



Saint Pius X Catholic Church

7800 Halprin Drive, Norfolk, Virginia 23518

Eucharistic Celebrations of the Christmas Season

December 24, 2021 - January 9, 2022

**Thank you for choosing to worship
with our community this Christmas Season.**

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Gloria

mf

Glo - ry to God in the high - est! Peace to his

peo - ple on earth. Lord God, heav - en - ly King, al - might - y

God and Fa - ther, we wor - ship you, we

give you thanks, we praise you for your glo - ry.

mp

Lord Je - sus Christ, on - ly Son of the Fa - ther, Lord God, Lamb of God,

you take a - way the sin of the world: have mer - cy on us;

you are seat - ed at the right hand of the Fa - ther: re - ceive our prayer.

mf

For you a - lone are the Ho - ly One, for you a - lone are the

Lord, you a - lone are the Most High, Je - sus

Christ, with the Ho - ly Spir - it, in the glo - ry of

God the Fa - ther. A - men.

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Liturgy of the Word

First Reading

Dec 24 & 25 Isaiah 9:1-6

Dec 26 Sirach 3:2-6, 12-14

Dec 31 Numbers 6:22-27

Jan 1 & 2 Isaiah 60:1-6

Jan 8 & 9 Isaiah 40:1-5, 9-11

Responsorial Psalm

Dec 24, 4:00 PM



R. For ev - er I will sing the good - ness of the Lord.

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Dec 24, 7:00 PM



R. To - day is born our Sav - ior, Christ the Lord.

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Dec 25, 9:00 AM



R. All the ends of the earth have seen the sav - ing pow - er of God.

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Dec 26



R. [Bless - ed are they,] bless - ed are they who dwell in your house, O Lord.

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Dec 31



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Jan 1 & 2



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Jan 8 & 9



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Second Reading

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Dec 31	Galatians 4:4-7
Jan 1 & 2	Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6
Jan 8 & 9	Titus 2:11-14; 3:4-7

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Gospel Acclamation

Mass of a Joyful Heart
Steve Angrisano

R. Al-le - lu - ia. Al-le - lu - ia, al-le - lu - ia. lu - ia!

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Gospel

- Dec 24 & 25 Luke 2:1-14
Dec 26 Luke 2:41-52
Dec 31 Luke 2:16-21
Jan 1 & 2 Matthew 2:1-12
Jan 8 & 9 Luke 3:15-16, 21-22

Homily

Feast of the Baptism of the Lord - Jan 8 & 9

Renewal of Baptismal Promises

Rite of Sprinkling

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Individuals Receiving Baptism

- James Allen Henderson

Profession of Faith - Nicene Creed

I believe in one God,
the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,
and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate,
he suffered death and was buried,
and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins
and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead
and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Prayer of the Faithful

All Respond: "Lord, hear our prayer."

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Offertory Song

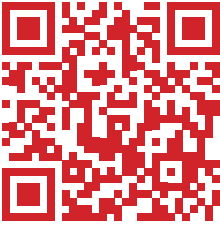
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Liturgy of the Eucharist

Invitation to Prayer

Priest: Pray, my brothers and sisters, that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Preface Dialogue

Priest: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right and just.

Holy, Holy, Holy

Mass of Christ the Savior
Dan Schutte

Ho - ly, Ho - ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts. Heav-en and
 earth are full, are full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na! Ho -
 san - na! Ho-san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is
 he who comes, who comes in the name of the Lord. Ho -

(Fine)

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Memorial Acclamation

Mass of Christ the Savior
Dan Schutte

When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we pro-
 claim your Death, O Lord, un - til you come a - gain.

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Amen

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The Lord's Prayer

Sign of Peace

Lamb of God

Mass of Christ the Savior
Dan Schutte

A musical staff in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The melody consists of quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. The lyrics are: Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world, have mer-cy on us. world, grant us peace.

1, 2 Final

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Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those called to the supper of the Lamb.

All: Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.

