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ORCHARD HILL CHURCH

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Sunday, December 18, 2022

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT ORCHARD HILL!

ADVENT SERIES

This morning we finish up our Advent worship theme of Glory. Pastor Grea brings us the message Glory Declared from Luke 2:8-20. Our scripture reading can be found on page 1591.

GENEROSITY

You may respond in gratitude to God's great gift of Jesus through your offerings of financial gifts given, through our website (use the QR code) or the boxes at the sanctuary doors.



SALVATION CANDLE

We light the Salvation Candle when someone 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!

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT SERVICE

Join us at 5:30 PM for a beautiful candlelight celebration of our Savior coming into the world, with heart felt worship, music, and spoken word.

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CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE

Please take a special Christmas Day Worship Box found at the Outreach table in the lobby, and plan to gather your family or friends to view our online Christmas service. You will be directed how to use the items found in the box (one box per family). The service will launch at 8:00 AM and can be viewed anytime on Christmas day at facebook.com/ohcgr/ or https://youtube.com@OrchardHillChurchGR

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WORSHIP

CHRISTMAS EVE OFFERING

Our Christmas Eve offering will be used to support the training and development of future ministers and missionaries. All gifts received in this special offering will be used to build up our special fund that is dedicated to providing financial assistance to those who are furthering their theological and ministry education, as well as those who are following a call to church planting both locally and overseas. Please give generously as OHC raises up workers for the harvest! bobk@orchardhill.org

NEW YEAR'S DAY SERVICE- 11:00 AM

Sunday, January 1, our service will be held in the Gathering Space at 11:00 AM (note change in time). This will be an informal and community focused time together where we will enjoy brunch, worship God, share with one another and celebrate communion.

Brunch food and help is needed! Please sign up on the Sign Up Post to be a part of our kitchen crew or to bring egg dishes or muffins.

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OUTREACH

CHRISTMAS INVITES

Take an invitation from the table by the entrances to use as conversation starters to share the good news and to invite others to celebrate Christmas with you at Orchard Hill. wendyh@orchardhill.org

LIGHTED CHRISTMAS PATH

Bring your family for a short walk TONIGHT through the woods along the Lighted Christmas Path, 6:00-9:00 PM. As you stroll through the lights you will take in uniquely decorated Christmas trees, enjoy festive caroling, and have a picture taken at the manger. Hot chocolate and cookies will be offered along with tacos from the "Tacos los Compadres" food truck.

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CONNECT

GROUPS

Pick up our Group Up brochure in the Connection Corner to learn more about the groups that meet throughout the week, and to get connected!

All are invited to these community and discipleship groups!

ALPHA INFORMATIONAL MEETING

There will be an informational meeting today regarding Alpha at 11:30 AM in the East overflow. This will be your opportunity to ask questions and learn more about Alpha.

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HILLKIDS

There will be no HillKids worship on January 1. However, the nursery will still be open. HillKids will resume January 8. mirandah@orchardhill.org

WOMEN OF THE HILL- SAVE THE DATE!

Save the date of Tuesday, January 10 to gather with other women from Orchard Hill in Studio 1 (lower level) at 7:00 PM! This night will be a fun night playing BUNCO and interacting together. All women, ages 18+ and life-stages are welcome to attend. Sign up on the Sign Up Post. We will also be having a bath towel drive for the patrons of Degage ministries. They welcome new and slightly used bath towels.

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

CARE

PRAYERS FOR THE OHC FAMILY

• **Dave VanderMolen** has had several falls in the last couple of weeks resulting in eight staples to the back of his head, a cracked nose, three broken displaced ribs, all from different falls. Please pray for him, as he is really struggling right now.

NEED PRAYER?

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

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

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BLOOD DRIVE

Love your neighbor as yourself by giving blood at our next Walker Community Blood Drive happening Tuesday, January 10, 1:30 PM-6:30 PM in the Orchard Hill lobby. Sign up at: https://donate.michigan.versiti.org/donar/schedules/ drive schedule/132725.

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Holiday hours:

- Closed December 26
- Tuesday, December 27– Thursday, December 29 call the church office
- Closed January 2

Regular office hours beginning January 3:

• Monday- Thursday, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM