

PROMISE



# Anchor Point Bible Church

Loving God — Loving People — Loving Life!

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Church Website: www.AnchorPoint.love

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"THEREFORE THE LORD HIMSELF of the WILL GIVE YOU A SIGN. BEHOLD, THE VIRGIN SHALL CONCEIVE AND BEAR A SON, **AND SHALL CALL HIS NAME IMMANUEL**." ISAIAH 7:14

## Sunday, December 3, 2023



This Sunday: 12/3

Nursery: Dave Boxer & Avery Hodgson

#### Anchor Kids:

Voyagers: Phyllis Scholtens & Glenda Meier Crew: Steve Keglovitz & Beth Swain

#### Next Sunday 12/10:

Nursery: Joyce Webb & Teresa Dunson

#### Anchor Kids:

Voyagers: Hannah Hodgson & Saundra Coffelt Crew: Amy Renberg & Tim Swain

Cookies: Deb Ogle & Phyllis Scholtens

#### **Birthdays**:

12/6 - Brian Hodgson

#### Anniversaries:

12/5 - Dan & Sandy Vander Myde

Today Prayer Team - 9:15 - 9:45a.m. Worship Service - 10:00 a.m. Fellowship & Coffee - After service

This Week Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>

Zumba - 8:30 a.m. Men's Evening Bible Study - 6:30 p.m. **Wednesday, December 6**<sup>th</sup>

Pickleball - 10:00 a.m. Men's Morning Bible Study - 8:45 a.m. Family Dinner 5:15 - 5:45 p.m.

#### Mac-N-Cheese

Awana 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. Compass Youth Group 6 - 8:00 p.m.

#### Thursday, December 7<sup>th</sup>

Zumba - 8:30 a.m. Ladies Morning Bible Study - 10 a.m. Pickleball - Noon - 2 pm

#### **Friday, December 8<sup>th</sup>** Ladies Pickleball Tournament 6-8 p.m.

Offering boxes are located at the back of the Sanctuary OR see the church website for online giving options. Scan the QR code to give! Thank you! Visit our website - www.AnchorPoint.love





#### THE STAR OF BETHLEHEM

Unlock the Mystery of the World's Most Famous Star "We saw His star in the east and we have come to worship Him." – Matthew 2:2

Scholars debate whether the Star of Bethlehem is a legend created by the early church or a miracle that marked the advent of Christ. Is it possible that the star was a real, astronomical event? From producer Stephen McEveety comes an amazing documentary of the Star of Bethlehem presented by Rick Larson. We will watch and discuss the biblical and historical clues revealing the incredible significance of this celestial event as well as the vastness of God's creativity. Join us in the Captain's Quarters after the service **TODAY** for the 1<sup>st</sup> half of the DVD and discussion. Then on **December 19**, we will view and discuss the 2<sup>nd</sup> half.



**Next Sunday, December 10<sup>th</sup>** following the worship service. The 2024 proposed budget is available to be picked up today, as well as proposed amendments to our Constitution and By-Laws. For comments and questions, Board & Finance

Team members will be in the Book Nook after the service today to answer before the annual meeting. If you cannot attend the congregational meeting next week, proxy ballots are available to be taken and assigned. These need to be turned over to the designated proxy or the church office by next Sunday.

#### The following people are being set forth for selection and service:

Deacon Nominees (Two 3 Yr. Terms): Christian Mohrhardt, Rob Reese, Dan VanderMyde Elder Appointment (4 Yr. Term): Dan VanKampen

**Our All-Church Potluck** will be held after the Congregational Meeting. Please sign up for a salad, side dish or dessert if you can attend. The church is providing the meat and drinks. Sign up sheets are located on the table in the sanctuary.

Awana News: On Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, we will all go caroling next door at DaySpring Assisted Living and then come back to have our Christmas Party! The residents enjoy this event every year! Adults are welcome to join us!



The kids (& some adult help!) have raised over <sup>\$</sup>300 for our African Soccer Balls Project. Each ball is <sup>\$</sup>30. You can mark a gift "soccer balls!"

Compass Youth Group (grades 6-12) meets Wednesday 6-8:00 p.m.

We are continuing our CANNED FOOD DRIVE as a church family to help those in need! NON-PERISHABLE items, such as tea/coffee, cake mix & frosting, soap, dishwashing detergent, shampoo, etc. are appreciated too! Please drop off any items in the box by the office. The boxes will be distributed before Christmas.

Ladies Thursday Morning Bible Study meets every Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

**Men's Bi-weekly Bible Study** is this Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, with **"Genesis Greats:** Sarah & Gomorrah" Discussion sheets are found on the Connection Point

Men's Wed. Bible Study is 8:45 -10 a.m. Dan Vander Myde has donuts this week.

Anchor Kids All-Team Meeting will be Sunday, December 17th, following the worship service. Plan on grabbing your coffee & cookies & meeting in the Anchor Kids classroom. If you have any questions, see Amy Renberg.

**OFFERING ENVELOPES for 2024** are located in the foyer, along with your name tag for this **NAME TAG SUNDAY**!. Please pick your box today! Thank you!



Come pray with us in the **Book Nook** every Sunday at any time between 9:15-9:45 a.m. **You may share prayer requests with our new Prayer Cards in the pews.**