



Mission Statement:
God's life-changing, never-giving-up,
all-inclusive love transforms us into a
multicultural community
of hope.

May 5, 2019

Welcome to worship at Oakdale!

We are glad that you have come to worship with us!

Today we worship God through:

God's Word: 10:15 am Worship Service:
 Seminarian Kelsi Jones will bring a message from
1 Peter 2:11-17.

Giving: Oakdale Ministry

Ministry to children: Nursery care is available for babies and toddlers (through age 2) downstairs during the entire service. **Children's Worship** for children ages 3 through kindergarten will take place downstairs. **Kingdom Kids** for children in 1st through 5th grades will meet upstairs.

Responding: Prayer team members will be available to pray with you after the worship service.

Today

9:00 am Men's Bible Study
 12:30 pm Kinyarwanda Service
 5:00 pm HSYG

This Week at Oakdale

Monday:
 5:00 pm Oakdale Support & AA Group
 7:00 pm Admin Team Meeting

Tuesday:
 6:00 am Lectio Divina
 5:30 pm Senior Dinner—Raybrook

Thursday:
 11:00 am CLEAR
 7:00 pm Home Heating & Cooling Seminar

Saturday:
 8:00 am Men's Breakfast
 10:00 am Kinyarwanda Choir

Next Sunday, May 12, 2019 Mother's Day / Prof. of Faith
 9:00 am Men's Bible Study
 10:15 am Pastor Harrison will bring the message.
Last Day of Children's Worship & Kingdom Kids classes.
 12:30 pm Kinyarwanda Service
 5:00 pm HSYG/DIVE

For Your Personal and Family Prayers

Our sympathies to **Tim & Sharon VanderKodde** in the passing of Sharon's mother, Edith Docter, this past week. Please also pray for Edith's grandchildren, Mandy VanderMeyden and Kyle VanderKodde, and their families during this difficult time.

Pray for the family of **Herm Schoon-Jongen**, who passed away on **April 28**.

Continue to pray for and encourage our friends, **Ryan & Julie Veeneman**. **Julie** is recovering from surgery and **Ryan** is now receiving care from hospice.

Please pray for **James DeYoung** as he recovers from surgery. Pray for healing, peace, and that test results would be favorable.

Rita Gray was hospitalized for a serious health complication this week. Continue to pray for healing for fractured ribs, leg pain, and for her radiation treatments.

Please pray for **Cal DeVries** as he recovers from surgery.

Please pray for healing, strength, and encouragement for our friends: **Jessica Kuizema, Alice Menninga-Richards, Linda Carman, Aljean Holtrop, Mary Browneye, Pastor Emmett, Marilyn Bazuin, Diane DeHaan, John & Luann Pastoor, Roger & Doris Van't Hof, Bill VanderKodde, John & Joan Nidefski, Cyndi Grady, & Joanne Ruis.**

Oakdale Opportunities

Mark your calendars for a yummy way to support your youth group with **dinner at Culver's (E. Beltline)** on **Tuesday, May 28** from **5-8 pm**. A % of every sale will be given directly to the fund for this summer's mission trip to Nashville. See you there!

GIFT CARD SALE: Do you buy groceries? gas? go out to eat? Do you give gift cards? You can painlessly **support the Christian Ed. Comm.** by buying these via gift cards purchased thru the TRIP Program. Extra order forms at the Info Ctr. You receive the full face-value of the gift card, but a % of each sale goes to support OPC children attending Christian schools. **Please order by Sun., May 12** and receive gift cards no later than May 26. Questions? See Lauren Delatorre, Heather Meneirey, or Joan Chee (joanchee@yahoo.com or (616) 334-9439).


Summer Children's Worship (for ages 3-6) begins on 6/2. We need volunteers to teach 1 (or more) weeks. **Bible Story lessons and crafts for each week are already prepared.** Sign up at the Kids' Corner or contact Karen Bobo.

