

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE:

THE SYMBOLS OF CHRISTMAS

CELEBRATION OF SONG:

JOY TO THE WORLD

Joy to the world! The Lord is come
Let earth receive her King!
Let every heart prepare Him room
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven and nature sing
And heaven, and heaven and nature sing

Joy to the world! the Savior reigns
Let all their songs employ
While fields and floods, rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy

He rules the world with truth and grace
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness
And wonders of His love
And wonders of His love
And wonders and wonders of His love

CLOSING PRAYER:

"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

- John 8:12



*Christmas
Service*



"Therefore the Lord himself will give you a sign. Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel."

- Isaiah 7:14

WELCOME & OPENING PRAYER

CELEBRATION OF SONG:

OH, COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

O Come All Ye Faithful
Joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem.
Come and behold Him,
Born the King of Angels;
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord.

O Sing, choirs of angels,
Sing in exultation,
Sing all ye citizens of heaven above.
Glory to god, glory in the highest;
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him,
Christ the Lord.

(Repeat First Verse)

CELEBRATION OF SONG:

O HOLY NIGHT

Oh holy night!
The stars are brightly shining
It is the night of the dear Savior's birth.
Long lay the world in sin and error pining
Till he appear'd and the soul felt its worth.
A thrill of hope the weary world rejoices
For yonder breaks a new and glorious morn!

Fall on your knees
Oh hear the angel voices
Oh night divine
Oh night when Christ was born
Oh night divine
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THE REASON FOR THE SEASON:

THE STORY OF THE BIRTH OF CHRIST

CELEBRATION OF SONG:

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.

Silent Night, Holy Night,
Shepherds quake at the sight;
Glories stream from heaven afar,
Heavenly hosts sing Alleluia!
Christ the Saviour is born
Christ the Saviour is born.

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

CELEBRATION OF SONG:

FIRST NOEL

The first Noel, the angel did say
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep
On a cold winters night that was so deep.

(Chorus)

Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel
Born is the king from Israel

They looked up and saw a star
Shining in the east beyond them far;
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night
(Repeat Chorus)

And by the light of that same star,
Three wise men came from country far;
To seek for a king was their intent,
And to follow the star wherever it went.
(Repeat Chorus)