



2023

Song Book and Program

4:30_{pm}

Christmas Festival

MUSICIANS: Melbourne Talent Company
Mark Turner

6:00_{pm}

Doreen Community Carols

OPENING: LAUREN KATHAGE (MEMBER FOR YAN YEAN)

SONGS O Come All Ye Faithful
God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

KIDS SPOT 1

READING 1 **Matthew 1: 18-25**

SONGS O Come, O Come Emmanuel
What Child Is This?

KIDS SPOT 2

READING 2 **Luke 2: 1-7**

SONG Silent Night

KIDS SPOT 3

SONG Hark The Herald Angels Sing

READING 3 **Luke 2: 8-14**

SONGS Angels We Have Heard On High
The First Noel

READING 4 **Matthew 2: 1-6**

SONG We Three Kings

MESSAGE: **Can Bluey meet Joe Brum?**

SONGS Joy To The World
Jingle Bells - *Santa arrives on stage*

O Come All Ye Faithful

O 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 exultation!
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above
Glory to God!
Glory 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 given!
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!

Words and music are in the public domain

God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen

God rest ye merry gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Savior
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

From God our heavenly Father
a blessed angel came;
And unto certain shepherds
brought tidings of the same;
How that in Bethlehem was born
the son of God by name.

Oh tidings of comfort and joy
Comfort and joy
Oh tidings of comfort and joy

God rest ye merry gentlemen
Let nothing you dismay
Remember Christ our Savior
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

Words and music are in the public domain

Kids' Spot 1

Matthew 1:18-25

¹⁸ This is how the birth of Jesus the Messiah came about[a]: His mother Mary was pledged to be married to Joseph, but before they came together, she was found to be pregnant through the Holy Spirit. ¹⁹ Because Joseph her husband was faithful to the law, and yet did not want to expose her to public disgrace, he had in mind to divorce her quietly.

²⁰ But after he had considered this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph son of David, do not be afraid to take Mary home as your wife, because what is conceived in her is from the Holy Spirit. ²¹ She will give birth to a son, and you are to give him the name Jesus, because he will save his people from their sins."

²² All this took place to fulfil what the Lord had said through the prophet: ²³ "The virgin will conceive and give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel" (which means "God with us").

²⁴ When Joseph woke up, he did what the angel of the Lord had commanded him and took Mary home as his wife. ²⁵ But he did not consummate their marriage until she gave birth to a son. And he gave him the name Jesus.

The logo for Valley Kids features the word "VALLEY" in large, bold, orange capital letters. Below it, the word "kids" is written in a smaller, lowercase font, with "ki" in green, "d" in red, and "s" in blue.

Kids program during 10am Sunday Service
at **Valley Presbyterian Church**
during school terms

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

O come, O come, Emmanuel,
and ransom captive Israel
that mourns in lonely exile here
until the Son of God appear

O come, Thou Day-Spring, come and
cheer
Our spirits by Thine Advent here;
Disperse the gloomy clouds by night,
And death's dark shadows put to flight.

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
shall come to you, O Israel.

O come, O come, true prophet of the
Lord
And turn the key to heaven's door
Be Thou our comforter and guide
And lead us to the Father's side

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall by His word our darkness dispel

O come our great high priest and
intercede
Thy sacrifice our only plea
The judgment we no longer fear
Thy precious blood has brought us near

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Has banished every fear of hell

O come Thou king of nations bring
An end to all our suffering
Bid every pain and sorrow cease
And reign now as our Prince of Peace

Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come again with us to dwell
Rejoice! Rejoice! Emmanuel
Shall come again with us to dwell

O Come O Come Emmanuel Original words (v. 1-2) translated by John M. Neale (1851). Music, Veni Emmanuel. Alt. and add. words (v. 3-5) by Steve Cook and Bob Kauflin. © 2014 Sovereign Grace Praise (BMI)/Sovereign Grace Worship (ASCAP)

VALLEY
youth

CHRIST Centred
CHRIST Like
CHRIST Made Known
For **HIS** Glory

Fridays 7-9pm during school terms
Multi Purpose Hall, Plenty Valley Christian College

What Child Is This?

What Child is this who, laid to rest
On Mary's lap, is sleeping?
Whom angels greet with anthems sweet
While shepherds watch are keeping?

This, this is Christ the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing,
Haste, haste, to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

So bring Him incense, gold and myrrh,
Come peasant, king to own Him.
The King of kings salvation brings,
Let loving hearts enthrone Him.
Raise, raise, the song on high,

The virgin sings her lullaby,
Joy, joy, for Christ is born,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

This, this is Christ the King,
Whom shepherds guard and angels sing,
Haste, haste, to bring Him laud,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

Nails, spear shall pierce him through,
The Cross be borne for me, for you,
Hail, hail the Word made flesh,
The Babe, the Son of Mary!

