

Elder Assignments and Districts

Mike Ver Beek	2026	Youth Ministries	D. Arendsen – N. Busscher
Bob Rynsburger	2027	Worship, Adult Ministries Missions/ Evangelism, Pulpit Supply	E. Byrne – T. Flokstra
Bob Dozeman	2025	Recording Clerk	B. Gauthier - C. Kornstadt
Andy Helder	2025	Membership, Fellowship & Service	E. Kroll- M. Redder
Matt Brower	2027	Covenant Giving	T. Rietsma – L. Van Dam
Mike Hoeksema	2026	Vice President	Larry Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Anthony Nelson	2026	Building & Grounds	D. Arendsen – N. Busscher
Chase Van Dam	2027	Mission/Mercy Fund Treasurer	E. Byrne – T. Flokstra
Neil Tanis	2025	Chairman of the Deacons	B. Gauthier - C. Kornstadt
Frank Taylor	2025	General / Building Treasurer	E. Kroll- M. Redder
Mitch Redder	2027	Asst. Treasurer	T. Rietsma – L. Van Dam
Mitchell Slagh	2026	Kingdom Ministries	Larry 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 – 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 February 2, 2025
Come and worship!

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School and Catechism
	5:00 PM	Voices of Praise
	7:15 PM	Open Bible Study
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	7:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study
Wednesday	5:15-6:30	Oasis
	6:30 PM	GEMS/Cadets
	6:45 PM	Men's Bible Study
Saturday	9:45 AM	Cadets meet at church Snow Derby
Next Sunday	9:30 AM	Scripture: Genesis 1:26-31 Title: <i>Theology - What We Believe About Humanity and Our Creation</i> Offering: OCRC Ministries and Covenant Giving
	6:00 PM	Post Classis Pulpit Exchange Rev. Ken Kruithoff Offering: Gideons International

Prayers for the week:

Our Christian sympathy is expressed to Tim, Kay and Kyle Bauman as they mourn the loss of Kay's mom, Carol Hirdes, who passed away on Sunday, January 26. The funeral was on Saturday. Pray that God will give His comfort to the Bauman and Hirdes family in this time of loss.

We give thanks for the progress that John Wiersma has made and the strength he has regained. Praise God that John returned home on Wednesday.

Please pray for Brian and Tara Kruithof as they are in Guatemala on a mission trip. Pray that God will use Brian and Tara in a powerful way to share the love of Christ.

Please pray for Jerald Engelsman, Barb Ver Beek and Rick Hulst as they continue treatments for cancer.

Serving in Ministry	Today 2/2	Next Sunday 2/9
Nursery - AM	Gabby Brouwer, Julie Duimstra, Carly Slenk	Kacie Kruithof, Megyn Schout, Annie Smit
Nursery - PM	Carrie Bosch, Marcia Ver Beek	Cindy Dozeman, Pat Van Dam
Safety Team	Mark Busscher	Dave Duimstra
Refreshments	Judi Blauwkamp and Ruth Kruithof	Tara Kruithof
Weekend Custodians	Matt and Stephanie Smit	Mitch and Sara Van Dyk
Children in Worship Leader	Megyn Schout	Susan Jones
Children in Worship Helpers	Kirstyn Kruithof, Kaylee DeJonge	Ginger Hill, Hailley Nelson
Sunday School Refreshments	Katie Baker	Jackie Bosch
Sunday School Security	Jessica McCarty, Matt Brower	Johanna Nelson, Justin DeJonge

Happy Birthday: 1st Gord Duimstra (85), 2nd Ross Schreur, 3rd Barb Hibma, 7th Shanna Arendsen

February Ushers: **AM** Riley Arendsen, Jacob Schout, Al Vander Lugt
PM Mark Busscher, Ruth Busscher, Pres Heyboer

Prayer Meetings at the Branch are canceled for February and will resume in March.

Ahadi Mission Team has a list of donations for some food items in the narthex. If you would like to contribute, please sign the sheet in the narthex. Thank you for all your support.

Morning Order of Worship
February 2, 2025 - 9:30 a.m.

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship - Psalm 138:1-5

*Opening Hymn of Praise

LUYH #585, vs. 1, 2, 4 - *With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring*

*God's Greeting

*Hymn of Worship

LUYH #427, vs. 1, 2, 5 - *How Firm a Foundation*

APPROACHING THE LORD

Preparation for the Lord's Supper (page 976)

*Hymn of Assurance

WHM #315, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Wonderful Words of Life*

Congregational Prayer

Offerings for Oakland CRC / Building Fund

Children in Worship Dismissal (3 - Kind.) - *Jesus Calms the Storm*

LISTENING TO THE LORD

*Hymn of Preparation - LUYH #755, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Speak, O Lord*

Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:1-9 (page 284)

Message:

Theology - What We Believe About God and His Word (Part 2)
(Series: The 'ologies' of the Christian Faith)

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application - LUYH #762, vs. 1, 2 - *Ancient Words*

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology - LUYH #947 - *We Receive Your Blessing*

*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande

Organist: Lois Dozeman

Pianist: Ruth Busscher

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**Please stand, if*

Morning Message Outline
Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Theology - What We Believe About God and His Word (Part 2)
(Series: The 'ologies' of the Christian Faith)

1. The Book

- A. The Bible Is a Clearer Communication from God
- B. The Bible Is Inspired by God
- C. The Bible Has Authority
- D. The Bible Has Impact

2. The Pages

- A. _____ Story
- B. _____ Story

3. The Reader

- A. _____ the Book
- B. _____ the Book
- C. _____ on the Book
- D. Be _____ by the Book
- E. _____ the Book

F. _____ the _____ of the Book

Evening Order of Worship
February 2, 2025 - 6:00 p.m.

A TIME OF PRAISE

- Prelude
- Welcome
- Call to Worship - Psalm 95:1-7
- *Opening Song of Worship
LUYH #512 vs. 1, 3, 4 - *Now with Joyful Exultation*
- *God's Greeting

A TIME OF FAITH

- Scripture: Hebrews 11:1-19, 39-40 (page 1874)
- Hymns of Response
LUYH #35, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *You Are Our God; We Are Your People*
LUYH #40, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *I Will Be Your God*
- *Apostles' Creed (page 813)
- Congregational Prayer
- Offerings for Trinity Christian College

A TIME OF LEARNING

- *Hymn of Preparation
LUYH #754, vs. 1, 2, 3, 5 - *Lord, Speak to Me that I May Speak*
- Scripture: Genesis 12:1-9 (page 17)
- Message: ***God Speaks to Abram (Series: God Speaks)***
- Prayer of Application
- *Hymn of Application
LUYH #742, vs. 1, 2, 5 - *Will You Come and Follow Me*

A TIME OF LIVING

- *God's Parting Blessing
- *Doxology
LUYH #943, vs. 1, 3 - *God Be with You Till We Meet Again*
- *Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande
Organist: Lois Dozeman
Pianist: Connie Duimstra

**Please stand, if*

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Evening Message Outline
Genesis 12:1-9
God Speaks to Abram (Series: God Speaks)

Introduction

1. The _____
 - A. _____
 - B. _____

2. The _____
 - A. _____
 - i. A Great _____
 - ii. A Great _____
 - iii. A Great _____
 - B. _____
 - i. _____
 - ii. Abram's _____

3. The _____
 - A. _____ Grounded in _____
 - B. Continued _____ Grounded in _____

Conclusion