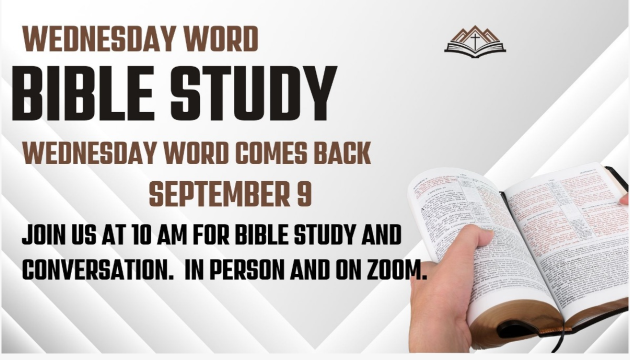
TIDINGS
TROY FIRST

Sunday
September 6, 2026

"Time to Take Change"
Communion Sunday

Pastor Myra Moreland

Esther 4: 12-17



WEDNESDAY WORD
BIBLE STUDY

WEDNESDAY WORD COMES BACK
SEPTEMBER 9

JOIN US AT 10 AM FOR BIBLE STUDY AND CONVERSATION. IN PERSON AND ON ZOOM.

COME HOME
Community
BONFIRE
October 18 - 5pm

Garden of Love

The Garden of Love is for everyone - congregation, friends, & visitors alike. You may paint a stone in memory of someone dear, in celebration of life events, in gratitude or a prayer for someone who needs encouragement.

No artistic skill is needed - only a willing heart.

We invite you to join us September 27 for our next rock painting gathering and add your story to the Garden of Love!

Dinner Groups are Back!
Fellowship, Fun & Food!

Signup in the CLC starting September 13
Groups meet monthly
(October, November & January)
Time and restaurant selected by the group

Any questions contact: Robin Ostergaard
248-765-7433 / rjoster01@hotmail.com

Come Home
CONCERT SERIES

Sept 20	TROY FIRST TALEN
Oct 4	DIAMONS IN THE RUST
Oct 11	MSU MUSIC ON THE ROAD
Nov 1	CELTIC MUSIC
Nov 8	MSU MUSIC ON THE ROAD

Troy First Grief Ministry welcomes you to join us as we share and learn together along the journey of grief.

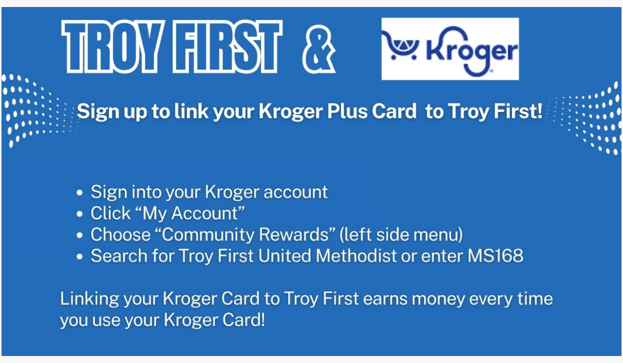
Grief Circle
This Sunday
3pm in Room 207

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Gary Elliott	Dorothy Engelman
Kathy Sobanski	Matthew Murphy
Lori Ann & Mike Rumel	Diann & Paul Scheuerman

We celebrate you this week!

WAYS TO SERVE AT TROY FIRST

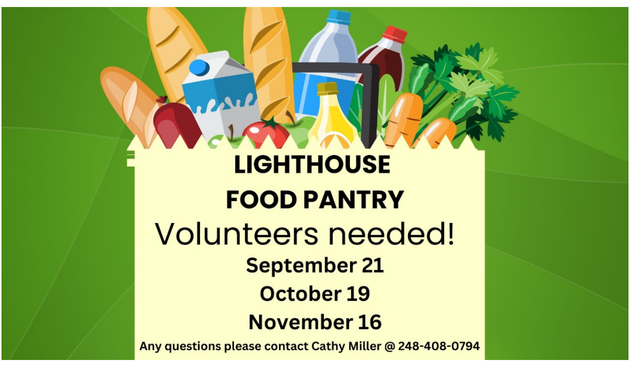


TROY FIRST & Kroger

Sign up to link your Kroger Plus Card to Troy First!

- Sign into your Kroger account
- Click "My Account"
- Choose "Community Rewards" (left side menu)
- Search for Troy First United Methodist or enter MS168

Linking your Kroger Card to Troy First earns money every time you use your Kroger Card!



LIGHTHOUSE FOOD PANTRY

Volunteers needed!

