

**Activity Schedule—PLEASE SEE MORE DETAILS IN THE NEWSLETTER**

Today	9am	Worship Service Coffee Fellowship
12/11	10:30-12pm	Ladies' Christmas Party @ Traverse Bay UMC (bring cookies)
12/18	9am	AD Council Meeting
12/22		Collections for A.C.T.S. due, thank you!

**\*\*New Member Class\*\***

A new member class will be held in the fall. If you are interested in being a part of this experience, please let Pastor Matt know in person, or email at [pastor.matthew.chapman@gmail.com](mailto:pastor.matthew.chapman@gmail.com) or phone 231-342-6442

**Benediction:**

We seek God's ways;  
may we walk in God's truth.  
We seek God's friendship;  
may we live in God's justice.  
We trust in God's promises;  
may we delight in God's love.  
May the God of pilgrimage,  
Maker, Traveler, Spirit of adventure and joy,  
bless us and encourage us all the days of our journey home. AMEN

\*In November we supported 22 2 None (Veterans). We collected \$160.00 for them, thank you!  
In December we are supporting A.C.T.S. More information can be found on the Missions Board in the Narthex, thank you!\*

*Please join us for Coffee Fellowship after the Service!*

1st Bruce & Gail's Anniv!	13th Peyton Voice
3rd Brielle Voice	13th Karen Norton
8th Gail Gaultiere	18th Finnegan Shane Lloyd
9th Jim Huver	24th Christmas Eve!
11th Ian Graham	25th Christmas Day!



**Welcome!**  
**Williamsburg United Methodist Church**  
**December 1, 2024**



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Thank you to:  
Pianist: *Sally Eichberger*  
Liturgist: *Steve Bloomfield*

Coffee Fellowship: *Linda Belcher*  
November 24, 2024 Attendance: 20  
Usher: *Rich Hargreaves*

**Welcome to Williamsburg United Methodist Church!**

**Welcome & Announcements**

<b>Prelude</b>		<b>Sally Eichberger</b>
<b>Opening Hymn:</b>	<b>“All Things Bright and Beautiful”</b>	<b>Red Hymnal #147</b>
<b>*Call to Worship:</b>		<b>Steve Bloomfield</b>
Faithful and Wise Full of Integrity		
<b>God is our friend</b>		
Honest and true keeper of Promises		
<b>God is our friend</b>		
Strong and upright Lover of Justice		
<b>God is our friend</b>		
In the daytime Through the night time		
<b>Keep us on the right path</b>		
In our learning In our growing		
<b>Keep us on the right path</b>		
In our living in our dying		
<b>Keep us on the right path</b>		
<b>*Hymn:</b>	<b>“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”</b>	<b>Red Hymnal #196</b>
<b>*Opening Prayer</b>		<b>Steve Bloomfield</b>
<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	<b>Luke 23:1-5 [NRSVUE]</b>	<b>Steve Bloomfield</b>
<b>Church Moment:</b>	<b>“Advent: What are we waiting for?”</b>	<b>Pastor Matt Chapman</b>
<b>Lighting of the Wreath:</b>		<b>Media Screen</b>
<b>First and Second Readings:</b>		<b>Steve and Roberta Bloomfield</b>
<b>Congregation Response:</b>		<b>Media Screen</b>
<b>Scripture Reading:</b>	<b>Daniel 6:1-27 [NRSVUE]</b>	<b>Pastor Matt Chapman</b>
<b>Sermon:</b>	<b>“In God There is Hope”</b>	<b>Pastor Matt Chapman</b>

**Unison Prayer of Confession: Media Screen**

**\*Hymn: “One Bread, One Body” Red Hymnal #620**

**Pastoral Prayer, Praises and Prayer Concerns**  
**The Lord’s Prayer**  
**“Hear Our Prayer”**  
**Media Screen**  
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**Invitation to the Table**  
**The Great Thanksgiving for Advent**

**Prayer After Communion Pastor Matt Chapman**

**\*Closing Hymn: “O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” Red Hymnal #211**

**\*Benediction: back of bulletin Pastor Matt Chapman**

**\*Sung Response: “His Name Is Wonderful” Red Hymnal #174**

**Postlude: Sally Eichberger**

<b><i>Prayer Requests:</i></b>	Joyce Burrows
1st Responders	Jackie Axtell
Tom Bloxsom	Kathy (Roberta’s Friend) cancer treatment
The Swogger Family	Claire
Pam Hargreaves	Stephen (brain tumor)
Pastor Matt Chapman (surgery)	Sandy Davids (ALS)
Heidi (Holly’s sister)	Mike Norton (hospice)
Connie (Holly’s mom) eye surgery	Jeanette Norton
Josh Potrafka	Doris Norton
Chuck and Carol Walter	Joan Kisling (Jean’s sister)
Nola and John Ashmore-Burger	Wanda Provins
Holly Barrett’s niece Lauren (adoption)	Ken and Carol Gallo
The Family of Jayson “J.J.” Hoogveen	Shirley Lewis (back and legs)
Jim Hockin	Connor (4 year old with brain cancer)
Kevin Blanchard	Heather Hockin (MS)
Denny Bartz	Crossroads Farm