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 being perfected through Jesus Christ, our Savior, 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 videos 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 work of the church.

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

March 9th, 2025

Welcome & Prayer Jeremiah 9:23-24 In the Garden Hebrews 8:10-11 My God and I Kids' Time My Only Hope Is You Communion Offering Heaven Came Down Sermon Pastoral Prayer Jesus is Alive

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



TROY CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Elder: Frank Birdwell - (586)-295-5027

Treasurer: Lisa Jones – (248) 703-7130

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

MARCH

- 9th Bible Class 10:00AM In Person & Zoom
- 9th Worship Service 11:00AM In person & Zoom
- 9th Food, Fellowship 12:300PM @ the church building
- 10th Zoom Bible Reading 7:15PM
- 11th Bible Break Ladies Bible Study 10AM
- 12th Fellowship Dinner 6:00PM @ the building
- 12th Peak of the Week Bible Study 7:00PM @ the building & Zoom
- 13th Zoom Bible Reading 7:15PM
- 16th Bible Class 10:00AM In Person & Zoom
- 16th Worship Service 11:00AM In person & Zoom
- 16th Food, Fellowship 12:30PM @ the church building

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

Minister's Corner

Shalom aleikhem! שָׁלוֹם עֲלֵיכֶם Peace be upon you!

Good morning and although we are gathered an hour earlier than usual, I hope you have had enough rest during the night, and you feel refreshed and ready to also be recharged spiritually. Being part of a small congregation however is no picnic when it comes to spiritual renewal and recharging. In large congregations is often easier to get "pumped up" emotionally by the larger crowd, the music and energy overall. In a small congregation however, you are forced to plug in to God and there is not a lot of room for fuzzy feelings gathered from the crowd. Actually, you have to be so well plugged into God that all the usual distractions (kids, flat singing, lack of energy) will not drain you even of what energy you have left. Here is where the mask drops, and you have to face your own spiritual self and decide what else needs to go to make more room for Jesus. Is He truly your King yet?

This Wednesday – 12th March – Fellowship Dinner & Bible Class – 6:00PM

Please make plans to join us for our BYOD (Bring Your Own Dinner) midweek Fellowship at 6PM on Wednesday. This is a great time to connect, strengthen relationships and catch up with one another. From 7PM we will have a Bible Study led by Charles.

Birthdays this week: Brenda Imhoff (9th);

Bible Break – Tuesday – 10:00AM to noon

Every Tuesday morning, a group of ladies from different congregations joins a group of our ladies for a Bible class. Currently studying Romans. Please invite any of the ladies you know.

Zoom Bible Reading – Monday & Thursday from 7:15PM

Please plan to join our Bible Reading group. This session they will be reading through the New Testament. You can use the same Zoom link as you use to join the services on Sunday morning.

Church of Christ Care Center – April 6th – 2PM

Again, a heartfelt thank you to all of you who made the trip to the Care Center to worship with the older folks there. May God remember your good deeds on the day of our resurrection and reward you with the treasures of heaven.

Offering

This morning besides the offering plate, you can as always have the option to make your contribution online at <u>https://troychurch.net/give</u>

...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: Bobby Westerby's family; Dick Martin & Family; Tomes Family, Agustin & Ambrosio Families.

For those healing: Fran Birdwell, Kenny Burtch, Karl Randall, Nancy Schroeder, Diane Flatt; Kerry Appolson, Pat Zurlinden, Landon Oja

... For our Government, the people of Ukraine, Russia, Israel & Palestine

"They will make war on the Lamb, and the Lamb will conquer them, for he is Lord of lords and King of kings, and those with him are called and chosen and faithful."

- Revelation 17:14

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