

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

Word of Life Family Prayer List

We Thank the Lord...

- for creating us, redeeming us and sanctifying us, for giving us different gifts, for pastors who prepare His people for works of service, and for making us one body with every part having an important function
- for our guests and all who invited and brought them
- for \$482,930 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for Word of Life, its pastor and people
- 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 think of ourselves with sober judgment, to experiment with different ministries to discover our gifts, to open our gifts and put them to use so we may join God in accomplishing His redemptive mission
- to bless missionary pastor Nelson Hernandez and the people of Iglesia Cristiana Emanuel as they reach out to people in Houston 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, violence, oppression, persecution, and disaster
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to restore unengaged parents, to heal broken families and to reconcile estranged family members
- to comfort and strengthen students dealing with toxic situations
- to bless and protect our deployed troops and their families, especially **Matthew Brooks**, Logan Neahring (**Leal**)
- to grant comfort and peace to Richard McCarson (**Dominguez**), Bernard Sowinski & his caregiver Patricia Hornketh (**Valentine**), to Pastor Tom Hadley (**Mitschke**) in their last days
- to comfort the family and friends of **Cathy Elkins**, Twyla Nash (**Rubel**), Frances Weatherly (**Latimer**), Ronald Boerner, Robbie Coffey (**Dominguez**), Roberta Peterson (**Peterson**) as they mourn their deaths
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (**Flowers**)
- to heal **Tom & Denise Bruce**, Cheryl Gibson, Patty Stevens, Julie Garcia, Al Fennigkoh, Joyce Givens, Neil & Jean Craigmile, Paul Krish (**Akridge**), Janice Tolin (**Bruce**), Omi, Bethany, Bobby (**Dunaway**), Donna Ahrens (**Flowers**), Ailene Prestage (**Hatfield**), Gerald Johnson (**Johnson**), Michelle Martin, Margery Erp (**Malone**), Benny & Lillian Mitschke, Pastors Rick Pfaff, Mark Tews, Don Black, Dan Chambers, David Goeke (**Mitschke**), Janet Harris, Baby Zayn, Ruby Brunelle, Diana Haumesser (**Molina**), Clayton (**Pawelek**), Phil (**Peterson**), David Rubel (**Rubel**), Heather (**Smith**), Bud, Riley (**Stemmermann**), Rita (**Wallrich**)
- to heal those battling cancer: Guy Morgan (**Craigmile**), Carolyn Dukich, Brenda, Gino (**Dominguez**), Morrison family, James Maina (**Hatfield**), Tammy (**Kraft**), Vincent Sorrentino Jr., Billy Morrison, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (**Mitschke**), Maria Molina (**Molina**), Dawn Putnam (**Myers**), Meredith Powell (**Nightingale**), Margret Swartz
- 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

Building a bigger heaven & better lives!

Partnership

Open Your Gifts!

Pastor Ken Mitschke

How would you feel if...?

1. How to "think of yourself":

Romans 12:3 - For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the measure of faith God has given you.

"With sober judgement"

_____,
 _____ &

Humility is not thinking less of yourself but thinking of yourself less. - C.S. Lewis in Mere Christianity

"measure... given"

_____ relationship

_____ gift(s)

E _____ with as many as possible.

E _____ your feelings.

E _____ your effectiveness.

E _____ confirmation when you ask.

November 6, 2022

Traditional 8:30 am

Contemporary 9:45 am

Contemporary 11:00 am

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The Rule of 2.5

Do one thing in your _____.

Consider being a _____.

Try one thing as an _____.

You have _____ to drop it and try something else.

Do occasional _____ tasks.

2. Why you need to start using your gifts today:

Romans 12:6-8 - We have different gifts, according to the grace given us. If a man's gift is prophesying, let him use it in proportion to his faith. If it is serving, let him serve; if it is teaching, let him teach; if it is encouraging, let him encourage; if it is contributing to the needs of others, let him give generously; if it is leadership, let him govern diligently; if it is showing mercy, let him do it cheerfully.

That's what _____ are for!

God _____

To " _____ " God's people and

" _____ " Christ's body

Ephesians 4:12-13 - To prepare God's people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.

Average church mindset:

The staff _____

The congregation _____

Biblical church mindset:

The staff _____

The congregation _____

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"Here we grow!"

We are the _____ of Christ.

Romans 12:4-5 - Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

We _____ each other when we don't use our gifts.

_____ won't be _____ if we don't use our gifts.

God's work will be _____ if we don't open and use our gifts.

We cheat ourselves and miss out on _____ and _____ when we don't use our gifts.

We have nothing to do with what gifts we possess.

But we have everything to do with how we use them!

Prayer Requests/Thanksgivings:

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

☐ Confidential - for pastor only

These requests/thanksgivings may be removed:

RSVP Opportunities to Serve

I'd like information about helping or leading:

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Operation Backpack | <input type="checkbox"/> Children's Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> New Move-ins | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Serving | <input type="checkbox"/> LifeGroups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Celebrate Recovery | <input type="checkbox"/> Decorating/Crafts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Peace University | <input type="checkbox"/> Greeting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parenting Classes | <input type="checkbox"/> Welcome Gifts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GriefCare | <input type="checkbox"/> Connect with Guests |
| <input type="checkbox"/> July 4 Outreach | <input type="checkbox"/> Stephen Ministry |
| <input type="checkbox"/> VBS | <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Coordinating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Holiday Meals/Gifts | <input type="checkbox"/> Neighbors in Need |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mission Trips | <input type="checkbox"/> Fellowship Meals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Witness Helps/Tracts | <input type="checkbox"/> Meals for Ill/Grieving |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Child Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Database Assistance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning | <input type="checkbox"/> Website |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snacks | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communion Setup | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communion Distribution | <input type="checkbox"/> Repairing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Playing an Instrument | <input type="checkbox"/> Resource Table |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Singing | <input type="checkbox"/> Property Maintenance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sound Tech | <input type="checkbox"/> Praying |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Graphics | <input type="checkbox"/> RACAP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ProPresenter Tech | <input type="checkbox"/> Resources for Women |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drama | |

Name _____

Preferred Contact _____