



# Parc Eglos School

*presents*

## *The Christmas Story*

*in words and songs*



# Order Of Service

Opening Music - played by Parc Eglos musicians

Welcome: Headteacher, Vicky Sanderson

All: Nativity

First Reading - Our Story Begins (Y5)

**Year 4: No Room At The Inn**

Second Reading - To Bethlehem For The Census (Y5)

All: Away In A Manger

Third Reading - Shepherds Hear The Good News (Y5)

Choir: Love Shone Down

Fourth Reading - Three Wise Men Follow The Star (Y6)

**Year 5: Three Kings From The East**

Fifth Reading - King Herod (Y6)

Choir: Winter Carol

Sixth Reading - Christingles (Y4)

*Christingle Procession*

**Year 6: Christingle Song (Hope Of Heaven)**

All: Shine Your Light

Thanks & final thoughts

All: Together At Christmas Time



## Nativity

Two thousand years ago in Bethle-  
hem, Unknown to those who lived in  
that Far-distant town back then,  
A star appeared high in the sky  
And shone just like a gem,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

### **CHORUS**

*At Christmas we remember  
The story of our Saviour's birth.*

Two thousand years ago in Bethle-  
hem,  
Unknown to those who lived in that  
Far-distant town back then,  
Three wise men followed from afar  
The star which guided them,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

### **CHORUS**

Two thousand years ago in Bethle-  
hem, Un-  
known to those who lived in that  
Far-distant town back then,  
While shepherds watched their  
flocks that night  
The angels sang to them,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

### **CHORUS**

Two thousand years ago in Bethle-  
hem,  
Unknown to those who lived in that  
Far-distant town back then,  
A babe was born who'd soon grow up  
To save the world from sin,  
Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah.

## 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 forever  
And love me I pray

Bless all the dear children  
In thy tender care  
And fit us for heaven  
To live with thee there



## Shine Your Light

A. (x2)

*Shine your light!*

*Shine your light!*

*Everybody, shine your light,*

*For everyone to see!*

B.

*Jesus is the light!*

*Jesus is the light!*

*Everybody, Jesus is the light,*

*For everyone to see!*

(All)

A lamp stuck in a cupboard,

Is a waste of a place to be.

So bring it in the open,

For the whole of the world to see!

Whoa

*Chorus: Shine your light...*

Jesus said the darkness

Can never put out His light.

He shines like sun in daytime,

And like stars in the darkest night.

Whoa

*Chorus: Shine your light...*

(All)

Everyone to see!

Everyone to see!

Oh, shine your light

For everyone to see!

Oh, shine your light

For everyone to see!

## Together At Christmas Time

Standing together as Christmas is near,  
The waiting is finally over.

Now that the time for the snowflakes is here,  
We can all sing to each other. (twice)

Now that Christmas is finally here.

Time to reflect on the year.

Finding hope at this Christmas time.

Stand together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

(Christmas time, Christmas time)

Presents are wrapped, Christmas cards on the wall,

Music and dancing around us.

Twinkling lights as the snow starts to fall,

Tinsel and trees and the Santas!

Now that Christmas is finally here.

Time to reflect on the year.

Finding hope at this Christmas time.

Stand together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

(Christmas time, Christmas time)

Hear the sounds of Christmas chimes,

Now we know it's Christmas time.

Sing together at Christmas time,

Sing together at Christmas time.

Sing together at Christmas time,

Sing together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

So ring the bells and sing together at Christmas time.

Standing together as Christmas is near.

We can all sing to each other.

