



GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST

— LUKE 2:14 —

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Christmas Season

December 25, 2025 thru January 11, 2026

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Merry Christmas!

We are glad that you have joined us today to celebrate mass with us.

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We invite you to join us in prayer to our Lord.

CREEDS

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

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 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.

RESPONSORIAL PSALMS

CHRISTMAS, 12/25

PSALM 96, TODAY IS BORN OUR SAVIOR,
CHRIST THE LORD



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



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

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HOLY FAMILY, 12/28

PSALM 128, O BLESSED ARE THOSE
WHO FEAR THE LORD



O blessed are those who fear the Lord and walk in his ways.

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MARY, THE HOLY MOTHER OF GOD, 1/1

PSALM 67, MAY GOD BLESS
US IN HIS MERCY



May God bless us in his mer - cy.



May God bless us in his mer - cy.

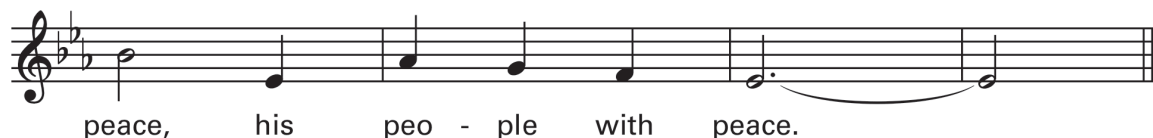
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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD, 1/4 PSALM 72, LORD, EVERY NATION ON EARTH WILL ADORE YOU

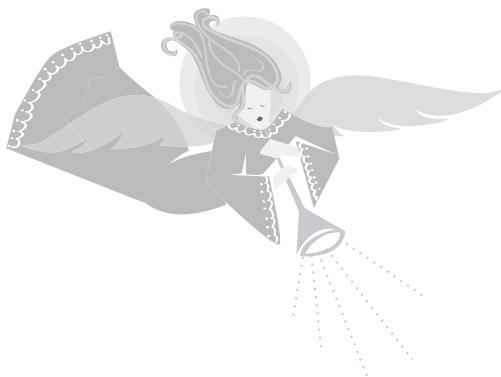


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BAPTISM OF THE LORD, 1/I I PSALM 29, THE LORD WILL BLESS HIS PEOPLE WITH PEACE



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MASS SETTING MUSIC

GLORY TO GOD

*Refrain: All



Glo - ri - a

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

Cantor/Choir

1. Glory to God in the highest, glory to God, and on earth peace, peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father.
2. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us.
3. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

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CHRISTMASTIME ALLELUIA

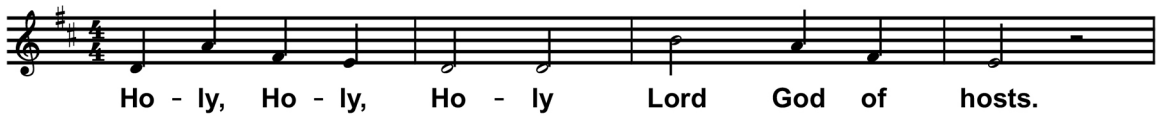


Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia,

Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!

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HOLY



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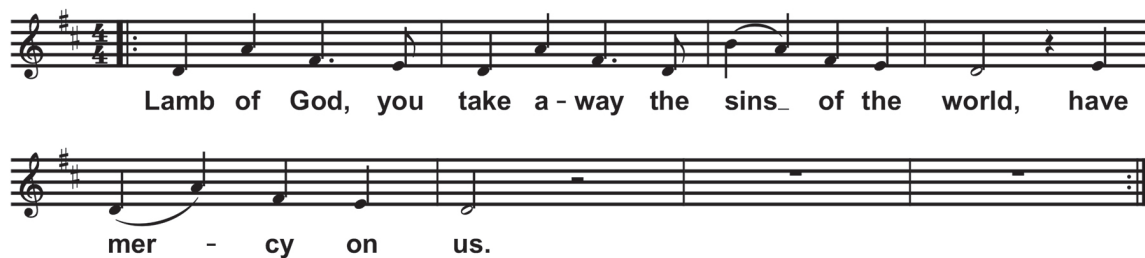
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GREAT AMEN



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LAMB OF GOD



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HYMNS (IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER)

ANGELS, FROM THE REALMS OF GLORY



1. An - gels, from the realms of glo - ry, Wing your flight o'er
2. Shep - herds, in the fields a - bid - ing, Watch - ing o'er your
3. Sag - es, leave your con - tem - pla - tions, Bright - er vi - sions
4. Though an in - fant now we view him, He shall fill his
5. All cre - a - tion, join in prais - ing God, the Fa - ther,



