

Word of Life Church

bulletin

AUGUST 2021

*Living in and by
the Word of God*



**Psalm 119: 9 - 11, Colossians 3: 16,
Joshua 1: 8, Matthew 7: 24 - 27,
1 Peter 1: 23**

2021, The Year of Lord's Wonders
Key Scripture - Psalm 72: 18 - 19

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Psalm 72: 18 - 19

Acts 4: 29 - 30

Acts 5 : 12

.....WELCOME!.....

- **Welcome!!!** We are so thrilled you could engage with us. We hope you enjoy your interactions with us and welcome you to stay in touch with us via our website, email or phone. If you need to get in touch with us, ask a question, if you have a prayer request or if you need to speak with any of the Pastors or leadership team at any time, please feel free to contact us: Email - info@wordoflife-lcc.org or telephone the church office on 07930 958 097 (Mon - Thu, 10am to 2pm). Please also check out our website: www.wordoflife-lcc.org to stay up-to-date with our activities and useful information.
- Our Children's & Youth Programmes take place in the lower hall on Sundays. Children meet in the lower hall after the time of corporate praise and worship, **with the exception of the first Sunday of the month, which is our Family Sunday.** The Youth also meet in the lower hall every Sunday immediately after the main service from 12.45pm to 1.30pm. For details of how children & youth can join in please email info@wordoflife-lcc.org. Thank you.

Weekly / Fortnightly Events

MONDAY TO SATURDAY

Early Morning Prayer Meetings via Zoom. Mondays to Saturdays 6am to 7am.

WEDNESDAY

7pm-8pm Midweek Service - at Rehoboth building (Livestream on YouTube & Facebook)

FRIDAY

7pm-8.30pm (fortnightly) Chosen Generation Youth Hub at Rehoboth Building (Lower Hall)

7pm-8.30pm (weekly) Revival Prayer - via Zoom

SATURDAY

5pm-6pm (weekly) Dig Deep Search the Scriptures - via Zoom

SUNDAY

11:00am Celebration Service at Rehoboth building (Livestream on YouTube & Facebook)

12:45pm Youth Church / Cell Group (boys & girls aged 13 onwards)- contact youth@wordoflife-lcc.org for details

After Praise & Worship - Children's Church / Cell Group (3-12 yrs) - contact kids@wordoflife-lcc.org

CELL GROUPS (small groups) meetings are held via Zoom during the week. For more details email us at info@wordoflife-lcc.org or telephone the church office on 07930 958 097 (Mon-Thu, 10am to 2pm). Our cell groups are homogenous in nature. We have men, women, youth and children cell groups to cater for all.

BIBLE BOOKS OF THE MONTH

August 2021

I & II THESSALONIANS

This month please join with the rest of WOL Church to read, meditate, study & explore the books of 1st & 2nd Thessalonians



Greenwich Park
A ROYAL PARK SE10 8QY



Saturday 7th August 2021

WOL Church

SUMMER GUYING

Time: 3 - 6pm

Everyone please bring along your own picnic. Meeting Point: the grass area opposite the Royal Observatory/General Wolfe's statue at the end of Blackheath Avenue. Please enter the park at Blackheath Gate. See you then.

... UPCOMING EVENTS Continued ...

CHOSEN GENERATION YOUTH HUB



for ages 13 to 21

every fortnight Friday 7pm to 8.30pm

Venue: Rehoboth Building, 72A Mayeswood Road,

Grove Park SE12 9RP

● **FREE ACTIVITIES** ●



WOL

Welcome Session

(for new people)

Sunday 15th August

After the service in Rehoboth building

... UPCOMING EVENTS Continued ...

SYA Fellowship

for single young adults



Saturday 21st August 2021

Time: 10am - 12noon

Venue: To be confirmed

WOL Corporate Day of *PRAAYER & FASTING* Friday 27th August

we conclude the day with our

Prayer Night at 7pm - 9pm

via Zoom Video Conferencing

Zoom Meeting ID: 314 492 8882

.....REGULAR EVENTS.....

Word of Life Church

EARLY MORNING PRAYER



Online via Zoom Video Conferencing
Monday - Saturday from 6am - 7am

Zoom Meeting ID: 314 492 8882



You're Invited



Cell Groups

a place to connect with others...

Weekly meetings via Zoom



Email: info@wordoflife-lcc.org | Tel: 07930 958 097 (Mon-Thurs, 10am -2pm)

... REGULAR EVENTS Continued ...



GROVE PARK EMERGENCY FOOD BANK PROJECT

For people of Grove Park and its environs struggling to put food on their table, or in financial crisis/hardship

Frequency:
Once a week

Day & Time:
Fridays, 12noon to 2pm

Location: Word of Life Church, Rehoboth Building, 72A Mayeswood Road, SE12 9RP (Community Resource Centre in the Lower Floor)

TO COLLECT FOOD ITEMS, PLEASE ATTEND WITH ONE FORM OF ID AND ONE PROOF OF ADDRESS.

Tel - 07930 958 097 (Monday - Thursday 10am - 2pm) | Email - info@wordoflife-lcc.org
Community Website: <http://wordoflife-lcc.org/community>



DIG DEEP SEARCH THE SCRIPTURES CLASS

Every Saturday
5 - 6pm

Online via Zoom Video Conferencing
Zoom Meeting ID: 314 492 8882

Tel - 07930 958 097 (Monday - Thursday 10am - 2pm) | Email - info@wordoflife-lcc.org



TESTIMONIES

Please send in your 'testimonies' of what the Lord has done in your lives or your families, by sending it in writing to info@wordoflife-lcc.org, or sending in a recorded video or audio, or sharing it with one of the leadership team.



GIVING

TITHES & OFFERINGS

BANK TRANSFER Lloyds Bank- Acct#- 03215544, Sort Code- 30 91 87

SMARTPHONE DONATIONS - Text CK453 to 64647

DONATE VIA WEBSITE - www.wordoflife-lcc.org & click "Donate"

GIVT - Download the free GIVT app & select Word of Life Church (Lewisham)

CASH - please indicate to a steward that you would like an envelope & place cash/envelope in the basket on your way out

CHURCH NEWS

◆ SOS EVANGELISM

We are excited to announce that the WOL SOS Evangelism outreach will be starting again as we seek to continue to be a witness to those who are yet to come to know Jesus.

For those who are wondering, SOS stands for Save One Soul. We believe that we should all personally be reaching out and seeking to win one soul at a time. Once we win one soul to the Lord, then we go on to the next soul.

We as a local Church exist to win souls and make disciples. This is why we as a Church must come together and engage in corporate Church Evangelism.

So, going forward in this post lockdown period the Church will start having a weekly SOS Evangelism outreach. It will take place on Saturdays with a team going out into the community and its environs to witness and reach out with the gospel. This regular outreach will be from 11.15am to 12.15pm every Saturday, with prayer before hand in Rehoboth building from 10:30am -11:00am. This would be open to anyone who would like to join.

The plan is that the SOS Evangelism outreach would rotate between:

- Week 1- Door knocking locally
- Week 2- Street evangelism involving a portable speaker playing praise and worship while witnessing is going on. This will possibly also involve a mic for sharing testimonies etc.

In addition, each cell group will also be put on a rota as done before to be part of the outreach once a month, with the cell members joining in.

Please pray for God's hand of favour on us as we resume reaching out through this regular SOS Evangelism Outreach. Pray for the team and the cell groups and make sure to be a part of this. Remember, like the Bible says "He who wins souls is wise".

SOS Evangelism Outreach line-up:

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| ➤ 07 August
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 | ➤ 04 September
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 |
| ➤ 14 August
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 | ➤ 11 September
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 |
| ➤ 21 August
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 | ➤ 18 September
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Door Knocking 11:15-12:15 |
| ➤ 28 August
Prayer 10:30-11:00 @Church
Grove Park Station 11:20-12:20 | ➤ 25 September
Mottingham Village Shops
(Kimmeridge Road) 11:20-12:20 |

... CHURCH NEWS Continued ...

The roads to be done each week will depend on how much we get through the week before.

First few roads are:

- **Riddons Road**
- **Charminster Road**
- **Robins Crescent (off Chinbrook Road)**
- **Luffman Road**

The whole church is invited to join the outreaches! Thank you.

◆ WE INVITE YOU TO SERVE

We are looking for those who will give their time, strength, commitment, gifts and talents to serve the Lord. The Church needs your service in many areas of ministry. We are looking for more stewards / ushers, singers, musicians, children's workers, and youth workers. We also need those who can help with hospitality, follow up of new believers, administration etc. We believe that every Christian is called to serve by Jesus so please get in touch with us by emailing info@wordoflife-lcc.org or speak with your cell leader or deputy cell leader. We look forward to hearing from you.

◆ POST LOCKDOWN WORSHIP AT WORD OF LIFE CHURCH, REHOBOTH BUILDING

Rehoboth Building is open to the whole WOL family, the community and the general public. The building is OPEN for our regular Sunday and Wednesday services, the Foodbank, the Youth Hub, our Children and Youth programmes and much more.

