

## Welcome to All Saints Anglican Church of Luxembourg







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- This is our special Nativity service
- It is the third Sunday in Advent!
- Junior Church and Youth Group are leading our service
- All the words for this service that you will need are on the screen, please join in the words in **bold black**
- Toilets are downstairs (turn left)
- If you have a small child and they get restless, don't worry!
   Feel free to move around, use the Pray & Play space, come and go as you need to.

**Anglican Church** 

#### **New to All Saints?**

Tell us how we can welcome you – use the QR to give us your details so we can contact you!

Fill in a card – give it to the Welcomers or clergy



### Welcome to All Saints





- In the 5 minutes before or after a Service, greet someone you don't know well
- If someone you don't know is alone within metres of a group you are in, greet and invite them to join you
- 2 Ensure newcomers meet at least 2 people



#### Welcome!







#### Our Monthly Music Making team is

rehearsing our song: Hear the bells ringing!



Later in the service we'll sing this together.

Hear the bells ringing, Angels are singing: Joy, Jesus! For every nation, This is salvation: Joy, Jesus!



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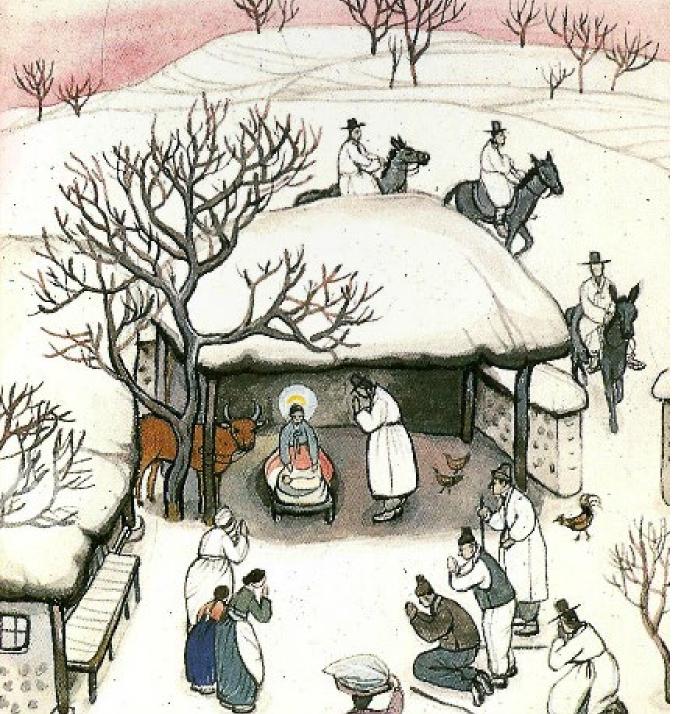
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### All Saints ... ...gathering together

