CONNECT

YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS

- Tonight: Middle School Kickoff, 4:00 PM- 5:30 PM
- Tonight: High School Kickoff, 6:00 PM- 8:00 PM
- Thursday: Flock (ages 18-25) 7:00 PM-9:00 PM in Studio 1

MEN'S MINISTRY

- Wednesday Night Men's Bible Study, 6:30 PM in the Man Cave
- Saturday: Men's Table Fellowship, 7:00 AM-8:00 AM in the coffee area

FALL DINNERS FOR EIGHT

We will be starting a new round of Dinners for 8 for the Fall. If you haven't tried it out yet, this is a great way to enjoy a meal and get to know some great people from Orchard Hill Church. Sign up will begin September 1 and will end September 30. Sign up at https://orchardhill.org/dinners-for-8/ to attend a dinner or be a host during the months of October or November.
wendyh@orchardhill.org

WORSHIP CHOIR

If you can sing and love to express your love for God through worship, please join us! Our kickoff will be on Wednesday, September 23 at 7:00 PM.
wendyh@orchardhill.org

COUPLES BIBLE STUDY

Join us for a four-week study designed to help strengthen you marriage through deeper emotional, spiritual, and physical intimacy. Each week will include biblical encouragement and practical conversation. Whether your marriage is thriving, facing a difficult season, or simply ready to grow, this is a welcoming space to pursue God and one another with greater intention. Tuesday evenings in October beginning October 6, 6:30 PM-8:00 PM in Studio 1 (lower level).
wendyh@orchardhill.org

WOMEN OF THE HILL FALL KICKOFF

Bring a friend and join us on Thursday, October 8 for a night of refreshing together! Come for delicious snacks and beverages, friendship speed dating fun, as well as encouragement in the word!
laurad@orchardhill.org

PARENT MINISTRY

If you desire to see your children think biblically, sign up for our parenting ministry! We meet on the first Wednesday of the month (6:00-7:30 PM) starting October 7. Family dinner and childcare for kids 0-12 provided!
gregs@orchardhill.org

CARE

PRAYERS FOR THE FAMILY OF OHC

Congratulations to ***Scott and Erika Elenbaas*** on the birth of their daughter, Vienna last Saturday morning. Please pray for the whole family as baby Vienna continues to grow in the NICU.

PRAYER REQUESTS AND PASTORAL CARE NEEDS

If you would like prayer, or are in need of pastoral care, please use a Connection Card or contact the church office.
pastoralcare@orchardhill.org

COMPASSIONATE CHRISTIAN COUNSELING

If you're hurting or simply need someone to walk beside you, Compassionate Christian Counseling (CCC) is available on-site at Orchard Hill Church.
cccoffice@cccounseling.net or 616.259.9220

NEED PRAYER?

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

STEWARDSHIP

GENEROSITY

"For if we live, we live for the Lord, and if we die, we die for the Lord; so then, whether we live or die, we are the Lord's." *– Romans 14:8*

This is the essence of stewardship – everything we have and everything we are is a gift from God. We aren't "owners" of anything; we are merely "stewards" of the gifts God has given us, especially our very own lives. Pray to God daily and ask Him how He is calling you to live the generous life He intended for you. Gifts may be placed in the boxes on the doors to the sanctuary, scanning the QR code, using the Church Center app, or online through Church Center Give.

SERVE

OHC MEN

We plan to host a monthly breakfast for the men of OHC on the third Saturday of October, November, January, February, and March. To make this possible, we need men to serve on the kitchen crew and help prepare the breakfast. If you're willing to assist, please fill out a Connection Card and drop it in the black boxes on the doors.

OUTREACH

BIBLE ENCOURAGEMENT

Stop by the Connect table in the lobby and highlight your favorite Bible verse in the Bible on the table. We will give this to a community member in need of encouragement when the time is right!

KIDS HOPE

Meet as a mentor with one child for one hour a week at Central Elementary, to give them needed extra love and support. Or pray for a paired mentor and student. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact our Kids' Hope Director, Stacy Salmon.
sluke912@gmail.com

CENTRAL EL PRAYER PARTNERS

We need several people to join on mission and serve as a prayer partner for a group of teachers/staff at Central Elementary during the school year. Sign up on the Connect Card or email Pastor Laura.
laurad@orchardhill.org

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HILLKIDS WISHLIST!

Praise God, our kids ministry is growing like crazy! Because of this rapid growth, we need to open a second preschool classroom. We are in need of some more toys for those classrooms. We are also hoping to add some new toys to the nursery. You can scan the QR code to access our Amazon wish list to purchase the things we need for those classrooms. Thank you for supporting the kids ministry through your purchase!
mirandah@orchardhill.org

YOUR OHC FALL CHECKLIST

- Download the “Church Center” App
- Add your info to the Online Directory
- Sign up for Church Center Giving
- Locate your church mailbox or sign up for one
- Stop by the Group Up table and join a group
- Add your name to receive the OHC Prayer Line list
- Pick up a SERVE Booklet in the Connection Corner and find a place you can serve

NOTES:

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

CELEBRATING GOD MOMENTS AT ORCHARD HILL!



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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.

NEW SONGS PLAYLIST ON SPOTIFY

OHC TOP 40 SONGBOOK ON SPOTIFY

DOWNLOAD OHC CHURCH CENTER APP

ORCHARD HILL CHURCH

Sunday • September 20, 2026 • 10:00 AM

WELCOME TO SUNDAY WORSHIP!

"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened,
and I will give you rest." - *Jesus*

No matter what you may be carrying into this room, whether it's weariness, questions, struggles, or hope, know that Jesus welcomes you. Throughout the Gospels, we see Him meeting people in their weakness with compassion, healing, forgiveness, truth, and rest. This morning, Jesus is here for you, and we invite you to come to Him.

Bible Reading: Luke 8:1-3 - *“Come to Me” – Mary Magdalene*

This morning we have the great joy of ordaining and installing a new round of Elders and Deacons into leadership at Orchard Hill Church:
Governing Board Elder: Erika Hoekzema
Shepherding Team Elders: Aaron Poquette and Beth Ralston
Shepherding Deacons: Mari Banaszak, Tara Lovejoy, Seth Vostad, and Adam Woodcock

We want to thank those going off our Leadership Teams for their faithful service over the past few years:
Governing Board Elder: Cori Kahler
Shepherding Team Elders: Rob Lough and Dave Thompson
Shepherding Team Deacons: Beth DeWaal and Julie Lough

“BE MY WITNESSES”

Place a marble in the containers in the lobby for each person you shared the good news with this week. Let us know if someone you know has placed their faith in Christ! We will light the Salvation Candle and celebrate what God has done!