

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:**

- 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 Comments \_\_\_\_\_

**Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP**

## Word of Life Family Prayer List

**We Thank the Lord...**

- for sending Jesus Christ, not to be served, but to serve and give His life as a ransom for many people
- for our guests and all who invited and brought them
- for \$519,211 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for awareness when You speak to us through Your Word (*Stevens*)
- for the blessings and resources He 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 put God first, others second, and ourselves third
- to bless missionary pastor Doug Krengel and the people of The Family of Faith Mission Start as they reach out to people in Fairfield, 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
- for peace and justice in Israel and the world
- to protect the Church against enemies
- for sobriety for those with addictions
- to restore broken marriages, engage unengaged parents, heal broken families, reconcile estranged family members
- for loved ones to have a personal relationship with You
- for employment guidance and opportunities for *Nancy Murray, Jayme Edwards, Dennis Hatfield, Tommy Johnson (Johnson)*
- 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*), Brittney and Mike Follette (*Follette*), Trinity and Logan Nearing (*Leal*), Samantha and Jadon Kempers (*Stemmermann*)
- to grant comfort and peace in their last days to Audrey Abel (*Mitschke*), John Ulsher (*Beveridge*), Mary Pargmann (*Dominguez*), Bernard Sowinski (*Valentine*) and grant strength and rest to their families and caregivers
- for the family and friends of Dewey Montgomery (*Mitschke*), Ira “Tres” Sansom III (*Dominguez*), Baby Zayn, Phyllis Thompson Molina (*Molina*) as they mourn their deaths
- to bless Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (*Flowers*)
- to heal *Patty Stevens, Allen Fennigkoh, Aime Medici, Audry-Anna Edwards, Mary Flowers, Suzi Malone, Denise Bruce, Neil & Jean Craigmile, Joyce Givens, Allan Beveridge (Beveridge), Clarice Craigmile (Craigmile), Erica, Marsha Pargmann, Edna Robbins, Amber Lozano (Dominguez), Omi, Bethany (Dunaway), Daniel Muller (Grossart), Tracy Parks (Hatfield), Carolyn Johnson (Johnson), Madison (Leal), Iris Trahan, Alex Murray, Benny & Lillian Mitschke, Pastors Walter Dube, David Goeke (Mitschke), Meghan, Estella, Luca (Mobley), Carson (Nightingale), Clayton (Pawelek), Phil (Peterson), David Rubel (Rubel), Heather Zakarian (Smith), Bud, Riley (Stemmermann), Beth Roberts, Evan Hance (Stevens), Robert Torres (Torres), Jeanie Rosenburg, Tonja Brewer (Vallejo), Rita (Wallrich), Walter, Colleen Weissmann (Weissmann), Eric Hairston (Williams)*
- to heal those battling cancer: Linda Sue Southard (*Apao*), Monica Mann (*Christiansen*), Guy Morgan (*Craigmile*), Betty Ruff (*Dominguez*), Rhonda Reyes, Kris Frett, Margaret Swartz (*Edwards*), Shelby Renton (*Hatfield*), Neva Atkinson (*Johnson*), Pastors Ken Lieber & Wayne Graumann, Laurine Watson, Kathy Jennings (*Mitschke*), Maria Molina (*Molina*), Meredith Powell (*Nightingale*), Sebastian Hernandez (*Paxton*), Dave Peterson (*Peterson*), Robyn Tate (*Stevens*), Adrian Russell (*Vallejo*), Terry Walker (*Wagner*), John Gray (*Weissmann*)
- to help those we now name in our hearts and minds
- to connect people to Jesus and His kingdom.

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

February 11, 2024  
 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:*

### Lie #3: Put Yourself First

*Popular Lies*

Series based on Scripture and *Live Your Truth and Other Lies* by Alisa Childers.

Deep down we know putting \_\_\_\_\_ first is more noble than being selfish.

*Put yourself first* sounds good because we know an exhausted, stressed, angry person is no good for anyone. We all need to take care of our spirit, mind and body, but the best way to do that is to **put \_\_\_\_\_ first.**

Matthew 22:36-39 (GW) - “Teacher, which commandment is the greatest in Moses’ Teachings?” Jesus answered him, “‘Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.’ This is the greatest and most important commandment. The second is like it: ‘Love your neighbor as you love yourself.’”

