# O Come, O come, Emmanuel, and ransom captive Israel.

that mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear! *refrain:* Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel shall come to thee, O Israel!

O come, thou Wisdom from on high, who ord'rest all things mightily; to us the path of knowledge show, and teach us in her ways to go! refrain

## 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.

For Christ is born of Mary; and gathered all above, while mortals sleep, the angels keep their watch of wond'ring love. O morning stars, together proclaim the holy birth! and praises sing to God the King, and peace to all on earth.

#### O Come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant, O

come ye, O come\_\_\_ ye to Beth-lehem; come, and behold him, born the King of angels; refrain: 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 exultation, sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above; glory to God, glory in the highest; refrain

Yeah, Lord, we greet thee, born this happy morning; Jesus, to thee be glory giv'n; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing; refrain

### 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 the angelic host proclaim Christ is born in Bethlehem!

refrain: Hark, the herald angels sing glory to the newborn King!

**Silent Night**, holy night, all is calm, all is bright round you 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 Allelulia; Christ, the savior, is born! Christ, the Savior, is born!

Silent Night, holy night, Song 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.

#### 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 heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the Wolrd, the Savior reigns; let us our 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!

A blessed Christmas to all from St. Matthew's Episcopal Church!

Kindly join us inside for a special musical presentation by our choir followed by a Festal Celebration of the Nativity of our Lord.

7pm choir presentation 7:30pm Festal Eucharist