

# CARE

## PRAYERS FOR OUR OHC FAMILY

**Lois Bolhouse** has a recurrence of the cancer in her neck. Please pray that all the tests being done show the cancer is contained and the surgery at U of M will be successful.

**Hallie DeBoer, Sue and Pete Stein's granddaughter**, returned home after being admitted to the Childrens hospital for a heart issue. Pray for answers for her heart issue.

## 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](mailto: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**

## STEPHEN'S MINISTRY

If you are in a difficult season and could use some support, please let us know so we can link you up with a Stephen's Minister to listen, care, pray, encourage, or offer emotional and spiritual support.

[pastoralcare@orchardhill.org](mailto:pastoralcare@orchardhill.org)

## COMPASSIONATE CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

Do not struggle alone. We are here to help!

[cccoffice@cccounseling.net](mailto:cccoffice@cccounseling.net) or 616.259.9220

## NEED PRAYER?

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

\$340,000

E. PARKING LOT

AC CHILLER

W. PARKING LOT

## COULD YOU GIVE AN EXTRA ON-GOING GIFT TO THE OHC BUILDING FUND?

### BUILDING & MAINTENANCE NEEDS:

We have three large and looming expenses that need to be addressed. Two more parking lots must be replaced and our AC Chiller is past its length of life. We know these are needs, and we will address them as the funds allow.

LET'S HONOR GOD AS WE CARE FOR OUR KINGDOM GROUNDS!

\$65,000



# KINGDOM GROUNDS

Building Needs

Building Fund Reserves

## CONTACT US

[orchardhill.org](http://orchardhill.org) | 616.784.4060 | 1465 3 Mile Rd NW GR 49544



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### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday– Thursday, 9:00 AM-4:00 PM. Closed on Friday.

### NURSING/QUIET ROOM

There is a nursing and quiet room available for families of infants that need a quiet place to feed or for their little one to nap inside the nursery to the right.

*Orchard Hill Church exists to see people in our surrounding neighborhoods and around the world become committed followers of Jesus Christ.*

# ORCHARD HILL CHURCH



Sunday • April 7, 2024 • 10:00 AM

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

TODAY'S SERVICE: IN-PERSON & ONLINE

**TODAY** we continue our *Year of God* focus as we begin a new message series entitled, "Hearing God." With many voices competing for our attention- the voice of the world, the voice of our flesh, the voice of the enemy- it's necessary that followers of Jesus tune in to the leading of God's voice. In this series, we address the question, "How can we KNOW and HEAR God's voice?" Join us for this transformative series that will help you see how you can confidently be led by the voice of God to follow Jesus more faithfully. Pastor Greg brings us today's message, taken from 1 Samuel 23:1-2 and found on page 456 in your pew Bible.

## GENEROSITY

*Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow due to change.* - James 1:17

This morning, show your appreciation for all he has given us by placing your tithes and offerings for Him at the boxes on the doors to the sanctuary or online through Mogiv.



## TITHES & OFFERINGS:

- Weekly Need: \$14,000
- Last Week's Offering: \$14,788 (+\$788)
- YTD Budget: \$596,000
- YTD Giving: \$624,691 (+\$28,691 / +5%)

## 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!

# CONNECT

## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

- **Sunday:** NO High School Youth Group
- **Wednesday:** Middle School Youth Group at 6:30 PM– 8:00 PM

## SECRET CHURCH 2024

Join us on Friday, April 19, 6:30 PM- 1:00 AM for a night of Biblical teaching and prayer modeled after the underground Church's gatherings. Pastor David Platt will be leading us through the book of Ruth, as we watch via simulcast in Studio 1 at Orchard Hill.

Cost is \$15.00. TODAY is the last week to register by signing up at the Sign Up Post.

[laurad@orchardhill.org](mailto:laurad@orchardhill.org)

## HILLTOPPERS GATHERING

All 65+ are welcome to come for good snacks, coffee/tea, and worship! Join us on Tuesday, April 16, at 10:30 AM as we hear from Terri Blanch and Karen Seitz about drawing from Reservoirs of Faith (part 2).

