

Troy
Church of Christ

Sunday Worship

Bible classes:

10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

Worship Service:

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Mid-Week Study

Tuesdays

6:30 p.m. - at the building.

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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Troy Church of Christ is to exhibit growth and development in the faith, love, and devotion of our members to Christ our Lord thru the recognition and utilization of the talents and skills of each member and thru the teaching of the Word of God. The Church will eagerly embrace the opportunity to share the love of Christ thru acts of service to those in need in the surrounding community via partnerships with community organizations and relationships of the congregation's members, all for the purpose of winning souls to Christ himself.

"27 Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world"
James 1:27

"19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely, I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
Matthew 28:19-20

Serving in the Worship Assembly

Sermon – Jim Baldwin

Song Leading – Dennis Hofshield

Opening Prayer – Noah Ashton

Announcements – Noah Ashton

Scripture Reading – Wayne Perreault

Communion – Duane Cefalu

Offering – Bob Shaver

Closing Prayer – Jim Baldwin

Adult Class – Duane Cefalu

Children's Bible Time – Dennis Hofshield



Family News

Troy Church of Christ
October 22, 2017

What Distresses You?

Over the past few weeks I contemplated the subject that I would teach for my series this time home & I could not develop a clear theme. Through prayer & study not one thing jumped out at me. I had no, AHHHHHHH, that's IT!, moment. However, what did catch my interest was brother Paul's reaction to ALL the idols he saw in the city of Athens, Greece on one of his missionary missions as recorded in Acts Ch 17.

While Paul was waiting for them in Athens, he was greatly distressed to see that the city was full of idols. Acts 17:16 (NIV) Paul became distressed. In my sermon, we will look at the Greek verb for distressed: Paroxuno which means "STIRRED" or "PROVOKED" in spirit. The key here is spirit. So I thought to myself, what stirs US today? What provokes our spirit as members of the Lord's church into some type of emotional reaction? Is it the News?, Politics?, Sports, Weather?, etc, etc. We have plenty to keep us preoccupied! The Greek word Paroxuno, describes a range of emotions that could result from our spirit being provoked: anger, dismay, sorrow & disappointment. But remember this: Paul's SPIRITUAL reaction wasn't to News events, Politics, Sports or Weather, it was to ALL THE FALSE GODS in ATHENS. Simply put: They were worshipping God's other than the ONE true God. They had developed Images in their Human minds to worship, images that would satisfy their needs and a set of human based rituals & rules to support their beliefs. My lesson series will seek to reinforce the Troy church's Bible faith & also create in the visitor a curiosity about God's essential Truths relating to His Son Jesus's church. And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it. Matt 16:18 (NIV) Jesus began a church almost 2,000 yrs. ago! Curious? Jim



Cristian Fellowship,
Upcoming Events and Needs

Fall "In Reach" – Sunday, October 22, 2017
1-3pm @ the building
Cookout and Fellowship with friends and family.

Ladies Class – Thursday, October 26, 2017
6:30pm @ Dawn's House

Hope 7 Food Pantry – They have a need for laundry detergent! This will be an ongoing collection through the holidays. See Laura or Dawn for details.
Hope 7 was extremely appreciative of our crock pot donations last year.

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.
2 Corinthians 13:14



Prayers & Thanksgiving

Jeff Radez – Client of Dennis', recovering from hospitalization.
Nicky Knapp – Albany Church of Christ, diagnosed with cancer
Laura Sanderson – Laura is home recovering
Hannah Baldwin – as she builds her life in California.

Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful.
Colossians 4:2

Welcome Visitors

We are very happy to have you with us and hope you will come back and worship with us again, soon!

"Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me, and anyone who welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me.
Matthew 10:40

October Birthdays



7th - Adam Lougee
14th - Brynn Lougee
20th - Ellie Markovitch
25th - Riina Hosfschild
26th - Lynne Daly
31st - Eric Beberwyk

Let's Play a Game!

A weekly question will be provided and the answer will be available in the following week's bulletin.
Here we go...

Who recognized Jesus as the Messiah when he was presented at the Temple as a baby?

Last week's question:
In what synagogue did Jesus read from the prophet Isaiah?

Answer:
At Capernaum (Luke 4)