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

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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 F	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

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 February 12, 2023

Welcome to worship! Give praise to the Lord of life!

Calendar

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Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School/ Catechism
	5:00 PM	Professions of Faith class at the Branch
	5:45 PM	THRIVE
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30 PM	Elders/Deacons Meeting
Wednesday	9:30 AM	Senior Women's Bible Study
	5:15-6:30	Oasis (see menu insert)
	6:30 PM	GEMS/Cadets
	6:45 PM	Men's Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting at the Branch
Thursday	4-8 PM	Urban Air fundraiser
Next Sunday	Offerings	AM Oakland CRC Ministries / Renovation Fund
		PM Mission India

Serving in Ministry	Today - 2/12	Next Sunday – 2/19
Nursery – AM	Shanna Arendsen, Linda Kennell, Piper Prins	Jane DeJonge, Johanna Nelson Annie Smit
Nursery – PM	Julie Hoeve, Megyn Schout	Pam Nyhof, Kim Vande Zande
Safety Team	Mark Busscher	Dan Bosch
Children in Worship Teacher	Tanya Van Dyke	Pam Nyhof
Children in Worship Helpers	Kim Vande Zande, Erika Kruithof	Sara Van Dyk/Alyssa DeJonge
Refreshments	Lloyd and Carol Zoerhof	Marcia Boerman and Bette Ver Beek
Sunday School Cookies	Pam Nyhof	Sara Van Dyk
Sunday School Security	Sara Van Dyk/Jason Nyhof	Stephanie Smit/ Ryan Bosch
Weekend Custodian	Brad and Katie Slenk	Mitch and Sara Van Dyk

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to Bob and Cindy Dozeman, John and Heidi Dozeman (Clayton, Reid, and Trey), and Tres Compagner, as they mourn the loss of their mother, grandmother and sister, Arlene Dozeman who passed away on Monday evening. The funeral was on Saturday. Pray that God's comfort will be given to the Dozeman and Compagner families.

Update on Jobje Lammers: This past week Wednesday through Friday Jobje completed the 50th round of Chemotherapy in her marathon battle against Pancreatic cancer. Despite the cancer appearing to be stable, her Oncologists want her to maintain the three-day regiment of Chemo every other week to keep the cancer at bay. She is scheduled for another CT scan on March 2nd to reassess her condition. Please pray that the Lord would grant to Jobje the stamina and peace to cope with the side effects and the fatigue for as long as He may choose. Thank you for your prayers on her behalf and for your cards and notes of encouragement.

Happy Birthday

12th Mitchell Hoeksema (17), 13th Todd Zoerhof, 15th Ryan Kruithof, 17th Lloyd Zoerhof (81), 18th Duane Arendsen (73), Owen Baker (8)

Happy Anniversary

13th Bob and Cindy Dozeman (47), Jerry and Rachael Rush (6)

Profession of Faith: Have you thought about making a public profession of your faith? Pastor Mark will be leading a profession of faith class beginning today, at 5 p.m. in the Branch. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Mark.

THRIVE has been invited to Pastor Mark and Kim's house for the Super Bowl this evening. Please meet at the Branch at 5:45 to sit in church together, and then will be heading over to Pastor Mark and Kim's to watch the Super Bowl. Dinner and snacks will be provided. You may pick up your student anytime during the game or when the game is over. Please see a leader or Pastor Mark if you have any questions.

Ministry Opportunity: Mike and Marcia Hoeksema will be leading a trip to The Mount of Olives orphanage in Uruapan, Mexico this spring. Tentative dates are April 10-16. Anyone interested in finding out more information, there is a meeting today following the morning service in classroom 2 at the Branch.

Oasis is in need of servers and desserts for Wednesday. Please see sign-up sheets. If you have any questions, see Brenda.

Urban Air: We can't wait to catch air with you and your friends at Urban Air this week Thursday, the 16th from 4-8 PM. Tickets can be purchased at the counter upon arrival, socks not included. Please mention Oakland CRC Christian School Society to receive the discounted rates. Please see Casey Schrotenboer with any questions.

Youth Group: Please plan to arrive at church between 1:45 - 2pm on Saturday, February 18 for our Serve & Sleep Over. We will be doing a serve project, going to Craigs Cruisers & coming back to the branch for a cook off & sleep over. Sunday morning, we will all worship together & then you will be able to go home. If you plan to make any food, please bring all the ingredients with you on Saturday afternoon. If you have any questions, please see Ryan or Jackie. Congregation you are invited to a midnight snack challenge please come out at MIDNIGHT to eat some delicious food & hangout with the youth for a bit! If you have questions, talk to anyone in youth group or Ryan and Jackie.

Life Team: will be meeting on the 19th in classroom 2 in the Branch at 11:45 AM. Note change of location. We will be discussing our upcoming fund-raising events.

Directory change for Andy and Joyce Krommendyk. Please use (616) 796-4374 for any phone calls.

Oakleaf Deadline: Next Sunday the 19th in Jody's church mailbox or Monday the 20th at 9AM to the church email address.

Advanced Notice: We will be holding a Project Retreat from 1-9 on Friday, March 31 and 9-3 on Saturday April 1. The cost will be \$30, and all proceeds will be put in a fund to help those at Family Life Center in Allendale. More details will be included in the March edition of the Oakleaf. Any questions see Jody.

Advanced Notice: An exciting VBS entitled Ready Set Move is being planned for June 19 through the 21st. If you would like to join Tanya and Jackie in planning, please see one of them with any questions.

