

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 the Lord...

- for offering us love, Good News, humility, service and self-sacrifice, for disciples who received Your gifts and joined You in making disciples who continued to make disciples, for the disciples who shared Your love, Good News, humility, serve and self-sacrifice with us
- for \$555,018 given to our *Therefore Go* building fund
- for successful surgery for **Rick Wimberley**, for healing **Dave Christiansen**, **Dodd Coffey (Dominguez)**, **Evan Hance (Stevens)**
- 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...

- to inspire and empower us to choose people to intentionally disciple, to arrange a time and place where we will meet regularly, to focus on what Jesus said and did, to grow in faith and good works, and to help the people we disciple grow in Jesus' process of telling, participating and replicating
- to bless the attenders of Hope International and Mosaic Missions and Pastor Wellington Morris as they reach out to people in Fort Worth 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
- to bless students and educators
- for a quick and favorable contract to sell **Pastor Phil & Kate's** house
- for employment for **Jayme & Audry-Anna Edwards**, **Chad**, **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)**, **Lita Casiano (Weissmann)** as they mourn her death
- for a healthy pregnancy and delivery for the **Davis family (Doublestein)**
- to bless **Cecilia Friesenhahn & her family (Flowers)**
- to heal **Jean Craigmile**, **Jeanie Apao**, **Suzi Malone**, **Rick Wimberley**, **Carrie Johnson**, **Toby Molina**, **Norm Cook**, **Patricia Wise**, **Joyce Givens**, **Al Fennigkoh**, **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)**, **Daniel Muller (Grossart)**, **Daryl Larson**, **Gilbert Alaniz**, **Fayden Evans (Hatfield)**, **Felicia Gant (James)**, **Patricia Johnson (Johnson, Stevens)**, **Robert Dale Latimer (Latimer)**, **Lee Medicus (Medici)**, **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 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.

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March 2, 2025
 Traditional 8:30 am
 Contemporary 9:45 am
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LifeLesson Notes

Start Discipling

Helping Others Follow Jesus

Sources for this message include Scripture and *Joining Jesus – Show Me How* by Greg Finke

Who will I intentionally disciple to join Jesus in making disciples who make disciples?

Family (1 Timothy 5:8)

Word of Life (1 Thessalonians 5:11)

LifeGroup or Task TEAM (John 13:34-35)

Work or School (Galatians 6:10)

Gender (Philippians 2:15)

Teachability (1 Peter 5:5)

Proximity & Availability (Ephesians 5:16)

Competent to Teach (2 Timothy 2:2)

Where will we meet?

Home (Acts 2:2,46)

Church (Acts 2:1,46)

Restaurant, Coffee Shop, Public Place (Acts 19:9)

Work or School

Facetime or Meet

When will we meet?

Daily (Acts 2:46)

Weekly (Acts 20:7)

Monthly

Bi-Monthly

Not Majority of my Time but Priority of my Time

Over for Requests/Thanksgivings & RSVP

What will be the primary focus of our time together?

Discipleship > Scholarship

Discipleship > Friendship

The 5 Questions

How did you see God at work this week?

What has Jesus been teaching you in His Word?

What conversations are you having with pre-Christians?

What good can you do?

What should I ask about next time and/or how can I help you in prayer?

The Five Stages of Discipleship and Spiritual Growth

Marks of a Disciple of Jesus:

Identifiable, Measurable Behaviors and Habits

Discipling Tips

Strengths and Weaknesses, Successes and Failures

Avoid "Holy Huddles" and "Flesh Groups"

Talk about Jesus

"One of the reasons we in the [church] find it so difficult to talk to others about Jesus is that we rarely talk to each other about him in a natural, casual, spontaneous way."
– Leroy Biesenthal

Celebrate Small Steps

Insight + Action = Training

Insight – Action = Information Accumulation

How will I help the person(s) I'm discipling grow in Jesus' process of telling, participating and replicating (tell me how, show me how, show others how)?

Name one thing you have learned from the hearing, studying, and reading of God's Word.

Name one thing you have done which imitates Jesus or one of his disciples past or present.

Name one discipling experience you have replicated with your family, church member, or friend.

Marks of a Disciple of Jesus: Identifiable, Measurable Behaviors and Habits

1. Publicly Commits to Jesus Christ and His Body, the Church - Matthew 10:32-33

- Is baptized
- Professes faith (Confirmation)
- Participates in congregation events
- Joins congregation

2. Worships - Acts 2:42, 46

- Worships weekly in truth and in spirit
- Receives communion regularly

3. Listens and Lives God's Word - Acts 5:42

- Listens to the weekly LifeLesson
- Participates in a LifeGroup
- Grows in living out God's Word every day

4. Prays - John 15:7-8

- Develops daily individual and/or family devotional life
- Prays in small group settings

5. Cares - John 13:34-35

- Gives and receives care with family, friends, acquaintances and congregation
- Gives and receives care with people in a LifeGroup or congregational ministry TEAM

6. Serves - 1 Peter 4:10-11

- Discovers unique, God-given 'shape' for ministry
- Participates in or leads at least one community service or congregational ministry TEAM

7. Gives - Malachi 3:10

- Grows in wise management of all financial resources
- Gives a tithe (10%) of income to the Lord
- Grows in giving additional offerings beyond the tithe

8. Makes Disciples - Matthew 28:18-20

- Builds relationships with unchurched and under-churched
- Shares the love of Jesus by actions and by word
- Invites and brings others to events, services, classes and groups
- Helps others grow to be more like Christ

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

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)

Preferred Contact Info