

**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 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

**Welcome & Prayer**

Psalm 8:1-4

1 Corinthians 2:7-10

Hymn of Heaven

Fairest Lord Jesus - #288

For the Beauty of the Earth - #67

Kids' Time

Hebrews 7:15-19

Communion

There Is a Redeemer - #287

Offering

*(5 & Under Worship Dismissal)*

Sermon

Pastoral Prayer

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

October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023



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**Calendar of Events:** - before attending please ALWAYS check against [troychurch.net/calendar](http://troychurch.net/calendar)

## OCTOBER

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> – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

23<sup>rd</sup> – Online Bible Reading – Zoom – 7:15PM – 7:45PM

24<sup>th</sup> – Bible Break Ladies Bible Study – building/Zoom – 10:00AM

25<sup>th</sup> – Family Time – 6:00PM @ Troy Church

25<sup>th</sup> – Daniel Bible Study – 7:00PM – In person @ Troy Church

26<sup>th</sup> – Online Bible Reading – Zoom – 7:15PM – 7:45PM

29<sup>th</sup> – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

29<sup>th</sup> – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

29<sup>th</sup> – 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!

As always, I want to thank you for being with us this morning as we gather to show our gratitude and devotion to our Lord through songs, prayers, sharing of the word and the encouraging of one another. This is a welcomed break from the grind of the daily life but even more so this is a recentering on the purposes of God's Kingdom rather than on the endeavors of our earthly lives. The goal is, of course, that the two shall match and that in all we do, as Scriptures encourage us, we may 23 ..., *work at it with all our heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, 24 since we know that we will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ we are serving. (Colossians 3:23-24)*

## This Wednesday – October 25<sup>th</sup> – 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:** Melissa Balun (22<sup>nd</sup>), Atticus Florescu (26<sup>th</sup>),

## 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of December, every month on 1<sup>st</sup> 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*

*"I can safely say, on the authority of all that is revealed in the Word of God, that any man or woman on this earth who is bored and turned off by worship is not ready for heaven."—A.W. Tozer*

## Please help us by filling this card

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**I would like to know more about:**

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**I would like prayers for:**

Haile Nayzgi, John Cao, Wang Yi (imprisoned for their faith)

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**I would like prayers for an unspoken request** –

**I need help:**

- food    clothing
- shelter    medication
- counseling
- other

**Comments:**

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