



The Midrash Sermons

Stories of Life and Death,
Fear and Faith

June 13 & 15, 2014



AN EIGHT-PART SERIES, SUNDAYS IN JUNE & JULY

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST: TRINITY SUNDAY

Scripture for the Week: Matthew 28:16-20 Psalm for the Day, June 15: Psalm 16

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| 6/14 | • The Joseph Company | 6/21 | • Volunteer Staff Party |
| 6/15 | • MYC | 6/28 | • Personality Profiles Workshop |
| | • Word of Life Summer Jam | 7/4 | • No Service |
| 6/18 | • Upper Room Noon Prayer | | |
| | • Celebrate Recovery | | |

FAMILY MATTERS

• Remember in Prayer

~Tim and Jody Farrell and family, as they mourn the loss of her mother, Mary King.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

• Project 58

With your donations, Project 58 was able to help two WOLC families with their electric bills. Your donations also allowed Project 58 to give gas money to a struggling family traveling out of state looking for work.

• Summer Missions to Alaska — August 9-19

A team of men from WOLC are traveling to the remote village of Galena, to assist with home repair after a flood destroyed 90% of its buildings last year. Contact Megan Taylor at the church office for more information.

• No Hunger Summer — June 23 through August 15

Throughout the summer, Second Harvest Community Food Bank is providing lunches to children while they are unable to access the free and reduced meals at school. Volunteers are needed to assist at food distribution sites in Missouri and Kansas. Contact Megan Taylor at the church office for more information.

• Roots and Shoots Gardening Service Group

If you're looking to get involved at Word of Life Church, look no further than our Roots and Shoots Gardening Service Group! No experience necessary. If you want to be a part of helping beautify the church facilities, please contact Cynthia Nichols at happilysettled@gmail.com.

• iServe 2014 — July 22-24

For children currently in grades four through six. Join Word of Life Kids and several other local churches as we serve our community and demonstrate the love of Christ. The three day event is capped off with a trip to Worlds of Fun. Information and registration packets are available at the Word of Life Kids check-in desk.

Prayer for the Week

connect.
grow.
serve.

*Almighty and everlasting God,
you have given to us your servants grace,
by the confession of a true faith,
to acknowledge the glory of the eternal
Trinity, and in the power of your divine
Majesty to worship the Unity:
Keep us steadfast in this faith and
worship, and bring us at last to see you
in your one and eternal glory, O Father;
who with the Son and the Holy Spirit live
and reign, one God, for ever and ever.
Amen.*

EVENTS

• The Word of Life Summer Jam @ Imagine Eleven

THIS Sunday, June 15 @ 6

Pastor Eric and the Word of Life Band will be in concert at Coleman Hawkins Park in downtown St. Joe at Imagine Eleven. Imagine Eleven concerts are free. Tasty, value-price food is available starting at 5:30 PM. Bring lawn chairs and blankets. For more information, check out ImagineEleven.com

• Volunteer Staff Party Saturday, June 21

Word of Life volunteers and families are invited to our 2014 Volunteer Staff Party on Saturday, June 21. We're going to the St. Joseph Mustangs baseball game - start time is 7 PM. At 5:45, we'll tailgate together right outside Phil Welch Stadium. Check your invitation for more details. RSVPs are due now, and you can sign up in the foyer this weekend.

• The Joseph Company THIS Saturday, June 14 9 AM - The Life Center

Our monthly servant-leadership development session for women and men who are passionate about improving as leaders. Features a DVD based presentation from Andy Stanley, "The Message of the First Century Church". Small group discussion time, as well as a free, home cooked breakfast.

• Guest Speaker Sarah Kovac Friday, June 20 @ 7 PM

Come hear the incredible story of Word of Life member Sarah Kovac, author of "In Capable Arms". Sarah will tell her story of honest struggle and surprising strength, through surrender to God. She'll challenge us about facing issues like fear and self-worth. Her story offers wisdom, inspiration, and guidance to find hope and healing.



• Personality Profiles Workshop Saturday, June 28

Peri Zahnd will lead this excellent spiritual formation workshop for both men and women. We'll meet from 9 to noon in the Life Center. Come and learn about the different lenses we all use to view our world, and how that affects our relationship with God and others. Sign up in the foyer.

• No Service on Friday, July 4

We will not have our regularly scheduled service on Friday night, July 4, so y'all can have fun setting off fireworks with your families and friends!

• Word of Life Kids

There will be no Word of Life Kids Elementary service on Sunday, June 29. There will also be no Word of Life Kids Elementary services on Friday nights during the month of July. Please enjoy the services as a family.

SERVICE TIMES

Sunday Mornings at 10 AM
Friday Nights at 7 in the MYC
Wednesday Prayer & Communion at noon
in The Upper Room
Communion is served every Sunday.

OFFICE HOURS

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