

*St. Margaret Mary Church
Community Singing and Tree Lighting
Song Sheet*

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

ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD

Angels we have heard on high
Sweetly singing o'er the plain
And the mountains in reply
Echo back their joyous strains
Gloria, in Excelsis Deo
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THE FIRST NOEL

The first noel the angels did say
Was to certain poor shepherds
In fields where they lay
In fields where they lay
Keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night
That was so deep
Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel
Born is the King of Israel

AWAY IN A MANGER

Away in a manger
No crib for a bed
The Little Lord Jesus
Lay down His sweet head
The stars in the heavens
Looked down where He lay
The Little Lord Jesus
Asleep on the hay

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 (2X)

O 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 (3X)
Christ, the Lord

WE THREE KINGS

We three kings of orient are
Bearing gifts we traverse afar
Field and fountain
Moor and mountain
Following yonder star
O star of wonder Star of night
Star with royal beauty bright
Westward leading still proceeding
Guide us to thy perfect light

HARK THE HERALD ANGELS

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 angelic hosts proclaim
Christ is born in Bethlehem
Hark the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn King

GOD REST YE MERRY
GENTLEMEN

God rest ye merry gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Savior
Was born on Christmas Day
To save us all from Satan's power
When we had gone astray
O tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
O tiding of comfort and joy

JOY TO THE WORLD

Joy to the world
The Lord has 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 heaven
And nature sing

AFTER THE TREE
LIGHTING:

LET THERE BE PEACE

Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me
Let there be peace on earth
The peace that was meant to be
With God as our Father
Brothers all are we
Let me walk with my brother
In perfect harmony

Let peace begin with me
Let this be the moment now
With every step I take
Let this be my solemn vow
To take each moment
And live each moment
In peace eternally
Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me