

## Word of Life Family Prayer List

### We Thank the Lord...

- for welcoming us into Jesus' perfection through baptism, thank you that, while we were your enemies, you sent Jesus to bring us peace by taking on all our sin and paying the price of Your divine justice
- for \$556,680 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for the blessings and resources He has entrusted to our care and His promise to multiply our offerings to build a bigger heaven and better lives.

### We Ask the Lord...

- for the will and strength to stand strong against Satan and the temptations of this world to power, popularity, and possessions, and to make Your Life known through us as we daily die to sin and live to You
- to bless the attenders of Soulthirst and Pastor Patrick Miller as they reach out to people in Frisco and beyond
- to bless our attenders, community, state, nation and world
- to bless all leaders with godly wisdom and move them to lead according to His will
- to bless victims of violence, oppression and disaster
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to restore broken marriages, engage unengaged parents, reconcile estranged family members, heal and strengthen families
- for acceptance into a pre-med program for **David Collmus**
- for a quick and favorable contract to sell **Pastor Phil & Kate's** house
- for direction for **Jayme & Audrey-Anna Edwards**
- for employment for Nathalie (**Beveridge**)
- to grant comfort and peace in their last days to Steve Collins (**Vallejo**), Frances Johnson (**Christiansen**), Audrey Abel (**Mitschke**) and to grant strength and rest to their families and caregivers
- to comfort the family and friends of Denver Mixon, Scott Creel, Robert Sloan (**Dominguez**) as they mourn their deaths
- for a healthy pregnancy and delivery for the Davis family (**Doublestein**)
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (**Flowers**)
- to heal **Jean Craigmile, Jeanie Apao, Al Fennigkoh, Suzi Malone, Rick Wimberley, Carrie Johnson, Toby Molina, Norm Cook, Patricia Wise, Joyce Givens, Baby Koen Slates, Rick Latimer, Denise Bruce, Odie Foster, Linda Walton Ewing (Apao), Ginger, Monte Easley (Beveridge), Joshua Tolin (Bruce), Clarice Craigmile (Craigmile), Einar & Stacy Phillips (Doublestein), Bethany (Dunaway), Bubba & Donna Ahrens (Flowers), Tracy Parks, Gilbert Alaniz, Fayden Evans (Hatfield), Felicia Gant (James), Patricia Johnson (Johnson, Stevens), Robert Dale Latimer (Latimer), Lee Medicus (Medici), Robbie Smith, Connie Barz, Sandy Doering, Iris Trahan, Alex Murray (Mitschke), Paula, Kristine (Mobley), Ruby Brunelle, Miguel Molina (Molina), Marianne Powell, Carson (Nightingale), Phil (Peterson), Sef Alvarado (Stark), Bud, Riley (Stemmermann), Nicole Garcia, Mandee, Nicky Lahren, Beth Roberts (Stevens), Jeanie Rosenburg, Tonja Brewer (Vallejo), Jorge Garcia (Weissmann), Cindy (Williams)**
- to heal those battling cancer: **Chris Stemmermann, Lyndal Cadel, Ronda Whitaker Martin (Apao), Steve Bly (Christiansen), Guy Morgan (Craigmile), Denise Gonzalez, Betty Ruff (Dominguez), Margaret Swartz (Edwards), Shelby Renton, Paula Hill (Hatfield), Wayne Dreyer (Igo), Jessie Anderson (Malone), Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (Mitschke), Maria Molina (Molina), Becky Plumley (Nichols), Meredith Powell (Nightingale), Maddie (Stark), Adrian Russell (Vallejo), Maggie (Weissmann)**
- 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 to review and apply this week's LifeLesson and to keep your Word of Life family in your prayers throughout the week. Please keep this list current by sharing updates on your Info slip.

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 to better serve you. Thanks!

