan approved by the Congregational Assembly, annually report to the Congregational Assembly on the organizational and financial condition of the Congregation, and recommend an annual ministry financial plan at the annual congregational meeting;
- Be held accountable by fellow leaders for these duties;
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Please write your recommendation on the RSVP of your Info Slip and drop it in the Offering Box or hand it to Pastor Ken or Vice President Thomas Bruce.