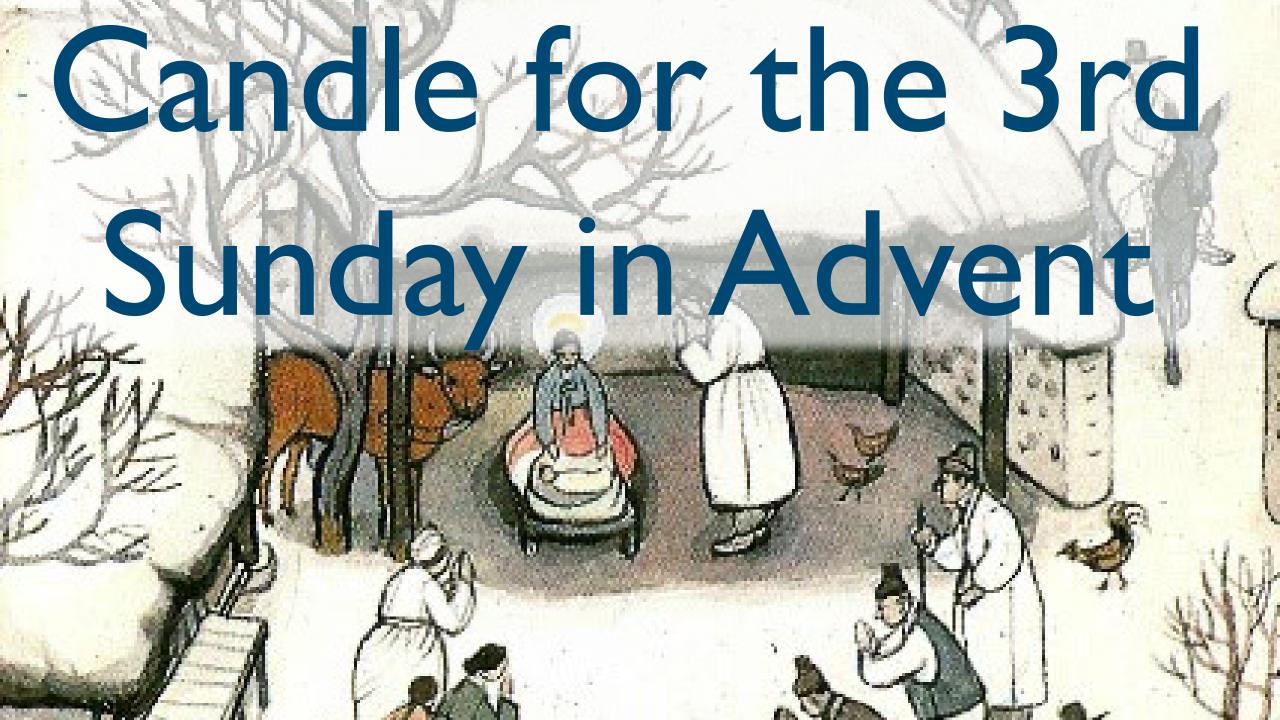


#### Welcome!









As we light our Advent candle

Light of the world, shine on us.

As we prepare for Christmas time

Light of the world, shine on us.

In this world of pain and darkness

Light of the world, shine through us.

To all the people who don't know you,

Light of the world, shine through us.

Jesus you are coming again,

Light of the world, light the way.

In our service here today

Light of the world, light the way.



Lord Jesus, you came to gather the nations into the peace of your kingdom:

Lord, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy.

You come in Word and Spirit to strengthen us in holiness:

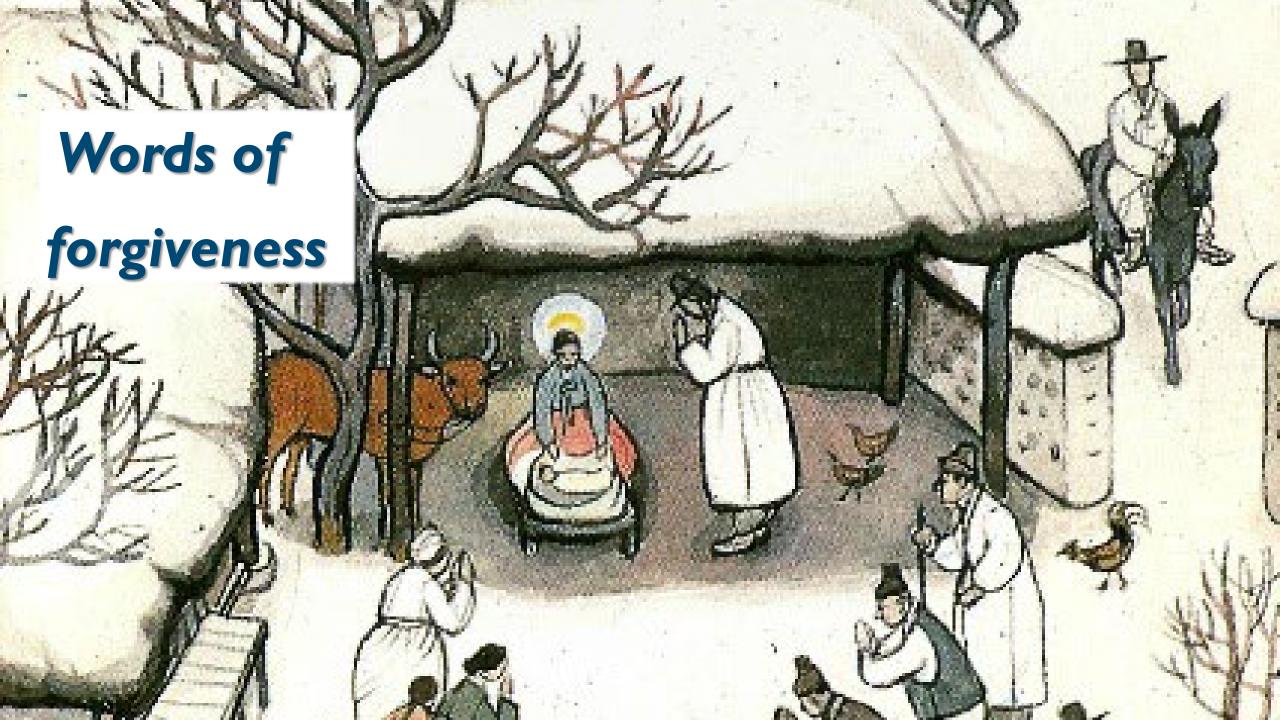
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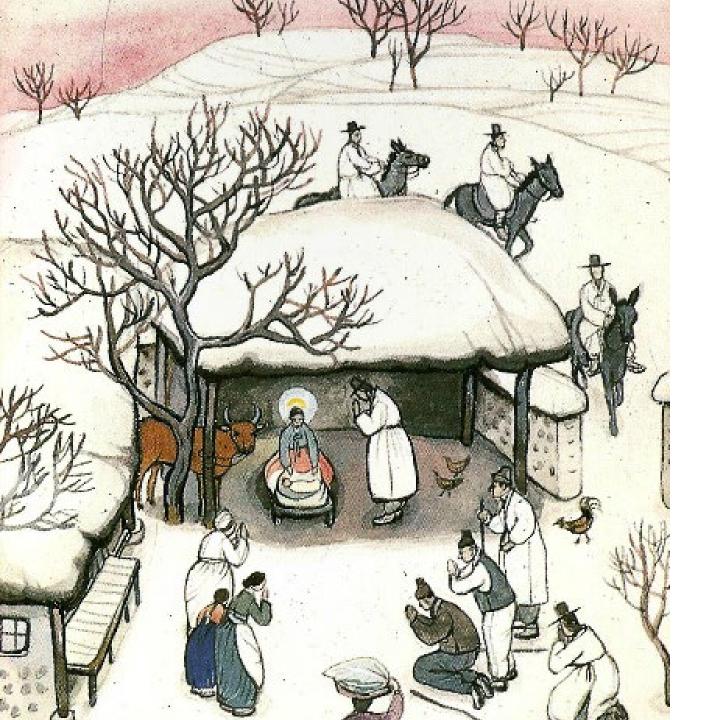
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You will come in glory with salvation for your people:

