

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, June 10, 2018

*“Start children off on the way they should go,
and even when they are old they will not turn from it.”*

–Proverbs 22:6

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	6:30 PM	Elders Meeting
	7:00 PM	Deacons Meeting
	8:30 PM	Council Meeting

Preaching Pastors

June 10	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa
June 17	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa

Offerings

June 10

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Evening	Audio Scripture Ministries

June 17

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / The Branch
Evening	Cross Roads Institution

June Ushers

Morning	Dave Duimstra, Drew Flokstra, Al Vander Lugt
Evening	Mark Busscher, John Dozeman, Mike Ver Beek
Substitute	Gene Compagner

Coffee Servers

June 10	Dean and Deb Brower
June 17	Lloyd and Carol Zoerhof

Greeters

June 10	Randy and Barb Ver Beek
June 17	Shirley Ver Beek

Outreach Opportunities

Bible League International

You recently received a letter from the Zeeland Division of Bible League International Volunteers. PLEASE read this letter carefully and prayerfully consider supporting their “Bringing God’s Word to Latin America” project to provide Bibles, biblical resources and training to waiting believers all across Latin America. Please respond on or before June 24. Together we can strive to end the global Bible Famine helping people meet Jesus and changing lives for Him! Thank you for making an eternal difference.

Foods Resource Bank Summer Celebration

You are invited to join in celebrating our progress toward a world without hunger! FRB’s National Summer Celebration event will be held right here in Holland at East Saugatuck CRC on August 3-4. Please register online at foodsresourcebank.org/summer. We hope you will join the celebration. Volunteers are also needed for a variety of tasks from food prep and service to welcoming people, serving as a tour guide or decorating. Please contact Rachel Conley at Rachel@foodsresourcebank.org or 616-283-0694 to volunteer or you may sign up on the sheet located in the narthex.

Right to Life

Mark your calendars! The Right to Life of Holland Area’s Annual Dinner will be held on Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at the Pinnacle Center. The guest speaker will be Alan and Lisa Robertson, from Duck Dynasty.

Volunteer Opportunities

Power Point

We are looking for one more person to join the power point team. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Jordan.

Oasis

We are looking for someone to help going forward for next year with planning and making meals for Oakland Oasis. If you would be interested please see Krista Schout.

Children in Worship

If you would like to volunteer to help with Children in Worship next year there is a sign up sheet located in the narthex, **we need one adult helper each week and one 8th grade-12th grade helper each week.** We are also looking for more teachers so if you are able to teach please see Katie Baker. We greatly appreciate all the volunteers that help our Children in Worship time run smoothly!

Tutoring for Shindano Family

Bethany is offering another training session for tutoring on the evening of June 18. Please call Kris Swieringa to register if you are interested in helping the family with their English skills. All ages are welcome.

Bulletin Wish List

*(4) New chairs for the narthex - \$700.00 / chair

Office Hours

Monday 8-11

Tuesday 9-3

Thursday 9-3

Bulletin and Oakleaf Material

Bulletin Announcements Due: Thursday by 9 AM

Oakleaf Material Due: Sunday, June 17th

Custodians

Monday – Friday Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956

June 9/10 Dave and Julie Hoeve

June 16/17 Ross and Kelli Kruithof

Safety Team Volunteer

June 10 Herk Blauwkamp

June 17 Mike Ver Beek

Nursery

June 10

Morning Shanna Arendsen, Tobi Hoeker, Sarah Hertz, Megyn Schout

Evening Megan Compagner, Kacie Kruithof, Alyssa DeJonge

June 17

Morning Taylor Kruithof, Pam Nyhof, Kirstyn Kruithof, Amelia Christiansen

Evening Carrie Bosch, Kris Swieringa, Sarah Hibma

Happy Birthday

June 8 Jason Nyhof

June 11 Connie Duimstra, Logan Hulst

June 13 Jamie Schreur

June 14 Bonnie Arendsen

June 16 Mitch Brouwer, Trey Dozeman (4)

Happy Anniversary

June 10 Dick and Mary Hilbink (52)

June 11 Gord and Connie Duimstra (59)

Please Pray For

Our Missionaries: Rev. Troy Bierma, Navy & Ly Chann-Chhay, Scott Geurink, Steve Holtrop, Mark & April Homkes, Dr. Mike Johnson, Sandi Nyboer, Tom Post, and Rev. Guillermo Serrano

Our Home Bound Members: Carole Engelsman, Lavina Schipper, and Arlyene Wolters

College Students: Jacob Busscher, Megan Compagner, Ben Duimstra, Jennie Hibma, Jordan Hoeve, Shawn Kroll, Taylor Kruithof, Brandon Schreur, and Josie Zoerhof

Continue to pray for...

Pray for Judy Hoekstra, Bev Hulst and Jeff Machiela as they recover from their knee replacement surgeries.

Continue to pray for the Shindano family as they continue to adjust to their new home. Ask God to be with Lillian's caregivers as they determine the best treatment for her thyroid concerns. We also thank God that Romeo started his new job at Bob Evans!

Sympathy

We extend our sympathy to Juella Van Dam and Shirley Ver Beek on the passing of their sister-in-law Ruth Post. May God's comfort and peace surround you during this difficult time.

Congregational Announcements

Celebration of the Lord's Supper

Everyone who trusts Jesus alone as their Lord and Savior and has made a public profession of their faith are welcomed to join God's children at the table this morning!

Graduate Recognition Sunday

Today is our Graduate recognition Sunday. We will be recognizing our college and high school graduates during our morning service.

Refugee Sunday

Today we remember Jesus words, "When I was a stranger you welcomed me!" We are so blessed to co-sponsor the Shindano family from the Democratic Republic of the Congo with Bethany Christian Services.

Reminder

All material for the July Oakleaf is due no later than next Sunday, June 17th. Thank you!

Annual Congregational Meeting

This past Monday was our annual congregational meeting. The congregation approved the 2018/2019 budget and approved hiring a Calvin Seminary Student for two years (10 hours per week September – May) under Calvin's Vocational Mentorship Program. Ken Hulst and Dennis Bosch were selected for office of elder and Dave Duimstra and Ryan Bosch were selected for office deacon.

Council Meeting

We will be meeting tomorrow evening. Our new council members are invited to join us at 8:30 for appointments to offices as well as elder/deacon districts and committee liaisons. Pray for God's guiding for our council members!

Volunteers Needed

The council is hoping to have all of our volunteer positions filled before summer begins. Please pray how you might use your spiritual gifts (every believer has at least one) to build up the body of Christ here at Oakland. Thanks to those of you who have already responded!

Bulletin and Oakleaf Material

Please be sure to send any material for the bulletin and Oakleaf to OaklandCRC@gmail.com. That is the only email that is checked for church information. Thank you!

Group Announcements

Prime Timers – Summer Luncheon

You are invited to a summer luncheon on Thursday, June 14 at 11:45 AM in the Branch. Bill Bird, a horticulturist from Jonker Garden's, will be there with a presentation "A Passion for Gardening." There will be a potluck lunch of casseroles, salads and desserts provided by you! Please sign up on the sheet located in the narthex by **today, June 10**. Any questions please see Ruth K. or Judi B.