

**St Anthony's Family Carol Concert**  
**Saturday - 11<sup>th</sup> December 2021**  
**16.00 Hrs.**

*Peace and Joy on Earth*

**AWAY IN A MANGER**

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,  
The little Lord Jesus laid 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 thee, Lord Jesus, look down from the sky,  
And stay by my side until morning is nigh.

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

**SOLO – WHITE CHRISTMAS (FR. PAT)**

**ROCKIN' AROUND THE CHRISTMAS TREE**

Rockin' around the Christmas tree  
At the Christmas party hop  
Mistletoe hung where you can see  
Every couple tries to stop

Rockin' around the Christmas tree  
Let the Christmas spirit ring  
Later we'll have some pumpkin pie  
And we'll do some caroling

You will get a sentimental feeling  
When you hear  
Voices singing let's be jolly  
Deck the halls with boughs of holly

Rockin' around the Christmas tree  
Have a happy holiday  
Everyone dancing merrily  
In the new old-fashioned way

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**DUET**

## **SILENT NIGHT/NIGHT OF SILENCE**

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 (x2)

Stille Nacht! Heilige Nacht!  
Hirten erst kundgemacht  
Durch der Engel Alleluja,  
Tönt es laut von Fern und Nah:  
Christ, der Retter, ist da! (x2)

### ***Instrumental***

Spirit among us, shine like the star  
Your lights that guides shepherds  
and kings from afar  
Shimmer in the sky so empty, lonely  
Rising in the warmth of your Son's love  
Star unknowing of night and day  
Spirit we wait for your loving son

## **MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYONE**

Snow is fallin' all around me, children playin',  
having fun  
It's the season of love and understanding,  
Merry Christmas everyone

Time for parties and celebrations  
People dancin' all night long  
Time for presents and exchanging kisses  
Time for singing Christmas songs

We're gonna have a party tonight  
I'm gonna find that girl underneath the  
mistletoe, we'll kiss by candle light

The room is swaying, records playing  
All the old songs love to hear  
How I wish that everyday was Christmas  
What a nice way to spend the year

### ***Instrumental***

*Shooby-dooby-doo-wop*

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I'm gonna find that girl underneath the  
mistletoe  
We'll kiss by candle light

Snow is fallin' (Snow is fallin'),  
All around me (All around me)  
Children playin' (Children playin')  
Having fun (Having fun)  
It's the season, love and understanding

Merry Christmas everyone (x 3)

= *Key change* =

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Having fun (Having fun)  
It's the season, love and understanding  
Merry Christmas everyone  
*Repeat x2, Last time sing last line x3*

## **RUDOLPH THE RED NOSE REINDEER**

Rudolph the red nose reindeer [REINDEER]  
Had a very shiny nose [LIKE A LIGHTBULB]  
And if you ever saw it [SAW IT]  
You would even say it glowed  
[LIKE A FLASHLIGHT]  
All of the other reindeer [REINDEER]  
Used to laugh and call him names  
[LIKE PINOCCHIO]  
They never let poor Rudolph [RUDOLPH]  
Join in any reindeer games  
[LIKE MONOPOLY]

Then one foggy Christmas Eve,  
Santa came to say: [HO! HO! HO!]  
“Rudolph with your nose so bright,  
Won't you guide my sleigh tonight?”

Then all the reindeer loved him  
[LOVED HIM]  
As they shouted out with glee [YIPPEE!!!!]  
“Rudolph the red nose reindeer [REINDEER]  
You'll go down in history!”  
[LIKE COLUMBUS]

## DUET

### JINGLE BELLS

Dashing through the snow  
In a one-horse open sleigh  
Through the fields we go laughing all the  
way.  
Bells on bob-tail ring making spirits bright  
What fun it is to ride and sing  
A sleighing song tonight.

#### *Chorus:*

Jingle bells, jingle bells, Jingle all the way,  
Oh what fun it is to ride  
in a one-horse open sleigh,  
Oh 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 ran into a drifted bank  
and there we got upsot. (**Chorus**)

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 at me as I there laid  
But quickly drove away. (**Chorus**)

Now the ground is white,  
go it while you're young,  
Take the girls along  
and sing this sleighing song.  
Just bet a bob-tailed bay,  
two-forty as his speed,  
Hitch him to an open sleigh  
And crack! You'll take the lead. (**Chorus**)

## HARK THE HERALD ANGELS SING

Hark, the herald angels sing,  
Glory to the new-born 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.  
Hark, the herald angels sing,  
Glory to the new-born King.

Christ, by highest heaven adored,  
Christ, the everlasting Lord,  
Late in time behold him come,  
Offspring of a Virgin's womb!  
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see,  
Hail the incarnate Deity!  
Pleased as man with man to dwell,  
Jesus, our Emmanuel.  
Hark, the herald angels sing,  
Glory to the new-born King.

#### *Descant :*

Hail the heaven-born Prince of peace!  
Hail the Sun of righteousness!  
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 the sons of earth,  
Born to give them second birth.  
Hark, the herald angels sing,  
Glory to the new-born King.

## **GREAT DAY IN BETHLEHEM**

*Great day in Bethlehem (x 3)  
In a stable at the back of the inn*

The greatest story ever told is told on Christmas day,  
Of two who came to Bethlehem, they'd come a long, long way  
Weary, tired, dusty, worn, they knocked at every inn  
There was a baby to be born, A new life to begin – And it's a

### **Chorus**

After looking high and low in the crowded town  
The only place where they could rest, where they could both lie down,  
Was in a barn with animals, with goats and cows and sheep  
There the two could make their bed, there the two could sleep – And it's a

### **Chorus**

Late that night their son was born, a son who was to be  
The way for men to find the truth, a light for them to see  
Angels cried "O Glory Be', Hosanna let us sing  
Peace on earth, goodwill to men, today is born a king." – And it's a

### **Chorus (x 2)**