Lord, have mercy.

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# All Saints ... ...listening to God's word together



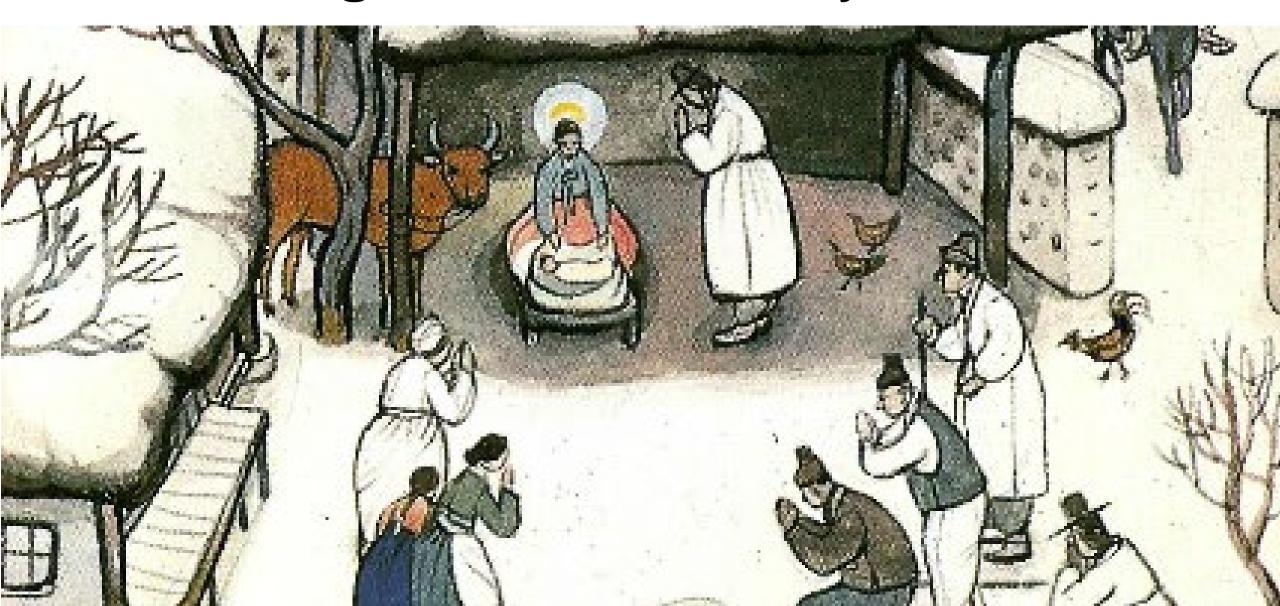








#### Bible Readings: from Luke 2 and John 1





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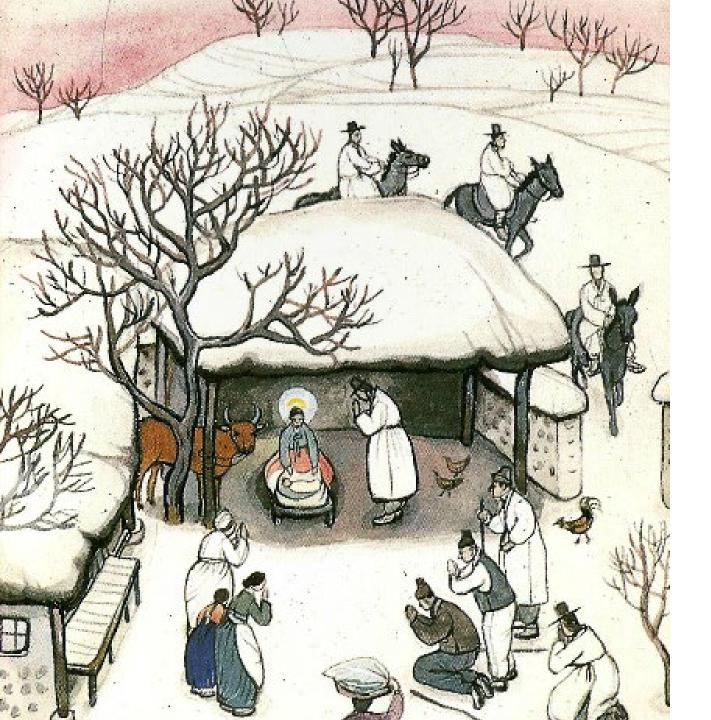