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*Thank you for worshiping with our community.
As you leave, please return this program to an usher,
as it will be used until Sunday, January 9.
Have a Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year!*

Song Selections
In Alphabetical Order

Angels We Have Heard on High



1. An - gels we have heard on high Sweet - ly sing - ing
2. Shep-herds, why this ju - bi - lee? Why your joy - ous
3. Come to Beth - le - hem and see Him whose birth the
4. See him in a man - ger laid, Whom the choirs of



o'er the plains, And the moun - tains in re - ply
strains pro - long? Say what may the tid - ings be,
an - gels sing; Come a - dore, on bend - ed knee,
an - gels praise; Mar - y, Jo - seph, lend your aid,



Ech - o back their joy - ous strains.
Which in - spire your heav'n - ly song.
Christ, the Lord, the new - born King.
While our hearts in love we raise.



Glo - - - ri - a



in ex-cel-sis De-o, Glo - -



- - - ri - a in ex-cel-sis De - o.

Text: *Les anges dans nos campagnes*; French, c. 18th C.; tr. from *Crown of Jesus Music*, London, 1862
Tune: GLORIA, 7 7 7 7 with refrain; French traditional

Away in a Manger



1. A - way in a man-ger, no crib for a bed,
2. The cat - tle are low - ing; the ba - by a - wakes,
3. Be near me, Lord Je - sus; I ask you to stay



The lit - tle Lord Je - sus laid down his sweet head.
 But lit - tle Lord Je - sus, no cry - ing he makes.
 Close by me for - ev - er, and love me, I pray.



The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay,
 I love you, Lord Je - sus, look down from the sky,
 Bless all the dear chil - dren in your ten - der care,

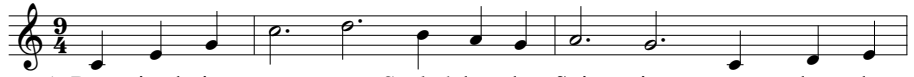


The lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.
 And stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is night.
 And fit us for heav - en to live with you there.

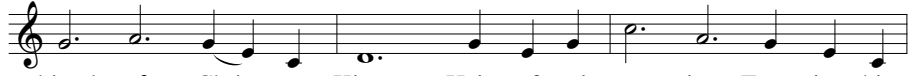
Text: St. 1-2, anonymous, st. 3, John T. McFarland, 1851-1913

Tune: MUELLER, 11 11 11 11; James R. Murray, 1841-1905; harm. by Robert J. Batastini, b.1942

Baptized in Water



1. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Cleansed by the
2. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Dead in the
3. Bap-tized in wa - ter, Sealed by the Spir - it, Marked with the



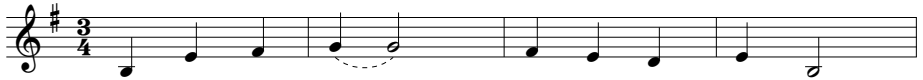
blood of Christ our King: Heirs of sal - va - tion, Trust - ing his
tomb with Christ our King: One with his ris - ing, Freed and for -
sign of Christ our King: Born of one Fa - ther, We are his



prom - ise, Faith - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
giv - en, Thank - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.
chil - dren, Joy - ful - ly now God's praise we sing.

Text: Michael Saward, b.1932, © 1982, Jubilate Hymns, Ltd. (admin. by Hope Publishing Co.)
Tune: BUNESSAN, 5 5 8 D; Gaelic melody; acc. by Marty Haugen, b.1950

Christ, Be Our Light



1. Long - ing for light, we wait in dark - ness.
 2. Long - ing for peace, our world is trou - bled.
 3. Long - ing for food, man - y are hun - gry.
 4. Long - ing for shel - ter, man - y are home - less.
 5. Man - y the gifts, man - y the peo - ple,



Long - ing for truth, we turn to you.
 Long - ing for hope, man - y de - spair.
 Long - ing for wa - ter, man - y still thirst.
 Long - ing for warmth, man - y are cold.
 man - y the hearts that yearn to be - long.



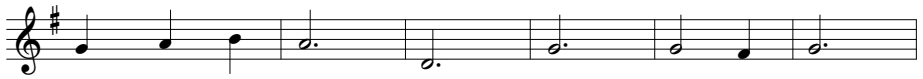
Make us your own, your ho - ly peo - ple,
 Your word a - lone has pow'r to save us.
 Make us your bread, bro - ken for oth - ers,
 Make us your build - ing, shel - ter - ing oth - ers,
 Let us be ser - vants to one an - oth - er,



light for the world to see.
 Make us your liv - ing voice.
 shared un - til all are fed.
 walls made of liv - ing stone.
 mak - ing your king - dom come.



Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts.



Shine through the dark - ness. Christ, be our light!



Shine in your church gath - ered to - day.

Go Tell It on the Mountain

Refrain



Go tell it on the moun - tain, O - ver the hills and ev - 'ry - where;

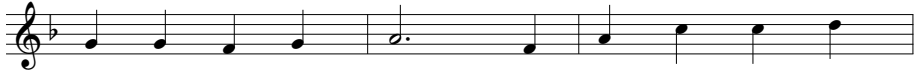


Go tell it on the moun - tain That Je - sus Christ is born!

Verses



1. While shep - herds kept their watch - ing O'er
2. The shep - herds feared and trem - bled When
3. Down in a low - ly man - ger The



si - lent flocks by night, Be - hold through - out the
lo! a - bove the earth Rang out the an - gel
hum - ble Christ was born, And God sent us sal -



heav - ens There shone a ho - ly light.
cho - rus That hailed our Sav - ior's birth.
va - tion That bless - ed Christ - mas morn.

Text: African-American spiritual; adapt. by John W. Work, Jr. 1871-1925, © Mrs. John W. Work III

Tune: GO TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN, 7 6 7 6 with refrain; African-American spiritual; harm. by Robert J. Batastini, b.1942

HAIL MARY, GENTLE WOMAN

Carey Landry

Intro: Cantor

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women and
blest is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.

Holy Mary, Mother of God,
pray for us sinners now
and at the hour of death. Amen.

Refrain: All

Gen-tle wom-an, qui-et light, morn-ing
star, so strong and bright, gen-tle
Moth-er, peace-ful dove, teach us
wis-dom; teach us love.

Verses: All

1. You were cho - sen by the Fa-ther;
2. Bless-ed are you a-mong wom-en,
1. you were cho - sen _____ for the Son. You were
2. blest in turn _____ all wom-en, too. Bless-ed
1. cho - sen _____ ♪ from all wom-en and for
2. they _____ ♪ with peace - ful spir - its. Bless-ed
to Refrain
1. wom - an, _____ shin - ing one.
2. they _____ with gen - tle hearts.

Text based on Luke 1:28. Text and music © 1975, 1978, Carey Landry and NALR.
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Hail, Holy Queen Enthroned Above



1. Hail, ho - ly Queen en - throned a - bove, O Ma - ri - a. Hail,
2. The cause of joy to all be - low, O Ma - ri - a. The
3. O gen - tle, lov - ing, ho - ly one, O Ma - ri - a. The



Queen of mer - cy and of love, O Ma - ri - a.
spring through which all grac - es flow, O Ma - ri - a.
God of light be - came your Son, O Ma - ri - a.



Tri - umph, all ye Cher - u - bim, Sing with us, ye
An - gels, all your prais - es bring, Earth and heav - en,
Tri - umph, all ye Cher - u - bim, Sing with us, ye



Ser - a - phim, Heav'n and earth re - sound the hymn:
with us sing, All cre - a - tion ech - o - ing:
Ser - a - phim, Heav'n and earth re - sound the hymn:



Sal - ve, Sal - ve, Sal - ve, Re - gi - na.

Text: *Salve, Regina, mater misericordia*; c.1080; tr. *Roman Hymnal*, 1884; st. 2-3 adapt. by M. Owen Lee, CSB, b.1930

Tune: SALVE REGINA COELITUM, 8 4 8 4 777 4 5; *Choralmelodien zum Heiligen Gesänge*, 1808; harm. by Healey Willan, 1880-1968

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing



1. Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, "Glo - ry to the
 2. Christ, by high - est heaven a - dored, Christ the ev - er -
 3. Hail the heav'n - born Prince of Peace! Hail the Sun of



new - born King; Peace on earth, and mer - cy mild
 last - ing Lord: Late in time be - hold him come,
 Right - eous - ness! Light and life to all he brings,



God and sin - ners rec - on - ciled!" Joy - ful, all you
 Off - spring of the Vir - gin's womb. Veiled in flesh the
 Ris'n with heal - ing in his wings. Mild he lays his



na - tions, rise, Join the tri - umph of the skies;
 God - head see: Hail the in - car - nate De - i - ty,
 glo - ry by, Born that we no more may die,



With the an - gel - ic host pro - claim, "Christ is born in Beth - le - hem!"
 Pleased as man with us to dwell, Je - sus, our Em - man - u - el.
 Born to raise us from the earth, Born to give us sec - ond birth.



