



Welcome to Troy Methodist Church!

New to TMC?

We invite you on a journey with Jesus...

Connect to God and our faith community.

Grow into a wholehearted follower of Jesus.

Serve with your God-given gifts and passions.

Share God's love regionally and globally.

Worship God in everything you say and do.

Stop by the Welcome Center after service to pick up a gift!



Point your phone camera at the QR code to connect!

Upcoming Events

10/12- Troy United Women in Faith Meeting

10/14 - Youth Fall Rally (Troy Methodist Students)

10/15- Connect Lunch

10/22- Tweens Event (Troy Methodist Kids)

10/24- Joy Seekers Meeting

10/26- Cookout at the Stolle Home (Troy Methodist Students)

10/29- Fall Fest/ Trunk or Treat (Troy Methodist Kids)

Message Notes

October 8, 2023

Threat: Deceit

Acts 5:1-11

Background:

- Jesus had ascended (Acts 1)
- The Holy Spirit came in power on Jesus' followers (Acts 2)
- The First Church proclaims the Gospel of Jesus Christ
- The First Church supported, encouraged and fellowshiped with one another

(Acts 2:42-47 & 4:32-37)

The Encounter:

- Ananias & Sapphira sold a piece of land (vs. 1)
- Ananias & Sapphira knowingly kept part of the proceeds for themselves (vs. 2)
- Ananias brings his offering to the apostles (vs. 2)
- Peter calls out Ananias on his deceit (vs. 3-4)
- Sapphira interacts with Peter (vs. 7-9)
- Ananias & Sapphira both die (vs. 5, 10)
- Fear seized the whole church and all who heard about these events (vs. 5, 11)

Reflection Questions:

- Where do we even begin?
- When have we been Ananias?
- When have we been Sapphira?
- Where do we see God?
- How can we be faithful to God in any circumstance?

Reflection Questions For The Week Ahead:

- What might it look like for you to move from a life with deceit to a life of faithfulness?
- What might it look like in your life to move from striving to surrendering your life to the will of the Holy Spirit?

Goal for this series: Be filled with and transformed by the Spirit of God to live out our God-given mission in the world!