

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, June 24, 2018

“Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.” – Psalm 91:1

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship

Preaching Pastors

June 24	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa
July 1	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Combined @ Bentheim Reformed

Offerings

June 24

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Foods Resource Bank
Evening	Gideon International

July 1

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	Combined @ Bentheim Reformed

June Ushers

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

July Ushers

Morning	Andrew Bosch, Joe Hilbink, Todd Zoerhof
Evening	Kyle Bauman, Cris Compagner, Larry Kruithof
Substitute	Ruth Kruithof

Coffee Servers

June 24	Julie and Jordan Hoeve
July 1	Dale and Isla Compagner

Greeters

June 24	Greg and Janice VerMerris
July 1	Combined @ Bentheim Reformed

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 next Sunday, 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.

Christian Reformed Conference Grounds

The CRCG is excited to welcome Gary Matthews and the Christ Memorial Church Choir in concert on Saturday, June 30. Plan on being part of an amazing evening of worship including fresh arrangements of hymns that you love. The doors to the Worship Center will open at 6 pm, the concert will begin at 7 pm. No tickets are needed however a free-will offering will be taken to help offset our music ministry. Be sure and come early, as it is also our first Chicken BBQ of the summer! Your dinner will be complete with either a ¼ or a ½ BBQ chicken that has been slow roasted over our BBQ pit, sides, and your beverage!

Volunteer Opportunities

Sunday School Teachers

We are looking for teachers for the 2018/2019 Sunday school year. We are in need of substitutes for three-year olds through eighth grade. We also need one full-time teacher and one part-time OR three part-time teachers for elementary. If you are able to teach please see Tara Hilbink or Deb Brower.

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.

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 greatly appreciate all the volunteers that help our Children in Worship time run smoothly!

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: July 15

Safety Team Volunteer

June 24 Andy Helder
July 1 Dan Bosch

Custodians

Monday – Friday Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956
June 23/24 Matt and Katie Brower
June 30/ July 1 Ross and Kelli Kruithof

Nursery

June 24

Morning Randi Prins, Barb Ver Beek, Kellie Brower, Megyn Schout
Evening Brenda Baker, Alma Myaard, Eliana Christiansen

July 1

Morning Bonnie Arendsen, Tara Kruithof, Mandie Compagner, Megyn Schout
Evening Combined @ Bentheim Reformed

Happy Birthday

June 24 Jada VandenBosch (17)
June 25 Bobbijo Zoerhof
June 27 Fran Schreur (87)
June 29 Mike Arendsen
June 30 Jordan Hoeve

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

Pray for Marcia and Mike, Jordan and Mitchell Hoeksema in the passing of Marcia's mother, Janet Ensink. May God comfort them with the certain hope of the resurrection.

Pray for Shirley Van Omen who has been admitted to Zeeland Hospital for an infection.

Continue to pray for Judy Hoekstra, Bev Hulst and Jeff Machiela following their recent knee replacement surgeries.

Please Prayer for continued...

Please continue to pray for the Shindano family as they adjust to living in the US. Pray also for the transition over the next 3 months as they work on becoming more conversant in English and work on learning more financial skills. As a committee we are thankful to Oakland for the continued prayers and your support in terms of time, money and gifts.

Thank You

The Bible League International ladies of Oakland are so thankful for the amount of \$467.00, which we have received through the love letters. You have made an eternal impact through Latin America as you help to transform lives through your gifts of God's word. If there is anyone that would still like to give you may do so by the end of today. See Alma Heyboer or Arla Zoerhof.

A huge thank you to the wonderful women of Oakland who donated their time and talents making Taste of Home Desserts and Martha Stewart salads for the June 4th Family Night. Thank you also for the donations making it a profitable night for Oakland Community Center!

Congregational Announcements

Office Bearers Installation

This morning we install our new elders and deacons. Dennis Bosch and Ken Hulst will be installed as elders and Ryan Bosch and Dave Duimstra will be installed as deacons. May God fill them with the Holy Spirit so that they may fulfill their calling in God's power. We also thank Glenn Dozeman, Dave Hoeve, Troy Rietsma and Josh Schrottenboer for their faithful service. May God continue to bless them!

Next Sunday

Next Sunday morning we look forward to the baptism of Lydia Kruithof

Ricardo Tranquini will be with us next Sunday morning to update us on his work in Bravo.

Combined Worship Service

Next Sunday evening will be our Patriotic 4th of July combined worship service at Bentheim Reformed. The offering will go to International Aid for Guatemala Disaster Relief.

Family Night

The next family night is scheduled for Monday, July 9th from 5:00 – 6:30 PM and we need your help! If you are able to bring a dish please sign up on the sheet located in the narthex. Thank you!

Church Directory Updates

There will be a new paper directory coming out within the next month. If you have had any changes including address, phone numbers, etc., since the picture directory came out in 2016 please fill out a form located on the shelf in the narthex and place in Jordan's mailbox no later than **Sunday, July 15th**. Thank you!

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!

Vacation Bible School – Time Lab 2018

We need volunteers to help with VBS 2018! We are looking for leaders to help bring the kids around to each station; craft station helpers and game station helpers. Please sign up if you are able to help, even if it's just for one night. We appreciate all the help we can get! There is a sign up sheet located in the narthex. See Brenda Flokstra if you have any questions.

VBS Needs

Below is a list of items needed for crafts for VBS. If you are able to bring something please place it in the box located under the mailboxes **on or before July 15th**. Thank you!

- Small Nuts
- Small Bolts
- Small Washers
- Rubber Bands
- 100 – Gallon Size Ziploc Bags
- Gorilla Glue
- Latex Free Gloves, size small
- 5 - Disposable Table Cloths
- Sharpies
- 10 Rolls Scotch Tape
- Craft Paint
- Markers
- Elmer's Glue
- Glitter
- Stickers
- Gems
- Feathers
- Cash Donations – place in Brenda's mailbox