

Elder Assignments and Districts

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

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Stacy Jones	2023	Assistant Treasurer	A. Arendsen – L. Brower
Josh Schrotenboer	2024	Building & Grounds Liaison, 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

Ministries, Contact Persons, Schedules

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	Glenn Dozeman, Liaison, 6 th – 12 th Grade.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Adult Sunday School	Janice VerMerris.....	Sundays at 10:55 AM
Voices of Praise	Lois Dozeman, Dawn Van Dam.....	Sundays at 5:00 PM
Open Bible Study	Lois Dozeman.....	1 st Sunday at 7:15 PM
Fellowship Bible Study	Dick and Mary Hilbink.....	3 rd Sunday at 7:15 PM
Family Life Ministries	Jane DeJonge, Allison Kruithof.....	Sundays at 10:45 AM
Thrive	Greg and Tanya Van Dyke.....	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.....	Once a month respectively at 7:00 and 8:30 PM
Ladies’ Project Day	Jody Rietsma.....	2 nd Wednesdays at 9:00 AM
Men’s Bible Study	Wayne Van Dam.....	1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays at 6:45 PM
Priscilla Circle	Jill Van Dam.....	2 nd & 4 th Wednesdays at 9:30 AM
Youth Group	Ryan and Jackie Bosch,	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	Ruth Kruithof, Linda Kennell.....	As Announced
Power Point	Jody Rietsma	
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.



Oakland Christian Reformed Church

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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

Steve Holtrop
Resonate Global Missions
APDO Postal 1076
Managua, Nicaragua
Central America

Ricardo Tranquini
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Fennville, MI 49408

Scott and Marcia Geurink
11195 Rich Street
West Olive, MI 49460

Dr. Mike Johnson
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3947 Field Crossing
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Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay
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Grand Rapids, MI 49508

Sandi Nyboer
Teen Life on Campus
4275 132nd Avenue
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Rev. Huascar De La Cruz
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Villahermosa, Tabasco, Mexico 86027

John and Kim Gryglewicz
2705 Peach Drive
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Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday August 7, 2022

We warmly welcome all those who have come to worship with us today!

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Monday	7:00 PM	Elder/Deacon Meeting
	8:30 PM	Full Council Meeting
Wednesday	9-2	Project Day

Preaching Pastors

August 7	AM – Pastor Tom Pettinga	PM – Rev. Dan Gritter
August 14	AM – Pastor Tom Pettinga	PM – Rev. Dan Gritter

Offering Causes

August 7

Morning	AM	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	PM	Teen Life on Campus

August 14

Morning	AM	Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Evening	PM	Bible League International

Custodians

Monday - Friday	Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956
August 6/7	Josh and Casey Schrottenboer
August 13/14	Matt and Katie Brower

Community Announcements

Sportsmen

ATTENTION ALL SPORTSMEN: The Calvinist Cadet Corps is hosting its 8th Annual Sporting Clay Shoot. The event will be held on Saturday, August 20 at the Blendon Pines Gun Club in Zeeland, Michigan. For more information, call the Corps office at 616-241-5616 ext 4, or check out the Cadet website under the “Events” tab. Everyone is welcome! Registration forms are available from your Cadet clubs’ head counselor, or you can register at our website: www.calvinistcadets.org. Lunch will be served at 11:30 am. Join us for a fun filled day!

If you can’t make it out for the event, but still want to be involved, sponsorship opportunities are available. For more information on giving, contact Kim at the Corps office number listed above, or find information on our website on the event page.

Benefit Concert

South Olive CRC invites you to a Southern Gospel Concert “Under the Lights” on the church ballfield on Friday, August 12 starting at 7pm. Bring your own chair or blanket and enjoy the sounds of Faithful Journey, Greater Joy, and The Sojourners! The concert is free with a suggested donation of \$5/ person at the gate. Food will be available for purchase with proceeds going to the Mission Team fund and includes a slice of the famous South Olive pie!! In case of inclement weather, the concert will be held inside, hope to see you there! See the bulletin board in the narthex for more details.

Barnabas Ministries Open House

Barnabas Ministries has transitioned to having our main office location in Hamilton, MI (4670 Pine St.). In celebration of the move and the work God is doing through our ministry, we are inviting the community to an office open house on August 20, 2022 from 9:00am-12:00pm. Stop by to check out our new space, enjoy refreshments, and participate in our school supply drive. For information on needed school supplies, visit our Facebook page or contact our office at 616.748.8435.

Sunday School

Today is the last day for sign up. If you have not already done so please sign up your child, ages 3 through 5th grade on the sign-up sheets in the back of church. If you have any questions, see Todd Zoerhof or Jody.

We are in need of someone to lead the singing for the Sunday School kids. This can be a few part-time people or one full-time person. If you can help out contact Todd or Jody.

