



February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020

Welcome  
TO OUR CHURCH FAMILY



*Building Hope through Jesus' Name*

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*TROY CHURCH of CHRIST*

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

## **FEBRUARY**

**11<sup>th</sup> – Bible Break – 9:30 AM @ the Church Building**

**12<sup>th</sup> – Family Time – 6:00 PM @ the Church Building**

**12<sup>th</sup> – Peak of the Week – 7:00 PM @ the Church Building**

**23<sup>rd</sup> – Town Hall – 12:30 PM @ the Church Building**

**26<sup>th</sup> – POTLUCK – 6:00 PM @the Church Building**

**28<sup>th</sup> – Family Movie Night – 7:00 PM @ the Church Building**

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

## ***Minister's Corner***

Good morning to you and welcome to today's worship gathering of the Troy Church!

Here we are again, at the beginning of a new week, with a new opportunity to thrive and live within the will of God and our Father. Week after week, and day after day, we make plans and we strive to serve God in a better way, to a higher degree, than the week before, than the day before. Many times we succeed, sometimes we don't but no matter if you are coming off of a successful week and you find yourself on a spiritual high, or are coming off of a not so good week and find yourself in a spiritual valley, God welcomes us alike in His presence for we come before Him in the grace afforded to us by Christ, our Savior and Lord. All we have to do is SEEK, for we were promised that when we seek God with all our hearts, we will find Him. The key is not in perfection as perfection belongs only to God, but in the desire of our seeking that He becomes the center of our desire and of our lives. In so doing, we can always be assured to find His welcoming embrace in peace unthinkable.



### ***This Wednesday – February 12<sup>th</sup> – Family Time & Prayer Hour***

This Wednesday grab some take out and join us at the church building for our Family Time. This is a weekly dinner we eat together, as a family, talking about life, faith, news and everything in between. For those of us who are meeting weekly it has become a highlight and I always look forward to Wednesday dinner with my faith family.

From 7:00 PM we will go back to using one Wednesday a month to come together in prayer before God as a congregation. Jesus taught His disciples to do so and we are to follow that example.

***Birthdays this week:*** Kyle McCauley (9<sup>th</sup>); Harish Sampath (10<sup>th</sup>); Gary Flatt (14<sup>th</sup>);

### ***February Family Movie Night – 28<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 PM***

***Please note date change*** - In February we will watch the movie I Believe - 9-year-old Brian's (Rowan Smyth) pure and innocent faith brings about manifestations of God's extraordinary power that quickly become breaking news. He faces heavy opposition from the world around him, especially from his own father Simon (Matt Lindquist), an atheist TV Newscaster. Brian finds allies in the pastor of a local church (Wilford Brimley) and a wounded U.S. Marine (Jeremy London). Link to Trailer is on the Church Calendar online.

Mark your calendars and plan to attend please – Invite friends!

### ***Giveaway***

I want to thank Jeremy and Shana for supporting this ministry for the past couple of years. Also, I want to thank all those who volunteered alongside them. Shana & Jeremy informed me that they are willing to host one last Giveaway this Spring. It will be on April 25<sup>th</sup> so please start preparing your donations and also please put it on your calendar and plan on coming to help. If this ministry is to continue past April 25<sup>th</sup>, we need someone to volunteer to lead it. Please let me know if you feel called to do so. If no one volunteers to lead the next Giveaway April 25<sup>th</sup> will be our last Giveaway event.

### ***Bridal Shower***

Ladies from the Troy church family along with other family and friends of Jessica Van Horn are invited to a bridal shower in her honor. The shower will be here in our fellowship hall on Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup> at 11:30. Luncheon will be served.

Jessica is the daughter of Jan Haefner. She grew up in the Troy church and is loved by current and former Troy members. We are always happy to see her when she returns for a visit.

Please join us as we celebrate with Jessica her upcoming marriage to Chris Fisher. Please RSVP to Nancy Schroeder (248 652-3676) by March 8<sup>th</sup>.

Jessica and Chris are registered at Macy's and Target.

### ***Assembly Leaders for February***

***Greeters:*** Luci

***Welcome:*** Linda

***Communion:*** Frank

### ***Children's Ministry - Wiggle Room recommended ages: 5 and under***

***TODAY –*** Nita

***February 16<sup>th</sup> –*** Melissa

### **Please help us by filling this card**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### **I would like to know more about:**

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### **I would like prayers for:**

**Mahrokh Roksare Kanbari, 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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## 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!*

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## Welcome & Prayer

### Psalm 23

Holy, Holy, Holy  
Fairest Lord Jesus  
Spirit of the Living God

## PRAYER

### Proverbs 3:1-15

More Precious than Silver  
There is a Redeemer

## Communion

## Offering

## Bible Message

## If We Are the Body

## Pastoral Prayer

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