# 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 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Welcome & Prayer

Psalm 73:28

Near to the Heart of God

Hide Me Away, O Lord

Psalm 77:19

God Will Make a Way

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

Kids' Time

Communion

Offering

I Will Call Upon the Lord

Sermon

Pastoral Prayer

I Stand in Awe

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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 trovchurch.net/calendar

#### JULY

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

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

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

27<sup>th</sup> – Fun fellowship & games – 6PM @ the building

30<sup>th</sup> – Fellowship Dinner – 6:00PM @ the building

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

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3<sup>rd</sup> – Care Center Worship – 2:00PM

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

### Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שַׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם Peace be upon you!

Good morning and thank you for being with us this morning in our worship gathering. Every Sunday we gather together to partake of the Spirit in a greater measure together than we could possibly partake alone. This is important. For most of us, the world is just the place we live in, but for the Universe it is the place where evil wars against God. We are God's image bearers and as such the devil delights in corrupting that which bears the image of God. Christ, through His Spirit, indwells us. The devil tries to imitate God and even outmatch Him by trying to indwell as many people as possible. However, when we come together, he becomes as impotent as a pride of lions unable to hunt when the pack of wild beasts are gathered together encircling the young and the vulnerable. As we worship together, he loses!

### This Wednesday – 30th July – Fellowship Dinner & Bible Class – 6:00PM

Please make plans to join us for our BYOD (Bring Your Own Dinner) mid-week 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:** Daniel McCauley (30<sup>th</sup>) **Anniversaries this week:** Don & Jan Haefner (30<sup>th</sup>)

# 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 – NEXT SUNDAY

Please mark your calendars for NEXT SUNDAY at 2PM for our next Care Center worship. Let's have another full house and bless the residence there with our numbers and our love.

### Volleyball, Games & Bonfire - Next Event - This Evening

Please plan on some fun & fellowship this afternoon from 6PM. I will bring hot dogs, smores stuff and of course, fruitsicles and waters. Please bring anything else you would like but most definitely – Bring friends!

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

For those healing: Fran Birdwell, Kenny Burtch, Nancy Schroeder, Diane Flatt; Kerry Appolson, Pat Zurlinden, Margie Zurlinden, Landon Oja

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

"Fellowship is a place of grace, where mistakes aren't rubbed in but rubbed out. Fellowship happens when mercy wins over justice." – Rick Warren

### Please help us by filling this card

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