Weekly Prayer Meeting

There is a weekly prayer meeting held on Wednesday at the Branch starting at 7PM. Please join us as we lift our petitions to our heavenly Father.

Cards of Encouragement

Jordan Hoeksema is gone for military training and will be away from home until September. If you would like to send him a card of encouragement, please use this address:

PFC Hoeksema, Jordan
D CO, 787th MP BN, PLT 1
7560 Loyalty Loop, Building 934
Fort Leonard Wood, MO 65473

Family Life Center Fundraiser

The Family Life Center in Allendale is collecting \$25 gas gift cards for their volunteers who drive their residents to their appointments. With the pop can return that the THRIVE group did and what we have currently collect we have raised over \$1000. Can we get to \$2000?

If you are unable to purchase a gas card but would still like to contribute you can put a check made out to Oakland CRC and put it in Jody's mailbox with a note that it is for a gas card. Thank you, Oakland, for your generosity and for standing up for life! Any questions see Jody.

Moving Volunteers

If you are able to help with moving the Vande Zande family on August 10th, please sign up in the narthex today. Any questions contact Paul Van Dam.

Nursery Attendants

August 7 AM Julie Hoeve, Megyn Schout, Kaylee DeJonge
PM Alma Myaard, Casey Schrotenboer

August 14 AM Johanna Nelson, Chantel Taylor, Hailey Nelson
PM Abby Busscher, Pam Nyhof

Coffee Servers

August 7 Ginger Hill and Linda Kennell
August 14 Larry and Rose Kruithof

Safety Team

August 7 Mark Busscher
August 14 Dan Bosch

August Ushers

Morning Larry Kruithof, Andrew Slagh, Mitchell Slagh
Evening Pres Heyboer, Greg Ver Merris

Happy Birthday

August 7 Dave Duimstra, Alma Heyboer (88)
August 9 Clint Nyhof (6), Piper Prins (9)
August 10 Daryl Hulst
August 13 Ruth Kruithof (77)

Happy Anniversary

August 11 Neil and Pat Karp (38)
August 12 Dennis and Kathy Bosch (27)

Please Pray For...

Our Missionaries: Navy Chann-Chhay & Ly Chhay, Rev. Huascar De La Cruz, Scott Geurink, Johnny & Kim Gryglewicz, Steve Holtrop, Dr. Mike Johnson, Sovann Neth, Sandi Nyboer, and Ricardo Tranquini.

College Students: Andrew Bosch, Mandie Compagner, Ryan Dozeman, Jennie Hibma, Sarah Hibma, Mikayla Hoeve, and Con fiance Mbuyu

Continue to Pray For...

Please pray for those recovering from surgeries, recent hospitalizations or receiving cancer treatments. We pray for: Dan Bosch, Gerene Compagner, Arlene Dozeman, Mary Hilbink, Aug Hoekstra, Ken Van Dam, Wayne Van Dam and for Ryan Ver Beek.

For the many ministry needs to be filled.

Those unable to attend in person because of health or age-related issues, or aftereffects of COVID.

Pastor Mark and his family that they may have a smooth transition here to Oakland. Safety as they travel here and for all those helping them in their move.

Also keep in prayer the 1st CRC of Orange City as they bid Pastor Mark goodbye and as they begin the process of searching for a new pastor.

This week pray this in thanksgiving to God for his goodness to his people here in Oakland and across our nation. Psalm 33:12 “Blessed is the nation whose God is the LORD, the people he chose for his inheritance.” Pray we as a nation will seek God and turn from our evil ways.

Thank You

Thank you, Oakland Church family, for the cards, calls, and many prayers during my surgery and now during my recovery. A special thank you to Pastor Tom for his visits and prayers. God has been good and faithful!

Wayne Van Dam

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him and He will direct your paths.” Proverbs 3:5-6

THANK YOU!

Thank you to **EVERYONE** who helped make our church picnic an amazing day. Our God is so good in His provision. We were blessed with a perfect day, great food, safety for everyone who attended and such a fun event. Pastor Tom frequently remarks to me what an amazing congregation we have here in Oakland. This was in full display through all who volunteered to help in so many ways. A hearty **THANK YOU** to all! May God continue to bless us and keep us. Jody and Brenda

Welcome to Oakland Basket

Pastor Mark will be arriving soon, and we would like to welcome him and his family with a large gift basket from our church. There is a bin in the back of church. Feel free to add anything you feel suitable for a welcome gift basket. A list of 'suggested' items is posted by the bin. Feel free to bring those items or anything else you think may be nice to receive when arriving at a new home. Marcia and Tara will arrange the welcome basket and have it ready for the family, on their doorstep, upon arrival. Please have your donations in by TODAY. Thank you.