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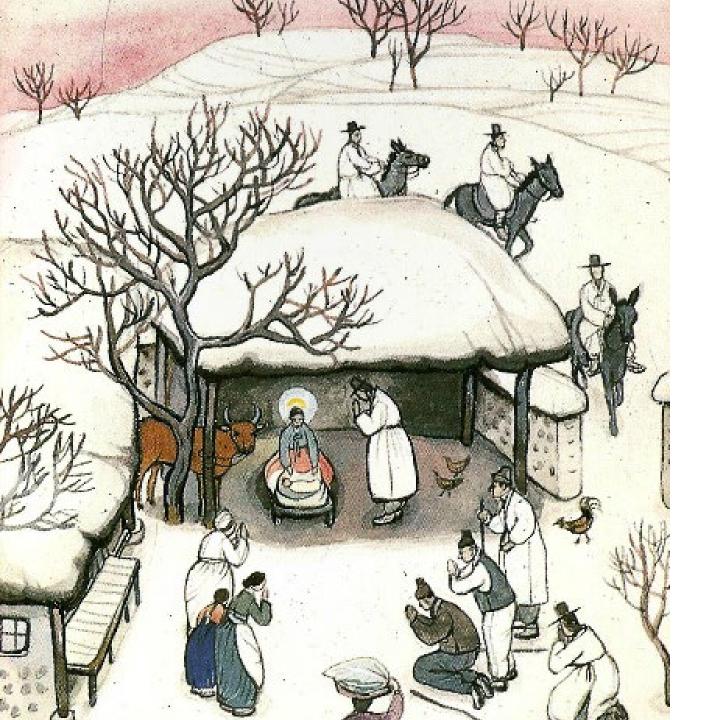






