

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 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sundays at 7:30 AM
Children in Worship	Katie Baker.....Sundays at 9:50 AM
Sunday School	Todd Zoerhof, 3 yrs. – 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade.....Sundays at 10:40 AM
Catechism	Ken Hulst, Liaison, 6 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup> 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 <sup>st</sup> Sunday at 7:15 PM
Fellowship Bible Study	Dick and Mary Hilbink.....3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday at 7:15 PM
Family Life Ministries	Allison Kruithof, Krista Schout.....Sundays at 10:45 AM
Thrive	John and Heidi Dozeman.....2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sundays at 5:45 PM
Ladies’ Bible Study	Rhonda Bosman.....1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesdays at 10:30 AM
Men’s Bible Study	Pastor Vern.....1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays at 6:45 PM
Priscilla Circle	Pastor Vern.....2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at 9:30 AM
Oakland Oasis	Krista Schout.....1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays at 5:30 PM
Youth Group	Stacy and Susan Jones, Dave and Tobi Hoeker.....2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesdays at 7:00 PM
Cadets	Tom Flokstra.....1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays at 6:30 PM
GEMS	Shanna Arendsen.....1 <sup>st</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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	Steve Holtrop	Sandi Nyboer
Ascending Leaders	Resonate Global Missions	Teen Life on Campus
3947 Field Crossing	APDO Postal 1076	4275 132 <sup>nd</sup> Avenue
Sugar Land, TX 77498	Managua, Nicaragua	Hamilton, MI 49419
	Central America	
Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay	Ricardo Tranquini	Rev. Guillermo Serrano
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Phnom Penh		Villa Park, IL 60181
Cambodia		
	Scott and Marcia Geurink	
	11195 Rich Street	
	West Olive, MI 49460	

**Oakland Christian Reformed Church**

**Sunday, June 14, 2020**

*“God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, **who has been given to us.**” –Romans 5:5*

**Calendar**

Today                      9:30 AM              Morning Worship

**Preaching Pastors**

June 14                      AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa  
June 21                      AM – Dr. Warren Lammers

**Offering Causes**

**June 14**

Morning                      Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan  
Evening                      Trinity College

**June 21**

Morning                      Oakland CRC Ministries / Renovation Fund  
Evening                      Cross Roads Bible Institute

**Weekly Schedules**

Coffee, nursery, greeters and ushers have been cancelled for the time being. Please watch your weekly bulletin for when they will be resuming. Thank you!

**Custodians**

Monday - Friday              Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956  
June 13/14                      Ken and Barbara Hibma  
June 20/21                      Matt and Katie Brower

**Safety Team**

June 14                      Mike Arendsen  
June 21                      Jason Nyhof



Save the Date!

Oakland CRC VBS - “Mystery Island”

When: July 27-30 / 6:15 - 8:15 PM

Where: Oakland CRC - Outdoors

Who: YOU and Your Family & Friends

\*Invite your family and friends to this awesome event.

We can’t wait to see you here!

## **Volunteer Opportunities**

### **Kitchen Team**

We are forming a “Kitchen Team” and are looking for 5 or 6 volunteers that would be willing to join our kitchen team. We will be discussing health department guidelines for serving food, using the kitchen and any supplies that are needed. The team would meet two times this year and then 1 time per year after that. If interested please see Krista Schout.

### **Vacation Bible School**

Vacation Bible School is going to be July 27-30 and will be held outdoors only. Right now we are looking for volunteers to plan the crafts for the older kids, and we are also looking for volunteers to lead the groups around. If you are interested in helping with crafts please contact Jordan, if you are able to help lead the groups of kids around, please sign up on the sheets located in the narthex. Your help is greatly appreciated and very much needed to help make this week run smooth. Thank you!

### **Love INC**

Love INC is looking for volunteers to cut, split and stack wood. This has been a project that our Youth Group has done in the past so if anyone is interested you may contact Barry Lucas at [barry@loveincnwa.org](mailto:barry@loveincnwa.org). Thank you!

