

Elder Assignments and Districts

Pastor Vern Swieringa - President

Lloyd Zoerhof	2020	Missions & Evangelism Liaison.....	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	Vice President, Search Committee.....	G Hulst – M. Myaard
Dennis Bosch	2021	Adult Ministries Liaison, Pulpit Supply.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Tim Bauman	2020	Membership & Visitation Clerk, Fellowship & Service.....	W. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Jason Nyhof	2020	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
Curt Schout	2020	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	Allison Kruithof, Krista Schout.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Thrive	John and Heidi Dozeman.....	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	Pastor Vern.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:45 PM
Priscilla Circle	Pastor Vern.....	2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 9:30 AM
Oakland Oasis	Krista Schout.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 5:30 PM
Youth Group	Stacy and Susan Jones, 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.....	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

Missionaries Supported by the Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Dr. Mike Johnson
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3947 Field Crossing
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Rev. Guillermo Serrano
Back to God Ministries International
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Jordan & Rebecca Roeda
Resonate Global Missions
Uganda

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, February 23, 2020

*“Jesus said, I am the light of the world. **Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.**” – John 8:12*

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:40 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Family Life Ministries
	10:55 AM	Adult Sunday School
	5:45 PM	Thrive
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Wednesday	9:30 AM	Priscilla Circle
	7:00 PM	Youth Group
Saturday	2:15 PM	Youth Group SERVE & Sleepover Weekend
	11:45 PM	Youth Group Snack Attack Challenge

Preaching Pastors

February 23	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa
March 1	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa

Offerings

February 23

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Growing Hope Globally
Evening	Wycliffe Bible Translators

March 1

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	Audio Scripture Ministry

February Ushers

Morning	Riley Arendsen, Jordan Hoeksema, Ryan Kruithof
Evening	Bob Dozeman, Neil Karp, Jim Vellenga
Substitute	Andy Krommendyk

March Ushers

Morning	Duane Arendsen, Matt Brower, Ross Kruithof
Evening	Bob Baker, Dan Bosch, Arlyn Schreur
Substitute	Pres Heyboer

Volunteer Opportunities

Oasis

Krista Schout will be stepping down from Oasis at the end of the church ministry year. We will be looking for a new person/persons to help with planning, cooking and organizing Oasis beginning in October. Krista is willing to help with training or answering any questions you might have. If you are interested or have any questions please see Dennis Bosch or Krista.

Oakland Oasis Help

There is a sign up sheet located in the narthex for anyone that is willing to help with setting up, serving and take down for Oakland Oasis. If you are able to help out please sign up on a date that would work for you. We so greatly appreciate your help. Any questions please see Krista Schout. Thank you!

Bulletin Wish List

*Replacing Church Parsonage Landscaping – any donation amount accepted

*Replacing Church Irrigation and Landscaping – any donation amount accepted

Group Announcements cont.

Youth Group SERVE Project

The Youth Group has a SERVE weekend coming up at the end of the month. Part of their service project this year is going to be going to the Family Life Center in Allendale. They will be collecting supplies through the 28th of February. You may place your items on the table or in the laundry baskets in the front of the narthex, near the windows. Thank you for your support!

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| -Throw blankets | -Twin Sheet sets |
| -Pillows | -Pots and Pans |
| -Laundry Detergent | -Baby Detergent |
| -Dryer Sheets | -Shout Stain Lifter |
| -Lysol | -Cleaning Supplies |
| -Toilet Bowl Cleaner | -Feminine Pads |
| -Towels | -Wash Cloths |
| -Hand Towels | -Laundry Baskets |
| -Hand Soap | -Shampoo |
| -Conditioner | -Lotion |
| -Kleenex | |

Transportation Team

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| February 23 | Lee Ver Beek |
| March 1 | Ron Meyaard |

Safety Team Volunteer

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| February 23 | Glenn Dozeman |
| March 1 | Dave Hoeve |

Coffee Servers

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| February 23 | Gord and Connie Duimstra |
| March 1 | Carrie Bosch and Jackie Bosch |

Greeters

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| February 23 | Ken and Lucille Van Dam |
| March 1 | Larry and Pat Van Dam |

