

Oakland Christian Reformed Church

4460 38th Street, Hamilton, MI 49419

Morning Worship 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:45 AM

Evening Worship 6:00 PM

Elder Assignments and Districts

Mike Ver Beek	2026	Education	D. Arendsen – N. Busscher
Bob Rynsburger	2027	Outreach Leadership Team	Cl. Compagner – A. Helder
Dave Duimstra	2028	Membership Clerk	D. Helder-K. Kroll
Greg VerMerris	2028	Clerk	A. Krommendyk-T. Rietsma
Matt Brower	2027	Covenant Giving, Fellowship/Service	J. Rush – L. Van Dam
Mike Hoeksema	2026	Vice President, Worship	P. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Deacon Assignments and Districts

Anthony Nelson	2026	Building & Grounds	D. Arendsen – N. Busscher
Chase Van Dam	2027	Chair of the Deacons	Cl. Compagner – A. Helder
McKenzie Prins	2028	Co-Treasurer	D. Helder – K. Kroll
Dave Hoeker	2028	Missions/Mercy Treasurer	A. Krommendyk- T. Rietsma
Greg Van Dyke	2026	Asst. Treasurer	J. Rush – L. Van Dam
		Kingdom Ministries, Zeeland Diaconal Rep.	
Mitch Redder	2027	Co-Treasurer	P. Van Dam - T. Zoerhof

Custodian Randy Ver Beek – (616) 930-1335

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 – ReFrame Ministries (Mexico)

Scott and Marcia Geurink – Resonate Global Mission (Michigan)

Steve Michmerhuizen – Resonate Global Mission (Hungary)

Steve and Kim Holtrop – Resonate Global Mission (Nicaragua)

Rev. Dr. Mike Johnson – Ascending Leaders (Texas)

Ricardo Tranquini – My Father's House Christian Community (Fennville, MI)

Sovann Neth – World Renew (Cambodia)



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Sunday, March 8, 2026

Psalm 150:6 "Let everything that has breath praise the LORD."

Calendar

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	9:50 AM	Children in Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School, Catechism and Adult Sunday School
	5:00 PM	Choir
	5:45 PM	THRIVE
	6:00 PM	Evening Worship
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Prayer Day Service at Bentheim
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Senior Women's Coffee Time (Pat K)
	9:30 AM	Senior Women's Bible Study
	7:00 PM	Youth Group/ Outreach Leadership Team Meet
Thursday	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting at Branch
Next Sunday	9:30 AM	Scripture: Deuteronomy 7:9 Title: Walk on Water Offering: OCRC Ministries/Parking Lot Renovation
	6:00 PM	Scripture: Psalm 127 Title: Blessings from the Lord Offering: GEMS

Prayers for the week: Mike and Marcia Ver Beek will be in New Bern, NC for a month helping out with World Renew. Dale and Isla Compagner will be joining them the week of March 9. Pray for safety in travel and pray for a great month of work showing the love of Christ.

Pray for Jeff Machiela as he recovers from his recent surgery. Pray that his pain will be gone and he might have full recovery.

Pray for Foster Gruppen and his family after his recent cancer treatments. Pray he may sustain them well.

Happy Birthday: 8th Michael Paauwe, 9th Ellisa Kroll, Taylor Payne, 10th Melanie Groenheide, Dylan Helder, Sara Van Dyk, 12th Carrie Bosch, 14th Lois Dozeman

Happy Anniversary: 9th Herk and Judi Blauwkamp (59)

Serving in Ministry	Today 3/8	Next Sunday 3/15
Nursery - AM	Cassie Helder, Ginger Hill, Elliot Redder, Leah Smit, Natalie Van Dyke	Ruth Busscher, Josie Tanis, Sophie Jones, Molly McCarty, Alysha Van Dam
Nursery - PM	Julie Hoeve, Tara Kruithof	Allison Kruithof, Alma Myaard
Safety and Security Team	Paul Van Dam, Mike Hoeksema, Frank Taylor	Mitch Van Dyk, Matt Brower, Chase Van Dam
Refreshments	Marcia B. and Ruth K.	Ginger and Linda
Weekend Custodians	Brad and Katie Slenk	Ryan and Allison Kruithof
Children in Worship Leader	Susan Jones	Katie Baker
Children in Worship Helpers	Morgan Slenk, Hailley Nelson	Chantel Taylor, Erin Brower
Sunday School Snack	Casey Schrotenboer	Chantel Taylor
Sunday School Security	Jessica McCarty, Ryan Bosch	Randi Prins, Mitch Brouwer

