January 23rd, 2022

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 January 23rd, 2022 Welcome & Prayer A Common Love Psalm 112:6-8 1 Corinthians 15:56-58 Just As I Am – I Come Broken Communion Bible Message Doxology **Pastoral Prayer** Offering

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

For in him THE FULLNESS of God was pleased to DWELL, AND through him to **RECONCILE TO** ★ HIMSELF ALL ★ THINGS, WHETHER **ON EARTH OR IN** HEAVEN, MAKING peace by the **BLOOD OF HIS** COLOSSIANS **Building Hope through Jesus' Name**

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

JANUARY

- $\begin{array}{l} 23^{rd}-Bible\ Classes-Adult-10:00AM-ZOOM\ ONLY\\ 23^{rd}-Worship\ Service-11:00AM-ZOOM\ ONLY\\ 24^{th}-Zoom\ Bible\ Reading-7:15PM\\ 25^{th}-Bible\ Break-10:00AM-in\ person\ \&\ Zoom\\ 26^{th}-Family\ Time-6:00PM\ @\ Troy\ Church\\ 26^{th}-The\ Chosen-7:00PM-@\ Troy\ Church\ in\ person\ only\\ 27^{th}-Zoom\ Bible\ Reading-7:15PM\\ 30^{th}-Bible\ Classes-All\ Ages-10:00AM-in\ person\ \&\ on\ Zoom\\ \end{array}$
- 30th Worship Service 11:00AM in person & on Zoom

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

Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שָׁלוֹם עֵלִיכֶם Peace be upon you!

It has been a couple of really hard weeks without being able to meet with each other. We are grateful to be feeling well and on the mend so we look forward to meeting again in person on Wednesday. Until then however, I am grateful for your willingness to meet and worship the Lord together on Zoom. I look forward to all the blessings our good God has in store for us this morning as we focus our hearts on Him and His word and as we open our hearts to His guidance.

Thank you for your continued support. I know I say this often and I want you to know that I mean it deeply every time. It has been an extremely challenging time for all congregations, but I think especially for a congregation like ours. We miss all of you who continue to worship from home and look forward to that day when we can worship again together in the same place. Until then, may God keep you & bless you!

This Wednesday – January 26th – 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 weekly fellowship meal.

From 7PM, we will be watching the series Chosen about the life of Christ. Due to technical limitations this will be an in person only event although I encouraged those who can't be with us to use this hour to watch the same episode of Chosen on your own phone, tablet or TV. Find out more details by going to <u>https://watch.angelstudios.com/thechosen</u>

Birthday this week: Jan Haefner (23rd); Fred Oja (27th)

Zoom Bible Reading – Monday & Thursday 7:15PM-7:45PM

Please join us as we read through Joshua on Zoom. Although you may have your own reading plan throughout the year, I assure you this reading will not impact it or you in a negative way. Jesus prayed in the garden of Gethsemane for our unity and these half hour readings do much in terms of counteracting the negative effects to our unity brought by this pandemic.

Offering

This morning you can make your offering online at <u>https://troychurch.net/give</u>

...Or, by sending a check to Lisa Jones. Thank you.

We bring our requests to you O Lord:

For those who have suffered loss: Dick Martin, Lora Price, Nancy Schroeder, Mary Alice Cowie, Alanda Slusser, Dennis Setter, Karl Randall; Wright Family

For those healing: <u>Fred Oja</u>, Barb Oja, Linda Palmer, Kerrie Birdwell, <u>Dorel Burtoiu</u>, Pat Zurlinden, Diane Flatt, Fran Birdwell, Brad Imhoff, Landon Oja; <u>Volodya Pryludko</u>;

We give thanks to you O Lord: Fred Oja; Pat Oja; Frank Birdwell; Florescu household; Simmons household, McCauley family travel safety

You have not lived today until you have done something for someone who can never repay you. — John Bunyan

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I would like prayers for:
Yousef Nadarkhani, John Cao,
Wang Yi (imprisoned for their
faith)

I would like prayers for an unspoken request $-\Box$

I need help:

- \Box food \Box clothing
- \Box shelter \Box medication
- \Box counseling
- □ other

Comments: