

Elder Assignments and Districts

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|---------------|------|--|-------------------------|
| Paul Van Dam  | 2023 | Vice President.....                              | A. Arendsen – L. Brower |
| Steve Bosman  | 2024 | Adult Ministries, Pulpit Supply.....             | M. Brower – G. Duimstra |
| Bob Dozeman   | 2025 | Recording Clerk.....                             | T. Dykstra – D. Hulst   |
| Andy Helder   | 2025 | Membership Clerk, Fellowship & Service.....      | H. Hulst – T. Nelson    |
| Glenn Dozeman | 2024 | Youth Ministries, Worship .....                  | J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam   |
| Tim Rietsma   | 2023 | Asst. Vice President, Missions & Evangelism..... | S. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof |

Deacon Assignments and Districts

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|-------------------|------|--|-------------------------|
| Stacy Jones       | 2023 | Assistant Treasurer .....                      | A. Arendsen – L. Brower |
| Josh Schrotenboer | 2024 | Building & Grounds, Covenant Giving Plan.....  | M. Brower – G. Duimstra |
| Neil Tanis        | 2025 | Mission/Mercy Fund Treasurer.....              | T. Dykstra – D. Hulst   |
| Frank Taylor      | 2025 | Zeeland Diaconal / Growing Hope Globally ..... | H. Hulst – T. Nelson    |
| Mitch Van Dyk     | 2024 | General / Building Treasurer.....              | J. Nyhof – P. Van Dam   |
| Mike Arendsen     | 2023 | Chairman of Deacons.....                       | S. Van Dam – T. Zoerhof |

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| Custodians | Randy and Barb Ver Beek – (616) 218-9956 |
| Secretary  | Jody Rietsma – (616) 688-5290            |

General Information

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated on the second Sunday of Feb., June, Sept., and Dec., and on Good Friday.  
The sacrament of baptism is administered upon request.

Missionaries

- Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay – Resonate Global Mission (Cambodia)
- Rev. Huascar De La Cruz Paseo de las Flores – ReFrame Ministries (Mexico)
- Scott and Marcia Geurink – Resonate Global Mission (Michigan)
- John and Kim Gryglewicz – Resonate Global Mission (Haiti)
- Steve and Kim Holtrop – Resonate Global Mission (Nicaragua)
- Rev. Dr. Mike Johnson – Ascending Leaders (Texas)
- Sandi Nyboer – Teen Life on Campus (Hamilton, MI)
- Ricardo Tranquini – My Father’s House Christian Community (Fennville, MI)
- Sovann Neth – World Renew (Cambodia)

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

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Morning Worship 9:30 AM                      Sunday School 10:45 AM                      Evening Worship 6:00 PM



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***Oakland Christian Reformed Church***  
***Sunday, June 4, 2023***  
*Welcome to worship!*

**Calendar**

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|-------------|---------|---|
| Today       | 9:30 AM | Morning Worship                                       |
|             | 6:00 PM | Evening Worship                                       |
| Monday      | 7:00 PM | Congregational Meeting                                |
| Wednesday   | 7:00 PM | Prayer Meeting at Branch                              |
| Next Sunday | 9:30 AM | Scripture: Psalm 46                                   |
|             |         | Title: <b><i>A Refuge in Trouble</i></b>              |
|             |         | Offering: Oakland CRC Ministries/Covenant Giving Plan |
|             | 6:00 PM | Scripture: Ephesians 4:1-16                           |
|             |         | Title: <b><i>A Blessed Community</i></b>              |
|             |         | Offering: The Bridge Youth Ministries                 |

| Serving in Ministry | Today – 6/4                                      | Next Sunday – 6/11                                     |
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| Nursery – AM        | Shanna Arendsen,<br>Tanya Van Dyke, Nicky Nelson | Jane DeJonge, Kacie Kruithof,<br>Nella Prins           |
| Nursery – PM        | Cindy Dozeman, Rose Kruithof                     | Alma Myaard, Todd Zoerhof                              |
| Safety Team         | Larry Kruithof                                   | Neil Tanis   |
| Refreshments        | Judi Blauwkamp and<br>Ruth Kruithof              | Cookies: Carolyn and Rhonda<br>Servers: Jody and Tanya |
| Weekend Custodian   | Ryan and Allison Kruithof                        | Matt and Randi Prins                                   |

**Ushers for June:** AM: Kyle Bauman, John Dozeman, Curtis Flokstra  
PM: Nathan Busscher, Dick Hilbink, Ross Schreur

**Happy Birthday:** 5<sup>th</sup> Eliana Christiansen, 7<sup>th</sup> Jerry Compagner (79), Ellery Smit (15), 8<sup>th</sup> Mark Baker,  
Cris Compagner, Jason Nyhof, 9<sup>th</sup> Dan Bosch

**Happy Anniversary:** 4<sup>th</sup> Tom and Brenda Flokstra (24), 5<sup>th</sup> Wayne and Jill Van Dam (52),  
6<sup>th</sup> Gord and Bea Schreur (56), 10<sup>th</sup> Dick and Mary Hilbink (57)

**Youth Group Leaders Needed:** Ryan and Jackie Bosch are concluding their time as youth group leaders at the end of July. As a result, we will need youth group leaders for next year. Please consider and pray about whether or not the Lord is leading you to lead our youth group. If you have any questions about what it looks like to be a youth leader, you can contact Glenn Dozeman, Ryan and Jackie Bosch, or Pastor Mark.

**The congregational meeting** will be held tomorrow at 7 PM. The following men are nominated for the office of Elder: Matt Brower, Mike Hoeksema, Ryan Kruithof, Scott Prins, Bob Rynsburger, Arlyn Schreur, Wayne Van Dam, Mike Ver Beek, Greg VerMerris, and Todd Zoerhof. The following men are nominated for the office of Deacon: Justin DeJonge, Josh Groenheide, Dave Hoeker, Anthony Nelson, Matt Prins, Curt Schout, Andrew Slagh, Mitchell Slagh, Brad Slenk, and Chase Van Dam. Two Elders and two Deacons will be selected from these respective lists to serve 3-year terms in the Oakland CRC council. Please bring your agendas and ballots. Please be in prayer for the Congregational Meeting and these men.

**Thank you,** worship team, for leading us in another season of praise to our Lord. We appreciate you using your talents to serve Him!

**Ready, Set, Move!** VBS is June 19-21 6:15-8:15 with a family dinner starting at 5:15. Please pre-register your 3-10-year-old (s). Registration is now open on Oakland's website: <http://www.oaklandcrc.org/vacation-bible-school.html>. There is a sign-up sheet for volunteers to help Ready, Set, Move! VBS runs smoothly. The sign-up sheets are in the narthex. Please talk to Jackie Bosch or Tanya Van Dyke if you have any questions.

**Prime Timers** save the date Wednesday, June 21st, 11:30 am. Lunch at Bunker Hill with an ice cream social afterward at Connie and Gord Duimstra’s place. There is a signup sheet in the narthex.

**Save the date!** THRIVE group will have a serve week July 25-27!

**Save the date!** Oakland CRC’s 1st Annual Cornhole Tournament will be Saturday, September 23. Join us for food, fellowship & friendly competition. There is a sign-up sheet in the fellowship room for sponsoring a pair of cornhole boards. We look forward to seeing our families & local business represented! This event is hosted by the Christian School Society. Please see Randi, Jackie, Allison, or Casey with any questions. More details & team sign-ups to follow.

**Community Announcement**

**A VERSITI BLOOD DRIVE** will be held at Drenthe CRC on **Wednesday, June 7 from 1-7:00 PM**. They are desperately in need of blood, and you could save up to 3 lives with your donation. Appointments are encouraged but walk-ins are also welcomed. Sign up for a specific time, please call 1-866-642-5663 or visit [versiti.org/MI](http://versiti.org/MI) for an appointment.

Morning Order of Worship  
June 4, 2023 - 9:30 a.m.

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude  
Welcome  
Call to Worship - Proverbs 3:5-6  
\*Opening Song of Worship  
Worship His Majesty #440, vs. 1, 2, 4 - *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*  
\*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting  
\*Song of Praise  
Worship His Majesty #437, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *I Know Who Holds Tomorrow*

APPROACHING THE LORD

Preparation for the Lord's Supper (page 976)  
\*Hymn of Response  
Lift Up Your Hearts #659, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Nearer, Still Nearer* (vs. 2 a cappella)  
Congregational Prayer  
Offerings for Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund

LISTENING TO THE LORD

\*Hymn of Preparation  
Screen, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *He Will Hold Me Fast*  
Scripture: Psalm 13 (page 852)  
Message: **Why, God?**  
Prayer of Application  
\*Hymn of Application  
Lift Up Your Hearts #660, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Jesus, Draw Me Ever Nearer*

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

\*God's Parting Blessing  
\*Doxology - Lift Up Your Hearts #938 - *My Friends, May You Grow in Grace (2x)*  
\*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande  
Organist: Lois Dozeman  
Pianist: Dar Pettinga

*\*Please stand, if able*

Morning Message Outline  
Psalm 13  
**Why, God?**

Introduction

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 1-2)
  - A. He Is Feeling \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. He Is Feeling \_\_\_\_\_
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 3-4)
  - A. For God to \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. For \_\_\_\_\_
  - C. For \_\_\_\_\_
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ (vs. 5-6)
  - A. God's \_\_\_\_\_ Has Been \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. God's \_\_\_\_\_ Has Been \_\_\_\_\_

Conclusion

Evening Order of Worship  
June 4, 2023 - 6:00 p.m.

A TIME OF PRAISE

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship - Matthew 28:18-20  
\*Opening Song of Worship  
Lift Up Your Hearts #262, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *I Love to Tell the Story*  
\*God's Greeting

A TIME OF FAITH

Scripture: Psalm 145 (page 979)  
\*Songs of Response  
Lift Up Your Hearts #561, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *I Will Extol You, O My God*  
Lift Up Your Hearts #559, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Ten Thousand Reasons*  
Congregational Prayer  
Offerings for Luke Society

A TIME OF LEARNING

\*Hymn of Preparation  
Worship His Majesty #168, vs. 1, 3 - *Tell Me the Story of Jesus*  
\*Apostles' Creed (page 813)  
Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 20 (page 882)  
Contemporary Testimony, Our World Belongs to God, Articles 30-33 (page 1028)  
Scripture: Acts 1:1-11 (text vs. 8) (page 1690)  
Message: ***To The Ends of the Earth***  
Prayer of Application  
\*Hymn of Application  
Lift Up Your Hearts #593 - *Lord Most High (2x)*

A TIME OF LIVING

\*God's Parting Blessing  
\*Doxology  
Lift Up Your Hearts #932, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Savior, Again to Your Dear Name We Raise*  
\*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Mark Vande Zande  
Organist: Lois Dozeman  
Pianist: Marissa Compagner

*\*Please stand, if able*

Evening Message Outline  
Acts 1:1-11 (text vs. 8)  
***To the Ends of the Earth***

Introduction

1. The \_\_\_\_\_  
A. \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_  
  
B. From the \_\_\_\_\_

2. The \_\_\_\_\_ Behind The \_\_\_\_\_  
A. So That \_\_\_\_\_ Is \_\_\_\_\_  
  
B. So That \_\_\_\_\_ Is \_\_\_\_\_

Conclusion