CARE

PRAYERS FOR OUR OHC FAMILY

Joe Mitchell's dad passed away Wednesday night. Please keep the family in your prayers as they arieve this loss. Bennet Veltema is recovering from brain surgery. Pray for his recovery and pain tolerance.

NEED PRAYER?

We would love to pray for you! Please come forward after the service if you are in need of prayer.

PRAYERS FOR DISCERNMENT

Please continue to use your Prayer Guide to pray for OHC throughout the week as we strive to be faithful to God's leading. Copies are available in the Connection Corner and on the tables by the entrances.

PRAYER REQUESTS AND PASTORAL CARE NEEDS

If you would like prayer, or are in need of pastoral care, contact the church office.

pastoralcare@orchardhill.org

Have an after-hours emergency? Contact the Pastoral Care Team at the 24-hour emergency number. Pastoral Care Emergency Number: 616.649.2840

COMPASSIONATE CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Do not struggle alone. We are here to help! cccoffice@cccounseling.net or 616.296.2130

STEPHEN MINISTRY

What Is a Stephen Minister? Stephen Ministers are lay congregation members trained to provide one-on-one care to those experiencing a difficult time in life, such as grief, divorce, job loss, chronic or terminal illness, or relocation. Stephen Ministers come from all walks of life, but they all share a passion for bringing Christ's love and care to people during a time of need. Contact Phyllis for more information about this ministry. phyllisr83@yahoo.com



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Sunday, September 4, 2022

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT ORCHARD HILL!

LABOR DAY OUTDOOR WORSHIP

We are so glad you have joined us for worship on this Labor Day weekend! We celebrate on Labor Day Sunday each year by worshipping in the beautiful creation God has given His children. Pull up a lawn chair or blanket, or grab one of our extra chairs, as we worship our good God together!

As we finish our Lessons from the Land series this week, Pastor Laura Dilley will be sharing about Jesus, the living water that satisfies. The passages for today's message come from Jeremiah 2:9-13 and John 4:7-14.

GENEROSITY

Our offering bowl up front reminds us that our worship includes bringing our tithes and gifts as an offering to God. Please give generously today either online through our website or in person on the sanctuary doors.



SALVATION CANDLE

We light the Salvation Candle when someone in has placed their faith in Christ! Have you shared the Good News with someone who received it? Let the staff know so we can light the candle and celebrate what God has done!



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For more information visit us online at www.orchardhill.org

Orchard Hill Church exists to see hundreds of families and individuals in the surrounding neighborhoods become committed followers of Jesus Christ.

CONNECT

NEW TO ORCHARD HILL?

Fill out a Connection Card found in the pews and place it in the offering box on the sanctuary doors. Stop by the Connection Corner for a free gift and more info about Orchard Hill.

GROUP UP

Get connected to community this fall with GROUP UP! Check out the GROUP UP display under the West overhang. We have groups for all ages and stages of life from larger community groups to small groups, as well as discipleship groups and equip groups. Don't miss this opportunity to grow in your faith and in community with your OHC family! *laurad@ochardhill.org*

FALL KICKOFF & PICNIC

Don't miss the fun at our fall kickoff on NEXT SUNDAY, September 11! Start with a great morning of worship at 10:00 AM as we gather in community around our new series, *Come Together*, getting to the heart of why connecting with one another is so important! Then stick around for a front yard picnic, catered by *Bonhomie's Food Truck*, games for all ages, ministry booths, prizes, and more!

FALL DINNERS FOR 8

We had a great kickoff this summer for our new ministry, Dinners for 8! We are starting a new round this fall for anyone who is interested in meeting others from the church! It's an opportunity for groups of eight people from Orchard Hill to connect in a casual, relaxed atmosphere around dinner. And, when you come to Orchard Hill on Sunday morning, you'll have a few more people whose faces light up when they see you! For more information, to sign up to participate, or to host a dinner at your house, go to: <u>https://orchardhill.org/dinners-for-8/</u> or visit the table in the lobby. Deadline for fall sign up is September 25.

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SENIOR GATHERING

Our senior gathering will meet again on Tuesday, September 20 at 10:30 AM. We'll have a great morning of worship and experimenting with a variety of ways to pray to God. For example: Breathing Prayer, Listening Prayer, and a lesson in Praying in Color, taught by Judy Vander Zwart. **wendyh@orchardhill.org**

YOUTH GROUP KICK OFF!

Come join us as we introduce our spiritual theme for the year and compete in some "Survivor" challenges to see which tribe will be victorious!

High School: September 11, 6:00 PM- 8:00 PM Middle School: September 14, 6:30 PM- 8:00 PM gregs@orchardhill.org

MUSIC & WORSHIP MINISTRIES COMMISSIONING SERVICE

We will have a commissioning service for all those involved in our Music and Worship Ministries on Wednesday, September 7 at 6:30 PM in the West Overflow (Prayer Room). Rehearsal following at 7:30 PM.

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SERVE

COMMUNITY OUTREACH TEAM

Orchard Hill is looking to put together a team of people who are passionate about getting to know our local community and sharing God's love. This team would go to events throughout the year (ex: Kenowa Hills Knight Out, the Comstock Park Community Celebration, the Walker Pumpkin Bash, etc.) to represent OHC and connect with the community. Sign up on the Sign Up Post or the Connection Card. *laurad@orchardhill.org*

PROPERTY VISION TEAM

We are putting together a "Property Vision Team" to explore possibilities and options for how God may best intend for us to steward our property. If you would like to be a part of this team, email Pastor Bob. **bobk@orchardhill.org**

USHERS AND SUBS NEEDED

We are looking for one more usher to meet and greet people as they come into worship. Ushers serve once every six weeks. We also need a few substitute ushers to fill in as needed. If you would like to usher or sub, sign up on the connection card or on the Sigh Up Post.

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HOSPITALITY NEED

If you love to bake, would you be willing to make cookies and bring them to church for the coffee hour on Sunday? Donations can be dropped off in the kitchen. *sueandjoegraybill@gmail.com*

BLOOD DRIVE

Love your neighbor as yourself by donating blood at the next Walker Community Blood Drive on Tuesday, September 13, 1:30 PM-6:30 PM at Orchard Hill. Sign up at: <u>https://</u> <u>donate.michigan.versiti.org/donor/schedules/</u> <u>drive_schedule/140112.</u> *laurad@orchardhill.org*

OUTREACH

CENTRAL ELEMENTARY CARNIVAL

For the first time since Covid, Central Elementary is able to throw their annual fall carnival! Sign up for a shift on Friday evening, September 9, to run a game, face paint, or pass out prizes via <u>https://tinyurl.com/centralcarnival</u>. This is a great way for OHC to invest in our Kids Hope school and local families!

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NEIGHBORHOOD INVITE TEAM

Join a team from Orchard Hill THIS SATURDAY, September 10 at 10:00 AM, as we go door to door in our surrounding neighborhoods to invite our neighbors to the kickoff picnic celebration and to hear the good news at OHC this fall! Sign up on the Sign Up Post.

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LOST AND FOUND

Items from the lost and found will be on the table in the West entrance this week and next. Check to see if anything belongs to you. Any items left will be donated to a local mission.

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