

## 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**  
January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Welcome & Prayer**

1 Corinthians 15:56-58

Promises

Psalm 112:6-8

Whom Shall I Fear?

**Kids' Time**

Proverbs 4:25-27

My Life Is in You

**Communion  
Offering**

Isaiah 26:2-4

Christ the Rock

Bible Message

Firm Foundation

**Pastoral Prayer**

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

January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Thank God!

HE GIVES US VICTORY OVER  
SIN AND DEATH THROUGH  
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST.

1 CORINTHIANS 15:57

***Building Hope through Jesus' Name***  
**TROY CHURCH of CHRIST**

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

## JANUARY

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

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

10<sup>th</sup> – Zoom Bible Reading – 7:15PM

11<sup>th</sup> – Bible Break – 10:00AM – in person & Zoom

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

12<sup>th</sup> – Class with Caleb on Suffering – 7:00PM – in person & Zoom

13<sup>th</sup> – Zoom Bible Reading – 7:15PM

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

16<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!

Thank you in advance for being a part of our worship this Lord's Day. I pray that you will receive comfort, strength, encouragement and answers to all the questions your heart seeks. A wise man once said that "100 religious persons knit into a unity by careful organization do not constitute a church any more than 11 dead men make a football team." (AW Tozer) and I think he was absolutely right. It is not our organization that makes us who we are, it is Jesus Christ. It is the measure of Christ in our hearts as that defines His work in us and through us. I would say even more,... the measure of Christ in our hearts truly defines the measure of our victory, the measure by which we overcome the world. In a world saturated by self-help books, life coaches and gurus, is there any space for Christ? Is there anything needed beyond Christ for us to be well? We are on a journey to find us. Stay with us! God bless you!

## This Wednesday – January 12<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 weekly fellowship meal.

From 7PM, we will continue the new study on the subject of suffering lead by Caleb Simmons. Please join us in person and on Zoom for this insightful study.

**Birthdays this week:** Mary Alice Cowie (9<sup>th</sup>); Diane Quigley (10<sup>th</sup>); Brad Imhoff (13<sup>th</sup>)

**Anniversaries this week:** Fred & Barb Oja (12<sup>th</sup>)

## Zoom Bible Reading – Monday & Thursday 7:15PM-7:45PM

Thank you to those who reached out about the Zoom Bible Reading. Based on current calendar I suggest 7:15PM -7:45PM. That will allow everyone to finish dinner and get set. Atticus has basketball practice on Thursday until 7 so that will give us a chance to get home and get set as well. So, we will begin this Monday, tomorrow, 10<sup>th</sup> January at 7:15PM. We will use the same link as for Sundays and Wednesdays to make it easier for anyone to get in. I've not kept up with the reading from where we left off, so we'll talk tomorrow and reach a consensus on where to start reading.

## Offering

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

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

## We bring our requests to you O Lord:

*For those who have suffered loss:* Dick Martin, Lora Price, Nancy Schroeder, Mary Alice Cowie, Alanda Slusser, Dennis Setter, Karl Randall; Wright Family

*For those healing:* Fred Oja, Barb Oja, Lauren Birdwell, Linda Palmer, Roxy Morrice, Kerrie Birdwell, Dorel Burtoiu, Pat Zurlinden, Diane Flatt, Fran Birdwell, Joanna Diehl, Brad Imhoff, Landon Oja; Volodya Pryludko; the Vize family (Brad, Nate, Elanor, Nicole, Jim)

"God is looking for those with whom He can do the impossible — what a pity that we plan only the things that we can do by ourselves."—AW Tozer

## 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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