

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:

☐ 1st ☐ 2nd ☐ 3rd 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

Word of Life Family Prayer List

We Thank You Lord...

- for qualifying us for your kingdom by Christ Jesus—apart from what we do or accomplish.
- for Kenneth Larson's (**Hatfield**) recovery from cancer.
- for delivering Fayden Evans (**Hatfield**) who is home now after over a year and a half in the hospital.
- for Patti and Kate, as faithful leaders in their own right, and who also support our pastors.
- for the blessings and resources You have entrusted to our care and Your promise to multiply our offerings to build a bigger heaven and better lives.

We Ask You Lord...

- for the fruits of Your Spirit—love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control—to help and support people in our lives to know You better.
- to bless all pastors' wives, especially those at a retreat this weekend, as they reach and care for people with the Gospel.
- to bless Vicar Michael Cruz in his seminary studies and the performance of his tasks at St. Paul Lutheran Church, San Antonio.
- to bless our attenders, community, state, nation and world—especially our neighbors who are being prepared to hear the Gospel through us by Your Spirit.
- to bless all leaders with godly wisdom and move them to righteously bear the sword of justice according to Your will.
- to expand Gospel evangelism in the greater San Antonio area.
- to bless victims of violence, oppression and disaster.
- to restore broken marriages, engage disengaged parents, reconcile estranged family members, heal and strengthen families.
- grant healing and recovery to those battling anxiety and addictions and to give fruits of love, peace, and patience to family and friends who support them.
- to bless the application process to pre-med for **David Collmus**.
- to bless the relocation and health of the Tolin (**Bruce**) family.
- for a healthy pregnancy for the Bristow family (**Doublestein**).
- for career direction, employment and/or transition for **Mick Molina, Dennis Hatfield, Mickey Molina, Jayme & Audry-Anna Edwards**.
- to comfort the family and friends of Joe Ardy, Rich Bailey (**Mitschke**), Frances Johnson (**Christiansen**), Celeste Lichey (**Molina**) as they mourn their deaths.
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (**Flowers**).
- to heal and comfort **Jeanie Apao, Margie Dominguez, Thomas & Denise Bruce, Joyce Givens, Al Fennigkoh, Baby Koen Slaters, Joe Watts, Linda Walton Ewing (Apao), Monte Easley (Beveridge), Joshua Tolin (Bruce), Clarice Craigmile (Craigmile), Mary Lu (Dominguez), Bethany (Dunaway), Baby Kennedy Curl, Bubba & Donna Ahrens (Flowers), Alejo Garcia (Garcia-Treviño), Tracy Parks (Hatfield), R.D. Latimer, Robert Dale Latimer (Latimer), Roger Fields, Robbie Smith, Sandy Doering, Iris Trahan, Alex Murray (Mitschke), Paula, Kristine (Mobley), Lewis Starkey, Ruby Brunelle, Marianne Powell, Carson (Nightingale), Phil (Peterson), Sef Alvarado (Stark), Bud, Riley (Stemmermann), Diana Paddison, Andy, Beth Lukasiewicz, Nicole Garcia, Mandee, Nicky Lahren, Beth Roberts (Stevens), Naomi Reese, Robert Maggiano (Valentine), Robert Stephanson (Watts), Stephanie Gibson**
- to heal those battling cancer: **Rick Wimberley, Lyndal Cadel, Ronda Whitaker Martin (Apao), Guy Morgan (Craigmile), Pedro, Betty Ruff (Dominguez), Rodney Edwards, Margaret Swartz (Edwards), Gladys (Garcia-Treviño), Stacey Barbee (Hatfield), Wayne Dreyer (Igo), Connie Barz, Cathy Brigham, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (Mitschke), Maria Molina (Molina), Becky Plumley (Nichols), Meredith Powell (Nightingale), Chuck Warner (Pointer), Andy Ten Braak, Kenton Stafford, Maddie (Stark) Patty Watts (Watts), Eddy & Chad Holloway (Paxton)**
- 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.

Word of Life Fellowship

September 28, 2025

213 Coy Lane

Cibolo, Texas 78108

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9:00 am Service

10:15 Sunday School & Bible Class

11:15 am Service

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Building a bigger heaven & better lives!

Christ's Household

Built on Mercy, Ordered by Grace

The Office Is Not Ours, but Christ's

- Paul says: "If anyone _____ to the office of overseer, he desires a noble task."
 - The task is _____, not the man.
- The office is a gift of _____, not a human invention.

The Weight of the List

- Paul's list is heavy: above reproach, sober-minded, gentle, not greedy...
- This is not a checklist for the _____ man, but a testimony to the _____ Christ.
- Christ alone is above reproach, gentle, faithful, and His _____ makes us fit for service.

The Household of God

- Paul ties leadership in the church to leadership in the _____.
- The call is not to dominate, but to _____.

Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP

• The Church is not a corporation, but a _____ - a family where Christ feeds His children.

• True authority is never for _____, but always for the _____.

Christ the Servant

• Christ is the true Overseer, the true _____, the true Husband of the Church.

• He manages His household not with an iron fist, but with _____ hands.

The One with all authority stooped to _____ feet and even to _____ itself.

Lay Leaders in the Household of Faith

• This text is not only for _____ and _____, but for the whole _____.

• God's household is built not on one man's _____, but on _____ who gives gifts to His people.

• Paul's virtues—sobriety, _____, hospitality, _____—belong in the _____, the _____, and the _____.

• Lay leaders serve when they _____ the sick, _____ with family, _____ strangers, and stand against _____.

• These are not _____ things, but the beating _____ of Christ's body.

• The Spirit shapes us to reflect Christ's _____, His _____, and His _____.

Our Response

• We do not _____. We do not _____.

• We _____. We _____.

We give thanks that Christ has ordered His household by _____.

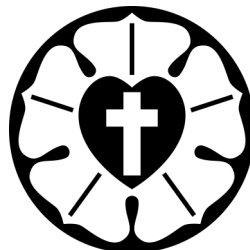
• Our confidence is not in our works, but in His _____.

Memory Verse:

"Those who serve well gain a good standing for themselves and great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus." - 1 Timothy 3:13

Propers (All appointed readings):

- i. Amos 6:1-7
- ii. Psalm 146
- iii. 1 Timothy 3:1-13
- iv. Luke 16:19-31



Prayer Requests/Thanksgivings:

☐ Confidential (for pastors 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

Recommendation

I have read through the qualifications in the printed announcements, and I recommend

_____ for nomination to the 2026 Leadership TEAM.

Name(s)

Preferred Contact