

Please complete this slip and place it in the oak box to the right of the door as you leave.

We value relationships. This helps us get better acquainted and helps us better serve you. Thanks!

I/We are:

- 1st 2nd 3rd time Guests Regular attenders

I/We heard about Word of Life

from: _____

I/We would like to know more about:

- believing in Jesus
- being baptized into Jesus
 - following Jesus
 - helping at Word of Life
- serving in the community

Adult Name(s) *Please Print*

Youth/Children (grade)

Please complete unless our information is current:

Address

City, ST Zip

Her Email

Her Phone

His Email

His Phone

Needs, Questions or Comments

Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP

We Thank the Lord...

- for time, for opportunities to use our limited time here to join Him in doing great things that will last
- for our guests and all who invited and brought them
- for **Patty Steven's** completed move and for **Pastor Ken's** healing
- for 40 years of marriage for Ken and Patti Mitschke
- for \$474,606 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for all the blessings and resources God has entrusted to our care and His promise to multiply them to build a bigger heaven and better lives.

We Ask the Lord...

- to inspire and empower us to give ourselves completely to Him, to drop lesser things and develop habits which will help us grow in faith and love, to be a part of what He is doing now and in eternity
- to bless missionary pastor Richard Mittwede and the people of University Lutheran as they reach out to people in Austin and beyond
- to bless our attenders, community, state, nation and world
- to bless all leaders with godly wisdom and guide them to lead according to His will
- to bless victims of war, aggression and violence
- to bless victims of oppression, persecution and disaster
- to bless students and educators
- for rain to relieve drought
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to heal broken families and restore unengaged parents
- to bless and protect our deployed troops and their families, especially **Matthew Brooks**, Logan Nearing (**Leal**)
- for **Joyce Bruce** as she transitions into teaching English in South Korea
- for employment for Mickailis Molina, Maria Glover (**Molina**)
- to help **Chris Gerhart** study and pass his board exam
- to grant comfort and peace to Pastor Tom Hadley (**Mitschke**) in his last days
- to comfort the family and friends of Dr. J.A.O. Preus III, Luke Bird, (**Mitschke**), Joseph McFarland (**Akridge**), Janet Sowinski (**Valentine**), Eurshel Edwards (**Edwards**) as they mourn their loss
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (**Flowers**)
- to heal **Jerry Johnson, Patty Stevens, Al Fennigkoh, Peggy Myers, Denise Bruce, Joyce Givens, Neil & Jean Craigmile**, Paul Krish (**Akridge**), Janice Tolin (**Bruce**), Erica, Jeff Garwood, Darren Dominguez (**Dominguez**), Bethany, Bobby (**Dunaway**), Donna Ahrens (**Flowers**), Alene Prestage (**Hatfield**), Michelle Martin, Margery Erp (**Malone**), Sharon Fraker, Lillian Mitschke, Marvin Doering, Pastors Don Black, Rick Pfaff, Dan Chambers and David Goeke, (**Mitschke**), Ruby Brunelle (**Molina**), Phyliss Putnam (**Myers**), Clayton (**Pawelek**), Roberta Peterson, Phil (**Peterson**), Leslie Wright, Mr. & Mrs. Scott, June Vanucci (**Phillips**), Twyla Nash, David Rubel (**Rubel**), Heather (**Smith**), Bud, Riley (**Stemmermann**), Nelda Guerra (**Vallejo**), Rita (**Wallrich**)
- to heal those battling cancer: **Cathy Elkins**, Guy Morgan (**Craigmile**), Carolyn Dukich, Brenda, Gino, Robbie Coffey (**Dominguez**), James Maina, Ruby Hecox, Mrs. Millstein (**Hatfield**), Vincent Sorrentino Jr., Billy Morrison, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (**Mitschke**), Maria Molina (**Molina**), Meredith Powell (**Nightingale**), Roy Baker (**Nowell**), Susan Stephens, Erica Pamplin (**Phillips**)
- to help those we now name in our hearts and minds
- to bring eternal and better life to those missing new life in Christ

Please take this home so you may review and apply this week's LifeLesson and keep your Word of Life family in your prayers throughout the week. Please keep this list current by sharing updates on your Info slip.

Word of Life Fellowship

August 14, 2022

Traditional 8:30 am
Contemporary 9:45 am
Contemporary 11:00 am

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First Things First

Pastor Ken Mitschke

Ephesians 5:15-17 - So then, be very careful how you live. Don't live like foolish people but like wise people. Make the most of your opportunities because these are evil days. So don't be foolish, but understand what the Lord wants. (GW)

1. The Lord wants _____.

Romans 6:13b—Offer yourselves to God as people who have come back from death and are now alive. Offer all the parts of your body to God. Use them to do everything that God approves of. (GW)

The only thing Christianity cannot be is moderately important –C.S. Lewis

God wants the _____.

Matthew 6:24—No one can serve two masters. Either he will hate the one and love the other, or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other. You cannot serve both God and money. (NIV)

Whatever is in first place in your life is your _____.

Proverbs 3:6—Remember the Lord in all you do, and he will give you success. (NCV)

Success = _____!

2. It takes _____ to make the most of life.

1 Timothy 4:7b—Discipline yourself for the purpose of godliness. (NASB)

Discipline is doing the _____ now to enjoy the _____ later.

1 Timothy 4:7b—Exercise daily in God—no spiritual flabbiness, please! (Msg)

You become your _____.

Hebrews 12:1b—We must get rid of everything that slows us down, especially sin that distracts us. We must run the race that lies ahead of us and never give up. (GW)

You've got to give up the bad and some good for the _____.

Luke 10:40-42—But Martha was upset about all the work she had to do. So she asked, "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do the work all by myself? Tell her to help me." The Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha! You worry and fuss about a lot of things. There's only one thing you need. Mary has made the right choice, and that one thing will not be taken away from her." (GW)

Put _____ things _____.

Psalms 39:6—All our busy rushing ends in nothing. (NLT)

Proverbs 10:27a—The fear of the Lord adds length to life. (NIV)

When we _____ some things and _____ some new habits,

God will _____ some _____ things in our lives.

3. _____ moves us to live for Christ.

2 Corinthians 5:15—He died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again. (NIV)

There's more _____ and _____ in Christ.

Ephesians 1:7—Through the blood of his Son, we are set free from our sins. God forgives our failures because of his overflowing kindness. (GW)

God's _____ - _____ sets us free through the blood of Jesus.

Romans 12:1—Brothers and sisters, in view of all we have just shared about God's compassion, I encourage you to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, dedicated to God and pleasing to him. (GW)

How will I offer my eyes, feet, ears, hands and all that I am to please God?

2 Corinthians 6:1—We beg you, please don't squander one bit of this marvelous life God has given us! (Msg)

Only what we do for _____ will last.

Habakkuk 3:2—Lord, I have heard the news about you; I am amazed at what you have done. Lord, do great things once again in our time; make those things happen again in our own days. (NCV)



Prayer Requests/Thanksgivings:

Please **PRINT** or email to BetterLife@WordofLife4u.com

Confidential - for pastor only

These requests/thanksgivings may be removed:

I want to invite the following people to Word of Life . Please pray for them and me.

RSVP LifeGroups

LifeGroups are home-sized groups where you may explore the Christ-life together. Connect with people, pray, serve and learn together!

- I am regularly involved in a LifeGroup.
- I'll try out a LifeGroup.
- I'd like help deciding about LifeGroups.
- I'd like to lead a LifeGroup.
- I'd like to help lead a LifeGroup.
- I'd like to host a LifeGroup in my home.

Name _____

Preferred Contact _____