Words and music are in the public domain

Kids' Spot 2:

Luke 2: 1-7

1 In those days Caesar Augustus issued a decree that a census should be taken of the entire Roman world. **3** And everyone went to their own town to register. **4** So Joseph also went up from the town of Nazareth in Galilee to Judea, to Bethlehem the town of David, because he belonged to the house and line of David. **5** He went there to register with Mary, who was pledged to be married to him and was expecting a child. **6** While they were there, the time came for the baby to be born, **7** and she gave birth to her firstborn, a son. She wrapped him in cloths and placed him in a manger, because there was no guest room available for them.

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

Words and music are in the public domain

Kids' Spot 3:

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 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 the Virgin's womb:
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see;
Hail the incarnate Deity,
Pleased with us in flesh to dwell,
Jesus, our Immanuel.

*Hark! The herald angels sing
"Glory to the new-born king"*

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"*

Words and music are in the public domain

Luke 2: 8-14

8 In the same region, shepherds were staying out in the fields and keeping watch at night over their flock. **9** Then an angel of the Lord stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them, and they were terrified. **10** But the angel said to them, “Don’t be afraid, for look, I proclaim to you good news of great joy that will be for all the people: **11** Today a Saviour, who is Christ the Lord, was born for you in the city of David. **12** This will be the sign for you: You will find a baby wrapped snugly in cloth and lying in a feeding trough.” **13** Suddenly there was a multitude of the heavenly host with the angel, praising God and saying: **14** Glory to God in the highest heaven, and peace on earth to people He favours!

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 new-born King.

Gloria, in excelsis Deo!
Gloria, in excelsis Deo!

Gloria, in excelsis Deo!
Gloria, in excelsis Deo!

Words and music are in the public domain

The First Noel

The First Noel the Angels 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 looked 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!*

Then let us all with one accord
Sing praises to our heavenly Lord
That hath made Heaven and earth of
nought
And with his blood mankind hath bought

*Noel Noel Noel Noel
Born is the King of Israel!
Noel Noel Noel Noel
Born is the King of Israel!*

Words and music are in the public domain

Matthew 2: 1-6

After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem ² and asked, "Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star when it rose and have come to worship him." When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. ⁴ When he had called together all the people's chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵ "In Bethlehem in Judea," they replied, "for this is what the prophet has written:

" 'But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;
for out of you will come a ruler
who will shepherd my people Israel.'"

We Three Kings

We three kings of Orient are;
bearing gifts we traverse afar,
field and fountain, moor and mountain,
following yonder star.

O star of wonder, star of light,
star with royal beauty bright,
westward leading, still proceeding,
guide us to thy perfect light.

Born a King on Bethlehem's plain,
gold I bring to crown him again,
King forever, ceasing never,
over us all to reign.

O star of wonder, star of light,
star with royal beauty bright,
westward leading, still proceeding,
guide us to thy perfect light.

Glorious now behold him arise;
King and God and sacrifice:
Alleluia, Alleluia,
sounds through the earth and skies.

O star of wonder, star of light,
star with royal beauty bright,
westward leading, still proceeding,
guide us to thy perfect light.
westward leading, still proceeding,
guide us to thy perfect light.

Words and music are in the public domain

Join Us Christmas Day!



Valley Presbyterian Church

10am | Family Friendly service
Plenty Valley Christian College
840 Yan Yean Rd | vpc.org.au



Cornerstone Life Church

10am | cnr Patience Ave & Orchard Rd
cornerstonelifechurch.org.au

Message: Can Bluey meet Joe Brum?

Rev. Richard Wilson
Valley Presbyterian Church

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 heaven and nature
sing

Joy to the world, the Saviour reigns
Let all their songs employ
While fields and floods
Rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat the sounding joy
Repeat, repeat, the sounding joy

*Joy, unspeakable Joy
An overflowing well no tongue can tell
Joy, unspeakable Joy
It rises in my soul never lets me go*

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.

*Joy unspeakable Joy
An overflowing well no tongue can tell
Joy unspeakable Joy
It rises in my soul never lets me go*

Words and music are in the public domain

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
Oh what fun it is to 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

Words and music are in the public domain

Thanks to

Doreen Community Carols Volunteers

Valley Presbyterian Church Carols Band

Mark Turner

Melbourne Talent Company

CFA - Doreen

Barry Plant Real Estate

Proudly supported by



***City of*
Whittlesea**