

WORSHIP



COMING IN WORSHIP...



NEW MESSAGE SERIES BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 10!

Every life is a story. Whether it is a story worth telling and talking about, is up to you! Most of us dream of changing the world and doing something amazing. However, without noticing it, we settle for an ordinary life. But once upon a

time, God wrote you into the world. He created you to be a complex character with a special role to play in His story. Join us as we learn what it takes to live a story worth telling. Your story can be more than ordinary. Learn to live a better story!

LABOR DAY WEEKEND • SEPTEMBER 3 • WORSHIP ON THE FRONT LAWN



On this holiday weekend we will be taking our service outside to the front lawn. Invite a friend to join you in this casual setting as we worship God in His creation. Bring a chair or blanket to sit on. Feel free to dress casually. Ice cream will be served afterwards!



The entire Orchard Hill community is invited to join us!

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

Following our morning service.

Lunch is provided.

We will head up to the softball fields for some chili dogs, children's activities, yard games, kickball, and softball.

There will be picnic table seating, but you may want to bring your own lawn chair or blanket. Those who need to, feel free to drive your car up to the softball field area.



BLOOD DRIVE FUNDRAISER

The Guatemala mission team will be hosting a blood drive through Michigan Blood at OHC on Tuesday, August 29, from 2:00 PM - 7:00 PM. If we meet our goal of 50 units collected, the mission team gets \$10 per donor toward their trip! Help save local lives and spread God's love around the world by donating a pint! Sign up in the Corner or on the Orchard Hill Church Fellowship

We are delighted to share that the following have been selected to serve on our Leadership teams this year:

Governing Board: Marc Fowler, Dave VanKempen

Shepherding Elder: Marlene Fiestemal

Shepherding Deacon: Roger Banaszak, Bryce Bennet, Amy Karel

If anyone is aware of a reason that any of these individuals should not serve the church in this leadership role, please contact Pastor Bob.

Ordination and Installation is scheduled for Sunday, September 17.

SERVE



PENCIL BOXES: Time to raid the local stores for their school supply specials to fill our pencil boxes for the Orchard Hill Christian Preschool and Child Care Center as well as our Kids' Hope children! Please take an empty box from the table in the lobby and fill it with items on the enclosed list and then return it to the marked bin in the west entryway. (We are unable to use items not on the list).

KIDS' HOPE MENTORS AND PRAYER PARTNERS: Kids' Hope Mentors commit to going to Central Elementary School one hour per week during the school year to spend time with a child who is recommended by the school staff to receive extra support. You will be trained and prepared to step into this role! Each Mentor/Child pair is also covered in prayer by a caring Prayer Partner. If God is calling you to prayer, please consider serving in this role. For more information, stop by the ministry highlights table or contact Amy Karel at alkarel@comcast.net.

CHILDREN'S WING NEEDS! We are nearing our goal as we have collected 3,525 of the 4,500 needed. Let make this the last push toward furnishing the classrooms. Big or small donations welcome. See the registration desk for more information. If you have any questions, email Miranda at mirandah@orchardhill.org.

NURSERY NANNY NEEDED: During our church services, we have a nanny who takes care of our littlest attenders from infants to toddlers. This is a paid position. For more details and a job description please contact Pastor Kathy Bartels at kathyb@orchardhill.org.

HILLKIDS VOLUNTEERS: There will be a meeting for the Children's Ministry volunteers on September 5 at 6:00 PM in the Resource Room. We will be discussing the upcoming program year, so there will be lots of information shared!

GET CONNECTED



MEN'S BREAKFAST: All men of Orchard Hill and their friends are invited to join with us on the 2nd Saturday of each month for a great breakfast, inspiring teaching, and heart felt worship. Our first breakfast this fall is Saturday, September 9 at 7:30 AM in the lower level.



High School - Join us on Monday, August 28 for House Church at the Buck's! We will meet from 7:00 - 9:00 PM. Their address is 733 Country Ln. NW Grand Rapids MI. Hope to see you all there!

Middle School - We will be meeting on Wednesday, August 30 from 6:00 - 8:00 PM for Bible Study downstairs in the youth room! Come hang out one last time before we kick off the fall youth group year!

Questions, concerns, or just want to chat, contact Greg Salmon @ gregs@orchardhill.org or 784.4060 ext 227.

COLLEGE STUDENTS: If you or your child is active in the life of Orchard Hill and you want to be prayed over during the school year, please sign the Connection Card with the information provided. If there are any questions, email Allyssa at allyssap@orchardhill.org.

PRODUCE TABLE: If you have an excess of a garden fruit, vegetable, or flower, please consider donating it to our produce table! For a discretionary monetary donation, you may take items from the table. If you or someone you know is in real financial crisis, you may take items at no cost. Any leftover food donations at the end of each Sunday will go to the Northwest Food Pantry. This table will be up for the rest of growing season.

IN OUR PRAYERS



- Bob Kornoelje passed away.
- Jacob Crinwill be in therapy for his left leg and knee. He has possible permanent hearing loss in his right ear that will be reevaluated at a later date.

