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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549**

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**FORM 8-K**

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**CURRENT REPORT**

**Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

**Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): July 25, 2023**

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**Premier Financial Corp.**

(Exact name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

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**Ohio**  
(State or Other Jurisdiction  
of Incorporation)

**0-26850**  
(Commission File Number)

**34-1803915**  
(IRS Employer  
Identification No.)

**601 Clinton Street**  
**Defiance, Ohio**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

**43512**  
(Zip Code)

**Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area Code: 419 785-8700**

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report)

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Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

?Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

?Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)

?Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))

?Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

**Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:**

<b>Title of each class</b>	<b>Trading Symbol(s)</b>	<b>Name of each exchange on which registered</b>
Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 Per Share	PFC	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company ?

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act. ?

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**Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.**

On July 25, 2023, Premier Financial Corp. ("Premier") issued a press release regarding its earnings for the quarter ended June 30, 2023. A copy of the press release is attached as Exhibit 99.1.

The information set forth in this Current Report on Form 8-K (including the information in Exhibits 99.1 attached hereto) is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission and is not deemed to be "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), or otherwise subject to the liabilities under the Exchange Act. Such information will not be incorporated by reference into any registration statement or other document filed under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or the Exchange Act, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

**Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.**

(d) Exhibits.

<u>Exhibit Number</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	<a href="#">Press Release, dated July 25, 2023</a>
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (Embedded within the Inline XBRL document)

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## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Premier Financial Corp.

Date: July 25, 2023

By: /s/ Gary M. Small

Gary M. Small, President and CEO

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