

# Welcome to Real Life Church!

September 15, 2024

## new to real life?

Our goal is to lead people into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ. If you are a guest, we would love to hear from you! Simply fill out the Online Connect Card: <https://rlc.pub/connect> or grab a paper card from the chair in front of you. You can also text WELCOME to 360-295-6500. We have a gift to send to you to say thanks for being our guest. We also invite you to browse our website at [www.seekreallife.com](http://www.seekreallife.com).



Kidz Life

Kidz Life is our ministry for children from birth through fifth grade. At Kidz Life, our purpose is to help every child experience real life through a relationship with God and others. We want to grab every child's attention, so Jesus can capture his or her heart. Contact Kidz Life at [kidzlife@seekreallife.com](mailto:kidzlife@seekreallife.com).

**Kidz Life for birth-5<sup>th</sup> grade is available during both services—check-in at “New Family Check-in” in the Lobby.**  
<https://rlc.pub/kidz-fb>



Student Life

Student Life, for students in 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades, meets in the Commons, outside and downstairs on Monday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Contact Student Life at: [rlstudentlife@seekreallife.com](mailto:rlstudentlife@seekreallife.com).

**Check out upcoming events on Facebook or [www.seekreallife.com/rlsl](http://www.seekreallife.com/rlsl)**  
9/16 Youth Group

## upcoming events

To learn about these events and more, visit our website: [www.seekreallife.com](http://www.seekreallife.com)

### Contenders Men's Gathering | New Day & Time

We won't be meeting in September, but **mark your calendar**...beginning in October, the men's gathering will move to the first Saturday of the month at 8:30 a.m. Plan to join us for a special men's breakfast at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> as we kick off our new gathering time!

### Indoor Play Place | Opens September 26<sup>th</sup>

Indoor Play Place @ Real Life Church invites you to come enjoy a safe and positive space where you can play with your children indoors. We have a variety of toys and activities for ages 0 to 5 years old. Snacks and coffee provided. Thursday mornings from 9:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. beginning September 26<sup>th</sup> and goes through the school year. Suggested donation: \$5/family. [https://seekreallife.com/pdf/playplace\\_info.pdf](https://seekreallife.com/pdf/playplace_info.pdf)

### Men's Hike | September 26<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>

The guys are taking a four-day backpacking excursion in the southern portion of the William O. Douglas Wilderness of Washington. The cost is only \$30. Get more information and register at <https://rlc.pub/signup>

### Life Group Launch | September 29<sup>th</sup>

The fall session of life groups will start the week of September 29<sup>th</sup>. Check out the groups and join one! It's a great way to grow in relationship with Jesus and your Real Life family. We were made to do life together! <https://rlc.pub/groups>

### Practicing the Way Course | Begins September 29<sup>th</sup>

We are constantly being formed by the world around us. To be formed by Jesus will require us to become his apprentice. To live by what the first Christian disciples called a Rule of Life—a set of practices and relational rhythms that slow us down and open up space in our daily lives for God to do what *only* God can do—transform the deepest parts of us to become like him.

The *Practicing the Way* 8-week course will help our community be with Jesus, become like him, and do as he did. And you're invited to be a part of it! Sundays from 5-6:30 p.m. starting September 29<sup>th</sup>! Sign up at <https://rlc.pub/theway>

### Sprucefest- Fall Edition | October 5<sup>th</sup>

Come join us on Saturday, October 5<sup>th</sup> from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. as we spruce up the inside of the church. We will be doing some deep cleaning; it's a perfect opportunity to serve alongside and connect with your Real Life family! See you there!

### Neewollah Candy Needed | Collecting through October 20<sup>th</sup>

Neewollah preparations have begun! Our fall outreach event will be held on Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup> from 6:30-8:30p. It is a free event for all ages and we love to send everyone home with a bag of candy. We are collecting donations of individually wrapped candy in the lobby through Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>.

### New to Real Life? | October 6<sup>th</sup>

Are you new, newer or new-ish to Real Life? Come have lunch with some of our leaders after church at 12:30 p.m. on Sunday, October 6<sup>th</sup>. This is a great time to hear about what is important to us as a church and to get to know you so we can help get you connected! Let us know if you plan to come by emailing Christie at [christie@seekreallife.com](mailto:christie@seekreallife.com).

## Chili Cookoff & Neewollah Set-Up | October 20<sup>th</sup>

Join us on Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup> after 2<sup>nd</sup> service (12:30 p.m.) for our annual Chili Cook-Off! Bring a pot of your favorite chili to share and you could win a prize! Then stick around to help set up for Neewollah!

## Neewollah | Volunteers Needed

Our annual fall outreach event, Neewollah, is just around the corner from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>! It's a night full of fun for the entire family! Invite your friends and family to join you at this amazing event!

- Candy Collection: Everyone takes home a bag of candy. Bring your donation of **individually wrapped** candy and place it in the trunk in the lobby through Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>.
- Trunk-or-Treat: Sign up to bring your own vehicle decorated for the festivities and hand out candy for Trunk-or-Treat! <https://rlc.pub/signup>.
- Volunteer: We need a lot of volunteers to make this evening amazing! Sign up to help at one of the Neewollah stations or to help with clean-up on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>. <https://rlc.pub/signup>.

## Neewollah Clean-Up | October 26<sup>th</sup>

We'll be working together on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. to clean up after Neewollah. Bring your family and join us-we look forward to serving alongside you!

## Text in Church | Sign up Today!

Did you know that we use texting to get messages out quickly? Like when a service needs to be canceled due to bad weather or urgent prayer is needed or just a reminder of an upcoming event. Text CONNECT to 360-295-6500 to join the text list and then save that number (RL Text number) in your phone.

Other texting groups you can join using 360-295-6500 are:

- Text WOMEN for Women's Gatherings & events
- Text MEN for Contenders Men's Gatherings & events
- Text YOUNG for Young Adults (18+) Gatherings & events
- Text WELCOME if you are new and want to learn more about Real Life Church

**To GIVE through text, just text a dollar amount to 84321, select Real Life Church and follow the prompts.**

## Church Center Mobile App

We want to encourage you to join us on the *Church Center* mobile app from Planning Center, available on both Google Play and the iTunes App store. This app will connect you with the life of the Church, allowing you to explore, be engaged and get involved throughout the week. You'll be able to sign up for events, join groups, easily give to the ministry of the church and more! Go to your app store today!

<https://churchcenter.com/install>

## connect

Interested in learning more about Real Life Church, developing new relationships, or serving in the life and ministry of the church? Let us know by completing an online Connect Card! Give tithes and offerings securely through text message! Text a dollar amount to 84321 and choose Real Life Church.



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Text CONNECT to  
(360) 295-6500



Real-Life-Guest  
Password: reallife



Use your cell phone's camera to scan the QR code for more information.

## Tithes & Offerings

Monthly Budget is \$37,000. For August, we received \$39,933.34; 107.9% of the budget. As of 9/11/24, we have received \$12,535.85 or 33.9% of the September budget.