#### Nativity Introduction

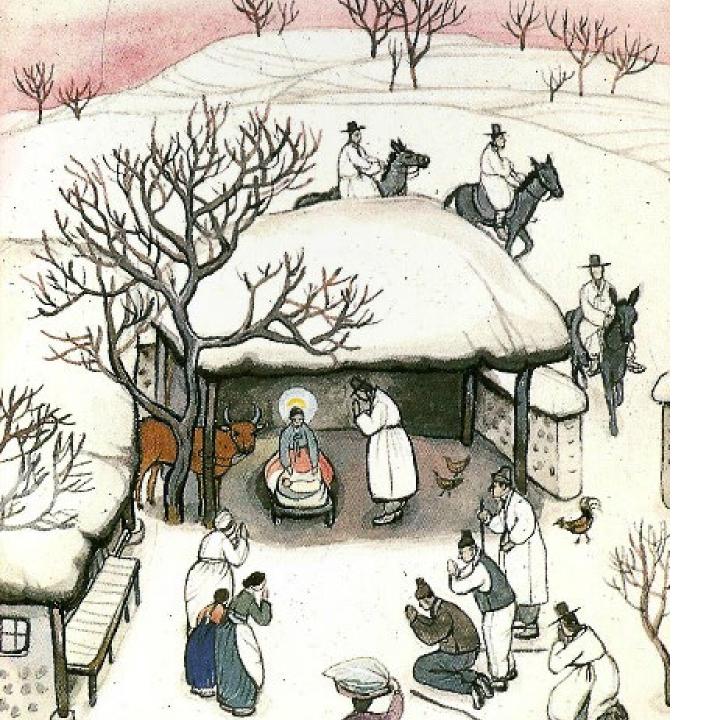






# Scene I Mary and Joseph

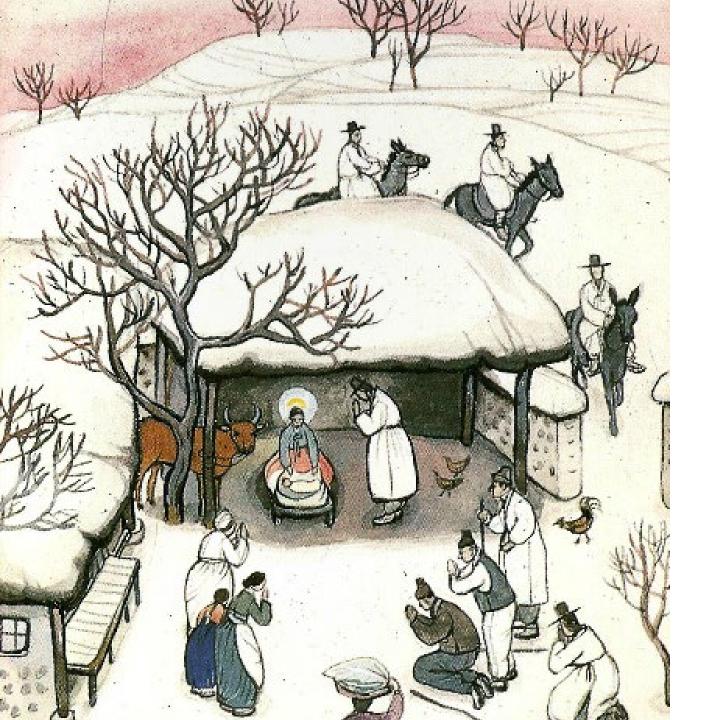






# Scene 2 The Journey







#### Scene 3 The Stable



Away in a manger, no crib for a bed, The little Lord Jesus laid down his sweet head. The stars in the sky looked down where he lay, The little Lord Jesus asleep in 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 cradle til morning is nigh.

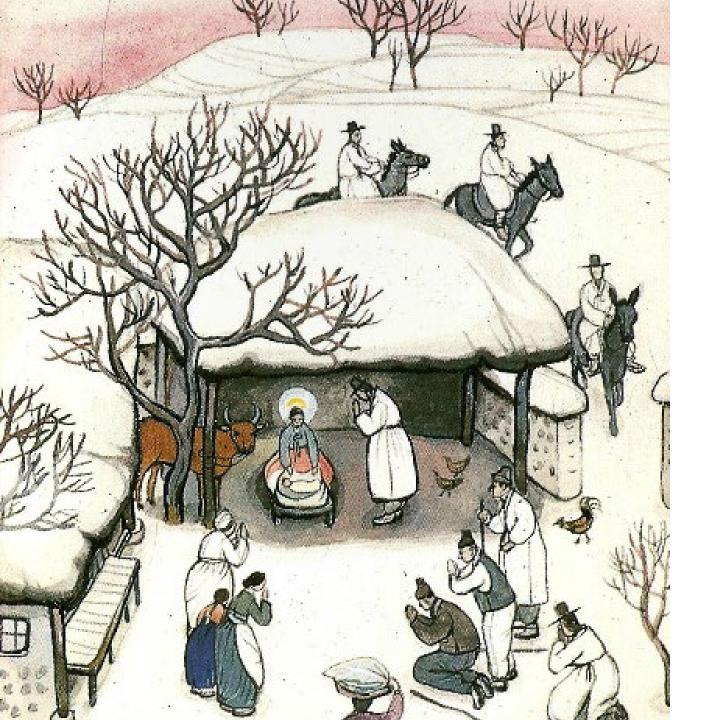


Be near me, Lord Jesus, I ask Thee to stay

Close by me forever, and love me, I pray.

Bless all the dear children in thy tender care,
And take us to heaven,
to live with Thee there.

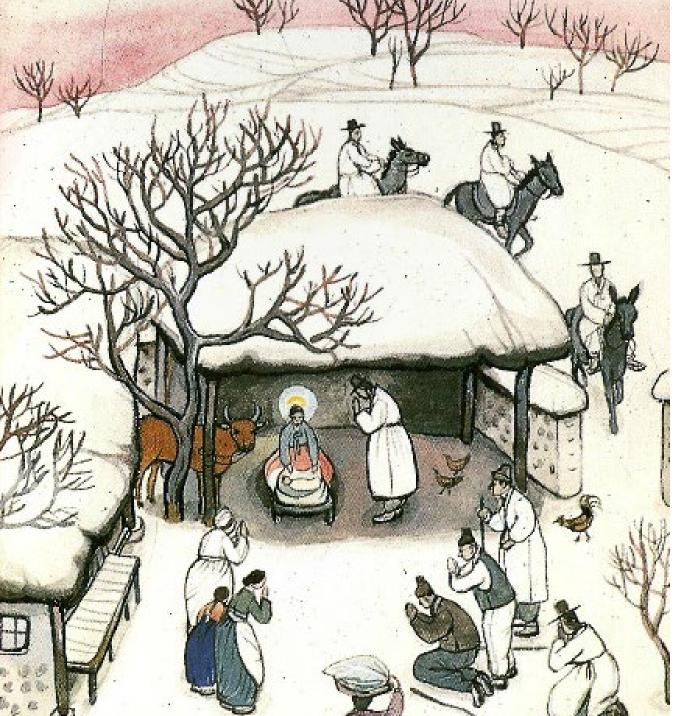






## Scene 4 The Birth of Jesus







# Scene 5 The Shepherds



See him lying on a bed of straw;

A draughty stable with an open door,

Mary cradling the babe she bore;

The prince of glory is his name.



Oh, now carry me to Bethlehem

to see the Lord appear to men;

Just as poor as was the stable then,

The prince of glory

when he came.



Star of silver sweep across the skies, show where Jesus in the manger lies. Shepherds swiftly from your stupor rise to see the Saviour of the world.



Oh, now carry me to Bethlehem

to see the Lord appear to men;

Just as poor as was the stable then,

The prince of glory

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Mine are riches from thy poverty,

From thine innocence, eternity;

Mine, forgiveness by thy death for me,

Child of sorrow for my joy.



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Angels, sing agan the song you sang, bring God's glory to the heart of man; Sing the Bethl'hem's little baby can be salvation to the soul.



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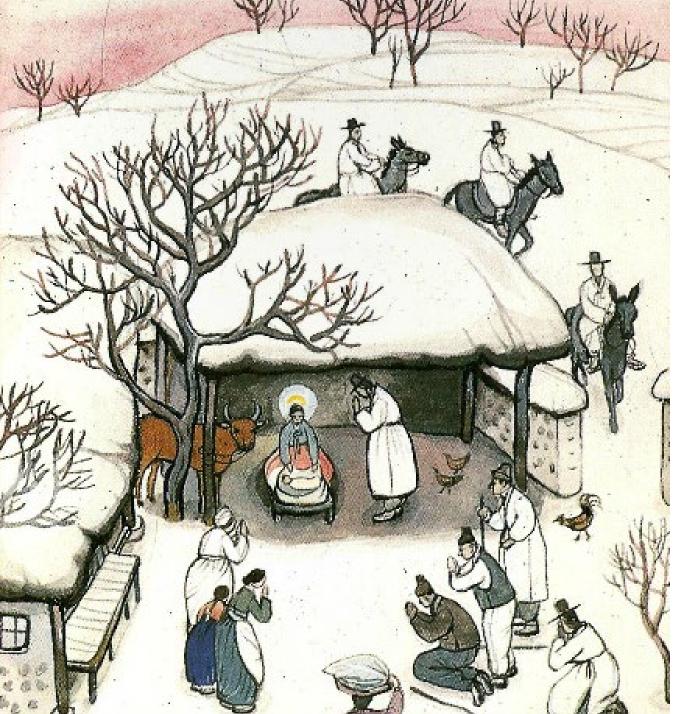
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#### Scene 6 The Wise Men



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 night,

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 night,

Star with royal beauty bright,

Westward leading, still proceeding,

Guide us to thy perfect Light.



Frankincense to offer have I.

Incense owns a Deity nigh.

Prayer and praising all men raising,

Worship Him, God on high.



O, star of wonder, star of night,

Star with royal beauty bright,

Westward leading, still proceeding,

Guide us to thy perfect Light.



Myrrh is mine: Its bitter perfume

Breaths a life of gathering gloom.

Sorrowing, sighing, bleeding dying,

Sealed in the stone-cold tomb.



O, star of wonder, star of night,

Star with royal beauty bright,

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Glorious now behold Him arise,

King and God and Sacrifice.

Alleluia, alleluia!

Sounds through the earth

and skies.



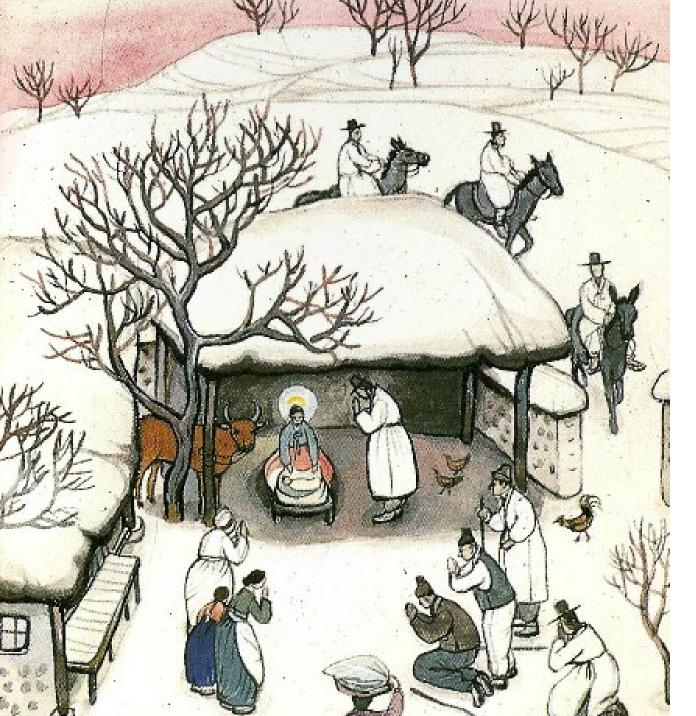
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## Scene 7 Conclusion



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.



