

| Elder Assignments and Districts | | |
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| 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 | | |
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| 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 | |
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| Sunday Men’s Group | Dan Bosch.....1 st and 3 rd Sundays at 7:30 AM |
| Children in Worship | Katie Baker.....Sundays at 9:50 AM |
| Sunday School | Todd Zoerhof, 3 yrs. – 5 th Grade.....Sundays at 10:40 AM |
| Catechism | Ken Hulst, Liaison, 6 th – 12 th 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 st Sunday at 7:15 PM |
| Fellowship Bible Study | Dick and Mary Hilbink.....3 rd Sunday at 7:15 PM |
| Family Life Ministries | Allison Kruithof, Krista Schout.....Sundays at 10:45 AM |
| Thrive | John and Heidi Dozeman.....2 nd & 4 th Sundays at 5:45 PM |
| Ladies’ Bible Study | Rhonda Bosman.....1 st and 3 rd Mondays at 7:00 PM |
| Office Bearers | Elders, Deacons, Council.....2 nd Monday respectively at 6:30, 7:00 and 8:30 PM |
| Ladies’ Project Day | Ruth Busscher, Jody Rietsma.....2 nd Wednesdays at 10:30 AM |
| Men’s Bible Study | Pastor Vern.....1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:45 PM |
| Priscilla Circle | Pastor Vern.....2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 9:30 AM |
| Oakland Oasis | Krista Schout.....1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 5:30 PM |
| Youth Group | Stacy and Susan Jones, Dave and Tobi Hoeker.....2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 7:00 PM |
| Cadets | Tom Flokstra.....1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:30 PM |
| GEMS | Shanna Arendsen.....1 st & 3 rd 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

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| 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 | Sandi Nyboer Teen Life on Campus 4275 132 nd Avenue Hamilton, MI 49419 |
| Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay #C46 Street 42TB Boeung Tompon Khan Meanchey Phnom Penh Cambodia | Steve Holtrop Resonate Global Missions APDO Postal 1076 Managua, Nicaragua Central America | Rev. Guillermo Serrano Back to God Ministries International 211 S. Michigan Villa Park, IL 60181 |
| Scott and Marcia Geurink 11195 Rich Street West Olive, MI 49460 | Ricardo Tranquini 1317 56 th Street Fennville, MI 49408 | Jordan & Rebecca Roeda Resonate Global Missions Uganda |

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, July 21, 2019

“Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come.”

-Revelation 4:8

Calendar

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

Preaching Pastors

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| July 21 | AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa | PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa |
| July 28 | AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa | PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa |

Offerings

July 21

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| Morning | Oakland CRC Ministries / Basement Renovation |
| Evening | Allendale Family Life Center |

July 28

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| Morning | Oakland CRC Ministries / Growing Hope Globally |
| Evening | Lakeshore Pregnancy Center |

July Ushers

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

Coffee Servers

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| July 21 | Larry and Rose Kruithof |
| July 28 | Ron and Jean Meyaard |

Custodians

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| Mon - Fri | Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956 |
| July 20/21 | Matt and Randi Prins |
| July 27/28 | Matt and Randi Prins |

Greeters

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| July 21 | Harold and Barb Hulst |
| July 28 | Ken and Mindy Hulst |



Save the Date!

Oakland CRC VBS - “The Incredible Race”

When: July 29 - August 1st / 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!

Community Announcements

Bible League International

Thank You! The Zeeland Division of Bible League International Volunteers thanks all those who contributed to their “A Global Reach for the Kingdom” project to provide Bibles and engage people in God’s Word through *Project Philip*, Church Planter Training, and Bible-based Literacy. Because of you our church was able to provide \$380.00 towards this project. Continue to pray with us for the provision of God’s Word to a lost and needy world. Thank you for serving the under-resourced Church!

Precious Baby Contest

Is there a precious baby in your family who is 24 months old or younger on or before August 24, 2019? Enter a photo of this little one in our Precious Baby Contest! You can enter ONLINE beginning July 1st and ending July 25th at www.rtlofholland.org (click on the Precious Baby Contest link.) Please follow the directions on the site to register your child (must include baby’s and parents name; family address, phone and email.) Voting will begin ONLINE on Monday, August 5th at 11 AM and end on Saturday, August 24th at 11 PM. You may also vote manually at the RTLHA booth at the Hudsonville Community Fair – August 19-24, 2019. Prizes are: 1st Place - \$250 Master Card Gift Card, 2nd Place - \$200 Gift Certificate to deVries Studio in Zeeland, 3rd Place - \$100 Gift Package to Mom & Baby Again.

