# 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 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

Welcome & Prayer

Here I Am to Worship

1 Peter 2:9-10

We Love You with the Love of the Lord

Colossians 3:15-17

A Common Love

Kid's Time

Hebrews 10:23-25

Come to the Table

Communion

Offering

Open the Eyes of My Heart

Sermon

They'll Know We Are Christians

Pastoral Prayer

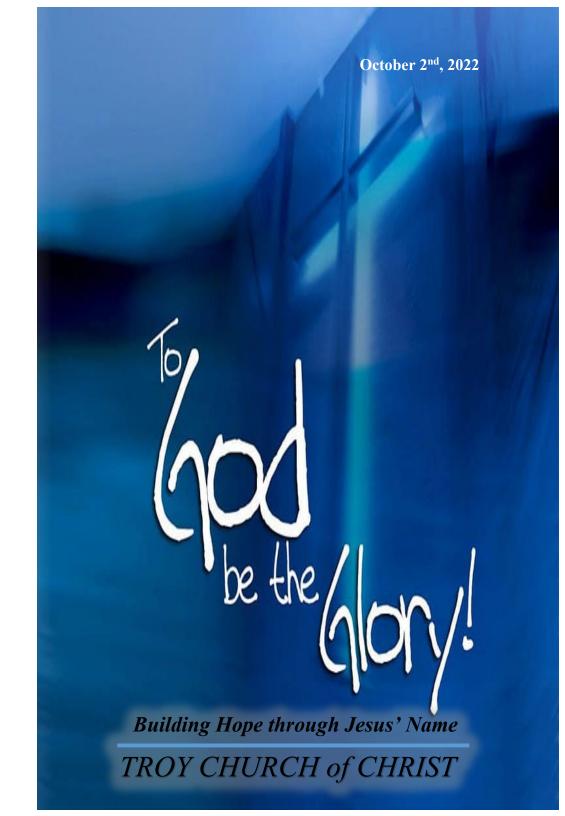
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Suggestions box in the lobby. Please help us by providing feedback.



# TROY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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# Calendar of Events: - before attending please ALWAYS check against

troychurch.net/calendar

#### **OCTOBER**

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

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

4<sup>th</sup> – Bible Break 10AM-12PM @ Troy Church

4<sup>th</sup> – Zoom Bible Reading – 1 John 4-5 – 7:15PM

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

5<sup>th</sup> – Philippians Study – 7:00PM – In person & on Zoom

7<sup>th</sup> – Zoom Bible Reading – 2 & 3 John – 7:15PM

9<sup>th</sup> – Bible Classes – All Ages – 10:00AM – in person & on Zoom

9<sup>th</sup> – 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! שלום עליכם Peace be upon you!

Once again, I get to greet you with the Καλό μήνα (Kalo Mina) Good Month to you as we turn another calendar page in 2022. Our new neighbors, transplants from Texas, were all in a Christmas spirit this past week as the cooler weather of the past week, apparently was the exact weather they have at Christmas time in the part of Texas they are coming from. I thought, "Oh boy, are you in for a treat... or... a rude awakening, come Christmas." I like that idea though. We should be in a Christmas spirit, always, for your see, no matter the circumstances of our planet, the turmoil, the destruction, be it by war or natural phenomena, none of it, NONE, can erase the fact that our Creator was born as our Savior and living among us has given us the light of life, the truth of life enclosed in Scripture and the promise that the Holy Spirit will help us discern it to a fruitful life and the award of the crown of life when we go home.

# This Wednesday – October 5th – Family Time & Philippians 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 continue the Bible Study on the book of Philippians with Caleb Simmons which will also be available to those interested in participating on Zoom.

Birthdays this week: Barb Oja (3<sup>rd</sup>); Claudia Mitchell (8<sup>th</sup>)

### Zoom Bible Reading - Tuesday & Friday - 7:15PM-7:45PM

Please join us as we read through the New Testament. This week we will read on Tuesday *1 John 4-5* and on Friday we will read *2 & 3 John*.

# Games Night, Question in the Box, Prayer Night, Singing Night

Last Wednesday as we were talking around dinner, Charles mentioned of how in the past we used to have a different themed night every Wednesday and that kind of brought some good nostalgia back. I would like to know who is willing to bring back our themed Wednesdays.

### Manu Office Hours - Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

I've been trying to be in the office one Tuesday morning, Wednesday afternoon and Friday morning in case anyone wants to pray together, have a Bible Study, or just some fellowship time. I would appreciate a notice ahead of time and for that you can use my calendar. Just go to the Troy calendar, click on Manu@ Church Office and follow directions.

# **Offering**

This morning you can make your offering online at <a href="https://troychurch.net/give">https://troychurch.net/give</a>

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

# We bring our requests to you O Lord:

For those who have suffered loss: Oja & Pryludko Families, Wright Family; Clary Family;

For those healing: Kerry Appolson; Bobby Westerby; Fred & Barb Oja, Linda Palmer, Kerrie Birdwell, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja.

...For the people of Ukraine

"Start by doing what's necessary; then do what's possible, and suddenly you are doing the impossible."- **St. Francis of Assisi** 

#### Please help us by filling this card

Name:
Address:
Phone:E-mail: I would like to know more about:
I would like prayers for: Yousef Nadarkhani, 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: