

Elder Assignments and Districts

Pastor Vern Swieringa - President

Paul Van Dam	2023	Vice President.....	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Ken Hulst	2021	Youth Ministries Liaison, Worship Liaison,.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Brian Kruithof	2022	Recording Clerk.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Mark Busscher	2022	Membership & Visitation Clerk, Fellowship & Service.....	G Hulst – M. Myaard
Dennis Bosch	2021	Adult Ministries Liaison, Pulpit Supply.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Tim Rietsma	2023	Missions & Evangelism.....	W. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Stacy Jones	2023	Missions / Mercy Treasurer.....	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Dave Duimstra	2021	Building & Grounds Liaison, Covenant Giving Plan.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Ross Schreur	2022	Zeeland Diaconal / Growing Hope Globally.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
George Engelsman	2022	Assistant to the Treasurer.....	G. Hulst – M. Myaard
Ryan Bosch	2021	General / Building Treasurer.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Mike Arendsen	2023	Chairman of Deacons.....	W. Van Dam – T. Zoerhof

Ministries, Contact Persons, Schedules

Sunday Men’s Group	Dan Bosch.....	1 st and 3 rd Sundays at 7:30 AM
Children in Worship	Katie Baker.....	Sundays at 9:50 AM
Sunday School	Todd Zoerhof, 3 yrs. – 5 th Grade.....	Sundays at 10:40 AM
Catechism	Ken Hulst, Liaison, 6 th – 12 th Grade.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Adult Sunday School	Janice VerMerris.....	Sundays at 10:55 AM
Voices of Praise	Beth DeYoung, Dawn Van Dam.....	Sundays at 4:30 PM
Open Bible Study	Steve and Rhonda Bosman.....	1 st Sunday at 7:15 PM
Fellowship Bible Study	Dick and Mary Hilbink.....	3 rd Sunday at 7:15 PM
Family Life Ministries	Jane DeJonge, Allison Kruithof.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Thrive	John and Heidi Dozeman, Greg and Tanya Van Dyke.....	2 nd & 4 th Sundays at 5:45 PM
Ladies’ Bible Study	Rhonda Bosman.....	1 st and 3 rd Mondays at 7:00 PM
Office Bearers	Elders, Deacons, Council.....	Once a month respectively at 6:30, 7:00 and 8:30 PM
Ladies’ Project Day	Ruth Busscher, Jody Rietsma.....	2 nd Wednesdays at 10:30 AM
Men’s Bible Study	Wayne Van Dam.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:45 PM
Priscilla Circle	Jill Van Dam.....	2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 9:30 AM
Oakland Oasis	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 5:30 PM
Youth Group	Ryan and Jackie Bosch, Dave and Tobi Hoeker.....	2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 7:00 PM
Cadets	Tom Flokstra.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:30 PM
GEMS	Shanna Arendsen.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:30 PM
Prime Timers	Ruth Kruithof, Linda Kennell.....	As Announced
Power Point	Jordan Redder	
Sound	Ken Hibma	

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. Contact the Elders.



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Morning Worship 9:30 AM

Sunday School 10:40 AM

Evening Worship 6:00 PM

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Rev. Guillermo Serrano
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Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, October 4, 2020

We warmly welcome all those who have come to worship with us today!

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Family Life Ministries
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
	7:15 PM	Open Bible Study
Monday	7:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study
Tuesday	7:00 PM	OLT Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 PM	GEMS / Cadets
	7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study

Preaching Pastors

October 4	AM – Rev. Doug Vrieland	PM – Rev. Doug Vrieland
October 11	AM – Rev. John DeLeeuw	PM – Rev. Jim Dykstra

Offering Causes

October 4

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	World Renew

October 11

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Evening	Right to Life

Safety Team

October 4	Glenn Dozeman
October 11	Dave Hoeve

Nursery (Morning Services Only)

October 4	Julie Duimstra, Jackie Bosch, Kaylee DeJonge
October 11	Krista Schout, Pam Nyhof, Hailley Nelson

Ushers

Morning	Andrew Bosch, Dave Hoeve, Curt Schout
Evening	Dan Bosch, Ruth Busscher, Larry Van Dam
Substitute	Pres Heyboer

Group Announcements Continued

Ladies Project Day

We will be meeting Wednesday, September 14th at 9:30 AM. Ladies of all ages are welcome! We will be having a potluck lunch. Any questions see Jody Rietsma.