September 21
October 19
November 16

Any questions please contact Cathy Miller @ 248-408-0794

Sign up today. Call Cathy Miller or sign up here on this link https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F45ACAC2AA7F58-47217539-light

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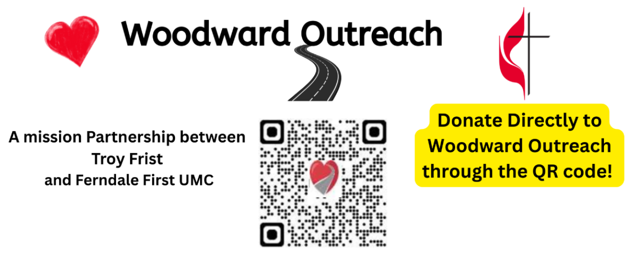


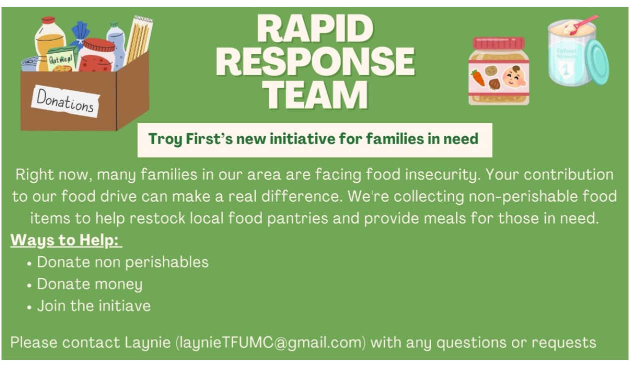
Woodward Outreach

A mission Partnership between Troy Frist and Ferndale First UMC

Donate Directly to Woodward Outreach through the QR code!

Woodward Outreach needs you!
Sign up today to bring food and/or help in the kitchen!

Sign up to volunteer to cook and/or serve: https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F45ACAC2AA7F58-53865123-woodward (https://www.signupgenius.com/go/8050F45ACAC2AA7F58-53865123-woodward
or contact Mike Monte Email- woodwardoutreach@gmail.com (248) 840-7472



RAPID RESPONSE TEAM

Troy First's new initiative for families in need

Right now, many families in our area are facing food insecurity. Your contribution to our food drive can make a real difference. We're collecting non-perishable food items to help restock local food pantries and provide meals for those in need.

Ways to Help:

- Donate non perishables
- Donate money
- Join the initiave

Please contact Laynie (laynieTFUMC@gmail.com) with any questions or requests

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In our prayers

- Prayers for:
  - Jo Hornbeck on the passing of her husband Larry.
  - Jane Egermann on the passing of her husband Ken.
    - Memorial October 10. Gathering at 1pm Service at 2pm
  - Sue Olesen on the passing of her brother, John Chenoweth.
  - Randy Whitcomb.
  - Bonnie Kalef - recovering from surgery.
  - Denise Dolehanty - recovering from surgery.
  - Marcus Kelley.
  - Max Freeman (and Michelle)
  - Judy White/ Rick White
  - Jerry Michaux recovering from surgery.
  - Carol Laursen - who is still in pain from a fractured vertebrae due to a fall.
  - Tim Teagan.
  - We continue to pray for:
    - Fleming Pruitt
    - Rev Chuck Sonquist
    - Kathryn McNamara
    - Tom Stevens (and Ann)
    - Faith Morgan
    - JoAnn Horning - recovering at Bellbrook
    - Joyce Berard recently relocated to:
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  - Waltonwood Main
    1401 N. Rochester Rd. - Apt. . 221
    Rochester Hills, MI 48307
- Jean Roberson - staying with her daughter, Renee, in South Carolina, cards and letters are much appreciated. 161 Demedicis Blvd., Warrenville, SC 29851
- Patty Umbarger
- Karen Belt
- Rob Jewell
- Bev Holmes
- William Mott (Fred Dolehanty's brother)

General Information

Last Week's Service

https://www.youtube.com/live/HhuQgu9UVwk?si=4u3U9DhWlqgmYYd0

Troy First Prayer Chain

Do you have a prayer request? We have a group that is willing to pray for it! Text your prayer request to Cathy Miller at 248-408 0794.or email cmiller5@comcast.net

Text Giving

248-609-4565

If you have signed up for text giving, just text the dollar amount you want to give, and the keyword to determine how your gift should be used.
Available Keywords:

general - Operations and Ministries
rapid - Rapid Response Supplies
woodward - Woodward Outreach
lighthouse - Lighthouse Services
VBS - Vacation Bible School

keyword - display available keywords

If you have not yet signed up, just text the word give, click on the link you get and follow the prompts.
Enter Dollar amount and Keyword. For example: 25 noisy. You have to have the amount and the keyword on the same line. If you enter just the keyword, you get a message telling you to enter an amount. If you enter just the amount, it defaults to General Operations and Ministries.

Wednesday Word Zoom   meeting this week

Wednesdays at 10am

Join Zoom Meeting
https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82167532972?pwd=Rm5Nb3YyUWh5UHdGWDFXMmxIaXRMQT09
Meeting ID: 821 6753 2972
Passcode: 987522
Find your local number: https://us06web.zoom.us/u/kjX2x0bBO

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday
9am-noon