



LIFE ACTION

Mark Your Calendar

9.12-9.15

Life Action Revival

9.12

Men's Breakfast 7am

Trustee Meeting 11:30am

Life Action Service 6pm

NO HIGH SCHOOL REFUGE

9.13

Life Action Service 6:30pm

9.14

Ladies Luncheon 11:30am

Life Action Service 6:30pm

9.15

Life Action Service 6:30pm

NO JR. HIGH REFUGE

9.18

Women's Event at Tanner's Orchard 8:30am

9.19

Back to Church Sunday

Men's Breakfast 7am

High School Refuge 6pm

September 12, 2021

**Today's Worship
Led by
Life Action
Ministries**



***Love Christ.
Love Others.
Think Biblically!***

Church Office Hours

Tuesday through Friday 8:30am-4pm.

The office is closed on Mondays. Pastor

Seth is available by appointment.

Website: firstbaptistaledo.com

Welcome! It's great to have you here! Wherever you are on your faith journey, we would love to help you take your next steps. **First time here?** Please pick up a *welcome* bag at the Welcome Desk in the lobby following today's service. Have questions or want to register for a class or event? Following today's service Pam and Jenny will be in the lobby to answer questions or you can call the office any time during the week at 309-582-7812. More info at www.firstbaptistaledo.com for more information.

Ways To Give Your Offering

We no longer pass the offering plate during our services. Instead, we invite you to give in one of these 4 ways:

- **OFFERING BOX** - You may leave your offering in the white offering box in the lobby or at the sanctuary door exits.
- **GIVE ONLINE** - Visit our website firstbaptistaledo.com/give
- **TEXT GIVING** - Just text **FBCALED0** and "Amount" to **77977** (eg. FBCALED0 50). Tap the link to complete the one-time registration. Once registration is complete, simply text "Amount" to **77977** (eg. 50) for subsequent gifts.
- **MAIL** - You may write a check and mail it to First Baptist Church – 800 NE 6th Ave. Aledo, IL 61231

Kids Ministry News

Welcome Families With Young Children!-During the 10:15am service, we offer nursery for children 0-2 years old and Kids Worship for kids ages 3-4th grade. Please check-in as a family from 10-10:15am. Kids Worship participants will worship in the sanctuary with their parents until they are dismissed before the sermon out the door to the right of the stage. Pick-up is downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. Please make sure to show your security label when picking up your children.

Starting Sept. 19th-Kids ages 3-4th grade will attend Kids Worship for the entire service instead of going into to the sanctuary. *Family Worship Sundays will be on Baptism Sundays where kids will worship with their families until dismissed before the sermon.

Sunday School (Nursery-5th Grade Classes)-Check in your kiddos in the lobby before Sunday School. Once kids are checked in, please take Pre-k - 1st grade to the Fellowship Hall and 2nd-5th grade will go to the Refuge Student Room or back yard. *A volunteer must be present at all locations before leaving your kiddos. Pick-up is in the Fellowship Hall at 10am.

Kids Club Returns-Mark your calendar for Kids Club coming this fall every Wednesday from 6:30-8pm starting Sept. 22nd-Nov. 17th for kids ages 3-5th grade. Register at firstbaptistaledo.com.

Refuge Student Ministry News

High School Refuge-No High School Refuge tonight, instead come at 6pm ready to participate in the Life Action Revival Student Ministry!

Junior High Refuge-NO JR. HIGH REFUGE SEPT. 15th, instead join us from 6:30-8pm for Life Action Revival Student Ministry!

The Refuge Fall Retreat-Students in grades 6th - 12th are invited to join us on Saturday, October 23rd from 7:15AM - 8:30PM for Fall Retreat at Camp Summit in New Windsor. The cost is \$25 which includes meals, drinks, activities, and a t-shirt. We will enjoy time of Worship, a Camp Fire, Archery Tag, Zip Line, Archery, Boating, Fishing, Board Games, GAGA Ball, Basketball, and our special guest, the Juggler for Jesus. Not able to make it to Fall Retreat, but you'd still like a t-shirt? No problem! Visit firstbaptistaledo.com for more information and to sign up.

Adult Ministry News

The Life Action Team is here Sept. 12th-15th!-Designed for the entire church family, Life Action Thirst Conferences provide a one-of-a-kind experience of reconnecting with God and transforming relationships. **Conference Schedule:** Today, Sept. 12th -Life Action Worship Services at 8am, 10:15am & 6pm (Sunday School at 9:15am), Mon., Sept. 13th-Wed. Sept. 15th nightly services at 6:30pm, Tues., Sept. 14th-True Woman Luncheon-11:30am.

Life Action Ladies Luncheon-All ladies are invited to come to this luncheon Tues., Sept. 14th from 11:30am-1pm in Fellowship Hall. A nursery will be provided. Free registration is online at firstbaptistaledo.com under the Women's Ministry tab or fill out the Connect Card below & leave it at the Welcome Desk in the Lobby.

Tanner's Apple Orchard Outing-All ladies are invited to join us for a fun day trip to Tanner's Apple Orchard in Speer, IL on Saturday, Sept. 18th. We will meet at the church at 8:30am and drive together, returning around 4pm. Please bring money for any purchases you may make and eating lunch out. RSVP online at firstbaptistaledo.com or to the church by September 15th. (September 25th is the back-up date in case of bad weather.)

Back to Church Sunday-Sunday, Sept. 19th is National Back to Church Sunday. Maybe it's been a while since you've been in church or maybe you know or are someone who has never been to church. We'll be starting a new sermon series on King David titled "The Giants We Face" on Back to Church Sunday, Sept. 19th!

New Sunday School Class with Pastor Luke on Discipleship-Whether you're new to FBC, new to the faith, or just interested in a new class, this is a class you won't want to miss. We'll be studying 30 topics on what we believe and why we believe it like salvation, forgiveness, prayer, trusting God, how to study the Bible, and many other spiritual growth topics. Register at firstbaptistaledo.com. Begins Sunday, Sept. 19th at 9am in the Refuge Room.

Wednesday Night Live begins Sept. 22nd and runs through Nov. 17th each Wed from 6:30-8pm-Wednesday Night Live is a series of classes & programs for the whole family designed to help you connect with others and grow your faith. We offer a nursery, Kids Club, Refuge Student Ministry, 2 classes for adults which are Season 2 of The Chosen and a Women's Study called Get Out of Your Head. See details and register at firstbaptistaledo.com or on today's Connect Card.

Christian School Informational Meeting-Sun., Sept. 26th at 6:30pm at FBC. Due to increasing interest in Christian School options for our community, parents and teachers are invited to join us for a town hall style informational/interest meeting regarding an FBC Christian School. This meeting is intended for informational purposes only. Pastor Luke will moderate a meeting where everyone will be given an opportunity to hear and vocalize ideas.

QUEST Father Son Retreat-Oct. 1st-3rd!-Quest is a fun filled weekend for dads and their sons. These adventure weekends feature outdoor events jam packed with activities designed to help dads and sons reconnect. Spiritual principles are embedded into activities and athletic events to equip fathers and sons for the journey ahead. Sons should be at least 6 years old. Cost is \$100 per dad and \$50 per son. We will travel together in the church bus and head to Buchanan, MI Friday, Oct. 1st at 9am and we will return on Sunday, Oct. 3rd around 7pm. Register at firstbaptistaledo.com.

Women's Thrive Retreat at Life Action Camp Buchanan, MI-All ladies are invited to join us Oct. 15th-17th for the THRIVE Retreat at the Life Action Camp in Michigan. THRIVE is a weekend designed to help you experience more of Jesus—through His Word, worship, fellowship, & fun! Cost is \$100 per person and must be paid to FBC to reserve your spot no later than September 26th. Register online at firstbaptistaledo.com.

The Christian Man Event-All men ages 16 and up are invited to a 1-day Man In The Mirror event called "The Christian Man" on Sat., Oct. 23rd from 8am-1pm at Church of the Open Bible in Galesburg. The cost is \$15 and includes lunch. We will carpool. Register online at firstbaptistaledo.com

Beth Moore Study—David-Seeking a Heart Like His- All ladies are invited to join this daytime study which takes place on Tuesdays at 2pm beginning Oct. 5th in the Enon Room. *David: Seeking a Heart Like His Member Book* by Beth Moore guides participants through a compelling 11-week DVD group Bible study of David for women. Discover the truth that God will never give up on you. Register online at firstbaptistaledo.com.

Truth Seeker. Freedom Walker Women's Fall Conference-The FBC Women's Ministry invites all ladies are invited to attend a morning of fellowship and digging into God's Word together Saturday, Nov. 6th from 9am-noon at FBC. We will be focusing in on identifying lies we may be believing, what God's Word says is true, and how to walk in the abundant freedom offered to us in Christ! This event is free to attend and includes an event t shirt. Snacks will be provided. Childcare is not offered. Please register online at firstbaptistaledo.com by Oct. 20th.

Connect Card - Sign Up & Tear Off!

We would love to connect with you! Please complete and tear off this Connect Card and leave it with Pam at the Welcome Desk in the lobby following today's service.

If you aren't receiving the FBC Newsletter but would like to or want to register for an event, please fill in the information below.

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone Number _____

OR to receive our newsletter via e-mail leave your e-mail address: _____

____ Yes, sign me up for the Life Action Ladies Luncheon. _____ Check here if you need a gluten free lunch.

____ Sign me up for WNL "The Chosen-Season #2" OR _____ Sign me up for the Women's WNL Study "Get Out of Your Head"