Deuteronomy 6:5 (GW) - Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength.

Leviticus 19:18b (GW) - [The LORD spoke,] “Love your neighbor as you love yourself.”

Matthew 22:40 (GW) - “All of Moses’ Teachings and the Prophets depend on these two commandments.”

Put \_\_\_\_\_ first.

Put \_\_\_\_\_ second.

Luke 6:31 (GW) - [Jesus said,] “Do for other people everything you want them to do for you.”

Confucius, Buddhism, Hinduism and Diogenes all have something similar to the Golden Rule, but in the \_\_\_\_\_, negative form.

Mark 9:35 (NIV) - [Jesus said,] “Anyone who wants to be first must be the very last, and the servant of all.”

Matthew 6:33 (NIV) - But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

Matthew 10:38-39 (GW) - Whoever doesn’t take up his cross and follow me doesn’t deserve to be my disciple. The person who tries to preserve his life will lose it, but the person who loses his life for me will preserve it.

Matthew 5:39b-42 (GW) - If someone slaps you on your right cheek, turn your other cheek to him as well. If someone wants to sue you in order to take your shirt, let him have your coat too. If someone forces you to go one mile, go two miles with him. Give to everyone who asks you for something. Don’t turn anyone away who wants to borrow something from you.

First priority: \_\_\_\_\_: His kingdom, His righteousness.

Second priority: God’s \_\_\_\_\_!

Matthew 16:24 (GW) - Then Jesus said to his disciples, “Those who want to come with me must say no to the things they want, pick up their crosses, and follow me.”

Mark 10:45 (GW) - It’s the same way with the Son of Man. He didn’t come so that others could serve him. He came to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many people.

Romans 2:8 (NIV) - But for those who are self-seeking and who reject the truth and follow evil, there will be wrath and anger.

When we put our wants and desires before the desires of God and the needs of others, it creates extremes in us: idleness or overwork, self-hatred or self-obsession, rebellion or despair.

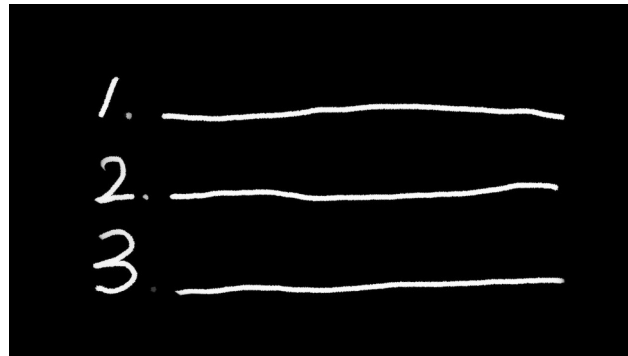
Proverbs 11:25 (GW) - A generous person will be made rich, and whoever satisfies others will himself be satisfied.

Culture	Scripture
Seek good for yourself.	Seek the good of others (1 Corinthians 10:24).
Value your accomplishments and “likes.”	Value others above yourself (Philippians 2:3).
Exalt yourself to be #1.	Be crucified in Christ and Christ will live in you (Galatians 2:20).

*With Christ in you, you can walk through anything. You can be unfulfilled sexually, emotionally, and intellectually, yet still be 100 percent free and filled with a deep, abiding joy. It’s true! But you can get there only if you start by utterly refusing to put yourself first. You are not even second. – Alisa Childers*

Lie: Put yourself first.  
Truth: Put yourself \_\_\_\_\_.

Next Week: *Lie #4: Authenticity Is Everything*



### 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

### GO Opportunities

Yes! I'm interested in:

- Tactics Video Bible Study - learn how to use questions (Columbo style) to talk naturally to people about their beliefs and about the Gospel
- Drive-thru Prayer - pray for people who stop by Word of Life one morning or afternoon a month, or help promote this

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Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

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Preferred Contact \_\_\_\_\_