

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

### May 12, 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:

Pastor Emmett Harrison will bring the message "How to Love Your Mother" from John 19:25-27.

<u>Profession of Faith</u>: We celebrate with Christian Burgess & Zachary Reinsma who are publicly professing their faith.

**Giving:** Oakdale Ministry

<u>Faith Milestone Celebration:</u> We celebrate the milestone of our kindergarten students, Cole Sicilia, Eli Pearson, Eva Pearson, Jonas Krosschell, Judson Krosschell, Liesel Hoekstra, Luke Holman, Mabel Visker, Miles Hannink, and Nala Winkle who are completing the Children's Worship ministry and entering Kingdom Kids this fall.

<u>Ministry to children</u>: Nursery care is available for babies and toddlers (through age 2) downstairs during the entire service. Children's Worship (CW) for children (age 3– K) will meets downstairs. Kingdom Kids (KK) (1st - 5th grades) will meet upstairs. Today is the last day of CW & KK classes.

**<u>Responding:</u>** 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	
3:00 pm	Creation Care Team meeting	
5:00 nm	HSYG/DI\/F_last nightl	

#### This Week at Oakdale

Monday:

5:00 pm Oakdale Support & AA Group

6:30 pm Council Meeting

8:00 pm Elder / Deacon Meetings

Tuesday:

6:00 am Lectio Divina

Thursday:

11:00 am CLEAR

6:30 pm Private Event—Sanctuary

7:00 pm India Sharing Night—Lifetree Room

**Friday**: Michigan Men's Weekend (5/17 to 5/19)

10:00 am Calvin Pick-up

Saturday:

10:00 am Kinyarwanda Choir

#### Sun, May 19, 2019 • Volunteer Appreciation • Communion

9:00 am Men's Bible Study

10:15 am Worship

12:30 pm Kinyarwanda Service

3:00 pm Creation Care Team Meeting

#### For Your Personal and Family Prayers

We continue to pray for **Ryan & Julie Veeneman**. **Julie** has been diagnosed with stage 2 kidney cancer and **Ryan** continues to cope with serious illness, as well. Pray for healing, strength, and peace as they each make treatment decisions.

We praise God that **James DeYoung's** CT scan results were clear. Continue to pray for decisions about further treatment.

Please pray for healing and strength for **Cyndi Grady** who has been hospitalized with pneumonia this week.

Please pray for strength, healing, and encouragement for our friends: Rita Gray, Jessica Kuizema, Alice Menninga-Richards, Linda Carman, Aljean Holtrop, Cal DeVries, Pastor Emmett, Marilyn Bazuin, Diane DeHaan, John & Luann Pastoor, Roger & Doris Van't Hof, Bill VanderKodde, John & Joan Nidefski, & 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!

Today (5/12) is the LAST DAY to buy gift cards to support the Christian Ed. Comm. joanchee@yahoo.com / 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.

The **Michigan Men's Weekend** will be **May 17-19**. Cost is \$135. Scholarships are available. **Please sign up by TODAY** with Pastor James if you would like to come!

**Did you see? The envelopes are back!** See the flyer in your box to find out how you can support the Summer Mission Trip team headed to Nashville in 6 weeks!

**Attention DIVE and HSYG**: Tonight is the last night of youth group AND it's **messy game night**. Wear clothes to get dirty in, but NO WHITE SHIRTS!! See you for the messy fun tonight!

Graduate Recognition Sunday will be on June 2. If you or a family member are graduating from middle school, high school, college, graduate school, or any other program, please contact Marcy by 5/24 with this information (adminassistant@oakdaleparkchurch.org or 616-452-5764). We want to celebrate these great accomplishments!

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

Pick up days from Calvin – Step 1

- Fri., May 17 (dorms) Meet at OPC—10 am. 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).

#### Oakdale Park Church

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Community Requests Compassion Deacon......Marcel Gamble Secondary Compassion Deacon......Tracy Anderson \*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**

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!

**Prayer Time for Summer Ministries:** On **Sun., May 19, 5-6 pm** in the **GEMS Room** there will be a time of prayer for summer ministries and other needs of the church as we transition from the school year into the summer months. Join us to lift up the needs of our church and community!

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 <a href="mailto:heidilynnkro@gmail.com">heidilynnkro@gmail.com</a>

Creation Care Team will meet at 3 pm TODAY and May 19. Please contact Nate (616-970-2080) or Paul (616-915-9226).

Missing something? Please check the Lost & Found table!

Mark your calendar! The Congregational Meeting will be on Monday, June 10 at 7:00 pm.



To Mars and Beyond VBS registration is now open!

July 22-26 5:45-8 pm. Register: myvbs.org/OPCVBS

The Gapinga family, our refugee family co-sponsored by OPC, needs a **dehumidifier** and a **lawnmower**. Contact **Jen McDonald** (616-366-8236 or jenmcdonald2015@gmail.com) if you can help.

### **Community Opportunities**

**Spring Concert** - Christ Memorial Church (595 Graafschap Rd., Holland) is pleased to present "Gloria!" by Antonio Vivaldi and John Rutter on **Sunday, June 2**, at **5pm**, with choir, orchestra, soloists and sacred dance. Invite family and friends to attend this wonderful concert with you! cmcholland.org

	THIS WEEK May 12	NEXT WEEK May 19
OFFERING	Oakdale Ministry	Ministry Partner— Volunteers in Service
OFFERTORY PRAYER	Marcel Gamble	Claire Knight
LOBBY DUTY	Joel Hill Mike Evenhouse	Shannon Hollemans Deb Jager
GREETERS	John & Linda Carman Terrence Ankrum	Deb Armstrong Peggy Moore Paul & Wanda Nederveld
INFO CTR.	Dectrick Corbett	Vera Spicer
CRAWLER NURSERY	Denise Jones Lindsay Sicilia Danny Jonker	Megan Swem Keith VerBeek Jayla Reinsma
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NURS. ASST.	Patrice Jonker	Shannon Hollemans
COFFEE PREP.	Doug & Cindy Plantenga	Ken & Donna Vanlddekinge

### **Community Opportunities**

**70x 7 has the following volunteer opportunities available: Take Charge Program**, a life skills and support group for women, runs on Thursdays from May 9 – July 25. Pray the women attending have experiences that are positively life changing and that more women will attend. **Volunteer Drivers are needed for Thursday mornings**. Contact Sarah at sarahr@70x7liferecovery.org for more info or to volunteer.

Mentor training: Our need for mentors, especially males, is growing as our programing expands. We have started a Group Mentoring option for those who may better respond and interact in a group setting. *Consider volunteering to become a mentor.* Contact Reuben: reubenn@70x7liferecovery.org.