

## THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

### Sunday, September 14 Worship and Rally Day

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary  
10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates  
11:00 AM – Church Picnic  
1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure  
5:00 PM\* –Worship, YouTube

## Music Notes



Here are links to this week's  
praise song:

"Praise Him, Praise Him"

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3TNCrXyMyYU&list=RD3TNCrXyMyYU&start\\_radio=1](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3TNCrXyMyYU&list=RD3TNCrXyMyYU&start_radio=1)



### Sunday, September 21 Worship and Sunday School

9:30 AM – Worship, Sanctuary  
10:00 AM – Resident Worship, Julian Estates  
10:45 AM – Coffee Hour  
11:05 AM – Gathering Time in the Sanctuary  
11:15 AM – Sunday School  
1:30 PM – Resident Worship, Bonaventure  
5:00 PM\* –Worship, YouTube

**\*Always the goal, but may be impacted by technology issues beyond our control**

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### Full Lectionary for September 14, 2025;

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Exodus 32:7-14  
Psalm Psalm 51:1-10  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading 1 Timothy 1:12-17  
Gospel Luke 15:1-10

### Full Lectionary for September 21, 2025;

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Amos 8:4-7  
Psalm Psalm 113  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading 1 Timothy 2:1-7  
Gospel Luke 16:1-13

### Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

### Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

## LOOKING AHEAD

<u>September 14, Sunday, 9:30 am</u>	Worship Service – Rally Day Congregational Picnic after worship
<u>September 21, Sunday, 9:30 am</u> <u>11:15 am</u>	Worship Service Sunday School classes begin
<u>September 28, Sunday, 9:30 am</u> <u>11:15 am</u>	Worship Service - STEWARDSHIP FAIR Sunday School

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### PLAN NOW TO ATTEND THE CONGREGATIONAL PICNIC ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

*Immediately after the worship service.*

The menu includes: Hot dogs and condiments, chili, potato salad, fruit, chips, cupcakes, and water. No need to bring anything, just your appetite!

Note: There will also be a "bounce house" for the children!



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## IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY

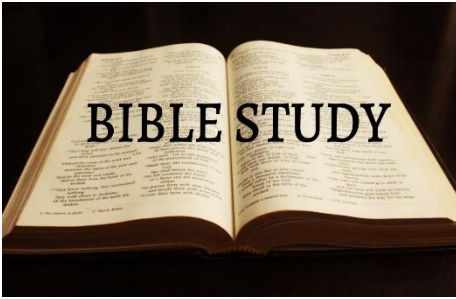
At a Safety Seminar held at Living Word several years ago, it was recommended that we have an airhorn in the narthex to alert everyone in case of an emergency. The airhorn is located on the Security person's table at the front door of the church to be used only in a church emergency. The Security person will use the airhorn to alert everyone there is an emergency and then will immediately call 911 to report it.

In the event of an emergency, you will hear:

- ▶ **ONE BLAST** of the airhorn directs that you are to shelter in place.
- ▶ **TWO BLASTS** of the airhorn directs that you exit the building.

There are evacuation instructions on the wall in each room of the church. Please become familiar with them. Also, this is a reminder that we have an AED machine located in the narthex on the wall by the flags.

# Living Way Bible Study



Living Way Bible study will begin the new study year on Thursday, October 2nd. We will continue to meet at the Bonaventure retirement facility, 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm. This study is for both men and women, and is open to all. Please join us as we study the book of Genesis this year. There are weekly lessons to be completed prior to class, sharing, fellowship, and encouragement. Any questions please contact Mike and Gayla Fenimore at 253 221-3238, or Dennis and Judy Krumwiede at 253 271-0719.

## **A NOTE FROM RAEANNE MITCHELL**

"I miss everyone at Living Word! We have moved to Texas to be closer to family. Rick is recovering from shoulder surgery, but he is permanently confined to a wheelchair. Rick's brother Tom is within walking distance, the other is an hour's drive away. My remaining brother Bill is a day's drive. Our new address for anyone who wants to correspond: Raeanne and Richard Mitchell, 1063 Dendron Drive, Hewitt, TX 76643. Email is fine as well: [raeanne65@gmail.com](mailto:raeanne65@gmail.com)."

May God bless Raeanne and Rick!

(For those who may not have known Raeanne, she sat in the front row at all worship services, and was very active in the congregation.

## **REMINDER TO COMMITTEES**

As we start the budge process for 2026, the Finance Committee needs each church committee to review future expenses for 2026.

COMMITTEE	CURRENT 2025 BUDGET	2025 YEAR TO DATE EXPENDITURES	2026 BUDGET REQUEST
Building Use and Decor	\$ 700.00	\$ -	_____
Christian Education	\$ 1,150.00	\$ 273.03	_____
Evangelism	\$ 2,400.00	\$ -	_____
Property & Building Maintenance/Tech	\$ 5,336.00	\$ 1,201.78	_____
Worship and Music	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 1,465.57	_____
Ministry support	\$ 19,000.00	\$ 12,660.28	_____
Security and Safety	\$ 1,200.00	\$ -	_____

Please send your report to the Dick Schmidt

## PRAYER ROOM

"Is anyone among you suffering? Let him pray. Is anyone cheerful? Let him sing praise."  
James 3:18 (ESV)

*Watch over those who put themselves in harm's way to protect us and grant peace of mind to the families who love and miss them. We praise you for continuing to protect:*

Andrew Thompson (Griswold)  
Josh Jepsen, USAF Utah

Elijah Lundberg, USMC Yuma, AZ  
Owen Daubenspeck, USAF Spokane (Owen)

*Comfort those who are bereaved, having lost loved ones recently:*

Family and friends of Holly McCain  
Family and friends of Lin Jeffery

Family and friends of Don Brennan  
Family and friends of Judy Ostendorf

*Relieve pain for all who suffer in any way and restore them to good health of body, mind, and spirit. Encourage them and strengthen their caregivers:*

Maurice Hedlund	Darlene Luberts	Amy Cruver	Jeff Brennan
Carolyn Martin	Bill Marsh	Terry (and caregiver Ron)	
Richard Mitchell (and caregiver Raeanne)		Yvonne Olson	Debbi Zavadil
Cheryl Hedlund's aunt, Sue	Bob Martin	David Martin (son of Bob and Nancy Martin)	
Sue Doll (sister-in-law of Duane & Valerie)		Duane Claiborne	<b>Lori Schmidt</b>
Wallace Duggan		<b>John Loshbaugh</b> (Owen's brother)	
<b>Johnny Beck</b> (son of Sharlene Parker and brother of Toni Sherman)			<b>Kitty Jepsen</b>
<b>Tina</b> (daughter of Judy Williams)			

*Grant discernment, wisdom, and courage to leaders within the church and world. Raise servants to accomplish Your will. May Your will be evident in all decisions and actions.*

Living Word Members  
Victims of War in Ukraine and Israel/Middle East

Living Word Leaders

Persecuted Christians  
Elected Government Officials

*Prayer and praise for healing and continued recovery:*

Steve Vonderau      Bonnie Socey      Cheryl Hedlund      Jan Williams (sister in law of Judy Williams)

*Thank you, LORD, for hearing and answering our prayers – even when you do so differently than we would prefer. We pray in the holy and mighty name of Jesus, our LORD. Amen*

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Names in Bold are new additions. Please let the office know if you wish your request to remain on the list.  
Otherwise, requests are removed after a month.

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