1. all the earth; Ye who sang cre - a - tion's sto - ry,
2. flocks by night, God on earth is now re - sid - ing;
3. beam a - far; Seek the great De - sire of Na - tions,
4. Fa - ther's throne, Gath - er all the na - tions to him;
5. Spir - it, Son, Ev - er - more your voic - es rais - ing,



1. Now pro - claim Mes - si - ah's birth:
 2. Yon - der shines the in - fant light:
 3. Ye have seen his na - tal star:
 4. Ev - 'ry knee shall then bow down:
 5. To the e - ter - nal Three - in - One:
- } Come and wor - ship,



1-5. come and wor - ship, Wor - ship Christ, the new - born King.

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AWAY IN A MANGER

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

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

1. stars in the sky — looked down where he lay, The
 2. love thee, Lord Je - sus! Look down from the sky, And
 3. all the dear chil - dren in thy ten - der care, And

1. lit - tle Lord Je - sus, a - sleep on the hay.
 2. stay by my cra - dle till morn - ing is nigh.
 3. fit us for heav - en to live with thee there.

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CHILD OF THE POOR

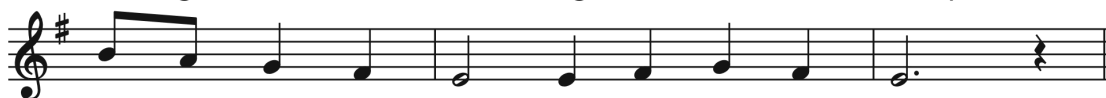
Verses



1. Help-less and hun-gry, low-ly he lies, wrapped in the
2. Who is the strang-er here in our midst, look-ing for
3. Bring all the thirst-y, all who seek peace; bring those with



1. chill of mid-win-ter; comes now a-mong us, born in-to
2. shel-ter a-mong us? Who is the out-cast? Who do we
3. noth-ing to of-fer. Strength-en the fee-ble, say to the



1. pov-er-ty's em-brace, new life for the world.
2. see a-mid the poor, the chil-dren of God?
3. fright-ened heart: "Fear not: here is your God!"

Refrain



Who is this who lives with the low-ly, shar-ing their sor-rows,



know-ing their hun-ger? This is Christ, re-vealed to the



world in the eyes of a child, a child of the poor.

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CHRISTMAS PEACE, A MEDLEY

1. (*Silent Night*) Silent night! Holy night! All is calm, all is bright. Round yon Virgin Mother and child! Holy Infant so tender and mild, Sleep in heavenly peace, Sleep in heavenly peace.
2. (*Silent Night*) Silent night! Holy night! Shepherds quake at the sight; Glories stream from heaven afar; Heav'nly hosts sing "Alleluia! Christ the Savior is born, Christ the Savior is born."
3. (*O Little Town of Bethlehem*) O little town of Bethlehem, how still we see thee lie! Above thy deep and dreamless sleep the silent stars go by; Yet in thy dark streets shineth the everlasting Light; the hopes and fears of all the years are met in thee tonight.
4. (*What Child is This*) What child is this, who, laid to rest, on Mary's lap is sleeping? Whom angels greet with anthems sweet, while shepherds watch are keeping?
5. (*Silent Night*) Silent night! Holy night! Son of God, love's pure light. Radiant beams from thy holy face, with the dawn of redeeming grace, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth, Jesus, Lord, at thy birth.



COME TO THE WATER



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|--------|-----|-----|-----|---------|-----|------|------|----|-----|
| 1. O | let | all | who | thirst, | let | them | come | to | the |
| 2. And | let | all | who | seek, | let | them | come | to | the |
| 3. And | let | all | who | toil, | let | them | come | to | the |
| 4. And | let | all | the | poor, | let | them | come | to | the |



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|--------------|-------|-----|------|-----|------|-------------|
| 1. wa - ter. | And | let | all | who | have | noth - ing, |
| 2. wa - ter. | And | let | all | who | have | noth - ing, |
| 3. wa - ter. | And | let | all | who | are | wea - ry, |
| 4. wa - ter. | Bring | the | ones | who | are | lad - en, |