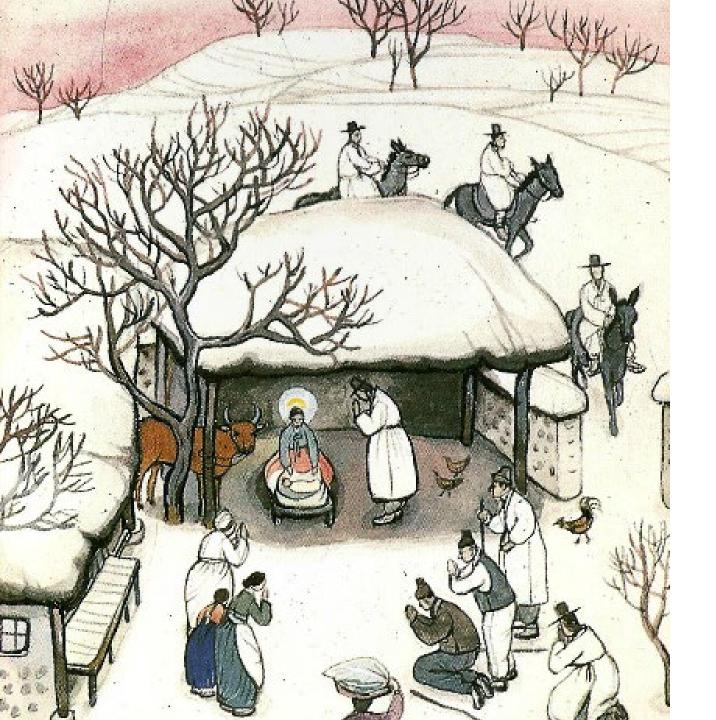
Joy to the world! the Saviour reigns; Let all their songs employ; While fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains

Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat the sounding joy.



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

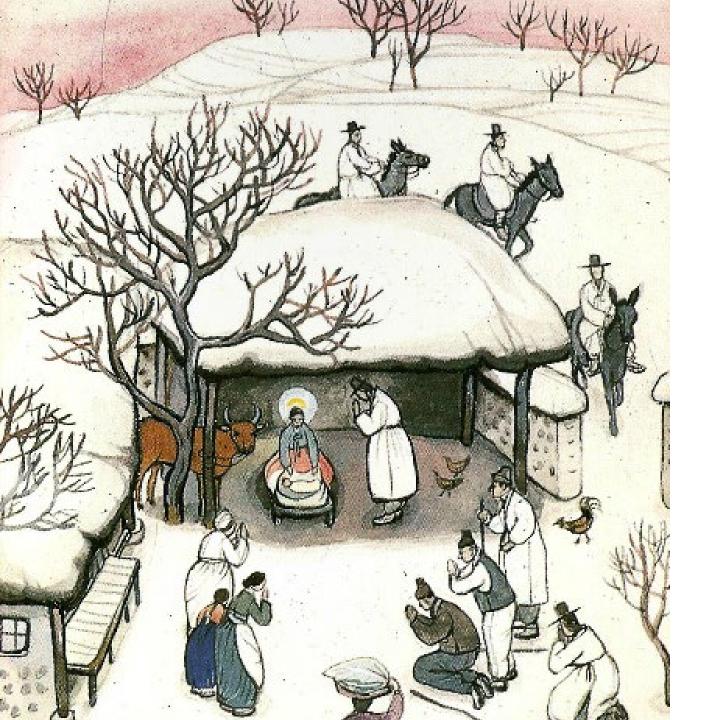






# Final thoughts







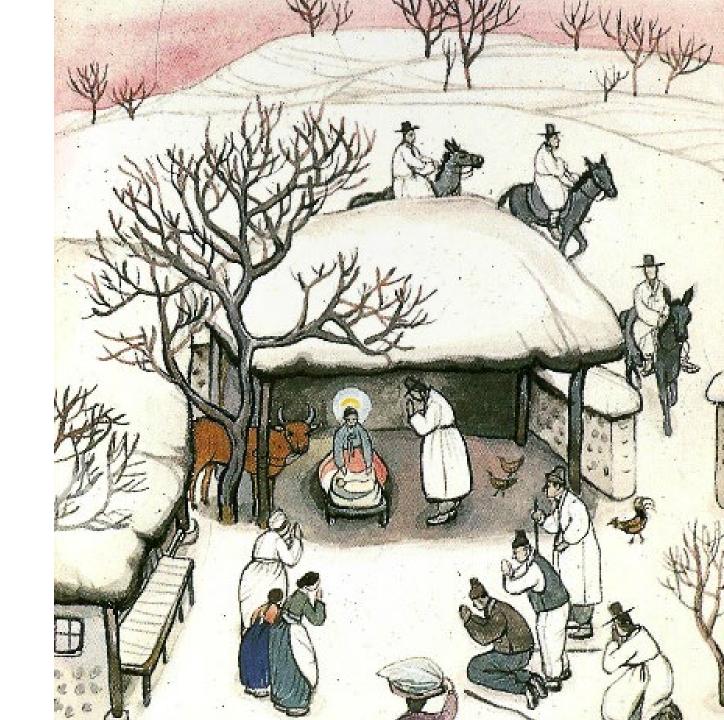
# All Saints ... ...responding together



# The Prayers of the People

Who's on our hearts?

