



CHRISTMAS PARTY HOST GUIDE

Hosting is fun and simple! The key is to do something you and your guest would enjoy and be comfortable with. Here are some ideas that will help you have a meaningful time with your guests.

Suggested Programme

Connection (30 mins before)
Online Christmas Programme (40 mins)
Post-stream Connection (15 mins)

BEFORE THE ONLINE PROGRAMME

A great way to set a warm, open and comfortable atmosphere for your guests is by having them over earlier for a time of fun and connection. Here are some tips as you host them!

TIP
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CONNECT OVER FOOD

1. Favourite Christmas movie/song?
2. What would be your ideal place to spend Christmas?
3. What is the most memorable Christmas you had with your family?

TIP
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CONNECT OVER GAMES

Christmas Charades — Prepare a list of items to guess. Choose one person to act it out and let the rest of the people guess. After each turn, choose another person to act the word out.

Paper Plate Draw — Pass out a paper plate and a pen to everyone. Have everyone put the paper plate on their head. Host, give a series of instructions for players to draw on their head. For example:

1. Draw a line for a floor
2. Draw a Christmas tree
3. Draw a star on top of the Christmas tree
4. Draw a fireplace next to the tree
5. Draw a present below the tree

May the best drawer win!





**TIP
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INTRODUCE GUESTS TO THE ONLINE PROGRAMME

- Inform your guests that you will be tuning in to your church's programme
- Tell them what to expect
 - A time of caroling and a short message about Christmas

**TIP
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GET READY BY TUNING IN EARLIER

- Set up your TV earlier so you are ready when it begins
- Ease your guests in by tuning in 10 minutes prior

DURING THE ONLINE PROGRAMME

What to do when salvation call is given

- You could prompt your guests to repeat the salvation prayer if you know they are interested in receiving Jesus.

AFTER THE ONLINE PROGRAMME

Now is a good time to engage in deeper conversations about God with your guests.

Conversation Starters (If guests accept salvation)

1. What did you think of the Christmas programme?
2. Now that you have accepted Jesus, do you have any questions?
3. Share your personal experience after receiving Jesus.
4. Ask if it's possible to go through Next Step together at vfc.org/nextstep

Conversation Starters (If guests did not accept salvation)

1. What did you think of the service?
2. Do you think Jesus is real? Why or why not?
3. Share your personal experience of knowing Jesus.
4. Use this opportunity to share the gospel.

TAKE A PHOTO TOGETHER

Take a group photo together using one of our Christmas filters and upload the photo to IG and hashtag @vfcsg.