## **Happy Birthday**

June 14	Bonnie Arendsen
June 16	Mitch Brouwer, Trey Dozeman (6)
June 17	Beth DeYoung
June 19	Reid Dozeman (10), Kyle Kroll

## **Happy Anniversary**

June 16	Bill and Ginger Hill (47)
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## **Please Pray For...**

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

**Our Home Bound Members:** Carole Engelsman and Bob Lampen

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

## **Continue to Pray For...**

Continue to pray for all those providing essential services during this pandemic. May God protect them from contracting the coronavirus and spreading it to others!

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

Please continue to pray for your elders and deacons as they provide care for their districts.

Pray for John Wiersma who underwent a heart bypass and valve replacement. He has been transferred to MediLodge on 16<sup>th</sup> Street.

Pray for Mingi Shindano who is at St. Mary's for treatments.

## **Congregational Announcements**

### **Church Worship**

Today we continue worshiping in the sanctuary while practicing social distancing. The Elders will greet you at the East doors, all other doors will remain locked, and masks are optional. Social distancing will be practiced in the church building with seating every other pew and 6' spacing between families is encouraged. There will be additional seating available in the fellowship room in the basement with live streaming. There will be **NO** nursery (young children are welcome to make a little noise during the service.) Bring your own Bibles (the Bibles and hymnals have been removed from the pews). Offerings will be received at the East doors as you exit the church building. There will be **NO** coffee/cookies or fellowship following the service. Members are encouraged to exit the church building directly after the service and reserve extended conversations for outside the building. The service will continue to be broadcasted through FM radio if you wish to remain in your vehicles. Live streaming will continue for those who wish to remain home. Those who have been sick or have compromised health issues are encouraged to continue to worship at home. (DVD's are available for those who do not have Internet access in their homes. DVD's of all the services since the quarantine began are available. Contact your district elder or Pastor Vern if you would like a copy). These practices will remain in effect for the coming weeks and will be reviewed continuously by the council.

### **Lord's Supper**

We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper this morning. Everyone who has professed his or her faith in a Christian Church is invited to participate in this celebration.

### **Congregational Needs**

If you have any needs (financial, spiritual, emotional) please contact your district elder, deacon or Pastor Vern. They are there to help!

### **Vacation**

Pastor Vern and Kris will be on vacation starting this week. Please contact your district elder if you have a spiritual need.

### **Community Center Auction**

The Community Center Auction has been rescheduled to Thursday, June 25 at 6:30 PM. We hope you can make it!

## **Thank You**

**You are a Blessing!** Thank you for your church's gift to ministry shares. Your gift makes it possible for us to share God's story of grace, hope and love. We could not impact the world through missions, media, and church development without your incredible and faithful support. To learn more about the work you support visit [crena.org/ministryshares](http://crena.org/ministryshares).  
-CRCNA

Thank you for your support and partnership in God's ministry in Cambodia. Your support helps Ly and I train more church leaders and pastors across Cambodia.  
-Navy and Ly

## **Group Announcements**

### **Youth Group Year End**

Youth Groupers, please save the date of Wednesday, July 15 for an evening of socially distanced fun! We will meet at the Branch at 6:30 PM for pizza, outdoor small group challenges/games and then a trip to Fantasy Twirl to celebrate our year and celebrate especially Andrew and Eliana as this is their final YG gathering. Please bring an outdoor camping chair with you.

### **Thrive Save the Date**

Thrive kids! Please save the week of July 27-30 for our annual SERVE week. We invite all incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders to join us as well. If you have any questions please see John and Heidi Dozeman or Greg and Tanya Van Dyke. Thank you!

### **Ladies Project Day**

We will be gathering again on Wednesday, July 8 at 9:30 AM. We can't wait to see everyone and catch up again! Plan on meeting in the church basement as normal and bring a dish to pass for our potluck lunch, along with a project to work on. Any questions see Jody Rietsma.

### **Prime Timers**

We are looking forward to seeing everyone again! It's been too long. We're having a light lunch with an ice cream social and lots of catching up with each other on Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 11:30 AM in the Branch. Linda and Ruth should have contacted you. If for any reason you were not contacted, PLEASE call Ruth (688-5270) or Linda (405-3810) so that we can get an accurate count for food. Thank you!