# 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

June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Welcome & Prayer

Fatherhood

John 1:12

1 John 3:1

Behold What Manner of Love

Kids' Time

Fatherhood

Communion

Offering

Sermon

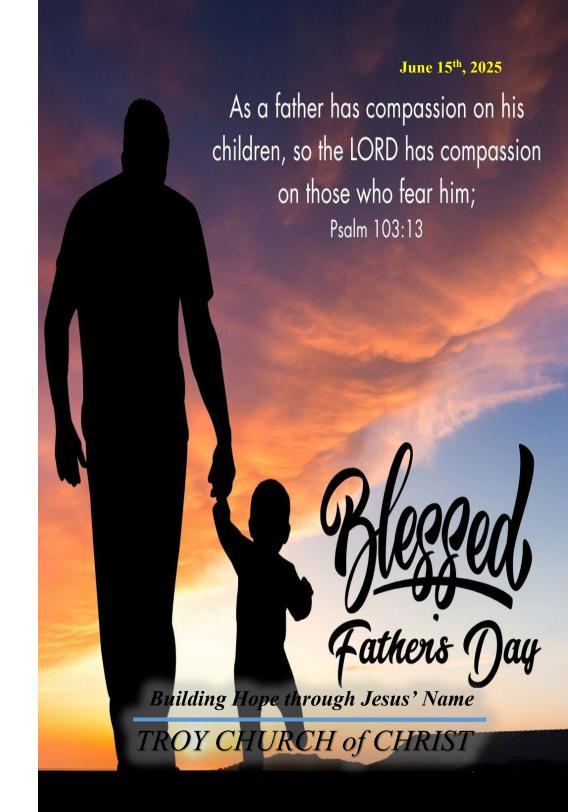
Pastoral Prayer

Our God, He Is Alive

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



### TROY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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**Elder:** Frank Birdwell – (586)-295-5027

**Treasurer:** Lisa Jones – (248) 703-7130

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

#### **JUNE**

15<sup>th</sup> – Bible Class – 10:00AM – In Person & Zoom

15<sup>th</sup> – Worship Service – 11:00AM – In person & Zoom

18th – Fellowship Dinner – 6:00PM @ the building

18<sup>th</sup> – Peak of the Week Bible Study – 7:00PM @ the building & Zoom

22<sup>nd</sup> – Bible Class – 10:00AM – In Person & Zoom

22<sup>nd</sup> – Worship Service – 11:00AM – In person & Zoom

22<sup>nd</sup> – Food, Fellowship – 12:300PM - @ the church building

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

#### Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שֵלוֹם עֵלִיכֶם Peace be upon you!

Good morning and a Happy Father's Day to all the dads at Troy Church! Know that you are loved and appreciated and countless prayers of gratitude are continuously raised to the throne of grace because of you! Thank you for all you do to be the type of father that our Heavenly Father exemplifies.

Although the modern Father's Day is a 20<sup>th</sup> century tradition, in many cultures celebrating fathers is lost in the dawn of history. 4,000 years ago, Babylonian children would carve messages for their fathers on clay tables. Even though it pales in comparison with Mother's Day, it is still responsible for some \$20 billion in spending annually.

As we go through the day and we celebrate our earthly fathers, let's not forget to celebrate our Heavenly Father, who should by right, get all our praise and gratitude.

#### This Wednesday – 18th June – Fellowship Dinner & Bible Class – 6:00PM

Please make plans to join us for our BYOD (Bring Your Own Dinner) midweek Fellowship at 6PM on Wednesday. This is a great time to connect, strengthen relationships and catch up with one another.

From 7PM we will begin a new study through 1 Peter led by Manu.

**Birthdays this week:** Juliette Oja (15<sup>th</sup>); Luke Krumlauf (15<sup>th</sup>); Manu Florescu (17<sup>th</sup>)

#### Giveaway – Postponed – Date TBD

...Shana asked that we postpone the Giveaway for a date yet to be determined in June. Please contact Shana for any details.

## Troy VBS - Jonah's Journey - August 4th-8th, 10AM - 12PM

We will have Jonah's Journey VBS at our church this year, August 4-8, 10am – 12pm. If you are interested in helping us decorate it, organize it, or run it, we would love your help and involvement! You can contact Pat, Nadya, or Linda. Also, you can make donations toward our prizes and water slide (cash or checks to Troy Church of Christ, earmarked VBS). Please, join us in prayer for this wonderful ministry to help our youth discover God in fun and exciting ways to make a lasting impact on their eternal souls!

#### Church of Christ Care Center - July 6th

Please mark your schedules and plan attending the Care Center worship with us on July 6<sup>th</sup>. Let Pat or Manu know if you would like to serve in any specific area during the worship (song leading, communion, offering, preaching). Thank you in advance!

## **Offering**

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

...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: Bobby Westerby's family; Dick Martin & Family; Tomes Family, Agustin & Ambrosio Families.

For those healing: Fran Birdwell, Kenny Burtch, Karl Randall, Nancy Schroeder, Diane Flatt; Kerry Appolson, Pat Zurlinden, Margie Zurlinden (upcoming back surgery), Landon Oja

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

"A man ought to live so that everybody knows he is a Christian...and most of all, his family ought to know."— **Dwight L. Moody** 

#### Please help us by filling this card

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I would like prayers for: Haile Nayzgi, Li Juncai, Wang Y	
(imprisoned fo	or their faith)
I would like unspoken re	prayers for an quest – □
I need help:	
Food	
Clothing	
shelter	
medication	
counseling	
other	
Comments:	