

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

September 3rd, 2023

Welcome & Prayer

Ephesians 1:18
Stepping in the Light

Ephesians 5:8-10
Thy Word - #449

Kids' Time

Ephesians 3:16-18
Oh, the Deep Love of Jesus

Communion

Offering

In Christ Alone
(5 & Under Worship Dismissal)

Sermon

Pastoral Prayer

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

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**TO GRASP
HOW WIDE AND LONG AND HIGH AND DEEP**

**IS THE LOVE OF CHRIST
AND TO KNOW THIS LOVE
THAT SURPASSES KNOWLEDGE**

EPHESIANS 3:18-19

Building Hope through Jesus' Name

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

SEPTEMBER

3rd – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

3rd – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

3rd – Lunch & Fellowship @ the building – 12:30PM

3rd – Volleyball & Games @ the church building – 2:00PM

6th – Family Time – 6:00PM @ Troy Church

6th – Daniel Bible Study – 7:00PM – In person @ Troy Church

10th – Bible Class – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

10th – Worship Service – 11:00AM – in person & Zoom

10th – Potluck & Corn Roast @ the building – 12:30PM

10th – Highland Games @ 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!

Here we are, at the beginning of a new month and truly, at the beginning of a new season as September marks the beginning of the turning of the leaves in Michigan. Allow me therefore to wish you a good month as I pray that God will bless us not only with beautiful Michigan fall colors but with a bountiful harvest both, physically and spiritually. May the height and depth and breadth of God's love be more apparent and more relevant to us than ever before.

When we think of harvest we think of good fruit. The Bible speaks of us as God's harvest so let us bear good fruit for God in everything we do so that His glory may be found in us. May our lives be the reflection of His goodness and kindness to the world and may the world come to understand His love in the love they feel from us.

This Wednesday – September 6th – 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: Dick Martin (5th); Marty Quigley (7th); Ada McCauley (9th);

Corn Roast – September 10th after the services

This year we will “ease” back into our traditional “after Labro Day Corn Roast” in a much smaller scale than we’ve been used to. This year we will have a potluck style lunch & corn roast on a smaller scale. There won’t be a party tent, petting zoo or rock climbing but instead we will have good food, some fun trivia games and weather permitting some “highland country games” competition for children. Please plant to attend.

World Bible School

I’ve been thinking about a way to engage as many of our number as possible in an evangelistic/missionary effort and I thought that World Bible School could offer us that opportunity. 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: Margie Zurlinden, Diane Flatt; Harish’s Dad; Fran Birdwell, Kerry Appolson, Linda Palmer, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja, .

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

Evangelism is not a professional job for a few trained men, but is instead the unrelenting responsibility of every person who belongs to the company of Jesus.- D. Elton Trueblood

Please help us by filling this card

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I would like to know more about:

I would like prayers for:

Haile Nayzgi, 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:

