

Elder Assignments and Districts		
Pastor Vern Swieringa - President		
Lloyd Zoerhof	2020	Missions & Evangelism Liaison.....A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Ken Hulst	2021	Youth Ministries Liaison.....M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Bob Dozeman	2019	Recording Clerk, Search Committee.....T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Jim Vellenga	2019	Vice President, Adult Ministries Liaison.....G Hulst – M. Myaard
Dennis Bosch	2021	Worship 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		
	2020	Assistant to the Treasurer.....A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Dave Duimstra	2021	Building & Grounds Liaison, Covenant Giving Plan.....M. Brower – G. Duimstra
Ryan Kruithof	2019	Chairman of Deacons/ Kingdom Ministries.....T. Dykstra – D. Hulst
Matt Brower	2019	General / Building Treasurer.....G. Hulst – M. Myaard
Ryan Bosch	2021	Missions / Mercy Treasurer.....J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam
Curt Schout	2020	Zeeland Diaconal / Foods Resource Bank.....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	Jordan Redder, Ken Hulst, Liaison, 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	Mike and Marcia Ver Beek.....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	Tom and Brenda Flokstra, 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.....2 <sup>nd</sup> Monday 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	Judi Blauwkamp, 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 Ascending Leaders 3947 Field Crossing Sugar Land, TX 77498	Tom Post World Renew / Asia Team Leader 2850 Kalamazoo Ave. S.E. Grand Rapids, MI 49560	Rev. Troy Bierma Resonate Global Missions 3233 Burton S.E. Grand Rapids, MI 49546
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## **Oakland Christian Reformed Church**

**Sunday, June 30. 2019**

*“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
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Wednesday	8:00 PM	OLT Meeting

### **Preaching Pastors**

June 30	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa
July 7	AM – Rev. Warren Lammers	PM – Combined Service @ Drenthe Grove

### **Offerings**

#### **June 30**

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Missionary Support
Evening	Food Drive

#### **July 7**

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	Combined Service @ Drenthe Grove

### **June Ushers**

Morning	Ross Schreur, Chase Van Dam, Paul Van Dam
Evening	Mark Busscher, Ruth Busscher, Gord Duimstra
Substitute	Andy Krommendyk

### **July Ushers**

Morning	Nathan Busscher, John Dozeman, Al Vander Lugt
Evening	Cris Compagner, Dale Compagner, Lee Ver Beek
Substitute	Ruth Kruithof

### **Coffee Servers**

June 30	Gabby Brouwer and Jordan Redder
July 7	Tom and Brenda Flokstra

### **Custodians**

Mon - Fri	Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956
June 29/30	Justin and Jane DeJonge
July 6/7	Matt and Katie Brower



Save the Date!

Oakland CRC VBS - “The Incredible Race”

When: July 29 - August 1<sup>st</sup> / 6:15 - 8:15 PM

Where: Oakland CRC

Who: YOU and Your Family & Friends

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

We can’t wait to see you there!

**Volunteer Opportunities**

**Please take a look at the volunteer opportunities here at church and see if you might be a fit for one of them. We would love to have these filled and we appreciate everyone’s help in keeping the various ministries at Oakland thriving!**

**Youth Group**

We are looking into the 2019/2020 Youth Group year and are looking for another couple to join us in planning and leading the wonderful students that we are blessed with. Our goal is to work with the new couple and teach them how Youth Group goes and eventually pass it on to them for the next school year (2020/2021). Any questions or if you are interested please see Stacy and Susan Jones or Ken Hulst.

**Oasis Co-Coordinator**

We are looking for a volunteer who would be willing to help with coordinating Oasis beginning next year. If you are interested in this or have any questions please see Krista Schout.

**Sunday School Song Leader**

We are looking for someone that would be willing to lead the children next year during their singing time for Sunday school. Age doesn’t matter! If you would be interested please see Todd Zoerhof or Ken Hulst. Thank you!

**Thrive Leaders**

We are looking for Thrive leaders for next year. If you have any interest or questions please see John or Heidi Dozeman or Ken Hulst. Thank you!

**Community Announcements**

**Bible League International**

Recently you received a letter from the Zeeland Division of Bible League International Volunteers. PLEASE read this letter carefully and prayerfully consider supporting their “A Global Reach for the Kingdom” project to provide Bibles, biblical resources, and training to people across the globe. So far we have collected \$380.00. Please respond on or before July 7. 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.

**Greeters**

June 30 Daryl Hulst  
July 7 Combined Service @ Drenthe Grove

**Safety Team Volunteer**

June 30 Dan Bosch  
July 7 Dave Duimstra

**Nursery**

**June 30**

Morning Jackie Bosch, Kelli Kruithof, Kaylee DeJonge, Erika Kruithof  
Evening Brenda Baker, Alma Myaard, Sarah Hibma

**July 7**

Morning Jane DeJonge, Taylor Kruithof, Mandie Compagner, Sarah Hibma  
Evening Combined Service @ Drenthe Grove

**Happy Birthday**

June 30 Jordan Hoeve  
July 3 Casen Baker (7)  
July 4 Al Engelsman  
July 6 John Dozeman, Lavina Schipper (97)

**Bulletin Wish List**

Replace (2) Narthex Chandeliers - \$1600 each (picture located on bulletin boards in narthex)

**Please Pray For**

**Our Missionaries:** Rev. Troy Bierma, Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay, Scott Geurink, Steve Holtrop, Dr. Mike Johnson, Sandi Nyboer, Tom Post, and Rev. Guillermo Serrano  
**Our Home Bound Members:** Carole Engelsman, Bob Lampen, Lavina Schipper, and Arlyene Wolters  
**College Students:** Marissa Compagner, Megan Compagner, Ben Duimstra, Drew Flokstra, Jennie Hibma, Jordan Hoeve, Kacie Kruithof, Brandon Schreur, and Josie Tanis

**Continue to pray for...**

Continue to pray for Al Engelsman. Pray for continued strength as he prepares for his chemo treatments.  
  
Pray for Rietta Ver Beek as she will be having open-heart surgery this week. Pray for a successful surgery and complete healing.

Pray for those who are in need of healing (physical, emotional and spiritual).

## **Congregational Announcements**

### **Next Sunday**

This morning we will be installing our new elders, Mark Busscher and Brian Kruithof, as well as our new deacons, Jason Nyhof, George Engelsman and Ross Schreur.

### **Profession of Faith**

This morning we will be witnessing the Profession of Faith of Jada VandenBosch. We thank God for the gift of faith!

### **Missionary Moment**

This evening Steve Holtrop will be sharing the work he is engaged in in Nicaragua. We pray that God continues to bless his family and work.

### **Vacation**

Pastor Vern and Kris will be on vacation from July 4 – July 14. If you have any spiritual needs please contact your district elder.

### **Church Office**

The church office will be closed next week. Please have all bulletin announcements in to Jordan no later than **12 Noon** on Wednesday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!

### **Youth Group Serve 2019**

We invite the congregation to join the youth groupers and their families at 6:45 PM on Friday, July 12 to pray with us and send us off. We thank you all for your support of Oakland CRC and our youth group specifically. We are really excited about this opportunity!

### **Basement Renovation**

With the basement renovation project passed and construction expected to start in July, the Deacons are encouraging anyone who wants to give to use their envelopes for donations. Please specify on the envelope “Basement Project” so they can designate it appropriately. Thank you!

### **VBS 2019**

Oakland’s VBS “The Incredible Race” needs your help! Volunteer sign up sheets, food donation and craft supply donation sheets are located in the back of church. Thank you for your time and energy for our church and community kiddos!

## **Nursery Location Change**

Due to the basement renovations, the nursery has been moved to the Thrive room.

### **Profession of Faith**

If you want to make Profession of Faith, please contact Pastor Vern. Our next Elders meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 15.

### **Save the Date – VBS 2019**

VBS 2019 “The Incredible Race” will be July 29, 30, 31 & August 1<sup>st</sup>.

## **Group Announcements**

### **Thrive Serve Week 2019**

Thrive Serve week will be July 29, 30, 31 and August 1<sup>st</sup>. All incoming 6<sup>th</sup> graders and graduating 8<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to join us!

### **Youth Group Serve**

Our SERVE trip is rapidly approaching! We are getting really excited! You all should have received an email from the Sioux Falls team detailing what to expect and what to bring for the week. **Please pay careful attention to that email.** If you have not received this email please be sure to let Susan know. We will be leaving Friday, July 12. Meet at church at 6:30 PM. We will make about half the drive Friday night and will be staying overnight at a hotel in Mauston, WI. On Saturday, July 20 we will leave early and make the 11 hour drive straight back. Please find the sign up sheet located on the shelf in the narthex and add your name to an item, or two. We will stock the bus with water/pop/Gatorade and snacks for our drive and would really appreciate your help with this. **If** you have not returned your SERVE liability form to Stacy and Susan’s mailbox please do so ASAP. This is the last piece of paperwork needed for the trip and EVERYONE HAS TO COMPLETE ONE! This form was placed in your church mailbox last week. Watch the email that you provided us for YG information for additional details as the week approaches!

### **Ladies Project Day**

We will be meeting on Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at **9:30 AM in the Branch.** Ladies of all ages are welcome! You may even bring your kids and they can play. We would love to see all generations join us! We will be having a potluck lunch. **There is a sign up sheet located in the narthex. Please sign up to bring a dish to pass and plan on bringing a project to work on.** Any questions see Jody Rietsma.