



## **Fort Wayne Children's Choir Community Sing Along**

**Monday, November 29, 2021 6:30-8:00 p.m.**

### **ANGELS WE HAVE HEARD ON HIGH**

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

Shepherds why this jubilee?  
Why your joyous strains prolong?  
What the gladsome tidings be  
Which inspire your heavenly song?  
Gloria in excelsis Deo.  
Gloria in excelsis Deo.

### **RUDOLPH THE RED NOSED REINDEER**

You know Dasher and Dancer and  
Prancer and Vixen,  
Comet and Cupid and Donner and Blitzen.  
But do you recall  
The most famous reindeer of all?

Rudolph the red nosed reindeer  
Had a very shiny nose.  
And if you ever saw it  
You would even say it glows.

All of the other reindeer  
Used to laugh and call him names.  
They never let poor Rudolph  
Join in any reindeer games.

Then one foggy Christmas Eve,  
Santa came to say,  
"Rudolph with your nose so bright,  
Won't you guide my sleigh tonight?"

Then how the reindeer loved him  
As they shouted out with glee,  
"Rudolph the red nosed reindeer,  
You'll go down in history."

## **UP ON THE HOUSETOP**

Up on the housetop reindeer paws  
Out jumps good old Santa Claus,  
Down through the chimney with lots of  
toys  
All for the little ones Christmas joys.

First comes the stocking of little Nell,  
Oh dear Santa fill it well  
Give her a dolly that laughs and cries,  
One that can open and shut its eyes.

Look in the stocking of little Bill  
Oh just see what a glorious fill.  
Here is a hammer and lots of tacks,  
Whistle and ball and whip that cracks.

Ho ho ho who wouldn't go  
Ho ho ho who wouldn't go  
Up on the housetop click, click, click  
Down through the chimney  
With good Saint Nick.

## **HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING**

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!"

Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!  
Hail the Sun of Righteous-ness!  
Light and life to all he brings,  
Risen with healing in his wings.  
Mild he lays his glory by,  
Born that man no more may die,  
Born to raise us from the earth,  
Born to give us second birth.  
Hark the herald angels sing,  
"Glory to the newborn King!"

## **JINGLE BELLS**

Dashing through the snow  
In a one horse open sleigh  
O're the fields we go laughing all the way.  
Bells on bobtail ring, making spirits bright,  
What fun it is to ride and sing  
A sleighing song tonight! Oh!

Jingle bells, Jingle bells,  
Jingle all the way.  
Oh what fun it is to ride  
In a one horse opened sleigh!  
Jingle bells, Jingle bells,  
Jingle all the way.  
Oh what fun it is to ride  
In a one horse open sleigh.

A day or two ago  
I thought I'd take a ride:  
And soon Miss Fanny Bright  
Was seated by my side.  
The horse was lean and lank,  
Misfortune seemed his lot,  
He got into a drifted bank  
And we, we got upsot, Oh...

## **JOLLY OLD SAINT NICHOLAS**

Jolly old St. Nicholas, lean your ear this way  
Don't you tell a single soul  
What I'm going to say.  
Christmas eve is coming soon,  
Now you dear old man,  
Whisper what you'll bring to me,  
Tell me if you can.

When the clock is striking twelve,  
When I'm fast asleep,  
Down the chimney with your pack,  
Softly you will creep.  
All the stockings you will find,  
Hanging in a row:  
Mine will be the shortest one,  
You'll be sure to know.

Johnny wants a pair of skates,  
Susie needs a sled,  
Nelly wants a storybook  
One she hasn't read.  
As for me I hardly know, so I'll go to rest.  
Choose for me, Dear Santa Claus,  
What you think is best.

## **FROSTY THE SNOWMAN**

Frosty the snowman was a jolly happy soul,  
With a corn cob pipe and a button nose  
And two eyes made out of coal.  
Frosty the snowman is a fairy tale they say  
He was made of snow but the children know  
How he came to life one day.