Community Announcement

The Family Life Center is excited to be hosting a Trivia Night Fundraiser on March 18 at 6:30pm at Bauer Community Fellowship. This will be a fun evening filled with 15+ categories of trivia questions, yummy desserts, silent auction items, prizes, a ministry update from Rochell and more. Registration is \$20 per person. We hope to see you on March 18! Sign up at: tinyurl.com/y3f3mm5e (Each table (team) will have 8 people - to sign up to play together with a certain group, have one person sign up as the host and the other individuals can select the host person's name when signing up). Questions? taylor@familylifecenterhome.org

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

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude Is He Worthy?

Welcome

Call to Worship - 1 Peter 1:3-9

*Opening Song of Worship House of the Lord

*God's Greeting

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 / Feeding the 5000

LISTENING TO THE LORD

*Hymn of Preparation LUYH 488, vs. 1, 3, 4 - Jerusalem the Golden

Scripture: Revelation 22:1-6 (page 1938)

Message: The Consummation (The 5 C's of the Bible)

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application Hymn of Heaven

CELEBRATING THE WORK OF THE LORD

The Lord's Supper

Passing of the Bread Remembrance v.1 - sung by Worship Team Passing of the Juice Remembrance v.2 - sung by Worship Team

*Song of Hope Crown Him/Majesty

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology Hymn of Heaven - Chorus

*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande

Worship Team *Please stand, if able

Morning Message Outline Revelation 22:1-6

The Consummation (The 5 C's of the Bible)

Introduction					
1.	Our	Will Be			
	A. There Will Be No More	from			
	i. We Will Go	od to			
	ii. We Will Be	as God's Very			
	B. There Will Be No More	with			
2.	The of	Will Be			
3.	There Will Be Complete				

Conclusion

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

Prelude, Welcome, Call to Worship - Matthew 28:18-20

*Opening Song of Worship - LUYH #523, vs. 1, 2, 3 - Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid

*God's Greeting

Belgic Confession, Articles 8-9 (page 822-825)

Song of Response - LUYH #551, vs. 1, 6 - *All Creatures of Our God and King* Congregational Prayer

Offerings for Friendship Ministries

*Hymn of Preparation - LUYH #492, vs 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Come, Thou Almighty King* Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 7-8 (page 867)

Scripture: Genesis 1:1-2 (pg. 1); Genesis 1:26-27 (pg. 3); 2 Corinthians 13:14 (pg. 1808)

Message: **United Together**

1.	The	Perspective	
	A. One	in Three	
	B. The	Existed Before	
2.	The	Perspective	
	A	vs	_
	В	Was	
	C. The	Was	
3.	Α	Perspective	
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Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application - LUYH #727, vs. 1, 3 - Christian Hearts in Love United

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology - LUYH #540, vs. 1, 4 - Holy God We Praise Your Name

*Postlude *Please stand, if able

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande; Organist: Julie Compagner; Pianist: Marissa Compagner

Athanasian Creed

Whoever desires to be saved should above all hold to the catholic (Christian) faith. Anyone who does not keep it whole and unbroken will doubtless perish eternally.

Now this is the catholic (Christian) faith: That we worship one God in trinity and the trinity in unity, neither blending their persons nor dividing their essence. For the person of the Father is a distinct person, the person of the Son is another, and that of the Holy Spirit still another. But the divinity of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is one, their glory equal, their majesty coeternal.

What quality the Father has, the Son has, and the Holy Spirit has. The Father is uncreated, the Son is uncreated, the Holy Spirit is uncreated. The Father is immeasurable, the Son is immeasurable, the Holy Spirit is immeasurable. The Father is eternal, the Son is eternal, the Holy Spirit is eternal. And yet there are not three eternal beings; there is but one eternal being. So too there are not three uncreated or immeasurable beings; there is but one uncreated and immeasurable being. Similarly, the Father is almighty, the Son is almighty, the Holy Spirit is almighty. Yet there are not three almighty beings; there is but one almighty being.

Thus the Father is God, the Son is God, the Holy Spirit is God. Yet there are not three gods; there is but one God. Thus the Father is Lord, the Son is Lord, the Holy Spirit is Lord. Yet there are not three lords; there is but one Lord.

Just as Christian truth compels us to confess each person individually as both God and Lord, so catholic religion forbids us to say that there are three gods or lords. The Father was neither made nor created nor begotten from anyone. The Son was neither made nor created; he was begotten from the Father alone. The Holy Spirit was neither made nor created nor begotten; he proceeds from the Father and the Son.

Accordingly there is one Father, not three fathers; there is one Son, not three sons; there is one Holy Spirit, not three holy spirits.

Nothing in this trinity is before or after, nothing is greater or smaller; in their entirety the three persons are coeternal and coequal with each other.

So in everything, as was said earlier, we must worship their trinity in their unity and their unity in their trinity. Anyone then who desires to be saved should think thus about the trinity. But it is necessary for eternal salvation that one also believe in the incarnation of our Lord Jesus Christ faithfully.

Now this is the true faith: That we believe and confess that our Lord Jesus Christ, God's Son, is both God and human, equally. He is God from the essence of the Father, begotten before time; and he is human from the essence of his mother, born in time; completely God, completely human, with a rational soul and human flesh; equal to the Father as regards divinity, less than the Father as regards humanity. Although he is God and human, yet Christ is not two, but one. He is one, however, not by his divinity being turned into flesh, but by God's taking humanity to himself. He is one, certainly not by the blending of his essence, but by the unity of his person. For just as one human is both rational soul and flesh, so too the one Christ is both God and human.

He suffered for our salvation; he descended to hell; he arose from the dead; he ascended to heaven; he is seated at the Father's right hand; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. At his coming all people will arise bodily and give an accounting of their own deeds. Those who have done good will enter eternal life, and those who have done evil will enter eternal fire.

This is the catholic (Christian) faith: one cannot be saved without believing it firmly and faithfully.