

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 the Word, for warnings about people and things which will hurt us, for marriage and family
- for our guests and all who invited and brought them
- for answered prayers (*Mobley*)
- for \$505,082 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 avoid the poison and deadly power of sexual sin, to keep far away from temptation, to rejoice in the blessings of marriage, sexual delight and family
- to bless missionary pastor Mark Brunette and the people of Joy Lutheran 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 violence, oppression and disaster
- for Israel and America to turn to Jesus
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to restore broken marriages, engage unengaged parents, heal broken families, reconcile estranged family members
- for strength through adversity
- to bless and protect our deployed troops and their families, especially *Matthew Brooks*
- to grant comfort and peace in his last days to Bernard Sowinski (*Valentine*) and grant strength and rest to his family and caregivers
- to comfort the family and friends of Shirley Goeke (*Mitschke*), Norma Craigmile (*Stemmermann*) as they mourn their deaths
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (*Flowers*)
- to heal *Peggy Myers, Tom & Denise Bruce, Neil & Jean Craigmile, Joyce Givens, Patty Stevens, Paul Krish (Akridge), Floyd (Beveridge), Janice Tolin (Bruce), Frances Johnson (Christiansen), Patty Coffey, Reno Engel, Amber Lozano, Crystal Mahar (Dominguez), Omi, Bethany (Dunaway), Jimmy Nordmeyer (Flowers), Daniel Muller (Grossart), Cheryl Fields, Tracy Parks (Hatfield), Kristin Becker, Milton Friesenhahn, Alex Murray, Benny & Lillian Mitschke, Pastors Don Black, Walter Dube, David Goeke (Mitschke), Baby Zayn (Molina), Ruth Huse (Nightingale), Clayton (Pawelek), Phil (Peterson), David Rubel (Rubel), Heather (Smith), Bud, Riley (Stemmermann), Evan Hance (Stevens), Irene Alvarez (Valentine), Jeanie Rosenburg, Tonja Brewer (Vallejo), Rita (Wallrich), Walter (Weissmann), Baby Brooklynn, Rhonda (Williams)*
- to heal those battling cancer: Lauren Bowman (*Christiansen*), Guy Morgan (*Craigmile*), Patty Coffey (*Dominguez*), Rhonda Reyes, Kris Frett, Margaret Swartz (*Edwards*), James Maina, Shelby Renton (*Hatfield*), Pastor Wayne Graumann, Bob Baker, Vincent Sorrentino Jr., Billy Morrison, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (*Mitschke*), Phyllis Thompson, Maria Molina (*Molina*), Meredith Powell (*Nightingale*), Terry Walker (*Wagner*)
- to help those we now name in our hearts and minds
- to open the hearts of people to the Gospel and to open our ears, hands and mouths to bless them and share Jesus with them.

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

July 9, 2023

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

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Practical Proverbs

Wise Sex

Pastor Ken Mitschke

The Seduction

Proverbs 5:1 - My son, be attentive to my wisdom; incline your ear to my understanding, (ESV)

Pay attention to my _____.

_____ your ears to my understanding.

Proverbs 5:2 - that you may keep discretion, and your lips may guard knowledge. (ESV)

If your lips speak only of your _____ of the Word, you will be protected from lips that do otherwise.

Proverbs 5:3 - For the lips of a forbidden woman drip honey, and her speech is smoother than oil, (ESV)

zarah =

nopet =

Proverbs 5:4 - but in the end she is bitter as wormwood, sharp as a two-edged sword. (ESV)

What is sweetest can become _____.

What is most soothing can become the most

_____.

Proverbs 5:5 - Her feet go down to death; her steps follow the path to Sheol; (ESV)

Sheol =

Proverbs 5:6 - she does not ponder the path of life; her ways wander, and she does not know it. (ESV)

So what happens if you pursue her?

The Consequences

Proverbs 5:7-8 - And now, O sons, listen to me, and do not depart from the words of my mouth. Keep your way far from her, and do not go near the door of her house, (ESV)

The best defense is to turn to the _____.

Turn _____ from where she might be.

Proverbs 5:9-10 - lest you give your honor to others and your years to the merciless, lest strangers take their fill of your strength, and your labors go to the house of a foreigner, (ESV)

Sex outside of marriage has a _____.

This conquest _____.

Proverbs 5:11 - and at the end of your life you groan, when your flesh and body are consumed, (ESV)

Loose living invites _____.

Proverbs 5:12-14 - and you say, "How I hated discipline, and my heart despised reproof! I did not listen to the voice of my teachers or incline my ear to my instructors. I am at the brink of utter ruin in the assembled congregation." (ESV)

Utter ruin is _____.

So called “private” sin always has a _____ price.

The Best Sex

Proverbs 5:15 - Drink water from your own cistern, flowing water from your own well. (ESV)

Drinking water is figurative for satisfying _____ thirst.

A cistern was a _____ possession.

A _____ was even more valuable.

Proverbs 5:16-17 - Should your springs be scattered abroad, streams of water in the streets? Let them be for yourself alone, and not for strangers with you. (ESV)

Children should be a _____ to their father, not running with questionable paternity in the streets.

Proverbs 5:18-19 - Let your fountain be blessed, and rejoice in the wife of your youth, a lovely deer, a graceful doe. Let her breasts fill you at all times with delight; be intoxicated always in her love. (ESV)

_____ in Scripture is rare, not because God disapproves but because mutual erotic pleasure is obvious in nature.

Sexual delight in marriage is a gift from _____.

tishgeh =

Proverbs 5:20 - Why should you be intoxicated, my son, with a forbidden woman and embrace the bosom of an adulteress? (ESV)

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

Leaders Needed

I'd like more information about leading or helping with:

☐ Fellowship Meals

☐ Singing

☐ Neighbors in Need

Name

Email