

SUNDAY GATHERING 6339 ATLANTIC AVE DECEMBER 14, 2025 KALAMAZOO, MI 49009 269.375.5265





#### THE CHRISTMAS PARTY

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LARRY THE CUCUI	MBER	ARES KINSLER
HERMEY THE ELF.		AMELIA STENSLAND
CINDY LOU WHO	A	DALYN STENSLAND
FROSTY		LILA SHANKIE
BUDDY THE ELF	••••••••••	GABRIEL ADAMS
CHRIS (THE POLAR	R EXPRESS)	NICO ADAMS
TINY TINA		RUTH STROMBECK
JACK FROST		ABE PHELPS
LEAD REINDEER		JOLENE PHELPS
REINDEER		NORA PALUMBO,
	LENA DRENTH, N	MATTHEW SHANKIE

A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL PARENTS & CAREGIVERS OF THE KIDS IN OUR FAITH FAMILY FOR WORKING HARD WITH YOUR KIDS AT HOME ON THEIR LINES, SONGS, AND FOR GETTING THEM TO ALL OUR REHEARSALS! WE APPRECIATE YOU GREATLY!



#### ON THE HORIZON

12/15 - Navigation Team Meeting

12/24 - Christmas Eve Service

12/29-1/1 - Church Office closed

1/11/26New Navigation TeamMembers Installation

1/18/26 - 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Mission Giving Sunday

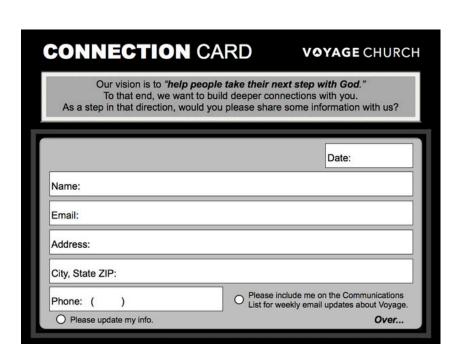
2/7/26 - Women's Ministry Event



#### VOYAGE CHURCH

#### WELCOME TO VOYAGE

If you are visiting, we are so thankful you are here! Stop by the Welcome Center after the service, we'd love to meet you! Connection cards are available in the seat backs in front of your chair, please fill one out and drop it in a Live the Love Box so we can get to know you!





Our Kids Crew (K-5th grade) meets every Sunday morning during our worship gathering. Our children's ministry program strives to share the love of Christ with every child in a safe, fun and engaging environment. Every teacher and helper has been trained to abide by our safe child policy.

Baby Lounge: For those who need a spot to participate in the service and take care of your child. It's just off the back of the Worship Center. Nursery is also available for children birth to 4 years old.



With Us In Our Wilderness
Exodus 33:12-14
Pastor Glenn Adams

### Worship Gathering Order

Welcome

Connections & Announcements
Kids Crew Christmas Program
Greeting/Offering
Message
Communion

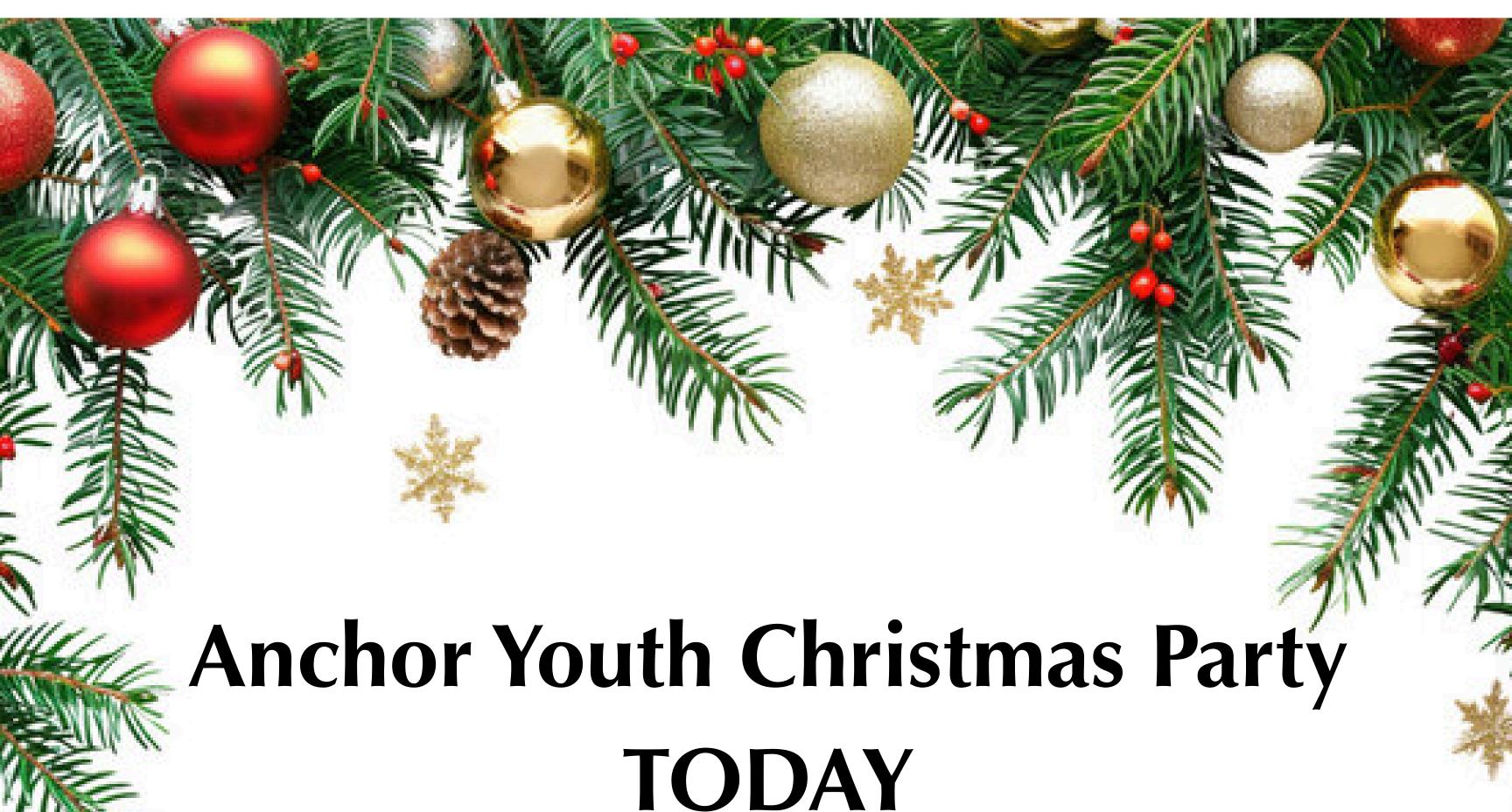
Song
Sending
Private Prayer



Communion: Anyone who acknowledges
Jesus Christ as the
Risen Savior is
welcome to participate
in communion.
Children are welcome,
too, we leave it to the
parents or caregivers to
decide if they will
participate.
Gluten free crackers are
available on the

Communion table.

Giving: If you so desire, as an act of gratitude to and worship of God, you may place a financial gift into a "Live the Love" box or you may also give online or through the Voyage App.



Invite your friends, wear your "ugly"
Christmas sweater and come ready to
celebrate the birth of our Savior, Jesus Christ!

There will be pizza, cookie decorating and MANY games!

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# Navigation Team Election Results

Voyagers, we're excited to share that after an unanimous vote of approval, we are welcoming our new Navigation Team leaders for 2026!

Please join us in congratulating Jeff Bryant and Paula Davis as our incoming Admirals, and Holly Glerum and Bekah LaPere as our new Captains. We are grateful for their willingness to serve and lead our church family as we continue the course the Spririt of God has set before us. Their installation service is being planned for Sunday, January 11th, 2026.

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We have a tree in the lobby with ornaments for you to choose from to purchase gifts for families served by Alternatives Pregnancy Center. Please bring your gifts and place them unwrapped under the tree by December 21st.



## Christmas Eve at Voyage

Sunday, December 24th at 6:00pm

A special candlelight Christmas Eve service is being held.

Everyone is welcome!

Nursery: There will be no nursery during our candlelight service; we would love for your entire family to enjoy the service.

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The Voyage Church office will be closed the week of December 29th through January 1st.

Gym walking will be cancelled for December 29<sup>th</sup> and 31st.