



Carols on the Green

Saturday 20th December 2025, 6pm

Welcome to our Community Carols on The Green.

As a way of spreading Christmas cheer and bringing the whole community together, we are once again having a time singing popular carols next to the Community Christmas tree, led by our musicians. Let us all fill our Village with the wonderful songs of Christmas!

At the end we will be coming round for a retiring collection for the vital work of DENS.

WELCOME BY REV BEN BRADY

O COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem
O 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

God of God, Light of Light,
lo, He abhors not the virgin's womb;
very God, begotten not created;

Chorus

Sing, choirs of angels; sing in exultation;
sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!
Glory to God, all glory in the highest!

Chorus

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 sky
Look down where He lay
The little Lord Jesus
Asleep on the hay

The cattle are lowing
The poor baby wakes
But little Lord Jesus
No crying He makes

Bless all the dear children
In Thy tender care
And take us to heaven
To live with Thee there

DECK THE HALLS

Deck the halls with boughs of holly,
Fa la la la, la la la la.
Tis the season to be jolly,
Fa la la la, la la la la.

Follow me in merry measure,
Fa la la la, la la la la.
While I tell of Yule tide treasure,
Fa la la la, la la la la.

Sing we joyous, all together,
Fa la la la, la la la la.
Heedless of the wind and weather,
Fa la la la, la la la la.

DING DONG, MERRILY ON HIGH!

Ding dong, merrily on high!
In heav'n the bells are ringing;
ding dong, verily the sky
is riv'n with angel singing.
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!

E'en so here below, below,
let steeple bells be swungen,
And io, io, io,
by priest and people sungen.
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!

Pray ye dutifully prime
your matin chime, ye ringers;
may ye beautifully rhyme
your evetime song, ye singers.
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!
Gloria, hosannah in excelsis!

GOD REST YE MERRY GENTLEMEN

God rest ye merry gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Saviour
Was born on Christmas Day
To save us all from Satan's pow'r
When we were gone astray
Oh tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
Oh tidings of comfort and joy

In Bethlehem, in Israel
This blessed Babe was born
And laid within a manger
Upon this blessed morn
The which His Mother Mary
Did nothing take in scorn
Oh tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
Oh tidings of comfort and joy

Fear not then, said the Angel
Let nothing you affright
This day is born a Savior
Of a pure Virgin bright
To free all those who trust in Him
From Satan's pow'r and might
Oh tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
Oh tidings of comfort and joy

JINGLE BELLS

Dashing through the snow
In a one-horse open sleigh
O'er the fields we go
Laughing all the way
Bells on bobtails ring
Making spirits bright
What fun it is to ride and sing
A sleighing song tonight

Jingle bells, jingle bells
Jingle all the way
Oh, what fun it is to ride
In a one-horse open sleigh, hey
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
The story I must tell
I went out on the snow
And on my back I fell
A gent was riding by
In a one-horse open sleigh
He laughed as there I sprawling lie
But quickly drove away

Chorus

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.

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 men on earth.

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.

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!

RUDOLPH THE RED-NOSED REINDEER

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"

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 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!

FINAL PRAYER

May the joy of the angels,
The eagerness of the shepherds,
The perseverance of the wise men,
The obedience of Joseph and Mary,
And the peace of the Christ child,
Be yours this Christmas,
And the blessing of God almighty,
The Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit,
Be among us and remain with us always.

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
We wish you a merry Christmas, We wish you a merry Christmas
We wish you a merry Christmas and a happy new year
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
We wish you a merry Christmas and a happy new year

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*Many thanks to all those who have made Carols on the Green possible
Holy Trinity Church, the Parish Council, the musicians from the
Amersham Band, Cllr Chris Pocock.*

*Rev Ben, members of Holy Trinity Church and the Parish Council,
would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New
Year!*

*We thank all those who have come together to enable this
gathering to take place.*

*Mulled wine and Hot Chocolate is available from 5pm-6pm in the
Church porch.*

Christmas Services @ Holy Trinity

Christmas Eve Wednesday 24th December

4pm Crib Service

11.30pm Midnight Mass

Christmas Day Thursday 25th December

10am Family Holy Communion

ALL ARE WELCOME