



ORLC Youth Newsletter

December 2023

December Calendar of Youth Events

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| * 12/3 | Sleepy Dog-High Schoolers
Confirmation | 11:15 AM
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| * 12/6 | Advent Dinner and Service | 5:45 PM |
| * 12/10 | Caroling at the Senior Center | 11:30 AM |
| * 12/13 | Advent Dinner and Service | 5:45 PM |
| * 12/17 | Children's Christmas Service
Happy Birthday Jesus Celebration!
Confirmation | 10:00 AM
11:15 AM |
| * 12/20 | Advent Dinner and Service | 5:45 PM |
| * 12/21 | Youth Lock In-6-12th Grade | 7:00 PM |
| * 12/24 | Christmas Eve Service | 10:00 AM & 4:00 PM |
| * 12/25 | Christmas Day Service | 10:00 AM |

*For to us a child is born,
To us a son is given;
And the government shall be
on his shoulder,
And his name shall be called
Wonderful Counselor,
Mighty God, Everlasting
Father, Prince of Peace.
Isaiah 9:6*





Youth Group Grades 6-12

Thursday, December 21st drop off

7:00 pm

Friday, December 22nd pick up

11:00 am

Things to Pack:

Swimming Suit and Towel for Chugiak pool

Sleeping Bag and Pillow

Winter Gear for Playing Outside

One wrapped Christmas present for a gift exchange- \$10 or less

Sign up in the Connection Corner!



Children's Christmas Service



Rehearsal Schedule:

12-3 Full Rehearsal 9:00 AM

12-10 Full Rehearsal 9:00 AM

12-17 Full Rehearsal 9:00 AM

Showtime! 10:00 AM

Happy Birthday Jesus cake following the Children's Christmas Service.



Sunday School on Break

No Sunday School

Sunday, December 24th

Sunday, December 31st

Kids are always welcome in Adult Study



Operation Christmas Child

Thanks to your incredible generosity, we were able to pack 32 boxes to be shipped all around the world to kids in need. Our boxes were prayed over by our group as well as by the workers at the collection facility– that the Good News of Jesus would be shared with the recipient of each gift. Every smiling face in the picture below is a light that God is using to spread his love throughout the world! Praise be to God!

Our boxes were sent as a batch. Once the shoeboxes are processed in late December or early January, you can check country destinations. If you would like to track the boxes, you can go to Samaritan's Purse and enter in this number:
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Homeschool Hangout

In November, our group met at McDonald's in Eagle River for playtime! We will be taking a break for the month of December.

Christmas Caroling



Bring the whole family and join us for Christmas Caroling at the Chugiak-Eagle River Senior Center.

Sunday, December 10th
after worship service.

December Volunteers

Date	PreK-K	1st-4th	Middle School	High School
December 3 Christmas Service Practice	Heidi/Ashley	Lauren	Tabbie	Adult Study Sleepy Dog
December 10 Christmas Service Practice	Lauren/Venita	Nicole	Jason	Help with Christmas Service Practice
December 17 Christmas Service Practice	Ashley/Leah/Heidi	Lauren	Tabbie	Help with Christmas Service Practice
December 24	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break
December 31	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break	Christmas Break