Hark! the her - ald an - gels sing, "Glo - ry to the new - born King!"

Text: Charles Wesley, 1707-1788, alt.
 Tune: MENDELSSOHN, 77 77 D with refrain: Felix Mendelssohn, 1809-1847

HOLY MARY, REVEALING YOUR SON

Ricky Manalo, CSP

Verses Cantor All

1. For the gift of cour - age,
 2. When you saw E - liz - a - beth,
 3. In that night of won - der,
 4. For your child of won - der,
 5. For your tears of sor - row,
 6. When you heard the good news,
 7. When your Son as - cen - ded,
 8. Gath - ered with dis - ci - ples,
 9. Earth - ly life now end - ed,

Bless - ed are you.
 Praise be to God.
 Bless - ed are you.

Cantor All

1. For the gift of faith,
 2. She ac - claimed a - loud:
 3. You gave birth to Je - sus,
 4. For your ten - der care,
 5. For your cries of mer - cy,
 6. Of the emp - ty tomb,
 7. He went up to heav - en,
 8. You re - ceived the Spir - it.
 9. Tak - en up to heav - en,

Bless - ed are you.
 Praise be to God.
 Bless - ed are you.

Cantor

1. When the an - gel called you, an - nounc - ing God's
 2. Let us now join you, pro - claim - ing a -
 3. Join - ing with the an - gels and shep - herds, pro -
 4. Learn - ing how to trust in God from the
 5. When our Sav - ior died up - on the
 6. "Je - sus Christ is ris - en to - day!" With one
 7. Go in - to the world, pro - claim what we've
 8. With our tongues on fire, we bold - ly pro -
 9. Now that you are Queen of Heav - en and

1. plan, With cour - age your jour - ney be - gan.
 2. loud, "Our spir - it re - joic - es in God!"
 3. claim: "To God give all glo - ry and praise!"
 4. start, We trea - sure these things in our hearts.
 5. cross, We felt as if all had been loss.
 6. voice, Tri - um - phant the news, now re - joice!
 7. seen, ‡ Bap - tiz - ing all who be - lieve!
 8. claim, ‡ Come to us, God be - yond names!
 9. Earth, ‡ Pray with us, lead us to birth!

HOLY MARY, REVEALING YOUR SON (CONT. 2)

Refrain: All

Ho - ly Ma - ry, re - veal - ing your Son, Sa - cred the
 hearts that beat as one. Ho - ly Ma - ry, Christ's
 vic - t'ry is won. Sa - cred the gift of your Son.

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I Have Loved You

Refrain



I have loved you with an ev - er - last - ing love, I have



called you and you are mine; I have loved you with an



ev - er - last - ing love, I have called you and you are mine.

Verses



1. Seek the face of the Lord and long for
2. Seek the face of the Lord and long for
3. Seek the face of the Lord and long for



him: He will bring you his light and his peace.
him: He will bring you his joy and his hope.
him: He will bring you his care and his love.

Text: Jeremiah 31:3, Psalm 24:3; Michael Joncas, b.1951
Tune: Michael Joncas, b.1951
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Joy to the World



1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come: Let
 2. Joy to the world! the Sav - ior reigns: Let
 3. No more let sin and sor - rows grow, Nor
 4. He rules the world with truth and grace, And



earth re - ceive her King; Let ev - 'ry
 us, our songs em - ploy; While fields and
 thorns in - fest the ground; He comes to
 makes the na - tions prove The glo - ries



heart pre - pare him room, And
 floods, rocks, hills and plains Re -
 make his bless - ings flow Far
 of his right - eous - ness, And



heav'n and na - ture sing, And heav'n and na - ture
 peat the sound - ing joy, Re - peat the sound - ing
 as the curse is found, Far as the curse is
 won - ders of his love, And won - ders of his



sing, And heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.
 joy, Re - peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.
 found, Far as, far as the curse is found.
 love, And won - ders, won - ders of his love.

