

November 19, 2023
Trophies of Grace Thanksgiving Service



Praise & Worship Service
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Today at Word of Life		This Week at Word of Life	
9:00 AM	Bereans, Room 107 The Rock, Room 100 Seekers Room 110 Jr/Sr High Room 114 Young Adults Room 101	MONDAY	November 20
		9:00 AM	Women's Prayer Group
		WEDNESDAY	November 22
		7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study
		10:00 AM	Ladies Bible Study
		FRIDAY	November 24
		All Day	Office Closed
		SATURDAY	November 25
		8:00 AM	EMAW

Life Lessons: 1st-3rd Grade Room 222
4th-5th Grade Room 224

10:00 AM Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall
Whether you are new to the church, or regularly attend, take this time to get "acquainted" with someone and enjoy a cup of coffee together.

10:45 AM Praise & Worship Service Sanctuary
KW2 Heritage Center

Looking Forward
Business Meeting, December 3rd
Installation Service for Pastor Steve, December 17th

If you are a **first time visitor**, please stop by our **Welcome Center** in the foyer after the service.

Our guest network: WordofLifeGuest | Password: wolbchurch
Worship Service is Streamed Live on YouTube



Today we are celebrating the baptisms of Andy & Karen Altman, Peyton Gohl and Roger Glawe, who answered the call of obedience to God by following in believer's baptism.

Pastor Scott Away
Pastor Scott will be off this week November 20th-November 25th.



Ladies you are invited to join us for our **"Twelve Prayers of Christmas"** tea, Saturday, December 9th from 10-noon. Let's gather together, celebrating our Savior's birth. Please stop by the sign up center and let us know you're coming!

Here are the details:

- Sign up to be a hostess, & decorate your own table (including tablecloth or placemats)
- Check which food item(s) you'd like to bring
- For our gift exchange, bring a gently used, homemade, or \$5 value item
- Invite a friend to come along
- If you'd like to lend a hand—we'd love to have you help!

Any questions, please contact Carol Makowske or Janette Decker.



Prayer & Praises

NAB MISSIONARIES

Craig & Maureen Moody,
NAB Missionaries in Cameroon
OUR SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES
Aaron & Tonya Wentz,
Reliant, Serving at MSU

OUR CHURCH FAMILIES

M....Sandra Montoya
T....Wilma Nahinurk
W....Chris & Julie O'Bryan
TH...Michael & Taylor Oliver
F.....Scott & Paula Paad

1. Those serving in our military: Joshua Bell, Kristian Bell, Joel DiMarzo, Lawson Domke, Westen Domke, Elaina Matuzak, and Brandon Srebnik.
2. Lift up those with ongoing health concerns: Jan Algren, Dennis Bodem, Rick DeMarr, Karen Gonsler, Kurt Haaxma, Scott & Linda Joy, Faith & Alden Kirschner, Phil Kirschner, Jason Laird, Jesse Paul, and Judy Taracks.
3. Lift up our local teachers, administrators and all other school employees, as well as our students and their parents.
4. Pray for healing, strength. and protection over the marriages and families at Word of Life. The enemy is constantly at work seeking to discourage and destroy these key foundations of God.

Due to the high volume of prayer requests we receive on a weekly basis we are not able to update this section with all of the requests we would like to. We receive requests from multiple sources and update our prayer email with the most current requests and revise the status as we receive them. If you would like to receive or send prayer requests please contact our church office to be added to the prayer email list or to send your request.

There are many unspoken needs in our congregation, including upcoming surgeries or those struggling with chronic illness. Please remember them in your prayers.

Dear Word of Life Family,
We are excited to announce there were 240 shoeboxes collected this year. Thank you to all who helped and participated in this year's shoebox packing. We are grateful for each and every one!

Missionary Christmas
The Mission Team is requesting you consider our supported missionaries and give toward a Christmas love gift for them. The gifts will be collected during the month of November so the missionaries receive their checks in the mail the beginning of December.
For ease of giving, the Christmas offering envelopes are available in the pews, at the Welcome Center and on the credenza in the church foyer. Or you may use a regular envelope and write "Missionary Christmas" on the envelope and place in the giving container in the foyer. We thank you in advance for these offerings for our supported missionaries!

Rev. Scott A. Joy, Lead Pastor | **Rev. Timothy Decker**, Administrative Pastor
Non-Staff Elders: Dan Kirschner | Kevin Berg | Kevin Dore | Jim Makowske
Office Administrative Assistant: Monica Rose
Youth Ministries Administrative Coordinator: Melissa Roznowski

STEWARDSHIP REPORT 11/12/2023

We Came:	42	Sunday School
We Came:	283	Worship
We Gave:	\$12,433.00	Last Week's Offering
We Need:	\$10,282.26	Weekly Budget
We Gave:	\$450,606.96	Year-to-Date Offering
We Need:	\$472,974.96	Year-to-Date Budget

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Office Hours: 9:00 AM-4:30 PM (Closed over the lunch hour and all day on Thursday)

Baptism Sunday: The third Sunday of each month is reserved for Baptism Sunday. If you are being called to be baptized in Christ or have any questions, please fill out a Communication card, contact the church office or sign up in the church foyer at the sign-up table.