Men's Bible Study

We will be starting on Wednesday, October 7th at 6:45 PM. We will be meeting in the church basement and studying the book of John. All men are welcome; any questions see Wayne Van Dam.

Priscilla Circle

We will be starting our year on Wednesday, October 14th at 9:30 AM in the Branch. We will be studying the letters of Peter from 1 Peter and 2 Peter. All women are invited and if you have any questions please see Jill Van Dam.

Volunteer Opportunities

Substitute Sunday School Teachers

We are looking for substitute teachers for Sunday school. If you are able to help with this please see Todd Zoerhof. Thank you!

GEMS

We are looking for anyone that might be interested in being a leader or a helper in GEMS this year. See Shanna Arendsen with any questions.

Christmas Program Committee

We are looking for volunteers that would be willing to be in charge of the Christmas program. Please see Ken Hulst with any questions or to volunteer.

Drivers

The Shindano family needs volunteers for transportation. This might include services on Sunday mornings, transportation after Sunday school, Cadets for 2 boys on Wednesday and Thrive for one on Sunday evenings. Please sign the sheet in the narthex if you are able to help out. Any questions please see Lee and Bette Ver Beek or Larry and Rose Kruithof. Thank you!

Custodians

Monday - Friday Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956
October 3/4 Mitch and Sara Van Dyk
October 10/11 Josh and Casey Schrotenboer

Happy Birthday

October 10 Dick Hilbink (77)

Happy Anniversary

October 4 John and Heidi Dozeman (18)
October 6 Curt and Krista Schout (26)
October 10 Mike and Shanna Arendsen (17)

Please Pray For...

Our Missionaries: Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay, Scott Geurink, Johnny & Kim Gryglewicz, Steve Holtrop, Dr. Mike Johnson, Sovann Neth, Sandi Nyboer, Rev. Guillermo Serrano and Ricardo Tranquini

Our Home Bound Members: Carole Engelsman and Bob Lampen

College Students: Andrew Bosch, Marissa Compagner, Ben Duimstra, Drew Flokstra, Jennie Hibma, Sarah Hibma, Jordan Hoeve, Mikayla Hoeve, Kacie Kruithof and Jada VandenBosch

Continue to Pray For...

Pray for all of those in need of physical, emotional or spiritual healing.

Pray for wisdom for the council as they lead the congregation through a difficult season during the Coronavirus Pandemic.

Please keep Mary Hilbink in your prayers as she will be having surgery this coming Tuesday at Blodgett Hospital.

Congregational Announcements

Welcome

If you are a guest with us today, we say WELCOME and THANK YOU for worshiping with us today. We trust that together we can feel God's presence here in worshiping our RISEN SAVIOR.

Congregational Needs

If you have any needs (financial, spiritual, emotional) please contact your district elder, or deacon. They are there to help!

Seating

The North side of the sanctuary is now open to full seating. The south side will remain with seating every other pew to allow for social distancing. Thank you!

Pop Can Drive

Do you have pop cans/returnables piling up in your garage? The Youth Group is starting to collect them early for our adopt a family for Christmas and our Youth Group fundraiser! The pop can drive starts now and lasts until November 25. If you have pop cans that you would like to donate please find a youth group member to arrange for pick up/drop off. This is a friendly competition between the teams! If you have any questions, please see Dave, Tobi, Ryan, Jackie or a member of the youth group. Thanks for your support!

Group Announcements

Prime Timers – Save the Date

Wednesday, October 21st – Pizza Luncheon

Friday, November 20th – Thanksgiving Theme Luncheon

Thursday, December 10th – Christmas Party Luncheon

Linda or Ruth will be calling members to see if they are able to attend the October 21st pizza luncheon.

GEMS

We are so excited to get this year started! We will be having our kick-off this Wednesday, October 7th at 6:30 PM. If you have any questions or would like more information please see Shanna, Allison, Kim or Jordan. We are also looking for anyone that would like to join us as a leader/helper. If interested or if you have questions please see Shanna. We can't wait for this year!