What's on our minds?

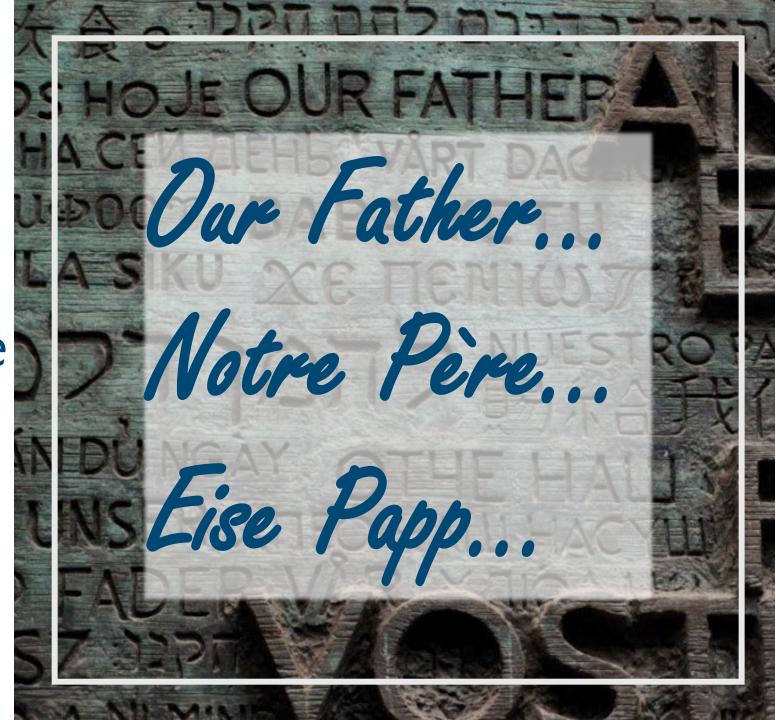


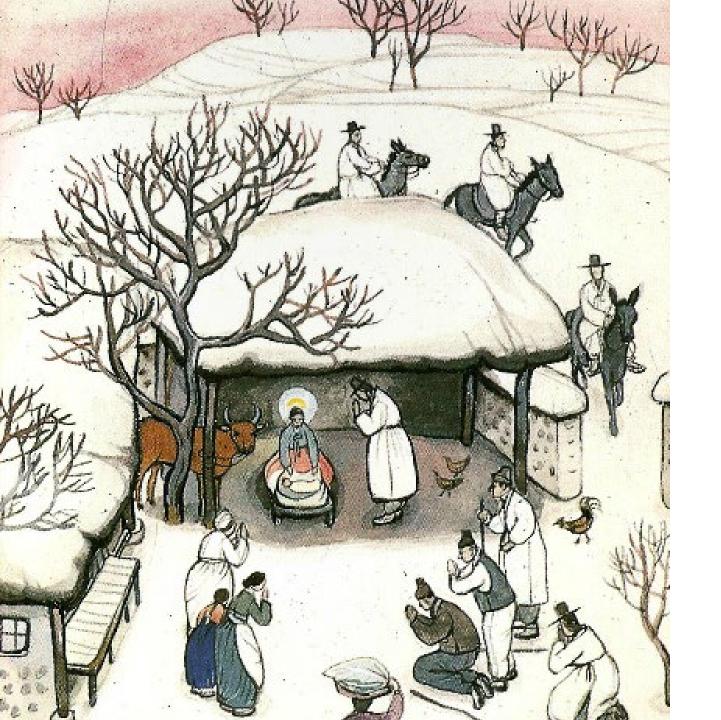


## The Lord's Prayer

Feel free to pray in your natural language of prayer

The words are in the back of the pew bibles







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#### 2025 Advent & Christmas Services

Sunday 30 November Advent Evensong, 17:00

Sunday 14 December
In-between Services Hospitality, 10:10
Nativity Service, 10:45
Carols by Candlelight, 18:00

Christmas Eve
Christingle Service, 16:00
Midnight Holy Communion, 23:00

Christmas Day
Holy Communion for all ages, 10:45

We look forward to welcoming you!



All Services will be in the Konvikt Chapel, 5 ave Marie-Thérèse, L-2132 Luxembourg





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#### Hold the message of Christmas in your hand

### Christingle Service

Wednesday 24 December 16:00

Konvikt Çhapel, ∡5, ave Marie-Thérèse, L-2132









### Giving to enable our mission and ministry

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O Lord, giver of light, hope, joy and peace, I know that all I have received is from your hand. You call us to be stewards of Your abundance, the caretakers of all you have entrusted to us. Help us to always use Your gifts wisely and teach us to share them generously.

As we bring our gifts, we pray again: Your kingdom come, your will be done.

Amen.

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# Sending out prayer

THE WALL TO BE WAY

Go in joy and peace!

In the name of Christ. Amen.