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|----|-------|------|------|----|-----|-------|------------|
| 1. | let | them | come | to | the | Lord: | with - out |
| 2. | let | them | come | to | the | Lord: | with - out |
| 3. | let | them | come | to | the | Lord: | all who |
| 4. | bring | them | all | to | the | Lord: | bring the |



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|----------------|------------|---------|---------|--------|------|-------|------|
| 1. mon - ey, | with - out | price. | Why | should | you | pay | the |
| 2. mon - ey, | with - out | strife. | Why | should | you | spend | your |
| 3. la - bor, | with - out | rest. | How | can | your | soul | find |
| 4. chil - dren | with - out | might. | Eas - y | the | load | and | |



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|-----------|-----------|------|-----|-------|-------|
| 1. price, | ex - cept | for | the | Lord? | |
| 2. life, | ex - cept | for | the | Lord? | |
| 3. rest, | ex - cept | for | the | Lord? | |
| 4. light: | ∞ | come | to | the | Lord. |

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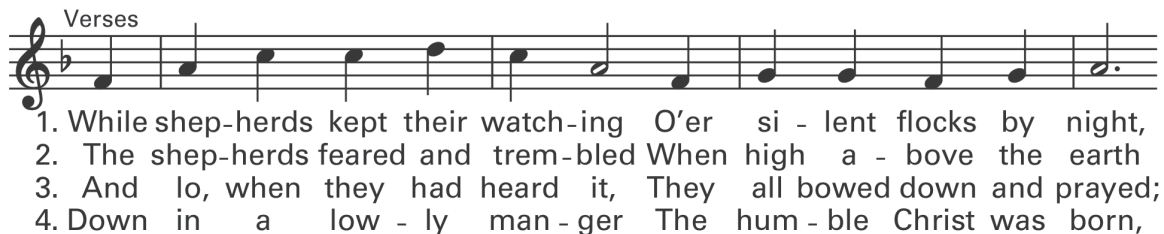
GO, TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN

Refrain



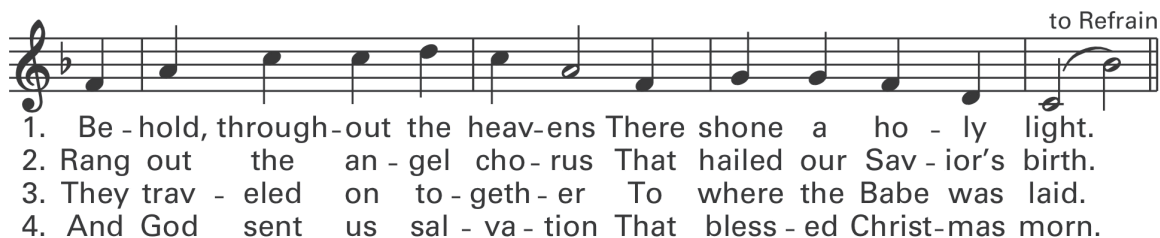
Go, tell it on the moun - tain, O-ver the hills and ev - 'ry -
where; Go, tell it on the moun - tain That Je - sus Christ is born.

Verses



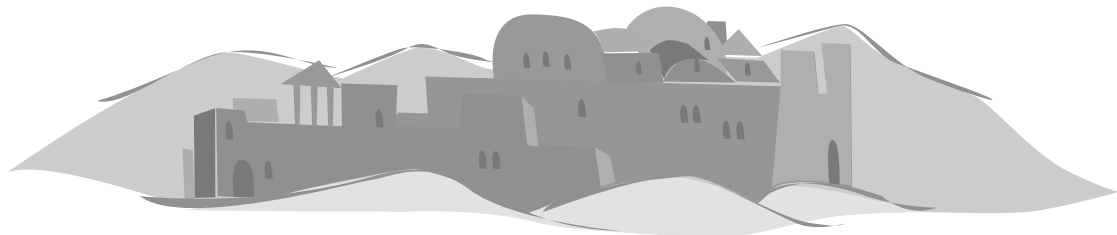
1. While shep-herds kept their watch-ing O'er si - lent flocks by night,
2. The shep-herds feared and trem-bled When high a - bove the earth
3. And lo, when they had heard it, They all bowed down and prayed;
4. Down in a low - ly man - ger The hum - ble Christ was born,

to Refrain



1. Be - hold, through-out the heav-ens There shone a ho - ly light.
2. Rang out the an - gel cho - rus That hailed our Sav - ior's birth.
3. They trav - eled on to - geth - er To where the Babe was laid.
4. And God sent us sal - va - tion That bless - ed Christ-mas morn.