Text: Psalm 98; Isaac Watts, 1674-1748
 Tune: ANTIOCH, CM; arr. from George F. Handel, 1685-1759, in T. Hawkes' *Collection of Tunes*, 1833

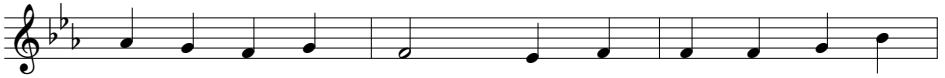
Now Thank We All Our God



1. Now thank we all our God With hearts and hands and
 2. O may this gra-cious God Through all our life be
 3. All praise and thanks to God The Fa-ther now be



voic - es, Who won-drous things has done, In
 near - us, With ev - er joy - ful hearts And
 giv - en, The Son, and Spir - it blest, Who



whom his world re - joic - es; Who, from our moth-ers'
 bless - ed peace to cheer us; Pre - serve us in his
 reigns in high - est heav - en, E - ter - nal, Tri - une



arms, Hath blest us on our way With
 grace, And guide us in dis - tress, And
 God, Whom earth and heav'n a - dore; For



count-less gifts of love, And still is ours to - day.
 free us from all sin, Till heav - en we pos - sess.
 thus it was, is now, And shall be ev - er - more.

Text: *Nun danket alle Gott*; Martin Rinkart, 1586-1649; tr. by Catherine Winkworth, 1827-1878, alt.
 Tune: NUN DANKET, 6 7 6 7 6 6 6 6; Johann Crüger, 1598-1662; harm. by A. Gregory Murray, OSB, 1905-1992

O Come, All Ye Faithful / Adeste Fideles



1. O come, all ye faith - ful, joy - ful and tri - um - phant, O
 2. ♪ God of ___ God, ___ Light of ___ Light, ___
 3. ♪ Sing, choirs of an - gels, sing in ex - ul - ta - tion,
 4. ♪ Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this hap - py morn - ing,
 1. *Ad - é - ste fi - dé - les, laé - ti, tri - um - phán - tes, Ve -*
 2. *De - um de De - o, Lu - men de Lú - mi - ne*
 3. *Can - tet nunc i - o, cho - rus an - ge - lo - rum,*
 4. *Er - go qui na - tus Di - e ho - di - ér - na,*



come ye, O come ye to Beth - le - hem;
 Lo! He comes forth from the Vir - gin's womb.
 Sing, all ye cit - i - zens of heav'n a - bove!
 Je - sus, to thee be all glo - ry giv'n;
ní - te, ve - ní - te in Béth - le - hem.
Ge - stant pu - él - lae ví - sce - ra.
Can - tet nunc au - lae cae - lés - ti - um.
Je - su ___ ti - bi sit gló - ri - a.



Come and be - hold him, born the King of an - gels;
 Our ver - y God, be - got - ten not cre - a - ted,
 Glo - ry to God, all glo - ry in the high - est;
 Word of the Fa - ther, now in flesh ap - pear - ing;
Na - tum vi - dé - te, Re - gem an - ge - ló - rum.
De - um ve - rum, Gé - ni - tum, non fa - ctum.
Gló - ri - a, gló - ria, in ex - cél - sis De - o.
Pa - tris ae - ter - nae ver - bum ca - ro fa - ctum.



O come, let us a - dore him, O come, let us a - dore him,
Ve - ní - te a - do - ré - mus, ve - ní - te a - do - ré - mus,



O come, let us a - dore him, Christ, the Lord!
ve - ní - te a - do - ré - mus Dó - mi - num.

O Little Town of Bethlehem



1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, How
 2. For Christ is born of Mar - y, And
 3. How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly, The
 4. O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem! De -



still we see thee lie! A - bove thy deep and
 gath - ered all a - bove, While mor - tals sleep, the
 won - drous gift is giv'n! So God im - parts to
 scend to us we pray; Cast out our sin and



dream - less sleep The si - lent stars go by;
 an - gels keep Their watch of won - d'ring love.
 hu - man hearts The bless - ings of his heav'n.
 en - ter in, Be born in us to - day.