There must have been some magic  
In that old silk hat they found.  
For when they placed it on his head  
He began to dance around.  
Oh, Frosty the snowman  
Was alive as he could be  
And the children say  
He could laugh and play  
Just the same as you and me.

Oh, thumpity, thump, thump  
Thumpity, thump, thump  
Look at Frosty go  
Thumpity, thump, thump  
Thumpity, thump, thump  
Over the hills of snow.

## **DECK THE HALL**

Deck the hall with boughs of holly,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.  
'Tis the season to be jolly,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.  
Don we now our gay apparel,  
Fa la la, la la la, la la la  
Troll the ancient yuletide carol,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.

See the blazing yule before us,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.  
Strike the harp and join the chorus,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la  
Follow me in merry measure,  
Fa la la, la la la, la la la.  
While I tell of yuletide treasure,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.

Fast away the old year passes,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.  
Hail the new, ye lads and lasses,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.  
Sing we joyous all together  
Fa la la, la la la, la la la.  
Heedless of the wind and weather,  
Fa la la la la, la la la la.

## GO TELL IT ON THE MOUNTAIN

**(Please join the choir on the chorus)**

*While shepherds kept their watching  
O'er silent flocks by night,  
Behold throughout the heavens  
There shone a holy light.*

**Chorus:** Go tell it on the mountain  
Over the hills and everywhere  
Go, tell it on the mountain  
That Jesus Christ is born.

*The shepherds feared and trembled  
When lo! Above the earth  
Rang out the angel chorus  
That hailed our Savior's birth.*

**Chorus:** Go tell it on the mountain  
Over the hills and everywhere  
Go, tell it on the mountain  
That Jesus Christ is born.

## 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 nature sing.

Joy to the world, the Savior reigns!  
Let men 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, wonders of His love.

### **O CHRISTMAS TREE**

Oh Christmas tree! Oh Christmas tree!

How lovely are your branches!

Oh Christmas tree! Oh Christmas tree!

How lovely are your branches!

The sight of you at Christmas time

Spreads hope and gladness far and wide.

Oh Christmas tree! Oh Christmas tree!

How lovely are your branches!

### **O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL**

Oh 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!

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exaltation,

O sing all ye citizens of heaven above.

Glory to God in the highest.

O come let us adore him,

O come let us adore him,

O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord.

Yea, Lord we greet Thee,

Born this happy morning;

Jesus, to Thee be all glory giv'n

Word of the Father,

Now in flesh appearing.

O come let us adore him,

O come let us adore him,

O come let us adore him, Christ the Lord.

### **WHITE CHRISTMAS**

I'm dreaming of a white Christmas

Just like the ones I used to know,

Where the treetops glisten

and children listen

To hear sleigh bells in the snow.

I'm dreaming of a white Christmas

With ev'ry Christmas card I write.

May your days be merry and bright

And may all your Christmas's be white.

## **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,  
Heav'nly 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,  
Jesus, Lord at thy birth!

## **WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS**

We wish you a Merry Christmas,  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
We wish you a Merry Christmas  
And a Happy New Year

Good tidings we bring to you and your  
kin  
Good tidings for Christmas  
And a Happy New Year.

Oh bring us some figgy pudding  
Oh bring us some figgy pudding  
Oh bring us some figgy pudding  
Now bring some right here.

We won't go until we get some,  
We won't go until we get some,  
We won't go until we get some  
So bring some right here.

## **THANK YOU TO OUR GENEROUS SPONSORS**

The 2021 Festival of Trees is made possible by support from Indiana Michigan Power and AEP Foundation, Steel Dynamics, Fort Wayne Metals, STAR Financial Bank, Chuck & Lisa Surack and Sweetwater, and 3Rivers Federal Credit Union.

Media sponsors are The Journal Gazette, ABC21, Adams Radio Group, glo Magazine and Senior Life Newspaper.