The government as you are aware has recently lifted all restrictions and now recommends a cautious approach as a result of the new Covid variants. With that in mind please note the following:

- (1) Actions the CHURCH LEADERSHIP is taking to continue to ensure your safety and the,
- (2) Actions we encourage YOU to take to ensure the collective safety of everyone

What We Are Doing

- (1) Facilitating the registration (via the church website) of attendees to the church services.
- (2) Check-in upon arrival, to aid contact tracing
- (3) Cleaning of shared areas and surfaces
- (4) Opening windows and main doors for ventilation purpose
- (5) Adjusted seating to enable some physical distancing.
- (6) Slightly reduced length of singing time. Separate designated microphones provided per each user (Singers and Speakers during each service)
- (7) Provision of individual packaged communion emblems for all
- (8) Hand Sanitiser stations placed at the Entry Point and Exit points.
- (9) Still not able to join us in person due to having to self-isolate, sickness, old age or other reasons? Online services continue to hold.

... CHURCH NEWS Continued ...

What We Encourage You To Do

- (1) To please continue to register yourself & members of your family to attend in-person services & check-in with the stewards/ushers upon arrival. You can register via the church website: www.wordoflife-lcc.org for each service you wish to attend
- (2) To please use the hand sanitisers provided
- (3) The stewards are there to help. Please follow their instructions
- (4) Family members are encouraged to please sit together (except during the time that the children & youth go to the lower hall for the Children's church & Youth connect group)
- (5) We encourage that you proceed with caution in handshaking and hugging
- (6) Please use the main front doors for entry and for exit. The stewards will be on hand to help and guide you
- (7) Please come with, and wear a mask during your time in Rehoboth Building.

We appreciate your patience and co-operation. We trust that you will understand and embrace these revised procedures as we enjoy the new freedoms after such a long time of national lockdown.

We love you & look forward to seeing you in Word of Life Church Rehoboth Building in-person, if you haven't returned already! Hurry back, your space is waiting for you!

◆ YOUR WELLBEING IS OUR CONCERN / BENEVOLENCE (CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER)

If you have any further concerns, please do let us know. Your safety and well-being are very important to us. If you require prayer or pastoral help or support, please do not stay silent, please let your cell leader or any of the leadership team know so we can offer prayer and support. In addition, if you are in need and require practical assistance, please let your cell leader know or send an email to info@wordoflife-lcc.org



SCRIPTURES OF THE MONTH

Psalm 119: 9 - 11 (NKJV)

⁹ How can a young man cleanse his way? By taking heed according to Your word. ¹⁰ With my whole heart I have sought You; Oh, let me not wander from Your commandments! ¹¹ Your word I have hidden in my heart, That I might not sin against You.

Colossians 3: 16 (NKJV)

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom, teaching and admonishing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing with grace in your hearts to the Lord.

Joshua 1: 8 (NKJV)

This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate in it day and night, that you may observe to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.

Matthew 7: 24 - 27 (NKJV)

²⁴ “Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine, and does them, I will liken him to a wise man who built his house on the rock: ²⁵ and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it did not fall, for it was founded on the rock. ²⁶ “But everyone who hears these sayings of Mine, and does not do them, will be like a foolish man who built his house on the sand: ²⁷ and the rain descended, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house; and it fell. And great was its fall.”

1 Peter 1: 23 (NKJV)

having been born again, not of corruptible seed but incorruptible, through the word of God which lives and abides forever,

MINISTRY HIGHLIGHT OF THE MONTH

SINGLE YOUNG ADULTS (SYA) FELLOWSHIP

At Word of Life Church, we believe every single young adult is special and unique before God. Fearfully and wonderfully made for an awesome purpose!!!

The Single Young Adults Fellowship (SYA) is a forum for single young adults to come together in a relaxed environment to CONNECT and SHARE with others. It is a place to discover your UNIQUENESS, your DESTINY and rise up to fulfil that wonderful PLAN God has for you.



Are you single and under the age of 40, we invite you to come along to the monthly SYA get togethers, where you will find encouragement, practical advice, be challenged, build friendships and also be a blessing to others. No matter what your story or background is, you are welcome.

Apart from the opportunity to be with others and have fellowship, the SYA will also offer you the chance to learn from others, and discuss a wide range of issues with honesty and humour ranging from:

- Loneliness
 - Friendship
 - Maintaining good relationships
 - Career
 - Family/Work life balance
 - Food / Diet
 - Spiritual growth and maturity
 - Being whole and fulfilled as a single person
 - Discovering and stepping into your God given destiny
 - Money / Budgeting / Finances
 - Starting and running a business
 - Staying pure
 - Preparation for marriage
 - Courtship
 - Social life
 - Social Media
- and much more.....



The SYA get together every fourth Saturday of the month. We will love to have you with us. You are also welcome to bring a friend along, as long as they are single too. For venue details or any other information please contact us by emailing sya@wordoflife-lcc.org

.....GOD LOVES YOU.....

God Loves YOU and wants you to have a relationship with Him through His son Jesus.

The Bible says that God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, Jesus, so that whoever believes in him shall not die, but have eternal life (John 3: 16).

