

Elder Assignments and Districts

Paul Van Dam	2023	President.....	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Steve Bosman	2024	Adult Ministries Liaison, Pulpit Supply.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Brian Kruithof	2022	Recording Clerk.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Mark Busscher	2022	Membership & Visitation Clerk, Fellowship & Service.....	H. Hulst – M. Myaard
Glenn Dozeman	2024	Youth Ministries Liaison, Worship Liaison.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Tim Rietsma	2023	Vice President, Missions & Evangelism.....	S. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Stacy Jones	2023	General / Building Treasurer	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Josh Schrotenboer	2024	Building & Grounds Liaison, Covenant Giving Plan.....	M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Ross Schreur	2022	Zeeland Diaconal / Growing Hope Globally.....	T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Matt Prins	2022	Missions/Mercy Treasurer	H. Hulst – M. Myaard
Mitch Van Dyk	2024	Assistant Treasurer.....	J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Mike Arendsen	2023	Chairman of Deacons.....	S. 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	Glenn Dozeman, Liaison, 6 th – 12 th Grade.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Adult Sunday School	Janice VerMerris.....	Sundays at 10:55 AM
Voices of Praise	Lois Dozeman, Dawn Van Dam.....	Sundays at 5:00 PM
Open Bible Study	Lois Dozeman.....	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 7:00 and 8:30 PM
Ladies’ Project Day	Jody Rietsma.....	2 nd Wednesdays at 9:00 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
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	Jody Rietsma	
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.



Oakland Christian Reformed Church

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Morning Worship 9:30 AM

Sunday School 10:40 AM

Evening Worship 6:00 PM

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Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday May 8, 2022

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

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School and Catechism
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	7:00 PM	Elders/Deacons meetings
	8:30 PM	Full Council meeting
Wednesday	9:30 AM	Project Day

Preaching Pastors

May 8	AM – Pastor Tom Pettinga	PM – Rev. David Adams
May 15	AM – Pastor Tom Pettinga	PM – Rev. Doug Fauble

Offering Causes

May 8

Morning	AM	Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Evening	PM	Allendale Family Life Center

May 15

Morning	AM	Oakland CRC Ministries / Renovation Fund
Evening	PM	Special Ed. Ministries of Zeeland

Community Announcements

Right to Life

Please be aware of a committee called Reproductive Freedom for All who is working to amend the Michigan Constitution. This group is led by Planned Parenthood and the ACLU, this committee's amendment would create a new UNLIMITED and UNREGULATED right to abortion in our state. This radical proposal is not about reproductive freedom, which already exists. This poorly worded amendment would repeal dozens of state laws, including the laws unrelated to abortion. It could affect any law related to pregnancy and abortion and does NOT exempt minor children.

Do you want to learn more? Visit www.supportMIwomenandchildren.org
The following MI state laws are at risk due to this amendment: Parental consent for abortion, ban on school employees helping children have abortions, laws requiring parental consent for medical treatment related to pregnancy, including sterilizations and hormone therapy, late term abortion bans, screening for women being coerced to have abortion, health and safety requirements for abortion facilities, requirements that only doctors perform abortions, conscience protections for doctors/nurses who object to abortions, ban on tax-funded abortions, MI original 1846 and 1931 abortion ban, bans on statutory rape and incest abortions. Right to Life of Michigan and Holland **URGE** you **NOT** to sign this petition.

There will be a Church Rep. meeting at 7:30 PM on May 12. This meeting will be held at their Holland office at 607 Heritage Court, Holland, MI 49423, the guest speaker will be Mary VerWys from Garden of Hope. All are welcome!

People Helping People

Join People Helping People on Monday, May 23 for an evening filled with food, fun, and fellowship. Together we'll seek to raise \$100,000 to support everything we are blessed to be able to do in the community of Pullman. Help us reach our goal. With your participation, we know we can achieve it. The doors open at 5:30pm, dinner served starting at 5:30-6:45. Location: A Cut Above Event Center's Outdoor Venue, 6080 Blue Star, Saugatuck, MI 49453. Any questions contact jeff@pullman.org or 269-236-2001. We look forward to seeing you there!

Thrive

The Thrive group is in need of two new leaders. If interested see Glenn Dozeman, or one of the other elders, or talk to Greg or Tanya Van Dyke.

Youth Group

The youth group is in need of two new leaders. If interested see Glenn Dozemn, or one of the other elders, or talk to Ryan or Jackie Bosch.

Power Point/ Tech Team

We are in need of some Power Point and or tech team members. Please see Jody or one of the elders if you would like to be a part of this team.