[wendyh@orchardhill.org](mailto:wendyh@orchardhill.org)

## WORSHIP CHOIR

If you have an ear for music and love to sing, join us for Worship Choir on Wednesday, April 17, singing in worship on Sunday, April 21. Email Wendy for a playlist of songs for that morning! We will gather for dinner in the Coffee Area starting at 6:15 PM for everyone participating in choir.

[wendyh@orchardhill.org](mailto:wendyh@orchardhill.org)

## OUTREACH

### ADULT MISSION TRIP FOOD DRIVE

Support the adult mission team as they serve! Take a tag(s) off the board in the ministry highlights area and return said item(s) to the marked bin by the West entry by Sunday, April 21.

[laurad@orchardhill.org](mailto:laurad@orchardhill.org)

### 5K FOR THE UNREACHED

Join us Saturday, May 18 at 9:30 AM for our annual 5K for the unreached, in support of OHC missionary to Eurasia! Join us in walking/running/pushing a stroller as we raise funds to keep our brother in Christ in the field, being trained, and sharing the good news! Visit the Outreach table in the lobby to learn more and register at: [www.orchardhill.org/5K](http://www.orchardhill.org/5K) or easily register and pay using the Church Center app on your phone. Invite a friend to join you!

[laurad@orchardhill.org](mailto:laurad@orchardhill.org)

## HAND 2 HAND AT CENTRAL ELEMENTARY

Scan the QR code to volunteer or donate, as we share the love of Christ through this food ministry!

This week's needs:

Canned Pasta Sauce (24 oz-NO GLASS); Microwave Popcorn; Nutrigrain Bars; Fruit cups.

[cmkunst6@yahoo.com](mailto:cmkunst6@yahoo.com)



## ETC.

### GRAD SUNDAY

If you have a high school senior that will want to participate in our Grad Sunday Celebration on June 2, let Greg know by April 15!

[gregs@orchardhill.org](mailto:gregs@orchardhill.org)

### CLARITY & CARE FOR LGBT+ AND THEIR FAMILIES

#### SEMINAR: ALL WELCOME TO ATTEND!

The OHC Staff and Leadership Teams will be attending this workshop hosted by "The Foundry" as we strive to balance both doctrinal clarity about sexuality and marriage and good pastoral care for LGBT+ and their families. We want to invite all in our church family to attend this workshop with us as we strive to ensure that OHC lives out Biblical truth and offers good pastoral wisdom and care to all. Join us **Saturday, April 20, 2024 from 9:30 AM-12:30 PM** at "The Foundry" at Fourth Reformed Church, 1226 Union Ave NE, Grand Rapids MI 49505. If you desire to attend, please submit a Connection Card or send an email to:

[pastoralcare@orchardhill.org](mailto:pastoralcare@orchardhill.org)

### PRAYER PATH PARTNERS

We are looking for a few people who will help create a meaningful outdoor space for all to connect with God by serving as one of our "Prayer Path Partners." Could you give some time to light gardening and landscape care along our Prayer Path? If you are able to help out, please submit a Connection Card in the boxes on the sanctuary doors or send an email to:

[pastoralcare@orchardhill.org](mailto:pastoralcare@orchardhill.org)

### COSTUME ROOM

We are in need of some organization in the Costume Room. If you are willing to come and help get it in shape before Arts Camp, please let us know!

[wendyh@orchardhill.org](mailto:wendyh@orchardhill.org)



**June 17-21, 2024**

### REGISTER:

Registration is OPEN! To register and choose elective classes, go to: <https://orchardhill.org/arts-camp-on-the-hill/>. Each OHC child is encouraged to invite someone to join them! Elective classes are filling up fast!

### VOLUNTEER & SERVE!

Volunteer sign ups are at the Connect table in the lobby. Sign up early and choose where you would like to serve this summer. If you are interested in helping out in Arts camp this year follow the link <https://tinyurl.com/artscampvolunteers> to fill out the volunteer form. Beth will be in contact with you!

### DONATE SNACKS:

The quantity of snacks needed for the week are listed below. Examples are on the Connect Table in the lobby.

- **Mini** water bottles– 1750 needed
- Goldfish crackers– 385 needed
- Pretzels– 385 needed
- Cheez-its– 385 needed
- Cheese Cracker packs– 385 needed
- Animal crackers– 385 needed

\*Snacks must all be individually wrapped

All donations may be brought to church anytime and dropped off in the bin by the church office.

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