



DECEMBER ADVENT AND CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT OPEN ARMS

“Movies Have Magic ... Christmas is a Miracle”

These services will use Christmas movies to introduce and discuss what is Christmas is all about.

<i>“The Preacher’s Wife”</i> ... Remember What Christmas Is All About	Dec. 15 th
<i>“How the Grinch Stole Christmas”</i> ... Taking Back Christmas	Dec. 22 nd
<i>Christmas Eve Service</i> ... Celebrating the Miracle of Christmas	Dec. 24 th 6:00 PM

ANGEL TREE gifts need to be returned by Sunday, Dec. 15th.

SECRET SANTA Gift Exchange will be after church on December 15th.

UPCOMING DECEMBER SPECIAL EVENTS & SERVICES

- 15th, Secret Santa Reveal Party
- 15th, Deadline to return Angel Tree gifts
- 18th, Meal Time Cookie Decorating 5:00 – 6:00 PM
- 24th, Christmas Eve Service, 6:00 PM

TEAM TIGER CHRISTMAS DINNERS WISH LIST:

Corn syrup	Turkey gravy	Cranberry sauce
Buttermilk biscuits	Pumpkin pie spice	
Durkee onions	Evaporated milk	

TEAM TIGERS BACKPACK NEEDS

Spaghetti	Donettes (mini donuts)	Jelly (no glass jars please)
Spaghetti sauce (no glass sticks and/or jerky	Chex mix jars please) Beef	Pepperoni
Go go squeeze applesauce	Pancake mix	Taco kits
Go go squeeze yogurt	Pancake syrup	

TEAM TIGERS has been approved for a \$5,000 grant from the Michigan District. A special thanks to Dana and Brandon Underwood for successfully submitting the application.

MEAL TIME DECEMBER 18TH will be “Cookie Decorating!” Items needed are:

10 Dozen Sugar Cookies	Sprinkles (assorted)	Mini Marshmallows Frosting (chocolate and
Decorating Sugars	Parchment Paper	
vanilla)	Mini M&Ms	

We would LOVE to borrow some flat cookie sheets for work spaces if available. Please LABEL the bottom with a piece of masking tape and your family name on it so it can be returned! **They will NOT be placed in the oven.** Volunteers are always welcome!

THE STORY BIBLE STUDY and videos will resume on January 5 and conclude on January 26th.

OPEN ARM DAYCARE is hiring a Lead Teacher and Part time staff, especially for the afternoons. Ask Director Greta Bower for more information or to give her a recommendation.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o_xOMNiH7_w&list=PLyqFOkxicbM17Z7Z0NvGMTmLv3DCk8Kt **WORSHIP MUSIC PLAY LIST LINK**



**Thank you to all
the families who
are participating
in our Angel
Tree!**

REMINDERS

*Return wrapped gifts to
church no later than
DECEMBER 15th*

*Make sure gifts are marked
with the family tags*

**Thank you again!
Merry Christmas!**

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