Yet in the dark streets shin - eth The ev - er -
 O morn - ing stars, to - geth - er Pro - claim the
 No ear may hear his com - ing, But in this glad
 We hear the Christ - mas an - gels The great glad



last - ing Light; The hopes and fears of
 ho - ly birth! And prais - es sing to
 world of sin, Where meek souls will re -
 tid - ings tell; O come to us, a -



all the years Are met in thee to - night.
 God the King, And peace to all on earth.
 ceive him, still The dear Christ en - ters in.
 bide with us, Our Lord Em - man - u - el!

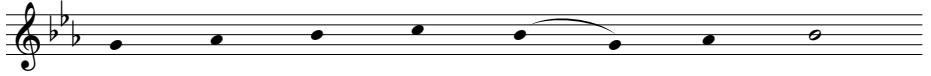
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Tune: ST. LOUIS, 8 6 8 6 7 6 8 6; Lewis H. Redner, 1831-1908

Of the Father's Love Begotten



1. Of the Fa - ther's love be - got - ten,
2. O that birth for ev - er bless - ed,
3. Let the heights of heav'n a - dore him;
4. Christ, to you with God the Fa - ther,



Ere the worlds be - gan to be,
When the Vir - gin, full of grace,
An - gel hosts, his prais - es sing;
Spir - it blest e - ter - nal - ly,



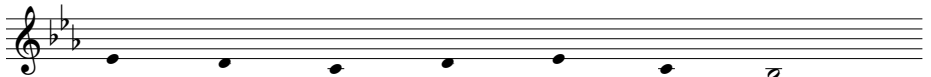
He is Al - pha and O - me - ga,
By the Spir - it blest con - ceiv - ing,
Pow'rs, do - min - ions, bow be - fore him,
Hymn and chant and high thanks - giv - ing,



He the source, the end - ing he,
Bore the Sav - ior of our race;
And ex - tol our God and King;
And un - end - ing prais - es be:



Of the things that are, that have been,
And the Babe, the world's Re - deem - er,
Let no tongue on earth be si - lent,
Hon - or, glo - ry, and do - min - ion,



And that fu - ture years shall see,
First re - vealed his sa - cred face,
Ev - 'ry voice in con - cert ring,
And e - ter - nal vic - to - ry,



Ev - er - more and ev - er - more!

Silent Night, Holy Night



1. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, All is calm,
 2. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Shep - herds quake
 3. Si - lent night, ho - ly night, Son of God,



all is bright Round yon Vir - gin Moth - er and Child,
 at the sight; Glo - ries stream from heav - en a - far,
 love's pure light Ra - diant beams from thy ho - ly face,



Ho - ly In - fant so ten - der and mild, Sleep in heav - en - ly
 Heav'n - ly hosts sing al - le - lu - ia; Christ, the Sav - ior, is
 With the dawn of re - deem - ing grace, Je - sus, Lord, at thy



peace, Sleep in heav - en - ly peace.
 born! Christ, the Sav - ior, is born!
 birth, Je - sus, Lord, at thy birth.

Text: *Stille Nacht, heilige Nacht*; Joseph Mohr, 1792-1849; tr. John F. Young, 1820-1885
 Tune: STILLE NACHT, 66 89 66; Franz X. Gruber, 1787-1863

Sing Alleluia

Verses



1. Dark is the night and deep are the shadows,
 2. Who would be-lieve that here in a man-ger
 3. Great is the joy of Mar-y, his moth-er;
 4. Hope for the poor, re-lease for the cap-tive,



Qui-et the ba-by bathed in lan-tern light;
 God comes a-mong us as a ti-ny child?
 Great is the joy of Jo-seph by her side.
 Love for the out-cast, light for wea-ry eyes;

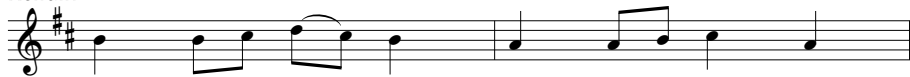


Hushed are the sounds of cat-tle and shep-herds;
 See in his eyes the glo-ry of heav-en;
 Great is the joy of all those in dark-ness,
 Word that brings life, em-brac-ing hu-man-i-ty,



Sweet is the mu-sic the an-gels bring this night.
 Hear in his laugh-ter the joy of God on high.
 Here lies the Sav-ior so soon to die and rise.
 Je-sus, com-pan-ion, be born in-to our lives.

