



Key Stage Two

Carol Service

FRIDAY 6TH DECEMBER, 2024

NORBRECK PRIMARY ACADEMY - LARGE HALL

Led by Rev. Lee



Welcome: Rev. Lee

⓪ 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.

O morning stars, together
Proclaim the holy birth,
And praises sing to God the King,
And peace to men on Earth.
For Christ is born of Mary;
And, gathered all above,
While mortals sleep, the angels keep
Their watch of wondering love.

How silently, how silently,
The wondrous gift is given!
So God imparts to human hearts
The blessings of His heaven.
No ear may hear His coming;
But in this world of sin,
Where meek souls will receive Him, still
The dear Christ enters in.

‘Memories of Christmas’: (Ava, 6L; Harmony, 6M; Amalie, 6S)

Reading: The Angel Appears to Mary (Luke 1:26 – 38)
read by Nathan – Head Boy

‘Christmas is for Giving’: (Evie, 4B; Nancy, 4F; Dana, 4O)

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.

Reading: The Angel Appears to Joseph (Matthew 1: 18 – 25)
read by Pippa – Head Girl

Poem: ‘The True Meaning of Christmas’ by Eugene W. Miller -
read by Mrs. Cadwallader

Reading: Jesus is Born (Luke 2: 1 – 7)
read by Ralph – Deputy Head Boy

Once in Royal David's City

Once in royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her baby
In a manger for his bed;
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to Earth from heaven,
Who is God and Lord of all,
And his shelter was a stable,
And his cradle was a stall;
With the poor, and mean, and lowly,
Lived on earth our saviour holy.

And through all his wondrous childhood
He would honour and obey,
Love and watch the lowly maiden,
In whose gentle arms He lay;
Christian children all must be
Mild, obedient, good as He.

‘What Christmas Means to Me’: (Evie, 3F; Benjamin, 3P; Brodie, 3T)

Reading: The Angel Appears to the Shepherds (Luke 2: 8 – 20)
read by Eleanor – Deputy Head Girl

Poem: ‘The Magic of Christmas’ by Tom Krause -
read by Mr. Cooper

‘Thoughts for the New Year’: (Lexi, 5C; Ella, 5H; Pippa, 5RW)

Address: Rev. Vee

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:

*Chorus: O come let us adore Him,
O come let us adore Him,
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!*

See how the shepherds,
Summoned to His cradle,
Leaving their flocks, draw nigh to gaze;
We too will thither,
Bend our joyful footsteps:

Sing, choirs of angels,
Sing in exultation;
Sing, all ye citizens of heaven above.
Glory to God
In the highest:

Prayers and Blessings

Our very best wishes for a wonderful Christmas and a Happy New Year.