

September 21, 2025  
Series: "Jesus—Who Do You Say I Am"  
Title: "The Grace of The King—Part 2"  
Text: Psalm 103:1-14  
Pastor Scott Joy

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## *Praise & Worship Service* *September 21, 2025*

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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 Salt & Light Room 115 Life Lessons: 1st-3rd Grade Room 222 4th-5th Grade Room 224		
10:00 AM	Coffee Hour Fellowship Hall	MONDAY	September 22
10:20 AM	Pre-Service Prayer in Prayer Room	9:00 AM	Women's Prayer Group
10:45 AM	Praise & Worship Service in Sanctuary Kidville at Upper Heritage Center KW2 at Lower Heritage Center	WEDNESDAY	September 24
		7:30 AM	Men's Prayer Group
		5:50 PM	Axis
		6:15 PM	Kids LIFE
		6:15 PM	A Learner's LIFE
		6:15 PM	A Devotional LIFE

### Looking Forward

Sacred Prayer Gathering, October 5th  
Men's Mini Retreat, October 11th

Fall Festival, October 12th  
Leaders Summit, October 21st

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

### Ladies of Word of Life

You are cordially invited to join our Bible study beginning Wednesday **September 24th** from 10:00am—12:00pm. We are continuing in the book, “Women of the Bible” by Jean Suswerda. Don’t miss this opportunity to gather with other ladies! If you have questions, please contact Carol Makowske.



Our membership class, led by Pastor Tim. We will meet next Sunday, **September 28th** from 9:00am—10:15am in Room 109. There is a Sign up sheet at the Sign up center and Welcome center, please let us know if you’ll be able to make it, we can’t wait to see you!

### A Call To Prayer

Our **Sacred Prayer Gathering** is on **October 5th at 9:00am** during the ABF hour. Everyone is invited for a time of praise, singing, testimony, prayer and fellowship. We hope to see you there!

### Men’s Retreat at the Stream,

Men, check your calendars to find out if you’re able to attend our up and coming Men’s Retreat on Saturday, **October 11th** from 10:00am—2:00pm. Invite a friend, brother, father or son. Come early and stay late for food, fun and God’s word! “O Lord my God, you are very Great!” -Psalm 104:1

### Dear Church Family,

*It is with great sadness we share that Jessica Yarch, aged 46, passed away suddenly due to heart issues on Monday, September 15, 2025. Before moving to the Grand Rapids area, Jessica was a member of our church for years and served on our church as the Admin Assistant for our youth ministry. Please be in prayer for her family and friends during this time of mourning. Her memorial service is being held at 11:00am, Friday, September 26th at Cascade Fellowship Church in Grand Rapids. Her obituary can be found through: [mkdfuneralhome.com](http://mkdfuneralhome.com).*

### Chain of Life

Since 1987, believers have gathered nationwide on the **first Sunday of every October** to prayerfully stand for life. On the first Sunday in October, LIFE CHAIN invites the churches in each city and town across North America to stand on a designated local sidewalk and pray for 90 minutes, while holding one of the provided pro-life messaged signs. Mark your calendar and watch for further details. Also, currently WOL does not have a contact person to connect us with the national organization. If you would be interested in learning more about this important role, please contact Dan Kirschner or the church office.

### Prayer & Praises

#### NAB MISSIONARIES

John & Sarah Cassidy,  
Hope Community Church, CA  
**OUR SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES**  
Lynn & Karne McAdam,  
OC International, Sun City AZ

#### OUR CHURCH FAMILIES

M....Mark & Dawn Bluck  
T....Nathan & Lisa Blury  
W....Dennis & Beverly Bodem  
TH...Heather Bodem  
F.....Ted & Vicki Brancheau

1. Those serving in our military: Joshua Bell, Kristian Bell, Logan DenBleyker, Joel DiMarzo, Daniel Etzel, Elaina Matuzak, and Brandon Srebnik.
2. Lift up those with ongoing health concerns: Dennis Bodem, Scott & Linda Joy, Faith Kirschner, Phil Kirschner, Jesse Paul, John Reames, Judy Taracks, and Cindy Troxell.
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.***

**Rev. Scott A. Joy**, Lead Pastor

**Rev. Timothy Decker**, Administrative Pastor | **Rev. Stephen Bauman**, Pastor of Youth Ministries

Non-Staff Elders: Dan Kirschner | Kevin Berg | Kevin Dore | Jim Makowske

Office Administrative Assistant: Monica Rose

Youth Ministries Administrative Assistant: Melissa Roznowski

#### STEWARDSHIP REPORT 9/14/2025

We Came:	39	Sunday School
We Came:	291	Worship
We Gave:	\$10,531.94	Last Week's Offering
We Need:	\$11,475.22	Weekly Budget
We Gave:	\$390,865.26	Year-to-Date Offering
We Need:	\$424,450.69	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.