Christmas Candlelight Service

Angels We Have Heard on High

Verse 1

Angels we have
heard on high
Sweetly singing
o'er the plains
And the mountains in reply
Echoing their joyous
strains

CHORUS

Gloria, in excelsis Deo Gloria, in excelsis Deo

Verse 2

Shepherds, why this jubilee?

Why your
joyous strains prolong?

What the gladsome tidings be

Which inspire

your heavenly song?

Verse 3
Come to Bethlehem and see
Him whose birth the angels sing,
Come, adore on bended knee,
Christ the Lord,
the newborn King.

Hark the Herald Angels Sing

Verse 1

Hark! the herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King:

peace on earth,
and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
join the triumph of the skies;
with th'angelic hosts
proclaim,
"Christ is born in
Bethlehem!"

Verse 2

Hail the heaven-born
Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all he brings,
risen with healing
in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
born that we no more may die,
born to raise us
from the earth,
born to give us second birth.

Scripture

Malvern Hill Baptist Church

O Little Town of Bethlehem

Verse 1

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.

Verse 2

How silently, how silently, the wondrous gift is giv'n!
So God imparts to human hearts the blessings of His heav'n.
No ear may hear His coming, but in this world of sin, where meek souls will receive Him still, the dear Christ enters in.

Verse 3

O holy Child of Bethlehem, descend to us, we pray; cast out our sin and enter in; be born in us today.

We hear the Christmas angels, the great glad tidings tell; O come to us, abide with us, our Lord Emmanuel!



Observance of The Lord's Supper

Message

Craig Thompson

Candle Lighting

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 Savior is born!
Christ the Savior 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!

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