Dear Guest,

Welcome to the Church, the group of believers in Christ that gathers at this location.

Whatever the reason that brought you through our doors we are very happy you chose to be with us today. We are not perfect as individuals, but we are being perfected through Jesus Christ, our Savior, in our love for each other and the love for God.

Although our affiliation is with the acapella Churches of Christ as an organization, our services include some instrumental music videos as well as the participation of women in prayer and different elements of our assembly time.

We observe the Lord's Supper every Sunday as the focal point of our gathering and also take a collection to support the work of the church.

As a guest you are not expected to take part in any of these practices and we hope they will not create you any discomfort. We would love to talk to you about any of our practices. – *Please see the other side of this flap. Fill out and place in the Offering Plate. Thank you!* *Troy Church of Christ* July 14th, 2024

Welcome & Prayer Jeremiah 31:3 As the Deer - #71 He Has Made Me Glad - #103 We're Marching to Zion - #869 Kids' Time Sweet By and By - #878 Communion Offering Jesus, Name Above All Names - #221 Sermon Pastoral Prayer

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Suggestions box in the lobby. Please help us by providing feedback.



TROY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Calendar of Events: - before attending please ALWAYS check against <u>troychurch.net/calendar</u>

JULY

- 14th Bible Class 10:00AM In Person & Zoom
- 14th Worship Service 11:00AM In person & Zoom
- 14^{th} Food, Fellowship 12:30PM @ the church building
- 14th VBS Set-up afternoon
- 17th Family Time 6:00PM @ Troy Church
- 17th Bible Study 7:00PM In person @ Troy Church
- 21st Bible Class 10:00AM In Person & Zoom
- 21^{st} Worship Service 11:00AM In person & Zoom
- 21st Food, Fellowship 12:30PM @ the church building

- New items added to the calendar will appear in red font when first added

Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שָׁלום עֵלִיכָם Peace be upon you!

Good morning to you and thank you for being with us this morning. It takes no more than 5 minutes of watching the news to know that we live in a world that is troubled by sin to an increasingly greater degree. Following the assassination attempt on former president Donald Trump there will be much opportunity for evil to interfere in the political life of our country and in the hearts of its people. I urge you to pray for our nation that the enemy will not be successful in turning hearts away from God but that through these events God will awake in people the desire for Him and for His love and comfort. As we are here to worship today, let us call on God to strengthen our nation's mind and heart against evil and may these events be an opportunity for all to understand the need for God's word in our society, in our schools and in our lives. Let us respond with our greatest weapons, love and prayer, to battle the dark forces of evil among us to God's glory.

This Wednesday – July 17th – Family Time & Bible Study

On Wednesday, we will meet in person for our Family Time at 6:00PM for those of you who want to bring their meal and eat it in the company of other brothers and sisters. This is our bi-weekly fellowship meal.

From 7PM, Caleb we will continue the study of Jesus' parables with Charles.

Anniversaries this week: Chris and Sarah Appolson (20th) *Birthdays this week:* Kerrie Birdwell (17th)

VBS – July 15-19, 2024 – 9:30AM – 12:00PM. – THIS WEEK

Our VBS <u>starts tomorrow</u>! Thank you all for your help in organizing and donating prizes and money offering for the VBS! We are still collecting those for the end of our VBS, so if you can, please make your donations – our VBS store will be on Friday. If you want to come and visit our VBS, you are welcome to do so! We continue to covet your prayers that the kids will know God more intimately through our efforts and for all the volunteers and teachers who make it possible!

Church of Christ Care Center – THANK YOU

Thank you, Pat, Kenny & Brendon for your support at the Care Center Worship. It was a really good time of worship. I was uplifted by the songs, by the messages, by everyone's participation and I am sure all the residents were as well. Our next worship at the Care Center is on August 4th. Please make plans to attend.

Bible Study

If you would like an individual, one on one, Bible study on a certain subject, please send me an email at manu@troychurch.net and we can arrange a weekly meeting. Space is limited so first come, first served.

Offering

This morning besides the offering plate, you can as always have the option to make your contribution online at <u>https://troychurch.net/give</u>

...If neither one of these options are suitable, please send a check to Lisa Jones. Her address is in the directory. Thank you.

We bring our requests to you O Lord:

For those who have suffered loss: Dick Martin & Family; Tomes Family, Agustin & Ambrosio Families; Oja & Pryludko families.

For those healing: Fran Birdwell, Nancy Schroeder, Bobby Westerby, Diane Flatt; Kerry Appolson, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja

... For the people of Ukraine, Russia, Israel & Palestine

"To love someone means to see them as God intended them."

- Fyodor Dostoyevsky

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