Labyrinth Prayer Focus:

Come to the outdoor labyrinth, and at each turn of the path, contemplate how you might be empowered by God to make necessary changes in your life that would be more in line with his will.



IN NEED OF PRAYER TODAY? Please come forward following the service for prayer with one of our prayer partners.

DO YOU HAVE A PRAYER CONCERN? Call the front office at 784.4060, and we will be happy to include your request on the prayer line, which is emailed to those who have subscribed to receive prayer concerns.

Connection Card

August 27, 2017

Name: _____

Email(s): _____

I am a: 1st time guest 2nd time guest Regular Attendee Member

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Best Contact Phone # _____

How did you hear about Orchard Hill Church?

Information Change

Your Age Group:
 Youth
 20s
 30s
 40s
 50s
 60s
 70+

EVERYONE PLEASE COMPLETE

PLEASE PLACE IN OFFERING PLATE

THIS WEEK: August 27 - September 1, 2017

S 10:00 AM Worship Service - On the Hill

M 10:00 AM All Staff Meeting - Conference Room

T 2:00 PM Blood Drive - Narthex

W 6:30 PM Worship Band - Sanctuary
7:00 PM Worship Singers - Sanctuary

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Like us and become our friend, Orchard Hill Church Fellowship Group, on Facebook and keep up with what is happening "On the Hill!"

Connection Card

Stop by the Connection Corner for more information!

College Student:
School Attending:
Address:

Nursery Nanny

I WOULD LIKE TO GET INFORMATION ON THE FOLLOWING:

- How to become a Christian
Baptism
Membership
Tithe Envelopes
Electronic Giving
Children's Ministry
Student Ministry
Adult Ministry
Small Groups
Mailbox
The Flock (18-30yr)

1 enjoy the fellowship in the lobby by grabbing a coffee and locating a seat in the sanctuary.

Orchard Hill Church exists to see hundreds of families and individuals in our surrounding neighborhoods become committed followers of Christ through discipleship, service, and worship

3 fill out the Connection Card at the bottom of the bulletin and place it in the offering plate.

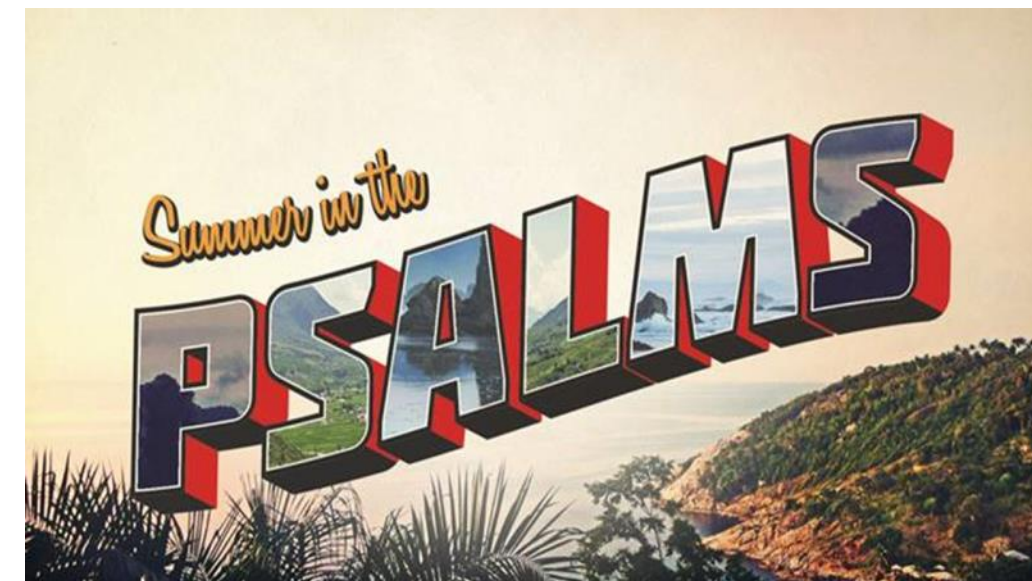
see us at the Connection Corner, visit our website, and like our Facebook page. There are many ways to connect

5 come back for worship next week and stick with us for six weeks. We'd love to see you again and get to know you.

Questions? Email Pastor Kathy Bartels at kathyb@orchardhill.org.



The high school youth group shared a Passover meal at House Church last week.



Welcome to Our Gathering!

A good song doesn't just move your body, it moves your soul. And the best songs are honest songs—songs from the heart. The Psalms are a collection of Hebrew songs and prayers—each with a different theme used to teach God's people to pray from the heart.

OUR WORSHIP TOGETHER

We do not seek to be traditional • We do not seek to be contemporary • We seek to be authentic!

- Gathering Music
Call to Worship
Welcome and Greeting
Opening Prayer
Media Ministry
Praise and Worship
Testimony Highlight-Danielle Ulanowicz
Offering
Message: God is My Mesada! - Greg Salmon
Bible Reading: Psalm 31 (pg. 867)
Closing Response

Please take the opportunity following worship to pray with someone, discover places for you to become more involved, or make a new friend over coffee and a snack.

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