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GOOD CHRISTIAN FRIENDS, REJOICE



1-3. Good Chris-tian friends, re-joice, With heart and soul and voice;



1. Give ye heed to what we say: Je - sus Christ is born to-day!
2. Now ye hear of end-less bliss; Je - sus Christ was born for this!
3. Now ye need not fear the grave; Je - sus Christ was born to save!



1. Ox and ass be - fore him bow, And he is in the man-ger now.
2. He has o-pened heav-en's door, And we are blest for ev - er-more.
3. Calls you one and calls you all, To gain his ev - er-last-ing hall.



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|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Christ is born to - day! | Christ is born to - day! |
| 2. Christ was born for this! | Christ was born for this! |
| 3. Christ was born to save! | Christ was born to save! |

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HARK, THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Verses



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



1. new - born King; Peace on earth, and mer - cy mild,
2. last - ing Lord; Late in time, be - hold him come,
3. Righ - teous - ness! Light and life to all he brings,



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



1. na - tions, rise, Join the tri - umph of the skies; With an -
2. God - head see! Hail th'in - car - nate De - i - ty! Pleased as
3. glo - ry by, Born that we no more may die, Born to



1. gel - ic hosts pro - claim: "Christ is born in Beth - le - hem!"
2. man with us to dwell; Je - sus, our Em - man - u - el!
3. raise us from the earth, Born to give us sec - ond birth.

Refrain



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

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INFANT HOLY, INFANT LOWLY



1. In - fant ho - ly, in - fant low - ly, For his bed a
2. Flocks were sleep - ing, shep - herds keep - ing Vig - il till the
3. As we jour - ney to the sta - ble Like the wise - men
4. Wake our spir - its from their slum - ber; Send the dark - ness



1. cat - tle stall; Ox - en low - ing, lit - tle know - ing
2. morn - ing new. Saw the glo - ry, heard the sto - ry,
3. long a - go, We are hop - ing to dis - cov - er
4. on its way. Fill our hearts with joy and won - der



1. Christ the babe is Lord of all. Swift are wing - ing,
2. Tid - ings of a gos - pel true. Thus re - joic - ing,
3. What these pil - grims came to know. All are wel - come
4. On this bless - ed Christ - mas day. Songs of an - gels



1. an - gels sing - ing, No - els ring - ing, tid - ings bring - ing:
2. free from sor - row, Prais - es voic - ing greet the mor - row:
3. at this man - ger, King and shep - herd, friend and strang - er.
4. all a - round us; Grace and bless - ing now sur - round us.



1. Christ the babe is Lord of all.
2. Christ the babe was born for you.
3. Christ the babe is Lord of all.
4. Christ be with us as we go.

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IT CAME UPON A MIDNIGHT CLEAR



1. It came up - on the mid - night clear, That glo - rious
2. Still through the clo - ven skies they come, With peace - ful
3. And ye, be - neath life's crush - ing load, Whose forms are
4. For, lo, the days are has - tening on, By proph - et



1. song of old, From an - gels bend - ing near the
2. wings un - furled, And still their heav'n - ly mu - sic
3. bend - ing low, Who toil a - long the climb - ing
4. bards fore - told, When with the ev - er - cir - cling



1. earth To touch their harps of gold: "Peace on the earth, good
2. floats O'er all the wea - ry world: A - bove its sad and
3. way With pain - ful steps and slow, Look now! for glad and
4. years Comes 'round the age of gold; When peace shall o - ver



1. will to all From heav'n's all gra - cious King;" The
2. low - ly plains They bend on hov - 'ring wing, And
3. gold - en hours Come swift - ly on the wing: O
4. all the earth Its an - cient splen - dors fling, And



1. world in sol - emn still-ness lay, To hear the an - gels sing.
2. ev - er o'er its Ba - bel sounds The bless - ed an - gels sing.
3. rest be - side the wea - ry road And hear the an - gels sing.
4. all the world give back the song Which now the an - gels sing.

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JOY TO THE WORLD



1. Joy to the world! the Lord is come; Let earth re -
2. Joy to the world! the Sav - ior reigns; Let us our
3. He rules the world with truth and grace, And makes the



1. ceive her King; Let ev - 'ry heart pre - pare him
2. songs em - ploy; While fields and floods, rocks, hills and
3. na - tions prove The glo - ries of his righ - teous -



1. room, And heav'n and na - ture sing, And heav'n and na - ture
2. plains Re - peat the sound - ing joy, Re - peat the sound - ing
3. ness, And won - ders of his love, And won - ders of his



1. sing, And heav'n, and heav'n and na - ture sing.
2. joy, Re - peat, re - peat the sound - ing joy.
3. love, And won - ders, won - ders of his love.

