

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 perfected 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 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 church's work.

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
October 15th, 2023

Welcome & Prayer

John 3:16

Praise Him! Praise Him! - #300

Whispering Hope - #497

My Hope is Built on Nothing Less - #538

He Is Able - #213

Kids' Time

Because He Lives - #464

Communion

Offering

(5 & Under Worship Dismissal)

Sermon

I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord - #442

Pastoral Prayer

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

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IN HIS NAME THE
NATIONS WILL
HOPE
MATTHEW 12:21

Building Hope through Jesus' Name

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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

OCTOBER

15th – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

15th – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

15th – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

16th – Online Bible Reading – Zoom – 7:15PM – 7:45PM

17th – Bible Break Ladies Bible Study – building/Zoom – 10:00AM

18th – Family Time – 6:00PM @ Troy Church

18th – Daniel Bible Study – 7:00PM – In person @ Troy Church

19th – Online Bible Reading – Zoom – 7:15PM – 7:45PM

22nd – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

22nd – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

22nd – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

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

Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שלום עליכם Peace be upon you!

Thank you for joining us on this 15th of October as we gather to worship God with gratitude for His love. Each one of us has much to be thankful for even in the weeks when things may have not been the way we wished they were. However, through Jesus, we always have hope. A hope that cannot be taken away by circumstances. A hope that transcends this life and any anguish or pain this life can bring. It is the hope of an eternity spent in a place where there is no suffering, no pain, no want of food, or clothing or financial strains. To remind us of this hope and of its reality we gather around the communion table, and as Jesus commanded those who follow Him as disciples, we partake of the bread and the grape juice and thus proclaim His death and resurrection as we await His triumphant return. **“Come, Lord Jesus.”** Rev. 22:20

This Wednesday – October 18th – Family Time & Daniel 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, We will continue our Bible Study on the Book of Daniel.

Birthdays this week: Lisa Jones (18th), Alanda Slusser (21st),

Online Bible Reading – Monday & Thursday from 7:15PM to 7:45PM

We started the Zoom Bible reading with the book of Psalms. Please join for this encouraging practice of the 1st century church on Mondays & Thursdays. 30 minutes each time. Use the same link as Sunday Zoom.

Bible Break – Ladies Bible Study

The Ladies Bible Study meets every Tuesday morning at 10AM. If you are not at work, please come and support this ministry as you grow in faith and understanding of the Word.

World Bible School

Beginning with the 1st Wednesday of December, every month on 1st Wednesday we will dedicate our time to an evangelistic effort through the World Bible School. Check out <https://worldbibleschool.org/> and please let me know if you would be willing to be involved.

Offering

This morning besides the offering plate, you can as always have the option to make your contribution online at <https://troychurch.net/give> ...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: Jeffery family; Oja & Pryludko Families, Clary Family; Timmy Price's Family; Bruce Baker

For those healing: Diane Flatt; Harish's Dad; Fran Birdwell, Kerry Appolson, Linda Palmer, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja

...For healthy pregnancies & babies: Leslie Florescu.

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

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit."

Romans 15:13

Please help us by filling this card

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I would like to know more about:

I would like prayers for:

Haile Nayzgi, John Cao, Wang

Yi (imprisoned for their faith)

I would like prayers for an unspoken request –

I need help:

- food clothing
- shelter medication
- counseling
- other

Comments:

