

Elder Assignments and Districts

Mike Ver Beek	2026	Youth Ministries	D. Arendsen – L. Christiansen
Steve Bosman	2024	Adult Ministries, Pulpit Supply	Cl. Compagner- D. Helder
Bob Dozeman	2025	Recording Clerk	Lisa Hertz -B. Kruithof
Andy Helder	2025	Membership Clerk, Fellowship & Service	K. Kruithof-T. Rietsma
Glenn Dozeman	2024	Worship	J. Rush – C. Van Dam
Mike Hoeksema	2026	Vice President, Missions & Evangelism	K. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Anthony Nelson	2026	Building & Grounds	D. Arendsen – L. Christiansen
Josh Schrotenboer	2024	Chairman of the Deacons	Cl. Compagner-D. Helder
Neil Tanis	2025	Mission/Mercy Fund Treasurer	Lisa Hertz-B. Kruithof
Frank Taylor	2025	General / Building Treasurer	K. Kruithof-T. Rietsma
Mitch Van Dyk	2024	Assistant Treasurer/ Covenant Giving Plan	J. Rush – C. Van Dam
Mitchell Slagh	2026	Zeeland Diaconal / Growing Hope Globally	K. 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 on 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 (Haiti)
Steve and Kim Holtrop – Resonate Global Mission (Nicaragua)
Rev. Dr. Mike Johnson – Ascending Leaders (Texas)
Ricardo Tranquini – My Father’s House Christian Community (Fennville, MI)
Sovann Neth – World Renew (Cambodia)

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

4460 38th Street, Hamilton, MI 49419

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



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Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, November 12, 2023

Give thanks and Praise! Welcome to worship!

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School, Catechism, Adult Sunday School
	5:00 PM	Voices of Praise
	5:45 PM	THRIVE
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30 PM	Elder/Deacon Meetings
	8:00 PM	Full Council
Wednesday	5:15-6:30 PM	Oasis
	6:30 PM	GEMS
	6:45 PM	Men's Bible Study
Thursday	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting at the Branch
Friday	11:30 AM	Prime Timers Lunch
	6:30 PM	Family Life Ministries Ladies Event
Next Sunday	9:30 AM	Scripture: Matthew 25:14-30; 1 Peter 4:7-11
		Title: <i>The Gift of Talents (Series: Using Your Gifts)</i>
	Offering:	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building & Renovation Fund
	6:00 PM	Scripture: Ephesians 6:1-4
		Title: <i>Loving Your Parents Enough to Honor Them</i>
		Offering: Guiding Light Mission

Serving in Ministry	Today – 11/12	Next Sunday – 11/19
Nursery – AM	Linda Kennell, Allison Kruithof, Amber Vande Zande	Chantel Taylor, Kim V. Z., Leah Smit
Nursery – PM	Cindy Dozeman, Julie Hoeve	Alma Myaard, Todd Zoerhof
Safety Team	Jason Nyhof	Stacy Jones
Refreshments	Ginger Hill and Linda Kennell	Larry and Rose Kruithof
Weekend Custodian	Matt and Randi Prins	Brad and Katie Slenk
Children in Worship Leader	Katie Baker	Shanna Arendsen
Children in Worship Helpers	Tobi H./ Nicky N.	Morgan S. Annie S.
Sunday School Cookies	Tanya Van Dyke	Pam Nyhof
Sunday School Security	Greg Van Dyke/ Katie Baker	Brad Slenk/ Jackie Bosch

Happy Birthday: 14th Mandie Compagner, 16th Julie Duimstra, 17th Steve Bosman, Megan Dozeman, Bill Hill (81), 18th Kim Helder, Dave Hoeve

Prayer Items for this week:

We give thanks that Dylan Helder and Brooklyn Dornbos will be united in marriage on Friday, November 17. Pray that God will bless these two lives as they will be joined together as one.

Ken Van Dam is now under hospice care.

Carol Myaard was in the hospital this week dealing with some side effects of her chemotherapy treatments.

Helen Wiersma had her first of four infusions this past Wednesday because of the autoimmune disease she has. The last three treatments will happen on the next three Wednesdays.

Cadets: will not be meeting this Wednesday November 15. Cadets will resume on December 6.

Address correction: On the college student address list in the last Oakleaf the street for Emily and Kayla Vande Zande should be 7th Street not 70th.

