

# <u>Christmas Eve</u> <u>Community Event</u>

Our Savior's Lutheran Church 1035 Carol Ln, Lafayette, CA 94549

Thursday, December 24, 2020

Carol Singing @ 3:45 p.m. Christmas Reflections with Pastor Dan @ 4:00 p.m.

An outdoor, drive-in, Christmas celebration for the whole household or your Covid bubble. Bundle up the kids, fill a thermos full of hot cocoa, pick up some battery-powered tea lights or a flashlight, pack all your Christmas joy in the car, pull into parking lot B & C, and tune your radio to 99.9 FM.

On stage will be Singer/Songwriter Laura Zucker, Pastor Dan, and a few visitors from the manger scene. It's a chance for you to ground your holidays in the spirit of Christmas.

Please download this pdf of song lyrics so you can sing as loud as you like with the windows rolled up!

Happy Holidays!

## 1. Jingle Bells

Dashing through the snow In a one horse open sleigh O'er the fields we go Laughing all the way Bells on bob tails ring Making spirits bright What fun it is to laugh 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 open 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 We got into a drifted bank And then we got upsot

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#### 2. Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer

Rudolph, the red-nosed reindeer had a very shiny nose. And if you ever saw him, 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 all the reindeer loved him as they shouted out with glee, Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer, you'll go down in history!

#### 3. Deck the Halls

Deck the halls 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. 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.

#### 4. Away in a Manger

Away in a manger, no crib for his bed, The little Lord Jesus lay down his sweet head. The stars in the bright sky looked down where he lay, The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.

The cattle are lowing, the baby awakes, But little Lord Jesus, no crying he makes. I love you, Lord Jesus; look down from the sky And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask you to stay Close by me forever, and love me, I pray. Bless all the dear children in your tender care, And fit us for heaven, to live with you there.

#### 5. The First Noel

The first noel, the angel did say, Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as 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.

They look-ed up, and saw a star, Shining in the east beyond them far, And to the earth it gave great light, And so it continued both day and night. Noel, noel, noel, noel: born is the king of Israel.

### 6. 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 heav'nly song? Gloria in excelsis Deo; Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Come to Bethlehem and see Him whose birth the angels sing; Come, adore on bended knee Christ the Lord,

the newborn king.

Gloria in excelsis Deo; Gloria in excelsis Deo.

#### 7. Silent Night, Holy 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 your holy face with the dawn of redeeming grace, Jesus, Lord, at your birth, Jesus, Lord, at your birth.

#### 8. 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!

Glad tidings we bring To you and your kin; Glad tidings for Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Now bring us some figgy pudding, Now bring us some figgy pudding, Now bring us some figgy pudding, Please bring it right here!

Glad tidings we bring To you and your kin; Glad tidings for Christmas and a Happy New Year!

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 it out here!

Glad tidings we bring To you and your kin; Glad tidings for 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!