Christian Reformed Conference Grounds

The **Christian Reformed Conference Grounds** is excited to welcome 3 Heath Brothers in concert on Saturday, July 27. It’s going to be a fantastic evening with these 3 brothers who have been singing together for as long as they can remember! You won’t want to miss their tight harmony, passion for God, and young energy! Please join us in giving them a warm Conference Grounds welcome! 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 and enjoy delicious Meatloaf dinner. It will be served in the Sunshine Room from 5-6:30 pm.

Safety Team Volunteer

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| July 21 | Jim Vellenga |
| July 28 | Ryan Kruithof |

Nursery

July 21

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| Morning | Stacy Engelsman, Randi Prins, Kaylee DeJonge, Annika Kruithof |
| Evening | Tara Kruithof, Krista Schout, Ellie Duimstra |

July 28

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| Morning | Shanna Arendsen, Susan Jones, Sarah Hibma, Jada VandenBosch |
| Evening | Katie Brower, Rose Kruithof, Megyn Schout |

*The nursery is located in the Thrive room while the church basement is being renovated.

Happy Birthday

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| July 21 | Jessica Perry |
| July 22 | Arla Zoerhof (86) |
| July 24 | Josh Kruithof (16) |
| July 25 | Hazel Compagner, Neil Tanis |
| July 26 | Dawn Van Dam |

Bulletin Wish List

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

Please Pray For

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

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 undergoes his chemo treatments.

Pray for Wayne Van Dam who will be having vascular surgery this Monday.

Pray for all the seeds that were planted and watered last week during the Youth Groups SERVE project in Sioux Falls, SD.

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

Thank You

I have been so blessed by my church family with the prayers and concerns for my great grandson, Rutledge Schreur. You've continually prayed for us through all the ups and downs with his serious conditions for weeks. We prayed for knowledge for the doctors and after his surgery his little heart has been repaired and he is doing well. They are so happy to be home and all together as a family again! God bless you all!

-Arla Zoerhof

Congregational Announcements

Profession of Faith

This morning during our worship service we will be witnessing the Profession of Faith of Con fiance Mbuyu. We thank God for the gift of faith!

Mission Moment

This morning Rochelle Pahl from Family Life Center in Allendale will be sharing with us the work of her ministry, which provides housing and support for those with unplanned pregnancies.

Reminder

Material for the August Oakleaf is due to Jordan no later than **today!**

Next Sunday

Next Sunday Nick Zoerhof will be making his public profession of faith; Linda Kennell, Tony & Johanna Nelson, Frank & Chantel Taylor will all be reaffirming their faith; Lincoln Taylor, Hailley Elizabeth Molenaar, Nicolette Shelby Nelson and Shelby Jean Nelson will all be baptized during our worship service.

Profession of Faith

If you want to make Profession of Faith please contact Pastor Vern.

Thrive Donations

Thrive SERVE week will be July 29th – August 1st and we need your help! We are looking for food and snack donations. If you would like to donate there is a sign-up sheet located in the back of church. Please have your donations to the Branch on or before Sunday, July 28. If you have any questions please contact John or Heidi Dozeman. Thanks for your help!

“The Incredible Race”

Oakland's VBS “The Incredible Race” will take place July 29th – August 1st. You may register online at www.OaklandCRC.org or fill out a form located on the shelf in the narthex and place it in Brenda Flokstras mailbox. See Brenda Flokstra with any questions.

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!

Volunteer Opportunities

Youth Group

Just to clarify...Stacy and Susan and Dave and Tobi will both be leading Youth Group this fall but it will be Stacy and Susan's last year. We are looking for another couple to join us in planning and leading the wonderful students that we are blessed with this year (2019/2020). 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.

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!

Children in Worship

Children in Worship is looking for teachers and helpers for the upcoming season! We need 1-2 more teachers as well as adult helpers (18 and older) along with younger helpers. Please see the sign-up sheet located in the back of church for more information. If you have any questions, please talk to Katie Baker.

Group Announcements

Thrive Serve Week 2019

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

Prime Timers

Please reserve Tuesday, August 6, to go to the American Legion Band Concert at Kollen Park. More details will be coming later. Please sign up on the sheet located in the narthex by Sunday, August 4th. Any questions see Judi B. or Ruth K.