

# The Story of the Christ Child

as told by Saint Luke. (New Version)

**A**nd there were shepherds in the same country abiding in the field and keeping watch by night over their flock and an angel of the Lord stood by them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them; and they were sore afraid

**A**nd the angel said unto them, Be not afraid; for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy which shall be to all the people: for there is born to you this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord

**A**nd this is the sign unto you; Ye shall find a babe wrapped in swaddling clothes, and lying in a manger

**A**nd suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying **G**lory to God in the highest and on earth Peace among men in whom He is well pleased"

**A**nd it came to pass when the angels went away from them into heaven the shepherds said one to another, Let us now go even unto Bethlehem and see this thing that is come to pass which the Lord hath made known unto us

**A**nd they came with haste and found Mary and Joseph and the babe lying in the manger and when they had seen it they made known abroad the saying which was told them, concerning this Child

**A**nd all they that heard it wondered at these things which were told them by the Shepherds

