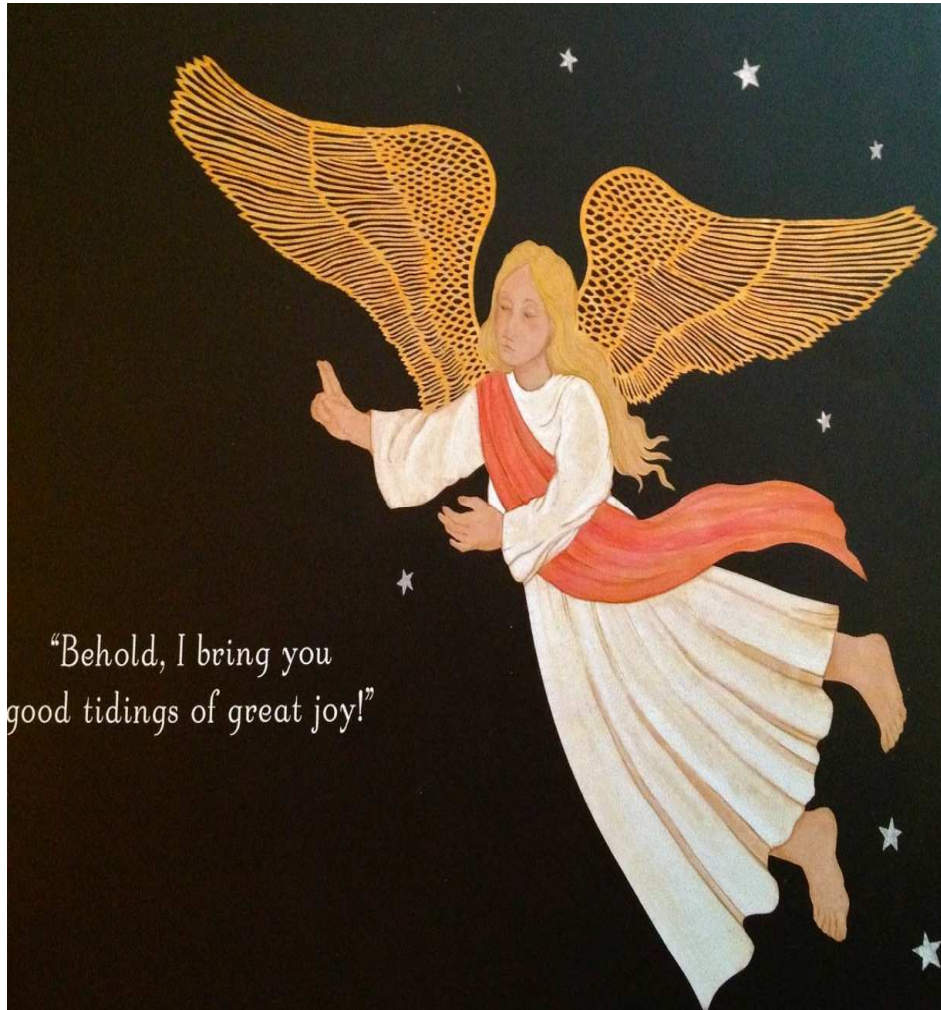


St. Martin's Anglican Church



**CHILDREN'S STORY TIME AND CAROLS
CHRISTMAS EVE 2011**

Welcome and Introduction

Carol 66 Once in Royal David's City

All Lord Jesus, we have come here to celebrate your birth. As we gaze on your crib in this service, help us to see and welcome you among us, for you are our friend, and you free us for life. Amen.

Carol 53 Hark! The Herald Angels sing
Story time

Carol 63 O Little Town of Bethlehem
The Creche is assembled
Blessing of the Creche

Carol 45 Away in a Manger

Priest Blessed are you, God of all glory through your Son the Christ. His name is Jesus.

All because he saves his people from their sins.

Priest He will be called Emmanuel:

All God is with us, Alleluia!

Priest Let us praise the Lord, the God of Israel:

All he has come to his people and set them free.

Priest He gave up the glory of heaven
All and took the form of a servant

Priest The word was made flesh
All and we beheld his glory

Priest All beings in heaven and earth will flat at his feet;
and proclaim to the glory of God
All Jesus Christ is Lord!

Priest This night Christ is born:
All Alleluia!

Priest This night the angels sing on earth:
All Alleluia! Glory to God in the highest!

Priest As our Saviour taught us so we pray:
All Our Father, who art in heaven
Hallowed by thy name;
Thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
On earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread
and forgive us our trespasses, as we
forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

Blessing

Carol 57 Joy to the World