### I/We are:

- 1<sup>st</sup>  2<sup>nd</sup>  3<sup>rd</sup> time Guests  Regular attenders

### I/We heard about Word of Life

from: \_\_\_\_\_

### I/We would like:

- the pastor to call me
- to request a Stephen Minister
- to be baptized into Jesus
- to attend the next membership course

Adult Name(s) *Please Print* \_\_\_\_\_

Youth/Children (grade) \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete unless our information is current:

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, ST Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Her Email \_\_\_\_\_

Her Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Provider \_\_\_\_\_

His Email \_\_\_\_\_

His Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Provider \_\_\_\_\_

Needs, Questions or Suggestions \_\_\_\_\_

**Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP**

# Word of Life Fellowship

March 9, 2025

Traditional 8:30 am

Contemporary 9:45 am

Contemporary 11:00 am

213 Coy Lane

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### LifeLesson Notes

## A Death To Sin

*First Sunday in Lent*

**Lent's Purpose:** To \_\_\_\_\_ on our part in the suffering and death in the world, particularly the \_\_\_\_\_ death of Jesus, which conquered death's \_\_\_\_\_.

**Death's Origin:** Death is \_\_\_\_\_; a consequence of \_\_\_\_\_ entering the world after Satan tempted humanity in the Garden of Eden.

**Jesus' Nature:** Jesus is fully \_\_\_\_\_ and fully \_\_\_\_\_, possessing both divine and human characteristics.

**Significance of Jesus' Humanity:** Jesus' humanity is a true \_\_\_\_\_ with our humanity, as he experienced the same \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.

**Jesus Versus Satan:** Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ over Satan is the victory for \_\_\_\_\_ of humanity, as he \_\_\_\_\_ temptation in a way that humanity has \_\_\_\_\_ to do.

**Jesus's Role:** Jesus undoes \_\_\_\_\_, fixes \_\_\_\_\_, and fulfills \_\_\_\_\_.

**Freedom's Experience:** Jesus demonstrates freedom through \_\_\_\_\_ by facing human weakness and frailty with the power of \_\_\_\_\_.

**Impact of Christ's Death:** Christ's death for sin has made sin \_\_\_\_\_. This is demonstrated in those who are baptized into Christ being dead to sin and alive to God.

*"For the things that form the substance of innumerable evils are these: to be a slave to the belly, to do anything for vainglory, to be in subjection to the madness of riches."*

-Chrysostom

**Jesus' Victory:** Demonstrated through \_\_\_\_\_ and self-control, not through \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.

**Learning from Experience:** Embodying meekness and experiencing the freedom of dying to sin comes from \_\_\_\_\_.

### Questions for Lenten Reflection

**Self-Reliance vs. God's Help:** 1. How often do I trust in my abilities and not in God? 2. How often do I trust my abilities and rely in my own strengths and my own abilities to solve my problems? 3. How often have I

listened to God's call to me to pray and seek his help to overcome temptations?

4. How often have I relied solely on God to help me by using the Word of God to combat temptations? 5. How often do I pray when temptation comes? 6. Do I stress my physical needs over the spiritual needs? 7. When I'm placed in a position of leadership or power, have I used my privileges to intimidate, oppress or humiliate others?

**Idolatry and Misuse of God's Word:** 1. How often have I directed my attention away from God? 2. How often have I trusted in idols like money, sex, political leaders, or loved ones more than trusting in the Lord? 3. How often have I beaten myself up in order to overcome my guilt instead of trusting God's Word placed upon me in baptism? 4. How often have I misused or misapplied the Word of God? 5. How often has my concept of God been too small to trust completely?

**Materialism and Worldly Influences:** 1. How often have I trusted more in wealth than in my God? 2. How often have I substituted prayer for business, or worship and communion for party? 3. How often have I doubted the power of prayer to transform me so that I may transform the situation I am in? 4. How often have I conceded basic tenets of my faith - like generosity, serving the poor, and loving my enemy - in order to get what I thought I deserved? 5. How often have I allowed friends, money, pleasure, comfort to come between me and God? 6. How often have I deceived others just to have my way in my relationship with others, business? 7. How often have I allowed myself to be used as an instrument to tempt others and bring them down? 8. Do I find myself arguing with temptation or fleeing from it?

### Prayer Requests/Thanksgivings:

Confidential - for pastor only

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These requests/thanksgivings may be removed:

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

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## RSVP

### Volunteers Needed

Yes! I'd like to learn more about being trained and helping with:

- Caring for infants & toddlers
- Calling Guests
- Running ProPresenter
- Welcoming Guests

Name(s)

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Preferred Contact Info