

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

Word of Life Family Prayer List

We Thank the Lord...

- for His Scriptures and His Spirit and for the work they have done through Martin Luther who rediscovered the Gospel and opened heaven by sharing it with others
- for our guests and all who invited and brought them
- for the recent baptism of **Marshall Cole Wallrich**, son of Mason and Mary Wallrich
- for our BLESS LifeGroup leaders and all who participated in LifeGroups
- for \$514,130 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for 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 thanks for the free gift of salvation by grace alone through faith alone in Jesus Christ alone, to identify those who need the freedom and joy of salvation, and to open the gates of heaven to them through the Gospel
- to bless missionary vicar James Lavender and the people of Austin Grove as they reach out to people in Pflugerville, TX 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 violence, oppression and disaster, especially war victims
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to restore broken marriages, engage unengaged parents, heal broken families, reconcile estranged family members
- for clarity of mind, conviction of heart and courage to act
- for employment opportunities for **Jayme Edwards, Dennis & Liam Hatfield**
- to bless **Christina Carey's** mission work in Laredo
- to bless and protect our deployed troops and their families, especially **Matthew Brooks**
- for a safe pregnancy and delivery for Joy and Michael Silva (**Fennigkoh**), Trinity and Logan Neahring (**Leal**), Samantha and Jadon Kempers (**Stemmermann**)
- to grant comfort and peace in their last days to Charlene Simms (**Stevens**), Bernard Sowinski (**Valentine**) and grant strength and rest to their families and caregivers
- for the family and friends of Gerald Coleman, Vincent Sorrentino Jr., (**Mitschke**) as they mourn their loss
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (**Flowers**)
- to heal **R.D. Latimer, Mary Flowers, Suzi Malone, Peggy Myers, Denise Bruce, Neil & Jean Craigmile, Joyce Givens, Patty Stevens, Clarice Craigmile (Craigmile), Mary Pargmann, Erica, Levon, Amber Lozano, Annaliese Schultz (Dominguez), Omi, Bethany (Dunaway), Daniel Muller (Grossart), Cheryl Fields, Tracy Parks (Hatfield), Leonard Mitschke, Mike Baksic, Iris Trahan, Alex Murray, Benny & Lillian Mitschke, Pastors Don Black, Walter Dube, David Goeke (Mitschke), Baby Zayn (Molina), Clayton (Pawelek), Phil (Peterson), David Rubel (Rubel), Heather Zakarian (Smith), Lori Sticka (Stafford), Bud, Riley (Stemmermann), Beth Roberts, Kay Jay, Evan Hance (Stevens), Jeanie Rosenburg, Tonja Brewer (Vallejo), Rita (Wallrich), Walter, Colleen Weissmann (Weissmann), Eric Hairston, Rhonda (Williams)**
- to heal those battling cancer: Linda Sue Southard (**Apao**), Janice Tolin (**Bruce**), Monica Mann (**Christiansen**), Guy Morgan (**Craigmile**), Betty Ruff (**Dominguez**), Rhonda Reyes, Kris Frett, Margaret Swartz (**Edwards**), James Maina, Shelby Renton (**Hatfield**), Pastors Ken Lieber & Wayne Graumann, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (**Mitschke**), Phyllis Thompson, Maria Molina (**Molina**), Meredith Powell (**Nightingale**), Dave Peterson (**Peterson**), Robyn Tate, James Corbin (**Stevens**), Adrian Russell (**Vallejo**), Terry Walker (**Wagner**)
- to help those we now name in our hearts and minds
- to connect people to Jesus and His kingdom.

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

October 29, 2023
 Traditional 8:30 am
 Contemporary 9:45 am
 Contemporary 11:00 am
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Building a bigger heaven & better lives!

LifeLesson Notes for:

Heaven Opened

Reformation

_____ years ago, on the eve of All Saints' Day (a day we know as Halloween), October 31, _____, a young Roman Catholic priest, _____, posted on the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany, a list of *95 Theses* for debate.

The most influential people of the past millennium:

1. Heaven Shut

The church taught:

God was _____.

You should be _____ of God.

You must submit to the _____.

You must _____.

Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP

Luther works and:
becomes a _____,
studies and is _____,
visits _____,
earns a _____ in Bible and Theology,
becomes a _____, and
realizes he's still a _____.

God is holy and just. I am a poor, miserable sinner, no matter how hard I try. How can a holy God possibly love a sinner like me? -Martin Luther

Romans 3:23—All have sinned and are not good enough for God's glory. (NCV)

2. Heaven Opened

Scripture and the Spirit works and:

Luther _____ Romans 3,
the _____,
It was as though the gates of heaven were opened to me! -Martin Luther

Romans 3:20-25,28—Because no one can be made right with God by following the law. The law only shows us our sin. But God has a way to make people right with him without the law, and he has now shown us that way which the law and the prophets told us about. God makes people right with himself through their faith in Jesus Christ. This is true for all who believe in Christ, because all people are the same: All have sinned and are not good enough for God's glory, and all need to be made right with God by his grace, which is a free gift. They need to be made free from sin through Jesus Christ. God gave him as a way to forgive sin through faith in the blood of Jesus' death. A person is made right with God through faith, not through obeying the law. (NCV)

Luther is _____,

Luther _____ the Gospel - that we are saved _____ by the _____ of God, freely and generously given to us through the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ,

Luther _____ the Gospel,
many _____ the Gospel,
the church _____ the Gospel,

the Gospel _____,
and today we celebrate our 506th birthday as the _____ and _____ Protestant denomination in the world.

3. Heaven Opened Today

Many still wrestle with _____.

John 3:16-17—For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but have eternal life. God did not send his Son into the world to condemn it, but to save it. (NLT)

Since _____ us, nothing more is needed.

However, _____ in love by obeying the Ten Commandments and blessing the people in the places we go will result in pleasing God and opening the gates of heaven to others.

May the gates of heaven be opened to _____ and to _____!



Prayer Requests/Thanksgivings:

Confidential - for pastor only

Please **PRINT CLEARLY**

These requests/thanksgivings may be removed:

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

RSVP Remembrance of the Faithful Departed

Next Sunday we'll celebrate the victory Christ has won for all who have preceded us to heaven. Please CLEARLY PRINT the names of your Christian family members and close friends who've died in the past 12 months and are now with Christ in paradise.

Name(s)

Email