

Lord of Life **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

for the Week of July 6, 2025

Sunday School - Children K - 5th Grade

Sunday school classes begin at 9:25 AM in Room 116 for music. At 10:30 AM parents may pick up K – 5th graders from Room 113.

Jr & Sr IMPACT Bible Class - “Faithfully Connected”

Students meet at 9:30 AM in Room 122 with Scott Peters.

Special Needs Bible Class

Students meet at 9:30 AM with Sandy Ehrett in the Library.

Adult Bible Class

At 9:30ish, Pastor leads a discussion over the Nicene Creed in the fellowship hall.

Adult Bible Class Small Group Alternative

Mike Kunschke leads a study on the Gospel of John at 9:30 AM in Room 115.

Farewell Reception for our Deaconess Intern - next Sunday!

The time has come to gather together to say our good-byes and send our well wishes to our Deaconess Intern, Julie Baumann. Join us next Sunday, July 13, before Pastor’s Bible Class around 9:00ish, for cake, coffee, and fellowship. Take a moment to tell Julie how her service here has blessed us – her last day here at Lord of Life will be Sunday, July 27th. Julie, may our Lord continue to bless you. You will be missed.

Seeking Gently Used Furniture

Our next deaconess intern, Paige Rebber, will be joining us at the first of August for her one year long internship. During that time, she will be staying in an apartment not far from the church and is in need of a few furnishings. If you have or are aware of any of the following gently used items that would be available to Paige, please contact Scott Peters. Thanks for your help!

Dining table and (4) chairs
Small sofa or love seat (preferably sleeper)
Living or lounge chair

It’s a Baby Shower!

Join us here at Lord of Life on Sat., July 26th at 2PM as we celebrate Grace Slater and the upcoming arrival of her twin baby boys! Come for an afternoon of fun, games, and potluck-style snacks as we shower her with love and blessings. Bring a dish to share and help us make this a sweet time of fellowship! There is a bookmark in the narthex with more information. RSVP to Lauren Moudy (214) 415-8939.



Community Rewards

If you shop Kroger regularly, link your Kroger Plus Card to Lord of Life (**BW594**) in their Community Rewards program, then your purchases will benefit Lord of Life Lutheran Church. This selection **must be renewed every August** (www.kroger.com/account/communityrewards) or it is dropped from your Kroger Plus Card – check your receipts if you're not sure where your rewards are going. We received \$72.84 from 26 households with Kroger purchases between February 24, 2025 and May 24, 2025! Thank you!

Children's Book Drive for Forerunner Mentoring

We're collecting Christian books for boys in Kindergarten through 5th grade as part of a summer book drive benefiting Forerunner Mentoring. Both new and gently used books are welcome, as well as financial contributions. Please contact Lauren Moudy with questions.

Portals of Prayer/Lutheran Witness

If you would like to make a donation to cover your cost of the Portals of Prayer and the Lutheran Witness, please place a check for \$30 in the offering plate with the notation "Lutheran Witness".

Printing the Bible in Braille - this Thursday

Lord of Life has a team that prints the Bible in Braille once a month. The printing machine and materials are at Messiah Lutheran Church, 1801 West Plano Parkway (about 10 minutes away from LoL). Printing is on the 2nd Thursday of each month from 9:30am to 11am. You do not have to know how to read or write Braille. The printing plates are made at Lutheran Braille Workers in California and sent to us. A member at Messiah makes sure we have the other materials we need to complete the books. If you would like to learn more, or to come and observe, please contact Ruth Bernhardt at ruthbe3@gmail.com or at (972) 955-8468.

A Life Thought in the Church Year

Our Lord Jesus Christ has the courage to speak warning to His country's culture and communities (Luke 10:13-15). He whose eyes keep watch on national happenings (Psalm 66:7) knows no other way to restore ones He loves. Only abandoning evil allows anyone to embrace the Gospel's comfort (Isaiah 66:13, 15-16!) and joy (Luke 10:19-20). May our sanctity of life witness follow His lead!

Christ for You this Week on KFUO.org

On Sharper Iron (weekdays at 8:00 a.m. CT) we are continuing our study of Israel's history according to the books of 1 and 2 Kings. This week, we'll take a look at 2 Kings chapters 21-25. Tune in to Thy Strong Word (weekdays at 11 a.m. CT) as we begin a new study of Paul's second letter to the Corinthians! Don't forget to join us this Saturday (7/12 at 10 a.m. CT) for Concord Matters! We will be studying the 2nd Commandment in the Large Catechism. What does it mean to direct our mouth and tongue toward God? Find your favorite programs on demand at kfuo.org or in the KFUE Radio app!

Serving Our Worship Today:

Pastor:	Rev. Joel Shaltanis
Organist:	Danny Kim
Acolyte:	Sean Tweedie
Altar Guild:	Clarice Lundquist, Beverly Moudy, Laurie George
Elders:	Scott Peters, Doug Hite
Greeters:	Scarth Family, Laurie and Abby George
Ushers:	Ben Scarth, Mark Ziegelbein
Sound:	Russ Wilkerson, Doug Hite

This Week at Lord of Life - Today, July 6, 2025

8:00 AM	Early Worship Service
9:30 AM	Jr & Sr IMPACT Class (Room 122) Special Needs Class (Library) Adult Bible Class (Fellowship Hall) Adult Bible Small Class (Room 115)
10:45 AM	Late Worship Service

Tuesday, July 8

7:00 PM	Board of Elders
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Wednesday, July 9

10:00 AM	Midweek Adult Bible Study
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Thursday, July 10

9:30 AM	Braille Ministry @Messiah
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Next Sunday's Readings July 13, 2025

Old Testament:	Lev. (18:1-5) 19:9-18
Epistle:	Col. 1:1-14
Gospel:	Luke 10:25-37



Altar Flowers

The flower arrangements on the altar this morning are given to the Glory of God by Jerry & Winona Parish in memory of Winona's father, Ralph; and by the Bunger family in celebration of Don's parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

LWML Texas District MITES

The focus for July 2025 is on the LWML grant **Let It Shine Academy at Bethany Lutheran, Austin/Lutheran Special Education Ministries — \$10,000**. The Let It Shine Academy at Bethany Lutheran Church, Austin, was established by Lutheran Special Education Ministries (LSEM), and is a preschool designed to address the unique needs of children, particularly those on the autism spectrum and those needing early intervention. This mission grant will provide tuition assistance, materials, and training needed to support the school's Christ-centered learning environment. *Mite offerings will be collected on the second Sunday of each month or may be turned into the office. Each member of LOL is encouraged to collect their mites as the widow in the Bible, and prayerfully support the mission service projects of the LWML, Lutheran Women in Mission.*