

Upcoming Events

CONNECT LUNCH – TODAY!

Open to anyone new or not connected to our church family!

11:45 a.m. – 1:15 p.m., Upper Family Life Center

Questions – contact Bonnie – bonnie@troymc.org

GINGERBREAD BASH – TODAY!

Open to all kids & their families!

4:00 – 5:30 p.m., Family Life Center

Details at troymc.org/kids

TMW LUNCHEON

Thursday, December 11, 11:30 a.m., Bella Milano

Reservations - contact Becky Rushing, rushing1@sbcglobal.net

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

Sunday, December 14, 3:00 p.m., Family Life Center

Details at troymc.org/events

See our website for additional details– troymc.org/events

Worship Order

Prelude: “The Lamb of Christmas/The Lamb Appears” Chancel Choir

Welcome and Prayer

“Hark the Herald Angels Sing”

#240

“The First Noel”

#245

Offertory

Doxology

#95

Scripture Reading Video – Matthew 1:18-25

Message: Pause, to Reconsider

Pastor Andy Adams

Communion

If you would like communion but are unable to come forward,

Please ask an Usher for assistance

“From Everlasting” (Psalm 90)

Lyrics on Screen

Benediction

Postlude

Message Notes

December 7, 2025

Pause, To Reconsider

Matthew 1:18-25

Joseph *had in mind to divorce her quietly*. (Matthew 1:19b)
Yet he reconsidered! Why?

What is God's Will for Your Life?

God's general will for your life:

- To be reconciled to God through grace made available through Jesus' death on the cross.
- To follow Jesus and his ways
- To be transformed and live out God's mission in this world.

Determining God's specific will in any given situation:

1. Scripture
2. Prayer and other spiritual disciplines
3. Godly Counsel
4. Signs
5. Heart

Will you pause: slow down enough to give God space to lead you in his ways?