

Elder Assignments and Districts

Paul Van Dam	2023	Vice President.....	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Steve Bosman	2024	Adult Ministries, Pulpit Supply.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Bob Dozeman	2025	Recording Clerk.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Andy Helder	2025	Membership Clerk, Fellowship & Service.....	H. Hulst – T. Nelson
Glenn Dozeman	2024	Youth Ministries, Worship .....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Tim Rietsma	2023	Asst. Vice President, Missions & Evangelism.....	S. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Stacy Jones	2023	Assistant Treasurer .....	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Josh Schrotenboer	2024	Building & Grounds, Covenant Giving Plan.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Neil Tanis	2025	Mission/Mercy Fund Treasurer.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Frank Taylor	2025	Zeeland Diaconal / Growing Hope Globally .....	H. Hulst – T. Nelson
Mitch Van Dyk	2024	General / Building Treasurer.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Mike Arendsen	2023	Chairman of Deacons.....	S. Van Dam – T. Zoerhof

Custodians	Randy and Barb Ver Beek – (616) 218-9956
Secretary	Jody Rietsma – (616) 688-5290

General Information

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated the second Sunday of Feb., June, Sept., and Dec. and on Good Friday.  
The sacrament of baptism is administered upon request.

Missionaries

- Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay – Resonate Global Mission (Cambodia)
- Rev. Huascar De La Cruz Paseo de las Flores – ReFrame Ministries (Mexico)
- Scott and Marcia Geurink – Resonate Global Mission (Michigan)
- John and Kim Gryglewicz – Resonate Global Mission (Texas)
- Steve and Kim Holtrop – Resonate Global Mission (Nicaragua)
- Rev. Dr. Mike Johnson – Ascending Leaders (Texas)
- Sandi Nyboer – Teen Life on Campus (Hamilton, MI)
- Ricardo Tranquini – My Father’s House Christian Community (Fennville, MI)
- Sovann Neth – World Renew (Cambodia)

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

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Morning Worship 9:30 AM                      Sunday School 10:45 AM                      Evening Worship 6:00 PM



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***Oakland Christian Reformed Church***  
***Sunday January 8, 2023***  
*Welcome to worship!*

**Calendar**

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School/ Catechism/Christian School Society meeting
	12:00 PM	Thrive return from their Winter Retreat for parent pickup
	5:00 PM	Choir
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
	7:15 PM	Open Bible Study
Monday	6:30 PM	Elders/Deacons Meeting
	8:00 PM	Full Council
Wednesday	9-2	Project Day
	9:30 AM	Senior Women’s Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Youth Group
	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting at the Branch
Next Sunday	Offerings	AM Oakland CRC Ministries / Renovation Fund
		PM Right to Life

Serving in Ministry	Today – 1/8	Next Sunday – 1/15
Nursery – AM	Julie Duimstra, Melanie Groenheide, Mackenzie DeJonge	Linda Kennell, Allison Kruithof, Natalie Van Dyke
Nursery – PM	Mindy Hulst, Emily Vande Zande	Abby Busscher, Alma Myaard
Safety Team	Ken Hulst	Greg Van Dyke
Children in Worship Teacher	Shanna Arendsen	Tanya Van Dyke
Children in Worship Helpers	Julie Hoeve and Sophie Jones	Megyn Schout and Cassie Helder
Refreshments	Ginger Hill and Linda Kennell	Ruth Busscher
Sunday School Cookies	Katie Brower	Tobi Hoeker
Sunday School Security	Jackie Bosch/Jason Nyhof	Tobi Hoeker/Ryan Bosch
Weekend Custodian	Josh and Casey Schrotenboer	Unavailable

<b>January Ushers:</b>	AM	Ryan Bosch, Curt Schout, Chase Van Dam
	PM	Ruth Busscher, Cris Compagner, Todd Zoerhof
	Sub	Ruth Kruithof

**Prayer Needs:** Those recovering from illness or surgeries, our college students, and our missionaries.

**Happy Birthday**

8<sup>th</sup> Larry Myaard, Louange Kasongo (14), 10<sup>th</sup> Noelle Christiansen (17), 14<sup>th</sup> Jackie Bosch, Dawn Christiansen

**Christian Sympathy:** is expressed to Mitch, Jordan, Elliot, Charley and Hayden Redder in the passing of their grandmother and great grandmother, Joyce Redder.

**The Christian School society**

There will be a meeting in the basement after the morning service today. We will be signing up for janitor weekends so please bring your calendars! If you are unable to make it, please let Josh or Casey know.

**Mailboxes:** were rearranged. Please double check to be sure you are grabbing the correct mail. There are new church directories in the mailboxes. If any corrections are necessary, please let Jody know.

**Adult Sunday School:** Tom and Dar Pettinga will be presenting "Walking with Paul on his 2nd Missionary Journey" during the Sunday school hour today. Note change in location - we will be meeting in the church sanctuary so we can see pictures on the PowerPoint screen. Everyone is welcome!  
The adult Sunday school will begin a 9-session series on "The God who speaks" (Sunday School kit) beginning January 15. Please join us in the sanctuary following the coffee/cookie fellowship time on Sunday mornings.

**Ministry Need:** Oakland CRC has been blessed doing VBS in Oakland for many years. As we begin 2023 plans are and will be made to do VBS again this year. Jackie Bosch and Tanya VanDyke along with the Outreach Team are asking for two additional people to help plan and lead VBS for 2023. Should God be tugging on your heart to learn about this opportunity please see Jackie or Tanya about details.

**Community Announcement**

Family Life Center is looking for volunteers who to provide transportation for the women and for childcare. For questions about volunteering or how to begin the process, please contact Annise Koops at [annise@familylifecenterhome.org](mailto:annise@familylifecenterhome.org).

Morning Order of Worship  
January 8, 2023 - 9:30 a.m.

**REJOICING IN THE LORD**

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship - Psalm 9:1, 2, 7-10

\*Opening Songs of Worship

*The Majesty and Glory of Your Name*  
*What a Beautiful Name*

\*God’s Greeting

\*Song of Praise  
*We Believe*

**APPROACHING THE LORD**

Ministry of Music - *Holy*

God’s Will for our Lives - Exodus 20:1-17

Ministry of Music - *Holy*

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon - Colossians 1:21-22

Congregational Prayer

Offerings for Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan

*(After the offertory is over, the song, “Jesus, Loves Me” will be played. During that song, the children who are going to Children in Worship are to come forward for prayer.)*

Children in Worship Dismissal (3 years old - Kindergarten) - Lesson / Jesus in the Temple

**LISTENING TO THE LORD**

\*Hymn of Preparation - *Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me*

Scripture: 1 Peter 1:3-16 (text vs. 13-16) (page 1886)

Message: ***Living in the Light of the Promise (Series: God Always Keeps His Promises)***

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Application - LUYH #356, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Fill Thou My Life, O Lord, My God*

**LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD**

\*God’s Parting Blessing

\*Doxology - *Benediction*

\*Postlude

**Worship Participants**

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande

Worship Team

*\*Please stand, if able*

Morning Message Outline  
1 Peter 1:3-16 (text vs. 13-16)

***Living in the Light of the Promise (Series: God Always Keeps His Promises)***

Introduction

1. Be \_\_\_\_\_

A. Be \_\_\_\_\_

B. Have \_\_\_\_\_

2. Be \_\_\_\_\_

A. What the Believer \_\_\_\_\_ Do

\* \_\_\_\_\_ to the Sinful \_\_\_\_\_

B. What the Believer \_\_\_\_\_ Do

\* \_\_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_\_ Life

Conclusion

Evening Order of Worship  
January 8, 2023 - 6:00 p.m.

**A TIME OF PRAISE**

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship - Psalm 25:1-5  
\*Opening Song of Worship  
LUYH #378 vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Lord of All Hopefulness*  
\*God's Greeting

**A TIME OF FAITH**

Scripture: Psalm 32 (page 869)  
Songs of Faith  
LUYH #402 vs. 1, 2, 4 - *Lord, Show Me How to Count My Days*  
\*LUYH #614 vs 1, 2, 3 - *Come, You Disconsolate*  
\*Apostles' Creed (page 813)  
Congregational Prayer  
Offerings for ThereforeGo Ministry

**A TIME OF LEARNING**

Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 4 (page 864)  
Scripture: Joshua 7 (page 339)  
\*Hymn of Preparation  
LUYH #828, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire*  
Scripture: Hosea 2:2-15 (page 1396)  
Message: ***Sin Must Be Punished***  
Prayer of Application  
\*Hymn of Application  
LUYH #770, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *In Christ Alone*

**A TIME OF LIVING**

\*God's Parting Blessing  
\*Doxology  
LUYH #770, vs. 4 - *In Christ Alone*  
\*Postlude

**Worship Participants**  
Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande  
Organist: Julie Compagner  
Pianist: Connie Duimstra

*\*Please stand, if able*

Evening Message Outline  
Joshua 7; Hosea 2:2-15; Lord's Day 4  
***Sin Must Be Punished***

1. The Temptation
  - A. Temptation Is \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Temptation \_\_\_\_\_ in the \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. \_\_\_\_\_ Finds Its \_\_\_\_\_ into Our \_\_\_\_\_
2. The Consequences
  - A. God Is \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. There Is \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. There Is a \_\_\_\_\_ Effect
3. The Hope
  - A. God \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. God \_\_\_\_\_ Turn the \_\_\_\_\_ into New \_\_\_\_\_