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Life Action

refuel conference

September 7-10

Sunday, September 7

Sunday School: 9 a.m. (Youth & Adults in Sanctuary)

Morning Worship Service: 10:15 a.m.

Evening Worship Service: 6 p.m.

Monday, September 8-Wednesday, September 10

Evening worship Service: 6 p.m.

Wednesday: Family Night Meal at 5 p.m.

**Please call the church office if you are not on the permanent meal list and would like to eat.*

Tuesday, September 9

Ladies Luncheon

11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. • Orr Fellowship Hall

**If you would like to attend the luncheon, please register on the sign-up sheets provided in the CLC and Welcome Center or call the church office at 731-642-5074.*

From the Pastor's Desk

It was good to be back with you in worship on Sunday morning! I appreciate the opportunity to take a few days of vacation, and I also appreciate our church staff for covering my responsibilities while I was gone. Our church is blessed to have so many gifted individuals who can serve in a variety of roles.

The time we have been planning for and praying for has arrived! This Sunday, September 7, begins our Life Action Refuel Conference. Steve Canfield and a mostly new team of young adults will be here to lead our focus on following in the footsteps of Jesus. Please continue praying for our time together and consider family members, friends, coworkers and others you could invite to join us during the week. As a reminder, I have included the detailed schedule of services for the week.

Sunday Morning, September 7 – Sunday School will begin at 9 a.m. *Preschoolers and children will check-in and meet in their designated locations while middle school students, high school students and adults will begin in the sanctuary. Worship will begin at 10:15 a.m. in the sanctuary.* Middle school students and high school students will be dismissed to their designated location at the appropriate time.

Sunday Evening, September 7 through Wednesday Evening, September 10 – We will begin our worship service at 6 p.m. each evening. *Preschoolers and children will check-in and meet in their designated locations. Middle school students, high school students and adults will meet in the sanctuary.* Middle school students and high school students will be dismissed to their designated location at the appropriate time.

Tuesday, September 9 - There will be a **Ladies' Luncheon** in **Orr Fellowship Hall** from **11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.** Childcare will be provided for those 3 years old and younger. Parents are asked to pack a sack lunch for their children. **Sign-up sheets are available in the CLC, the Welcome Center, or you may call the church office to let us know you are coming.**

Wednesday Evening, September 10 – We will have our weekly **Family Night Meal** in **Orr Fellowship Hall** at **5 p.m.** We invite individuals and families to join us for the meal before the worship service. **If you do not have a standing reservation, please call the church office to sign up.**

Be sure to pick up one of our printed brochures with more details about the week. You can find them in the CLC entrance and the Welcome Center. Looking forward to another great day of worship Sunday!

In Christ,
Bro. Trent



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**Submission deadline for
the next issue is
Monday, September 8, 2025**

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Sunday School Fellowship

Sunday,
September 14
8 a.m. • CLC



This Week At First Baptist

SUNDAY, September 7

- 9:00** Combined SS in Sanctuary
- 10:15** Life Action Refuel
Conference-Sanctuary
- 4:00** RESOUND Youth Choir
- 6:00** Life Action Refuel
Conference-Sanctuary

MONDAY, September 8

- 6:00** Life Action Refuel
Conference-Sanctuary

TUESDAY, September 9

- 11:30** Life Action Ladies Luncheon
- 6:00** Life Action Refuel
Conference-Sanctuary

WEDNESDAY, September 10

- 5:00** Family Night Meal
- 6:00** Life Action Refuel
Conference-Sanctuary

SUNDAY, September 14

- 8:00** Prayer Time; SS Fellowship
Time in CLC
- 9:00** Sunday School
- 10:15** Morning Worship
- 6:00** Discipleship Groups

MONDAY, September 15

- 11:00** LLL Meeting-Orr Hall
- 5:30** Budget Planning &
Finance Committee Meeting

WEDNESDAY, September 17

- 5:00** Family Night Meal
- 5:45** Adult Equipping Centers;
Children's Choirs;
Students-The LOFT
- 7:00** Adult Choir Practice



September LLL Meeting

Monday, September 15
11 a.m. • Orr Hall

New Equipping Center Studies

Wednesday Nights at 5:45 p.m.

The Baptist Faith & Message

Led By Dr. Trent Bullock
Orr Fellowship Hall

Biblical Counseling Distinctions, Theology & Foundations

Led By Dr. Ken Schultz
Biblical Counseling Center

Trustworthy: A Study of 1 & 2 Kings

Led By Tas Smith
Schultz Classroom



**Week of Prayer
for Golden Offering**
September 21-28



First Baptist Church



313 N Poplar Street
Paris, Tennessee 38242
*One Block North
of the Court Square*

Sunday School

9 a.m.

Morning Worship

10:15 a.m.



Sunday, September 7

Sermon:

Steve Canfield

Life Action Refuel Conference



OCC Items for September

Bandanas, Hair Accessories,
Jewelry, Underwear

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FINANCIAL REPORTS

August 31, 2025

Worship Attendance 350
Sunday School Attendance .. 305
Budget Required \$28,603.60
Budget Received \$29,731.24
Other Designated \$1,799.49
Total \$31,530.73

CEF Pencil Pouch Campaign

Total Received: \$1,516.63

GIFTS RECEIVED

Bill & Martha (Steffes) Roberson,
Redeemed SS Class of Bayside Baptist
Church (Harrison, Tenn.) in memory
of **Chuck Bullock**; David John & Ginny
Roberts in memory of **Clint Barrett**.



September 10

Green Salad
Hamburger Steak
Baked Potato
Roll/Dessert

Alternate Menu:

Same Menu/Small Portions

Church Volunteers for September 7

Bus Ministry

Driver

Roger Veazey

Children's Ministry

Babies

Roxanne Flood

1-year-olds

Keiko Brand/Roxanne Flood

2 & 3-year-olds

Jonathan & Morgan Tosh

Media Ministry

Sound

Life Action Ministry Team

Video

Life Action Ministry Team

Media Room

Michael Denman

Kevin Nanney

Philip Todd

Security/Usher Ministry

Security

Jamie James

Jim Madison

Bob Moultrie

Steve Parker

Milton Peale

Bo Sinclair

Ushers

Bill Anderson

Stephen Burns

Gideon Gielis

Ben Glover

John Hudson

Bob Irby

Homer Maddox

Scott Nanney

Scott Stephens

Welcome Team Ministry Greeters for September

Ben Glover, Kayla Glover, AddieMae Glover, Gracin Rushing

Bible Reading Plan

Week 36 (September 1-5)

Day 1 - Jonah 2; Acts 23

Day 2 - Jonah 3; Acts 24

Day 3 - Jonah 4; Acts 25

Day 4 - Isaiah 6; Acts 26

Day 5 - Amos 9; Acts 27

Week 37 (September 8-12)

Day 1 - Isaiah 9; Acts 28

Day 2 - Micah 6; Colossians 1

Day 3 - 2 Kings 17; Colossians 2

Day 4 - 2 Kings 18; Colossians 3

Day 5 - Hosea 1; Colossians 4