

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.....	K. Perry – 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.....	K. Perry – 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 st and 3 rd 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 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	Tom and Brenda Flokstra, 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

Dr. Mike Johnson
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3947 Field Crossing
Sugar Land, TX 77498

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World Renew / Asia Team Leader
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Rev. Troy Bierma
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3233 Burton S.E.
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Sandi Nyboer
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4275 132nd Avenue
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Scott and Marcia Geurink
11195 Rich Street
West Olive, MI 49460

Rev. Guillermo Serrano
Back to God Ministries International
211 S. Michigan
Villa Park, IL 60181

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, January 6, 2019

“Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord rises upon you.”

-Isaiah 60:1

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:40 AM	Sunday School
	10:45 AM	Family Life Ministries
	10:55 AM	Adult Sunday School
	4:30 PM	Voices of Praise
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
	7:15 PM	Open Bible Study
Monday	7:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study
Tuesday	6:30 PM	Financial Peace University
	6:30 PM	Elders Meeting
	7:00 PM	Deacons Meeting
	8:30 PM	Council Meeting
Wednesday	9:30 AM	Priscilla Circle
	10:30 AM	Ladies Project Day
	7:00 PM	Youth Group
	8:00 PM	OLT Meeting
Friday - Sunday		Thrive Retreat

Preaching Pastors

January 6	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa
January 13	AM – Rev. Vern Swieringa	PM – Rev. Vern Swieringa

Offerings

January 6

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Building Fund
Evening	Kuyper College

January 13

Morning	Oakland CRC Ministries / Covenant Giving Plan
Evening	Christian Schools International

January Ushers

Morning	Dan Bosch, John Dozeman, Al Vander Lugt
Evening	Cris Compagner, Dale Compagner, Lee Ver Beek
Substitute	Pres Heyboer

Group Announcements

Sunday School Collection: January

For the month of January we are collecting snack size treats; fruit snacks, Rice Krispy treats, snack size crackers (anything that is individually wrapped). Please place on the piano in the basement. Thank you!

Priscilla Circle

We will be meeting Wednesday at 9:30 AM. We will be reflecting on 1 Corinthians 16. Please read, reflect and bring your comments and questions. All women are invited to come.

Youth Group

We will be meeting at the Branch at 7 PM this Wednesday. We will finish our series on decision-making. Jada and Noah will be providing our snack. See you there!

Volunteer Opportunities

Sunday School Superintendent

We are looking for a new superintendent to begin the 2019/2020 Sunday school year. If you have any questions on the position or you would be interested in volunteering please see Ken Hulst.

Shindano Family Transportation

We are looking for people who would be willing to help transport the Shindano family to church on Sunday mornings, and also with help getting the boys to Youth Group and Cadets. Please see Kris Swieringa if you are willing to help with this. Thanks so much!

Community Announcements

RLTHA Annual March 4 Life

The annual March 4 Life will be on January 19th at 10:00 AM. The walk will begin at the corner of 10th and Central; we will take a 20 minute walk around Centennial Park, then have a prayer service in the Ministry Center at Central Avenue CRC in Holland. All those who bring a hand-made pro-life sign to display while walking, will have an opportunity to place their name in a drawing for a \$25 gift card.

RLTHA Annual Walk/Run

The annual walk/run is scheduled for Saturday, April 27th. We will begin with a prayer at 10:00 AM at Lawrence Street Park in Zeeland. You can pick up a pledge sheet from our office or download one at www.rtolofholland.org.

Please Pray For

Our Missionaries: Rev. Troy Bierma, Navy & Ly Chann-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, Shirley Van Omen and Arlyene Wolters

College Students: Marissa Compagner, Megan Compagner, Ben Duimstra, Jennie Hibma, Jordan Hoeve, Kacie Kruithof, Taylor Kruithof, Brandon Schreur, and Josie Zoerhof

Continue to pray for...

Keep Mark Busscher in your prayers as he heals from his surgery this past Wednesday.

Thank You

Dear Oakland Church Family,

Thank you so much for your support in my fundraising to again go to Cozumel, Mexico on a mission trip with Lipscomb University. I am very excited to see the kids at the orphanage on the island that I have built relationships with on my last two trips. I am excited to continue work projects on the orphanage's campus to further develop it. So, thank you again for allowing me to take part in this amazing trip with your prayers and support. We will be going March 16-23, so continued prayers for our team, our efforts, the children at the orphanage and the people who run the orphanage is much appreciated!

Blessings!

-Jennie Hibma

Congregational Announcements

Children in Worship

Just a friendly reminder that Children in Worship is a worship program for kids ages three through Kindergarten. **If your child is not within this age group, please refrain from sending them down.** Thank you!

Ken Hulst – Youth Liaison

“Teach Us to Pray” Devotional

The “Teach Us To Pray” devotional will be providing the text for our Sunday morning worship services in 2019. May God bless our family devotions and worship services this coming year. If you signed up for the devotional and have not picked up your copy, you may do so today. They are located on the tables in the basement. Our sermon series will begin today and your first devotional can be found on page 102 “Epiphany, Day 1.”

Coffee Servers

January 6

Kathy Bosch and Hazel Compagner

January 13

Judi Blauwkamp and Ruth Kruithof

Greeters

January 6

Justin and Jane DeJonge

January 13

Wayne and Beth DeYoung

Safety Team Volunteer

January 6

Dan Bosch

January 13

Dave Duimstra

Custodians

Monday – Friday

Randy and Barb Ver Beek – 616-218-9956

January 5/6

Ryan and Allison Kruithof

January 12/13

Ken and Barbara Hibma

Nursery

January 6

Morning

Bonnie Arendsen, Barb Ver Beek, Ellie Duimstra, Sarah Hibma

Evening

Jackie Bosch, Ruth Kruithof, Erika Kruithof

January 13

Morning

Susan Jones, Rose Kruithof, Kirstyn Kruithof, Jada VandenBosch

Evening

Allison Kruithof, Kris Swieringa, Sarah Hibma

Children in Worship

January 6

Marcia Hoeksema, Krista Schout, Annika Kruithof

January 13

Stacy Engelsman, Carrie Bosch, Jacob Schout

Sunday School Snack

January 6

Holly Hassevoort

January 13

Casey Schrotenboer

Happy Birthday

January 6

Tres Compagner (85), Hattie Schrotenboer (2)

January 7

Megan Compagner, Audrey Prins

January 8

Larry Myaard

January 10

Noelle Christiansen (13)