The first step to know more of God is to obey His Word and receive Jesus as your Lord and Saviour, by simply repenting of your sins and believing that Jesus has died on the cross and paid the price for you to be reconciled to God for ever. By doing that, you will receive a new life, the very life of God, within you, and you will become a child of God. If you want to make that step, please see below. These will explain to you more about it. Don't put it off, God has been waiting for you... Today is the day! God bless you.

GOD LOVES YOU!!!

step 1

GOD's Purpose: Peace and life God loves you and wants you to experience peace and life: abundant and eternal.

*"we have peace with GOD through our Lord JESUS CHRIST."
(Romans 5:1)*

*"I have come that they may have life in abundance."
(John 10:10)*



*"for GOD so loved the world that he gave his only begotten SON, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have everlasting life."
(John 3:16)*

Why don't most people have this peace and abundant life that God planned for us to have?

step 2

The Problem: Our Separation God created us in his own image to have an abundant life. He did not make us as robots to automatically love and obey him. God gave us a will and a freedom of choice. We chose to disobey God and go our own wilful way. We still make this choice today. This results in separation from God.

*"for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of GOD."
(Romans 3:23)*

*"for the wages of sin is death, but the gift of GOD is eternal life in CHRIST JESUS, our Lord."
(Romans 6:23)*

Our attempts to reach GOD People have tried many ways to bridge this gap between themselves and God...



*"there is a way that seems right to man, but in the end it leads to death."
(Proverbs 14:12)*

*"but your iniquities have separated you from your GOD; your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear."
(Isaiah 59:2)*

No bridge reaches GOD... except one...

step 3

GOD's Bridge: The Cross Jesus died on the cross and rose from the grave. He paid the penalty for our sin and bridged the gap between God and people.

*"for Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to GOD."
(1 Peter 3:18)*

*"for there is one GOD and one mediator between GOD and men, that man JESUS CHRIST."
(1 Timothy 2:5)*

*"but GOD demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, CHRIST died for us."
(Romans 5:8)*



**GOD has provided the only way.
Each person must make a choice!**

step 4

Our Response: Receive CHRIST We must trust Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour and receive him by personal invitation.

*"yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of GOD."
(John 1:12)*

*"here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me."
(Revelation 3:20)*

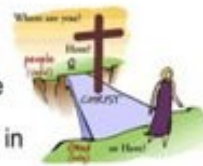
*"that if you confess with your mouth 'JESUS is Lord' and believe in your heart that GOD raised him from the dead, you will be saved."
(Romans 10:9)*

Where are you?

Will you receive JESUS CHRIST right now?

Here is how you can receive Christ:

1. Admit your need (I am a sinner).
2. Be willing to turn from your sins (repent).
3. Believe that JESUS CHRIST died for you on the cross and rose from the grave.
4. Through prayer, invite JESUS CHRIST to come in and control your life through the HOLY SPIRIT (receive him as Lord and Saviour).



GOD LOVES YOU !

NOTICES

Happy Birthday Greetings
to all those born in the
month of **AUGUST** and
Congratulations to all
celebrating **Anniversaries**
this month!



TESTIMONIES



Every testimony of God's goodness brings glory to Him and encourages others greatly.

Please email your written or video recorded testimony to info@wordoflife-lcc.org We look forward to hearing from you and sharing God's goodness

WATER BAPTISM

If you will like to be baptised, please speak with your cell leader or email the Church office at admin@wordoflife-lcc.org.



DEDICATIONS

If you will like to dedicate your child, please contact the church office by emailing admin@wordoflife-lcc.org or ringing 07930 958 097 .



SUNDAY SERVICE MESSAGES



Messages are currently available to watch/listen by visiting our YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/wordoflifecf> & on our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/wollcc>

WORD OF LIFE MISSION STATEMENT

“London and the world for Christ!”

A church with purpose ...

To be a God-centred church, developing people to Christ-like maturity and equipping them for their ministry in the church, and life mission in the world.



... and vision

To impact Lewisham with the gospel of Christ in word and action, and to touch London and the nations of the world.

Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and teaching them to do all that I have commanded you.



WOL TEAM

Senior Pastor / Minister in Charge

Rowland Henshaw

Senior Leadership

Folake Henshaw

Peter Unachukwu

Ministry Leaders

Ibukunoluwa Henshaw - Youth

Chris Martin - Men

Folake Henshaw - Women

Lisa Martin - Children

Shelly-Ann Sydial - Praise & Worship

Sonia Edwards - Stewards

Taiwo Adeniran - Technical

George Zammit-Evangelism

Yvonne Zammit-Welcome & Consolidation

Church Administrator

Shelly-Ann Sydial

Treasurer / Building & Venue Manager

Malach Airo

Safeguarding Coordinator

Barbara Agbudeloye

WOL Board Member Representatives

Peter Mungai

Barbara Agbudeloye



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CHURCH

**A network church of
Kensington Temple
London City Church
(KTLCC)**



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