VBS

We are preparing for a great time “down under” celebrating the sanctity of all human life. Mark June 20-22 on your calendars. There are sign-up sheets in the narthex for helpers. There is a separate sheet for each day. If you are willing to help all three days, please sign up on Monday’s sheet and initial the other two days. If you have any questions, see Jackie Bosch or Tanya Van Dyke.

Online registration for VBS is available at

<http://www.oaklandcrc.org/vacation-bible-school.html>

Online registration is encouraged but if you would prefer a paper copy of the registration form, please see Jackie or Tanya.

This link on the church website also has the songs the kids will be singing during VBS.

Here is a link to the hand motions that go with the songs if your child enjoys moving.

https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLoUPcl51kZGEGlx5tc9icx-8j1q_LhK_4

VBS is also in need of empty toilet paper or paper towel tubes. We also need some empty cardboard boxes. If you are able, please save them and place them under the coat rack by the council room. Any questions, please see Tanya or Jackie.

Custodians

Monday - Friday Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956
May 7/8 Ryan and Allison Kruithof
May 14/15 Josh and Casey Schrotenboer

May Ushers

Morning Riley Arendsen, Carter Brower, Beni Shindano
Evening Ruth Busscher, Larry Van Dam

Nursery Attendants

May 8 AM Jordan Redder, Ellie Duimstra, Hailley Nelson
PM Julie Hoeve, Tara Kruithof

May 15 AM Shanna Arenden, Jackie Bosch, Annie Smit
PM Abby Busscher, Megyn Schout

Coffee Servers

May 8 Ginger Hill and Linda Kennell
May 15 Larry and Rose Kruithof

Safety Team

May 8 Jim Vellenga
May 15 Matt Brower

Children in Worship

May 8 Teacher: Shanna Arendsen/ Helpers: Sara Van Dyk /Erika Kruithof
May 15 Teacher: Tanya Van Dyke/ Helpers: Megyn Schout /Kaylee DeJonge

Sunday School Cookie Server

May 8 Pam Nyhof
May 15 Stephanie Smit

Happy Birthday

May 8 Mike Hoeksema
May 12 Sophie Jones (12)
May 14 Terry Dykstra (75)

Happy Anniversary

May 14 Greg and Tanya Van Dyke (11)

Please Pray For...

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

College Students: Andrew Bosch, Mandie Compagner, Marissa Compagner, Haley Diekevers, Ryan Dozeman, Drew Flokstra, Jennie Hibma, Sarah Hibma, Mikayla Hoeve, Kacie Kruithof, and Confiance Mbuyu

Continue to Pray For...

Pray for Ryan Ver Beek as he undergoes treatment for his cancer and for resolution of his non cancer health issue.

Those unable to attend in person because of health or age-related issues, or aftereffects of COVID.

Those in our congregation who are mourning the loss of a loved one.

Our Sunday School and catechism teachers as they finish up this Sunday school season.

Jobje Lammers as she continues her battle with cancer.

Clay and Mariah Slenk as they seek treatments for cancer and leukemia.

Thank you

Thank you to all the children who participated in our worship service this morning, the Sunday school kids, our piano student prelude girls and those who designed today's bulletin covers. **You did an amazing job! THANK YOU!**

Prelude this morning

Kaylee DeJonge who is presenting: Fairest Lord Jesus, and Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow; Mackenzie DeJonge who is presenting: Rejoice in the Lord Always and I've got the Joy; Natalie Van Dyke who is presenting: God is so Good, and the BIBLE.

From the Deacons

The deacons are putting the final touches on the 2022/23 budget, if any groups or committees would like to give us their input, please see one of the deacons TODAY.

Attention Moms with younger children

There are extra copies of the activity pages from the Oakleaf in the narthex. They are on bright yellow paper. Please feel free to take as many extra copies as you need. If they are gone let Jody know and I will get extra copies to your mailbox.

Right to Life Walk

Anyone still wishing to contribute to this effort can still do so. Donations may be placed in Jody's mailbox until May 15. Thank you for your support of our most vulnerable!

Pro-Life presentation

Next Sunday May 15, during the Sunday school time there will be a presentation in the sanctuary. This is for everyone! If you are a young single adult, married with no kids, married with kids, grandparent or great grandparent plan to attend! Pro-life at all stages of life will be presented from the push to make abortion "healthcare", the attacks on our young children and teens hearts and minds, to the "ending of suffering" for senior adults unable to care for themselves. Any questions see Jody.