Custodians

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| Monday - Friday | Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956 |
| February 22/23 | Greg and Tanya Van Dyke |
| Feb. 29/March 1 | Ryan and Allison Kruithof |

Nursery

February 23

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| Morning | Shanna Arendsen, Tara Kruithof, Pam Nyhof, Kaylee DeJonge, Megyn Schout |
| Evening | Julie Duimstra, Allison Kruithof, Alyssa DeJonge |

March 1

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| Morning | Katie Brower, Stacy Engelsman, Kris Swieringa, Cassie Helder, Hailley Nelson |
| Evening | Pat Van Dam, Tanya Van Dyke, Mandie Compagner |

Sunday School Snack

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| February 23 | Heidi Dozeman |
| March 1 | Randi Prins |

Children in Worship Teacher/Helper

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| February 23 | Stacy Engelsman, Johanna Nelson, Cassie Helder |
| March 1 | Marcia Hoeksema, Casey Schrottenboer, Jacob Schout |

Sunday School Hall Monitors

February 23 Ryan Kruithof, Susan Jones

March 1 George Engelsman, Kelli Kruithof

Happy Birthday

February 24 Riley Brower (15)

February 25 Amy Kroll, Shirley Ver Beek

February 26 Frank Taylor

Please Pray For...

Our Missionaries: Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay, Scott Geurink, Steve Holtrop, Dr. Mike Johnson, Sandi Nyboer, Jordan & Rebecca Roeda, Rev. Guillermo Serrano and Ricardo Tranquini

Our Home Bound Members: Carole Engelsman, Bob Lampen and Arlyene Wolters

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

Continue to Pray For...

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

Pray for Marcia VerBeek as she battles stage 2 breast cancer. May her chemo treatments do what they are meant to do, and may God grant Marcia and Mike His peace as he walks with them through this.

Thank you

Thank you to the congregation for the cards, prayers and well wishes following Curtis' hip surgery. Also thank you to Pastor Vern and Ryan Kruithof for their visits.

- The Flokstra Family

Congregational Announcements

Pricilla Circle

Pricilla Circle will meet this Wednesday at 9:30 am. We will be pondering Proverbs 11. Please read, reflect, and bring your comments and questions! Women of all ages are invited!

Profession of Faith

If you want to make profession of faith, please contact Pastor Vern.

Congregational Announcements cont.

Oakleaf

All Oakleaf material is due to Jordan no later than **today!** The Oakleaf will be coming out on March 1st, a week later than normal, but the March 1st schedules are included in this week's bulletin. Thank you!

Oakland Community Center

The Oakland Community Center Auction will be held on March 21 at 10:00 am. Tom Flokstra will be our auctioneer. All proceeds are going toward the building fund at church. Items for sale will be on a sheet coming out soon. Any questions please see Todd Zoerhof or Mark Busscher.

Group Announcements

Youth Group Leap Day Snack Attack Challenge

The Youth Group extends an invitation to you all to come to The Branch **THIS SATURDAY at 11:45 p.m.** to enjoy some pretty amazing snacks/appetizers! After you have enjoyed the food please submit your votes for your favorites. We will have prizes for the winners. We have had so much fun doing this in years past! We are grateful for those who are willing to be night owls to make this possible!

Youth Group

We will be meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in The Branch. We will continue our new lesson series: Not.A.Fan by Kyle Idleman. "Jesus is not interested in mere fans. He doesn't want enthusiastic admirers. He wants completely committed followers." We look forward to seeing you there! Jordan Hoeksema has snack this week.

Youth Group Serve and Sleep

Youth Groupers, be at The Branch this Saturday at 2:15 p.m. You will have time to drop off your sleepover gear (remember your ingredients for your snack and also your items for the Family Life Center). We will take the bus to Allendale and spend a few hours at the Family Life Center. We will be going to Rebounderz for pizza and fun afterwards. We will be back to The Branch around 10:00 p.m. We will host the Snack Attack, have lots of time to NOT sleep and then we will sit together for the church service on Sunday morning! We can't wait to spend this extra day of the year with all of you!