## **Songs for Christmas Eve Service**

## **Opening Song – O Come, All Ye Faithful**

W&R #182

 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;

#### **Refrain:**

O come let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, O come, let us adore him, Christ, the Lord.

2. Sing, choirs of angels, sing in exultation, sing, all ye citizens of heaven above; glory to God, all glory in the highest;

#### Refrain

3. Yea, Lord we greet thee, born this happy morning, Jesus, to thee be all glory given; Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing; Refrain

## Carol - Away in a Manger

W&R#203, v1&2

- 1. 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 on the hay.
- **2.** 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.

# Carol – Silent Night

W&R #186

- 1. Silent night! holy night! All is calm, all is bright 'round you virgin mother and child; holy infant, so tender and mild, sleep in heavenly peace, sleep in heavenly peace.
- 2. Silent night! holy night! Shepherds quake at the sight, Glories stream from heaven afar, heavenly hosts sign 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.
  Closing Song Joy to The World!
  W&R #179
- 1. 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.
- 2. Joy to the earth! The Savior 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.