Parents of Sunday school children 3 years old - 5th grade: The children will be singing during the morning service on March 22. This will take place right before the children's message so they may sit with you and come forward at the appointed time

Bentheim Reformed Church invites you to join them for a combined Prayer Day service on Tuesday, March 10 at 7 p.m. Pastor Kristoffer Popovitch will lead the service, and an offering will be received for Love INC.

A VERSITI BLOOD DRIVE will be held at Drenthe CRC on Monday, March 9 from 2:30-7:00 PM. Appointments are encouraged. To sign up, please call 1-866-642-5663 or visit versiti.org/MI for an appointment.

Project Retreat There will be a project retreat held in the church basement on March 20 from 1-9 PM and on the 21st from 9-4. There are sign up sheets for attendance and food donations for the 21st. Supper on the 20th will be potluck. Any questions see Jody Rietsma.

Morning Order of Worship
March 8, 2026 - 9:30 a.m.

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude, Welcome and Call to Worship - Proverbs 18:10

*Opening Hymn of Praise

LUYH #500, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Lord, Our Lord, Your Glorious Name*

*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting

*Scripture: Psalm 27:1

*Hymn of Worship

Screen vs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 - *The Lord Is My Salvation*

Voices of Praise

There Is a Fountain

APPROACHING THE LORD

God's Will for Our Lives - Responsive Reading - Colossians 3:1-14

Prayer of Confession

*Hymn of Assurance

LUYH #796 vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Oh, the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus*

Congregational Prayer

Offerings for Oakland CRC Ministries/Covenant Giving Plan

Children's Message

Children in Worship Dismissal (3-Kindergarten) - Jesus and the Children

LISTENING TO THE LORD

*Hymn of Preparation

LUYH #177, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Oh, to See the Dawn*

Scripture: John 5:1-16 (page 1653)

Message: ***Do You Want to Get Well?***

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application

Sing #598, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *He Will Hold Me Fast*

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology - LUYH #489, vs. 3 - *By the Sea of Crystal*

*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Tom Pettinga

Organist: Deb De Young; Pianist: Dar Pettinga

**Please stand, if able*

Morning Message Notes
John 5:1-16
Do You Want to Get Well?

Evening Order of Worship
March 8, 2026 - 6:00 p.m.

Evening Message Notes
Ecclesiastes 3:1-14; 2 Corinthians 4:16-5:10
Yearning for Eternity

A TIME OF PRAISE

Prelude
Welcome
Call to Worship
*Opening Hymn of Praise
 LUYH #599, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Come, Christians, Join to Sing*
*God's Greeting

A TIME OF FAITH

Scripture: Psalm 16 (page 853)
Hymns of Response
 Blue PH #22, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 - *When in the Night I Meditate*
 *LUYH #454, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Beams of Heaven*
*Apostles' Creed (page 813)
Congregational Prayer
Offerings for Thrive (CRC Denominational Ministries)

A TIME OF LEARNING

*Hymn of Preparation
 LUYH #488, vs. 1, 2, 3, 4 - *Jerusalem the Golden*
Scripture:
 Ecclesiastes 3:1-14 (pg. 1037); 2 Corinthians 4:16-5:10 (pg. 1798)
Message: ***Yearning for Eternity***
Prayer of Application
*Hymn of Application
 Celebration Hymnal #762, vs. 1, 2 - *What a Day that Will Be*

A TIME OF LIVING

*God's Parting Blessing
*Doxology - LUYH #482, vs. 1, 2, 3 - *Soon and Very Soon*
*Postlude

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Rev. Al Petroelje
Organist: Deb De Young
Pianist: Marissa Hoeve

**Please stand, if able*