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Plan now to support the work of the Nelson Children's Center by taking part in the Tomorrow's Child Golf Benefit on Monday, Oct. 9. The event will be held at the beautiful Oakmont Country Club in Corinth, Texas. You can participate as a golfer, sponsor or volunteer. Contact Dan Zieschang at (512) 459-1000 or at dzieschang@lss.org. Sign up to play or for one of the sponsorships [online](#).

LSS is recruiting and training foster families to take care of children who have been removed from abusive and neglectful environments. Consider having an LSS representative speak to your congregation about foster care and adoption opportunities. Contact the LSS office in your city, or call (800) 938-5777 for the office nearest you, or [click here](#).

At their annual convention in June, the Lutheran Women's Missionary League made a grant of \$20,000 to LSS to purchase Bibles for foster children. Foster children often come to LSS with little or no exposure to the Bible. The organization also collected \$1,800 for Neighborhood House, the LSS emergency assistance ministry in Lubbock.

If you are caring for an elderly loved one and need to have some "down time," consider respite care at Wedgewood South. The LSS assisted living community provides a private apartment and three nutritious meals each day. Learn more about [Wedgewood South](#) online, or call Christine Stephens at (806) 798-1011. Services include three meals a day, snacks, routine laundry services, scheduled transportation to medical appointments and scheduled activities.

Neighborhood House Assistance Ministry in Lubbock could use volunteers to package sack lunches for the homeless. Contact Joy Loper at (806) 741-0459. So far this year, Neighborhood House has distributed 1,500 sack lunches to the homeless in Lubbock. Learn more about [Neighborhood House](#) online.