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O, COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

Verses



1. O come, all ye faith - ful, — joy - ful and tri - um - phant, O
2. ♪ Sing, choirs of an - gels, — sing in ex - ul - ta - tion, ♪
3. ♪ Yea, Lord, we greet thee, — born this hap - py morn - ing, ♪
4. Ad - é - ste fi - dé - les, — lae - ti tri - um - phán - tes, Ve -



1. come ye, O come — ye to Beth — le - hem; —
2. Sing, all ye cit - i - zens of heav'n — a - bove! —
3. Je - sus, to thee — be all glo - ry giv'n; —
4. ní - te, ve - ní - te in Béth — le - hem. —



1. Come and be - hold him, — born the King of an - gels;
2. Glo - ry to God, all — glo - ry in the high - est;
3. Word of the Fa - ther, — now in flesh ap - pear - ing;
4. Na - tum vi - dé - te — Re - gem an - ge - ló - rum.

Refrain



English O come, let us a - dore him, O come, let us a - dore him, O



come, let us a - dore him, — Christ, — the Lord!

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O LITTLE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM



1. O lit - tle town of Beth - le - hem, How still we see thee lie!
2. For Christ is born of Ma - ry, And gath - ered all a - bove,
3. How si - lent - ly, how si - lent - ly, The won - drous gift is giv'n!
4. O ho - ly Child of Beth - le - hem! De - scend to us, we pray;



1. A - bove thy deep and dream - less sleep The si - lent stars go by;
2. While mor - tals sleep, the an - gels keep Their watch of won - d'ring love.
3. So God im - parts to hu - man hearts The bless - ings of his heav'n.
4. Cast out our sin and en - ter in; Be born in us to - day.



1. Yet in thy dark streets shin - eth The ev - er - last - ing Light:
2. O morn - ing stars, to - geth - er Pro - claim the ho - ly birth!
3. No ear may hear his com - ing, But in this world of sin,
4. We hear the Christ - mas an - gels The great glad tid - ings tell;



1. The hopes and fears of all the years Are met in thee to - night.
2. And prais - es sing to God the King, And peace to all on earth.
3. Where meek souls will re - ceive him, still The dear Christ en - ters in.
4. O come to us, a - bide with us, Our Lord Em - man - u - el!

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RIVER OF GLORY

Refrain

Riv - er of glo - ry, springs of our birth, flood of God's

rich - es poured on the earth. We are born from the dark-ness

and clothed in the light! We are bathed in the glo - ry of

God! God, bathed in the glo-ry of God!

Verses

1. Foun - tain of mer - cy, grace flow - ing free, streams of sal -
 2. Here there is ha - ven, heal - ing and health, joy for the
 3. Bread for our jour - ney God will pro - vide. Hope for all
 4. Dark - ness is ban - ished, night turned a - way. Christ is our

to Refrain

1. va - tion, spill - ing with love from a tree!
 2. ask - ing, love in a - bun - dance of wealth!
 3. a - ges, Je - sus, com - pan - ion and guide!
 4. sun - light, lift - ing and lead - ing our way!

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SHALL WE GATHER AT THE RIVER

Verses



1. Shall we gath - er at the riv - er, Where bright an - gel feet have
2. On the mar - gin of the riv - er, Wash - ing up its sil - ver
3. Ere we reach the shin - ing riv - er, Lay we ev - 'ry bur - den
4. Soon we'll reach the shin - ing riv - er, Soon our pil - grim - age will



1. trod, With its crys - tal tide for - ev - er, Flow - ing
2. spray, We will walk and wor - ship ev - er, All the
3. down; Grace our spir - its will de - liv - er, And pro -
4. cease; Soon our hap - py hearts will quiv - er With the

Refrain



1. by the throne of God? Yes, we'll gath - er at the riv - er, The
2. hap - py gold - en day.
3. vide a robe and crown.
4. mel - o - dy of peace.



beau - ti - ful, the beau - ti - ful riv - er, Gath - er with the



saints at the riv - er That flows by the throne of God.