Oakdale 2nd Best Sale – June 13-15, 2019

Pick up days from Calvin – Step 1

- **Fri., May 17 (dorms) Meet at OPC—10:45a. Lunch provided**
- **Tues., May 21 (apts. & large appliances) – Meet at OPC — 8:45 am. Continental breakfast & lunch provided.**

We need many volunteers, your time, hard work and the use of your trailers, trucks & vans. We need a few people willing to serve food and clean up for the provided meals. The sign-up board is in the lobby. Questions? Mary Wisneski (498-0127) or Doug & Cindy Plantenga (421-5874).

 **To Mars and Beyond VBS registration is now open!**
July 22-26 5:45-8 pm. Register: myvbs.org/OPCVBS

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*Oakdale family compassion requests, please contact your district deacon. Sermon podcasts at: www.oakdaleparkchurch.org Hearing Loop System & Devices available - please speak with an usher.

Oakdale Opportunities



Graduation Season is upon us! At Oakdale, we celebrate with our graduates of 8th grade, 12th grade, college (Associates, Bachelors, and higher degrees) and certificate programs. **Do you have a graduate in your house? Inform the office of who they are and where they are graduating from and they'll be included in the celebration.** Stand up and be recognized on **Sunday, June 2!**

India Sharing Night: Jayne Ver Beek and Kinita Schripsema will share about their recent ministry trip to India and what God is doing in that country. There will be 2 sharing dates (same presentation): **Thursday, May 16, 7-9 pm at Oakdale Park—Lifetree Room** or **Mon. June 3, 7-9 pm at Madison Square Church.** Hope you can join us!

Creation Care team invites you to attend a workshop about home heating and cooling on **Thurs., May 9 from 7:00—8:30 pm** at OPC. Led by Nate deVries and Dale Hulst, this session will discuss ways to make your home more energy efficient and reduce your carbon footprint. <http://bit.ly/2GSZXS3>

Youth Choir: We will sing on Father's Day, June 16. Rehearsals will be on **5/19, 6/2, & 6/9 at 9:40 a.m.** and **6/16** at 9:50 am, before we sing. If you would like to receive Youth Choir e-mails, contact Heidi at heidilynnkro@gmail.com

The **Michigan Men's Weekend** will be **May 17-19.** Cost is \$135. Scholarships are available. **Please sign up at the Info Center** or Pastor James if you would like to join us!

Missing something? Please check the **Lost & Found** table!

Change in Oakdale Park Church Office Hours: My MSW internship will begin on **Tues, 5/7.** I will be in the OPC office on **Mondays** and **Fridays** thru August and then will **add Tuesday mornings** in September. Thank you! Marcy

	THIS WEEK May 5	NEXT WEEK May 12
OFFERING	Oakdale Ministry	Oakdale Ministry
OFFERTORY PRAYER	Emma Jones	Marcel Gamble
LOBBY DUTY	Devi Fongers Marcel Gamble	Joel Hill Mike Evenhouse
GREETERS	Rose Marshall Vera Spicer Annette Gootjes	John & Linda Carman Terrence Ankrum
INFO CTR.	Claire Knight	Dectrick Corbett
CRAWLER NURSERY	Mandy VanderMeyden Kristen Nauta Abby Nauta	Denise Jones Lindsay Sicilia Danny Jonker
WALKER NURSERY	Heidi Krosschell Grace Lee Evan VanderMeyden Jack VanderMeyden	Matt Sicilia Vera Spicer Alyssa Jonker Maddie Bobo
NURS. ASST.	Scott Krosschell	Patrice Jonker
COFFEE PREP.	Dianne DeVries	TBD

Help Needed

The Gapinga family, our refugee family co-sponsored by OPC, needs help with **purchasing and installing venting for newly acquired washer and dryer.** A **dehumidifier** and **ongoing help with transportation** are also needed. Contact **Jen McDonald** (616-366-8236 or jenmcdonald2015@gmail.com) if you can help.

Community Opportunities

The **Madison Square Neighborhood Friends** invite you to join us for a free training with **Kurt Loosenort** about **Sharing the Gospel through Relationships** from **8 am —1:30 pm** on **Sat., May 11.** Visit: <http://bit.ly/2XCrcHm> for more details.