It's ButterBraid Time! The Christian School Society is selling ButterBraids again this fall! You will find an order form in your mailbox. Orders & money are due by November 26. Please place your order in Jackie Bosch's mailbox. The ButterBraids will be available for you to pick up at Oasis on December 6. If you have any questions, please talk to Jackie Bosch, Allison Kruithof or Sara VanDyk.

The Youth Group is kicking off their Annual Can Drive for the month of November. Please reach out to many of the High School Youth Group members to make arrangements to have your returnables picked up or you may gladly drop them off in the little garage in the church parking lot.

Youth Group on November 22 the meeting will start at 6 PM for our FriendsGiving Feast and Game night. Wear your stretchy pants because we have quite the sampling of food coming in to eat!

Prime Timers: Join us for lunch on FRIDAY, November 17 at 11:30 AM in the Branch. Sign-up sheet in the narthex. See Linda or Ruth with any questions.

Family Life Ministries: Ladies save the date, November 17 at 6:30 PM for My Favorite Things get together. Please see the Facebook page or Allison for more information. Also, on December 3 there will be a potluck after Sunday School. More details to follow.

Family Life Center will be hosting a cornhole tournament on November 22. Proceeds to benefit Family Life Center. See the flyer in the narthex for more information.

Holiday office schedule: The Oakleaf deadline is next Sunday the 19th to Jody's mailbox and on Monday to the church email. The office will be closed on November 23 for Thanksgiving. All bulletin information for the 29th is due to the office by 9 AM on the 22nd.

Morning Order of Worship
November 12, 2023 - 9:30 a.m.

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship 1 Chronicles 29:10-13
*Opening Song of Worship *All Yours*
*Opening Prayer
*God's Greeting
*Song of Praise *This is Our God*

APPROACHING THE LORD

God's Will for our Lives Psalm 51:1-12
Prayer of Confession
*Song of Response *Love Moved First*
Congregational Prayer
Offerings for Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Children in Worship Dismissal (3 years old - Kindergarten)
- The Good Shepherd/Lost Sheep

LISTENING TO THE LORD

*Song of Preparation *Lord of All Good*
Scripture: 2 Corinthians 9:6-15 (page 1803)
Message: ***The Gift of Treasures (Series: Using Your Gifts)***
Prayer of Application
*Song of Application *Be Thou My Vision*

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*God's Parting Blessing
*Doxology *God, The Father of Your People*
*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande
Worship Team

**Please stand, if able*

Morning Message Outline
2 Corinthians 9:6-15 - ***The Gift of Treasures (Series: Using Your Gifts)***

Introduction

1. The _____ of Giving

A. _____

B. _____

2. The _____ of Giving

A. A _____ Side

i. We _____ the _____ of _____

ii. A _____ is _____

B. A _____ Side

i. God Receives _____ and _____

ii. God _____ Us

Conclusion

Evening Order of Worship
November 12, 2023 - 6:00 p.m.

A TIME OF PRAISE

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship - Psalm 122:1
*Opening Song of Worship
Blue Psalter Hymnal #320, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Safely Through Another Week*
*God's Greeting

TIME OF FAITH

Scripture: Psalm 84 (page 922)
Songs of Response
Lift Up Your Hearts #507, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *How Lovely Is Your Dwelling*
Lift Up Your Hearts #512, vs. 1, 2, 4 - *Now with Joyful Exultation*
*Lift Up Your Hearts #590, vs. 1, 2, 8 - *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*
*Apostles' Creed (page 813)
Congregational Prayer
Offerings for Gideons International

A TIME OF LEARNING

*Song of Preparation
Lift Up Your Hearts #247, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *I Love Your Church, O Lord*
Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 38 (page 909)
Scripture: Exodus 20:8-11 (page 118); Deuteronomy 5:12-15 (page 282)
Message: ***Loving God Enough to Honor His Day***
Prayer of Application
*Hymn of Application
Blue Psalter Hymnal #321, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *O Day of Rest and Gladness*

A TIME OF LIVING

*God's Parting Blessing
*Doxology
Blue Psalter Hymnal #321, vs. 4 - *O Day of Rest and Gladness*
*Postlude

Worship Participants
Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande
Organist: Julie Compagner
Pianist: Ruth Busscher

Evening Message Outline
Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 38; Exodus 20:8-11; Deuteronomy 5:12-15
Loving God Enough to Honor His Day

- R _____
1. R _____ God's _____ Work
2. R _____ God's _____ Work
3. R _____ We _____

E _____

S _____

T _____

**Please stand, if able*