

## 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

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

### Welcome & Prayer

1 Timothy 1:17

Now Unto the King Eternal - #447

1 Timothy 6:15-16

We Bow Down - #577  
We Will Glorify - #578

John 6:14-15

O Worship the King - #144

### Kids' Time

Freely, Freely - #635

### Communion Offering

*(5 & Under Worship Dismissal)*

### Sermon

Praise Him, Praise Him

### Pastoral Prayer

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

July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

*Building Hope through Jesus' Name*

**TROY CHURCH of CHRIST**

*If my people,*

which are called by my name,  
shall humble themselves, and pray,  
and seek my face, and turn from their  
wicked ways; then will I hear from  
heaven, and will forgive their sin,  
and will heal their land.

2 CHRONICLES 7:14



# TROY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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

## JULY

2<sup>nd</sup> – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

2<sup>nd</sup> – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

2<sup>nd</sup> – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

2<sup>nd</sup> – Games @ the church building – 2:00PM

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

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

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

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

9<sup>th</sup> – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

9<sup>th</sup> – Volleyball @ the church building – 2:00PM

- 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!

Good morning and a blessed new month to you as we embark on this new month's journey with the celebration of our Independence Day. Amidst plans with family and friends and holiday weekend plans, I am grateful you've taken the time and join us as we go before the Father, as a family of faith, to express our gratitude for the freedom that could have never been purchased with our blood. The freedom for which a nobler blood was required. A price which could only be paid by the One Who created us, in Whose image we have been made. In the beginning God created us in His image and likeness. Spiritual beings with a physical body living in the beautiful world God created. To gain our freedom, God took on our physical form and the title of the Son of Man forever, bringing us restoration, glory and honor as heirs to God's Kingdom. As we celebrate the freedom from tyranny let us not forget to celebrate our true freedom!

## This Wednesday – July 5<sup>th</sup> – 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 bi-weekly fellowship meal.

From 7PM, We will have a Bible Study and devotional time.

**Birthdays this Week:** Lena McCauley (4<sup>th</sup>); Lauren Mize (5<sup>th</sup>).

**Anniversaries this Week:** Karl & Robin Randall (6<sup>th</sup>).

## Soccer Camp – July 11<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> ; 4PM – 5:30PM

...As an outreach to the community I've been thinking about organizing a Summer Soccer Camp during the month of July. This would be for kids between 6 and 10. Please let me know if you are aware of anyone who could benefit from it.

## Torchbearers VBS – August 7-11 – 9:30AM to 12:00PM

We need support, if you can help, please let Nadya know.

## Sunday Evening Volleyball – 2PM

Weather permitting at 2PM on Sunday afternoons we will play volleyball and continue our Sunday fellowship. Please let your friends know. This is a great opportunity to invite your friends to Church!

## 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:* Oja & Pryludko Families, Wright Family; Clary Family; Timmy Price's Family

*For those healing:* Kerry Appolson; Fred & Barb Oja, Linda Palmer, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja.

...**For the people of Ukraine**

*There are two freedoms - the false, where a man is free to do what he likes; the true, where he is free to do what he ought.- Charles Kingsley*

## 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:**

Yousef Nadarkhani, 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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