



# GOD WITH US

*Love Christ. Love Others. Think Biblically!*

**January 9th, 2022**

## **Mark Your Calendar**

**1.9**

Trustee Meeting 11:30am

High School Refuge 6pm

**1.11**

Church Council Meeting 7pm

**1.12**

Courageous Simplicity Bible Study 9am

Jr. High Refuge 6:30pm

**1.15**

Boom Sisters 10am

Bold Brothers- Aledo Fire Station 10am

**1.16**

Annual Church Business Meeting 11:45am

High School Refuge Outing 3pm

**1.19**

Courageous Simplicity Bible Study 9am

Jr. High Refuge 6:30pm

**1.21**

Men's Bags Tournament 6pm

**1.23**

Baptism Sunday

Family Glow Party- YMCA 5-7pm

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## **Church Office Hours**

Tuesday through Friday 8:30am-4pm.

The office is closed on Mondays. Pastor  
Seth is available by appointment.

**Website: [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com)**

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## **Order of Worship**

Opening Song

Prayer & Announcements

Worship Set

Message

Invitation



## **Today's Message**

Guest Speaker

**Rick McGough**

**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](http://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](http://firstbaptistaledo.com/give)
- **TEXT GIVING** - Just text FBCALED0 and "Amount" to (833) 721-9014 (eg. FBCALED0 50). Tap the link to complete the one-time registration. Once registration is complete, simply text "Amount" to (833) 721-9014 (eg. 50) for subsequent gifts.
- **MAIL** - You may write a check and mail it to First Baptist Church – 800 NE 6<sup>th</sup> Ave. Aledo, IL 61231

## Kids Ministry News

**Welcome Families With Young Children!**- During the 10:15am service, we offer a nursery for children infant- 2 years old and Kids Worship for kids ages 3-4th grade. Kids will sit with their families until they are dismissed out the lobby doors before the message. Pick-up: Please present your family's security label at all locations when picking up your children immediately following the worship service.

**Save-the-Date**-Kids Club starts Feb. 2nd and ends April 6th. Kids Club is for kids ages 3-5th grade and is on Wednesdays from 6:30-8pm.

**Family Glow Party** – Join us on Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> for a Family Glow Party and open gym at the Aledo YMCA from 5-7pm. Free for all ages, invite your friends and family! We will provide pizza and popcorn. No need to sign up, just show up!

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## Refuge Student Ministry News

**High School Refuge**–We will meet tonight from 6-8pm.

**Junior High Girls Study**-Girls Grades 6-8 are invited to join us Mondays from 6-7pm in the Enon Room for a small group study. The current study is called "Matchless. The Life & Love of Jesus."

**Boom Sisters**-Attention girls in grades 6th-8th grade. Would you like to be a part of an amazing group of sisters in Christ, learn together about some historical women of faith and have fun doing some crafts? Join us Saturday, Jan. 15th from 10-11:30am. Sign-up at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com).

**NEW group for boys in grades 6th-8th grade**-Bold Brothers will meet once per month and enjoy activities and hands-on learning. We are excited to kick-off our new Bold Brothers on Jan. 15th from 10-11:30am at the Aledo Fire Station. Please sign-up at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com).

**High School Refuge Outing** - Students in grades 9th-12th are invited to join us Sun., Jan. 16th for fun at The Play Station in Eldridge, IA. We will leave at 3pm and return home by 9pm. The cost is \$25 per student (which includes food and fun), the first 16 students to sign up will only pay \$15! Sign up today at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com).

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## Adult Ministry News

**Offering Envelopes Have Arrived**-If you are someone who normally uses our Offering Envelopes, they are at the Welcome Desk with your name on the box. If you don't see a box with your name on it, and you would like one there are blank boxes available, you just need to record your number on the sheet provided.

**New Bible Study**-Courageous Simplicity coming in January 2022! This 7 Week Study will meet each Wednesday in the Enon room from 9-10:30am beginning Jan. 12th through Feb. 23rd. Britni Ewing will be leading this study which is based on living in the simple abundance of Jesus. Childcare is available. More details and registration can be found online at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com).

**Church Council & Annual Business Meeting**-The Annual FBC Business Meeting is Sunday, Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:45am. The Church Council will meet Tuesday, Jan. 11<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

**Men's Bags Tournament REMATCH!**-All men are invited to join us on Friday, January 21st at 6pm for an indoor bags tournament REMATCH at FBC. We will be ordering pizza and providing chips and soda. Please bring a few bucks to toss in for pizza. Teams of two in a double elimination style tournament. Bring a partner or find one when you arrive. Let your small groups know they are invited! No need to sign up, just show up.

**Family Talk and Donuts-January's Family Talk:** Teaching Biblical Purity at Home Sun., Jan. 30th 9-10am in the Sanctuary. Due to the sensitive nature of our topic, kids (ages 3-5th grade) are encouraged to check-in for a PJ, Donut, and Movie party downstairs in the youth room during the Family Talk. Please pick-up kiddos by 10am.

**The 2022 Women's Small Group program runs from February to October**-Groups will be going through "Better Together: A Guide for Discipleship," which will provide material for you to walk through together as you pursue spiritual maturity. Registration deadline is TODAY! All ladies, even if you are already in a small group, need to register online at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com).

**Wednesday Night Live runs from Feb. 2nd through April 6th each Wednesday 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 onsite classes for adults: "The Daniel Prophecies" Taught by Pastor Luke & "Marriage Remodel" Taught by Steven & Felicia Bonyge, there is also an off-site Women's Study which is a verse by verse study of the Bible taught by Sheri Olson and held at Laurie Louck's home. See details and register at [firstbaptistaledo.com](http://firstbaptistaledo.com) or fill out the Connect Card below and turn it in at the Welcome Desk.

**El Salvador Mission Trip**-Dates are now set for March 17th-22nd, 2022. There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am in the Enon Room.

**Smiling Faces Needed** – We are in need of a few friendly people who would like to be a greeter at the front doors on Sunday before services at FBC! If you are interested or would like more details, please see Don Korns or fill out today's Connect Card at the bottom of your bulletin and turn it in to the welcome desk.

## 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 please fill in the information below.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ OR to receive our newsletter via e-mail leave your e-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Yes, I will take the following Wednesday Night Live Class:** \_\_\_ The Daniel Prophecies \_\_\_ Marriage Remodel \_\_\_ Verse by Verse Women's Bible Study

\_\_\_\_ Yes, I would like to be a Sunday Morning Greeter