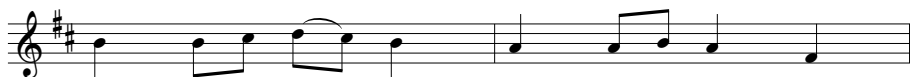
Refrain



Sing Al-le-lu-ia, sing Al-le-lu-ia.



Wel-come the Sav-ior, the prom-ise of new life.



Sing Al-le-lu-ia, sing Al-le-lu-ia.



All of cre-a-tion sing this night.

Songs of Thankfulness and Praise



1. Songs of thank - ful - ness and praise, Je - sus, Lord, to
2. Man - i - fest at Jor - dan's stream, Proph - et, Priest, and
3. Man - i - fest in mak - ing whole Pal - sied limbs and
4. Grant us grace to see you, Lord, Mir - rored in your



you we raise, Man - i - fest - ed by the star
 King su - preme; And at Ca - na, wed - ding guest,
 faint - ing soul; Man - i - fest in val - iant fight,
 ho - ly word; May we im - i - tate you now,



To the sag - es from a - far; Branch of roy - al
 In your God - head man - i - fest; Man - i - fest in
 Quell - ing all the dev - il's might; Man - i - fest in
 And on us your grace en - dow; That we like to



Da - vid's stem In your birth at Beth - le - hem;
 pow'r di - vine, Chang - ing wa - ter in - to wine;
 gra - cious will, Ev - er bring - ing good from ill;
 you may be At your great e - piph - a - ny;



An - thems be to you ad - drest, God in flesh made man - i - fest.
 An - thems be to you ad - drest, God in flesh made man - i - fest.
 An - thems be to you ad - drest, God in flesh made man - i - fest.
 And may praise you ev - er blest, God in flesh made man - i - fest.

Text: Christopher Wordsworth, 1807-1885

Tune: SALZBURG, 77 77 D; Jakob Hintze, 1622-1702, alt.; harm. by J.S. Bach, 1685-1750

Spirit Blowing through Creation

Verses



1. Spir - it blow - ing through cre - a - tion,
2. As you moved up - on the wa - ters,
3. Love that sends the riv - ers danc - ing,
4. All the crea - tures you have fash - ioned,



Spir - it burn - ing in the skies,
As you ride up - on the wind,
Love that wa - ters all that lives,
All that live and breathe in you,



Let the hope of your sal - va - tion fill our eyes;
Move us all, your sons and daugh - ters deep with - in;
Love that heals and holds and rous - es and for - gives;
Find their hope in your com - pas - sion, strong and true;



God of splen - dor, God of glo - ry,
As you shaped the hills and moun - tains,
You are food for all your crea - tures,
You, O Spir - it of sal - va - tion,



You who light the stars a - bove,
Formed the land and filled the deep,
You are hun - ger in the soul,
You a - lone, be - neath, a - bove,



All the heav - ens tell the sto - ry of your love. *(To verse 2)*
Let your hand re - new and wak - en all who sleep. *(To refrain)*
In your hands the bro - ken - heart - ed are made whole. *(To verse 4)*
Come, re - new your whole cre - a - tion in your love. *(To refrain)*

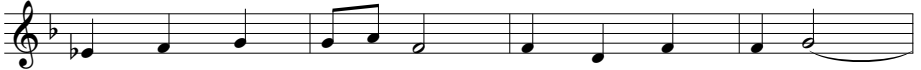
Refrain



Spir - it re - new-ing the earth, re - new-ing the hearts of all



peo-ple; Burn in the wea-ry souls,



blow through the si-lent lips, come now a - wake us,



Spir - it of God.