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SING OF MARY



1. Sing of— Mar - y, — pure and low - ly, Vir - gin - moth - er — un - de - filed,
2. Sing of — Je - sus, — son of Mar - y, in the — home at — Naz - a - reth.
3. Glo - ry — be to — God the Fa - ther; Glo - ry — be to — God the Son;



1. Sing of — God's own — Son most ho - ly, Who be - came her — lit - tle child.
2. Toil and — la - bor — can - not wea - ry Love en - dur - ing — un - to death.
3. Glo - ry — be to — God the Spir - it; Glo - ry — to the — Three in One.



1. Fair - est — child of fair - est — moth - er, God the — Lord who came to — earth,
2. Con - stant — was the love he — gave her, Though he — went forth from her — side,
3. From the — heart of bless - ed — Mar - y, From all — saints the song as - cends,



1. Word made — flesh, our — ver - y broth - er, Takes our — na - ture — by his birth.
2. Forth to — preach, and — heal, and suf - fer, Till on — Cal - va - ry he died.
3. And the — church the — strain re - ech - oes Un - to — earth's re - mot - est ends.

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SPRIT AND GRACE

Verses



1. Spir - it and grace, here in this meal;
2. Spir - it and grace, here in this meal;
3. Spir - it and grace, here in this place;
4. Spir - it of God, send - ing us forth;



1. you are the wind that breathes through the field.
2. you are the life that flows through the vine.
3. you are the light that shines in this space.
4. we spread your wis-dom through-out all the earth.



1. Gath - er the wheat___ and form us in Christ.
2. Gath - er this drink___ and form us in Christ.
3. Gath - er your peo - ple and form us in Christ.
4. Gath - er the na - tions and form us in Christ.



1. Come, be our source and breath of life.
2. Come, be our source and blood of life.
3. Come, be the heart - beat of our lives.
4. Come, be the pres - ence in our lives.

Refrain

In the bread, blessed, bro-ken and shared, Christ is our

life, whose presence we bear. Come, O Spir - it, make your

grace re - vealed in this ho - ly meal.

3 to Verses

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THE FIRST NOWELL

Verses



1. The first No - well, the an - gel did say,
2. They look - ed up and saw ____ a star
3. And by the light of that ____ same star
4. This star drew nigh to the ____ north - west,



1. Was to cer - tain poor shep - herds in fields as they lay;
2. Shin - ing in ____ the east, ____ be - yond ____ them far;
3. Three ____ wise ____ men came ____ from coun - try far;
4. O'er ____ Beth - le - hem ____ it took ____ its rest,



1. In fields where _ they lay keep - ing their sheep,
2. And to the ____ earth it gave ____ great light,
3. To seek for a king was their ____ in - tent,
4. And there it ____ did both stop ____ and stay,



1. On a cold win - ter's night ____ that was ____ so deep.
2. And ____ so it con - tin - ued both day ____ and night.
3. And to fol - low the star ____ wher - ev - er it went.
4. Right _ o - ver the place ____ where Je - sus lay.

Refrain



No - well, No - well, No - well, No - well,



Born is the King of Is - ra - el.

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WE THREE KINGS

Verses



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



1. tra - verse a - far Field and foun - tain, Moor and moun - tain,
2. crown him a - gain, King for - ev - er, Ceas - ing nev - er
3. De - i - ty nigh; Prayer and prais - ing Glad - ly rais - ing,
4. gath - er - ing gloom; Sor - rowing, sigh - ing, Bleed - ing, dy - ing,
5. Sac - ri - fice; "Al - le - lu - ia, Al - le - lu - ia!"

Refrain



1. Fol - low - ing yon - der star. O star of won - der,
2. O - ver us all to reign.
3. Wor - ship him, God on high.
4. Sealed in the stone - cold tomb.
5. Sounds through the earth and skies.



star of night, Star with roy - al beau - ty bright; West - ward



lead - ing, still pro - ceed - ing, Guide us to thy per - fect light.

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WHAT CHILD IS THIS?

Verses



1. What child is this, who, laid to rest, On Ma-ry's lap is
2. Why lies he in such mean es-tate Where ox and ass are
3. So bring him in - cense, gold, and myrrh, Come peas-ant, king, to



1. sleep - ing? Whom an - gels greet with an - thems sweet, While
2. feed - ing? Good Chris - tian, fear: for sin - ners here The
3. own him; The King of kings sal - va - tion brings, Let

Refrain



1. shep - herds watch are keep - ing? This, this is Christ the
2. si - lent Word is plead - ing.
3. lov - ing hearts en-throne him.



King, Whom shep-herds guard and an - gels sing; Haste,



haste to bring him laud, The babe, the son of Ma - ry.

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