Text: Marty Haugen, b.1950
Tune: Marty Haugen, b.1950
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The First Nowell



1. The first Now - ell, the an - gel did say, Was to
 2. They look - ed up and saw a star Shin-ing
 3. And by the light of that same star Three
 4. This star drew nigh to the north - west, O'er
 5. Then en - tered in those wise men three, Full
 6. Then let us all with one ac - cord Sing



cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields as they lay; In
 in the east, be - yond them far, And
 wise men came from coun - try far; To
 Beth - le - hem it took its rest; And
 rev - 'rent - ly up - on their knee, And
 prais - es to our heav - 'nly Lord; Who



fields where they lay keep-ing their sheep, On a
 to the earth it gave great light, And
 seek for a king was their in - tent, And to
 there it did both stop and stay, Right
 of - fered there, in his pres - ence, Their
 with the Fa - ther we a - dore And



cold win - ter's night that was so deep.
 so it con - tin - ued both day and night.
 fol - low the star where - ev - er it went.
 o - ver the place where Je - sus lay.
 gold and myrrh and frank - in - cense.
 Spir - it blest for ev - er - more.



Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell,



Born is the King of Is - ra - el.

Text: English Carol, 17th C.
 Tune: THE FIRST NOWELL, Irregular; English Melody; harm. from *Christmas Carols New and Old*, 1871

We Three Kings of Orient Are



1. We three kings of O - ri - ent are, Bear - ing
 2. Born a babe on Beth - le - hem's plain, Gold we
 3. Frank - in - cense to of - fer have I; In - cense
 4. Myrrh is mine: its bit - ter per - fume Breathes a
 5. Glo - rious now be - hold him rise, King and



gifts we trav - erse a - far Field and foun - tain,
 bring to crown him a - gain; King for - ev - er,
 owns a De - i - ty nigh, Prayer and prais - ing
 life of gath - 'ring gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing,
 God and sac - ri - fice: Heav'n sings, "Hal - le -



Moor and moun - tain, Fol - low - ing yon - der star.
 Ceas - ing nev - er, O - ver us all to reign.
 Glad - ly rais - ing, Wor - ship - ing God on high.
 Bleed - ing, dy - ing, Sealed in the stone cold tomb.
 lu - jah!" "Hal - le - lu - jah!" earth re - plies.



O star of won - der, star of night, Star with



roy - al beau - ty bright, West - ward lead - ing, still pro -



ceed - ing, Guide us to the per - fect Light.

Text: Matthew 2:1-11; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891
 Tune: KINGS OF ORIENT, 88 44 6 with refrain; John H. Hopkins, Jr., 1820-1891

What Child Is This



1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On
2. Why lies he in such mean es - tate Where
3. So bring him in - cense, gold and myrrh, Come



Mar - y's lap is sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet with
ox and ass are feed - ing? Good Chris - tian, fear; for
peas - ant, king to own him; The King of kings sal -



an - thems sweet, While shep - herds watch are keep - ing?
sin - ners here The si - lent Word is plead - ing.
va - tion brings, Let lov - ing hearts en - throne him.



This, this is Christ the King, Whom shep-herds guard and an - gels sing;



Haste, haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Mar - y.

Text: William C. Dix, 1827-1898

Tune: GREENSLEEVES, 8 7 8 7 with refrain; English melody, 16th C.; harm. by John Stainer, 1840-1901

Wood of the Cradle

Verses



1. Wood of the cra - dle, wood of the cross,
 2. Shep - herds lie sleep - ing, deep in their dreams;
 3. Star in the heav - ens bear - ing new light,
 4. Come, all who hun - ger, come, all who thirst;



bear - ing a life - time of joy and of loss,
 an - gels a - wak - en them: "What could this mean?
 guid - ing the sag - es and a - ges this night:
 Come, all who seek him, God's joy on the earth.



who is your loved one? Who could he be, ♯
 Whom do you her - ald? Whom must we find? A
 Where will you lead us? Where can he be, the
 Find him a shel - ter, bright, safe, and warm; ♯



born in a man-ger to die on a tree?
 child in a man-ger? Our God born in time?"
 child born of mys-t'ry who died on a tree?
 see in all peo-ple his love be-ing born.

Refrain



This, this is Je - sus the Lord, here in the bod - y and



blood out-poured. Come, come, walk in his ways. Kneel at the



man-ger and rise from the grave.

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