



*All Are
Welcome*

36th Annual

Community Christmas Celebration

A Festive, Interdenominational Jubilee

Thursday, Dec. 18 - 7:30 p.m.

St. Jean Baptiste Church

Sponsored by

**THE
MORANVILLE
NEWS**

Donations For The Knights of Columbus
Food Hamper Program Will Be Gladly Accepted

Evening's Program

Hail, Hail To The Newborn King Congregation

Welcome

MC – Rene Chevalier

Opening Prayer

Rev. Alice Hanson (United Church)

Softly Falls the Snow

Morinville Minstrels

1st Reading

I saw Three Ships Come Sailing In

Little Angels – St. Jean Baptiste Parish

O Come All Ye Faithful Congregation

Fantasy on a Medieval Carol

Ecole G.H. Primeau Middle School
Grade 8 Band

Carol of the Bells

Paul Smith, David Lebel

Amid The Winter's Snow

Louis Kloster, David Keohane –GSACRD Staff

2nd Reading

Mary's Boy Child Congregation

Silent Night Candlelight Procession

Brian Grant with an organist

Little Drummer Boy

Ecole Notre Dame School Choir

Joy To The World Congregation

Hey Moon

The Father's House

C'est Noel, Viens Chanter

St. Jean Baptiste Parish French Choir

I Wish Everyday Could Be Like Christmas

Morinville Public Elementary School

3rd Reading

Beautiful Star of Bethlehem Congregation

Go Tell It on the Mountain

Morinville Christian School

Hallelujah, He is Born

The Bulger Family

Closing Prayer

Father Martin – St. Jean Baptiste Parish

Let There be Peace on Earth Congregation

Feliz Navidad

The Bulger Family

Song Lyrics

Hail Hail To The Newborn King

Hail, hail to the newborn King
Let our voices sing Him our praises
Hail, hail to the guiding Light
That brought us tonight to our Savior

Halle, hallelujah
Halle, hallelujah
Halle, hallelujah
Halle, hallelujah

Come now, let it shine so bright
To the knowing Light of the stable
Kneel close to the Child so dear
Cast aside your fear and be thankful

Hail, hail to the newborn King
Let our voices sing Him our praises
Hail, hail to the guiding Light
That brought us tonight to our Savior
Chorus

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Chorus

Silent Night

Silent night, Holy night
All is calm, all is bright
Round yon virgin, mother and child
Holy infant, tender and mild
Sleep in heavenly peace,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

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.

Silent night, Holy night
Shepherds quake, at the sight
Glories stream from heaven above
Heavenly, hosts sing Hallelujah.
Christ the Savior is born,
Christ the Savior is born.

O Come All Ye Faithful

O come, all ye faithful,
Joyful and triumphant!
Oh, come ye, oh come
ye to Bethlehem.
Come and behold him,
Born the King of angels;
(Chorus)

Oh, come, let us adore him;
Oh come, let us adore him;
Oh, come, let us adore him,
Christ, the Lord.

Sing, choirs of angels,
Sing in exultation;
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above!
Glory to God, Glory in the highest;
(chorus)

Yea, Lord, we greet thee,
Born this happy morning;
Jesus, to thee be all glory giv'n.
Son of the Father,
Now in flesh appearing;
(chorus)

Joy To the World

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.

Joy to the World, the Savior reigns!
Let men their songs employ;
While fields and floods,
rocks, hills and plains
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat the sounding joy,
Repeat, repeat, the sounding joy.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
And makes the nations prove
The glories of His righteousness,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders of His love,
And wonders, wonders, of His love.

Mary's Boy Child / Oh, My Lord

Mary's boy child Jesus Christ,
was born on Christmas Day.
And man will live for evermore,
because of Christmas Day.

Long time ago in Bethlehem,
so the Holy Bible said,
Mary's boy child Jesus Christ,
was born on Christmas Day.

Hark, now hear the angels sing,
a king was born today,
And man will live for evermore,
because of Christmas Day.
Mary's boy child Jesus Christ,
was born on Christmas Day.

While shepherds watch their flocks by night,
they see a bright new shining star,
they hear a choir sing a song,
the music seemed to come from afar.

Hark, now hear the angels sing,
a king was born today,
And man will live for evermore,
because of Christmas Day.

For a moment the world was aglow,
all the bells rang outthere were tears of joy and
laughter, people shouted
"let everyone know,
there is hope for all to find peace".

Now Joseph and his wife,
Mary, came to Bethlehem that night,
they found no place to bear her child,
not a single room was in sight.

And then they found a little nook in a stable all
forlorn, and in a manger cold and dark,
Mary's little boy was born.

Hark, now hear the angels sing,
a king was born today,
And man will live for evermore,
because of Christmas Day.
Mary's boy child Jesus Christ,
was born on Christmas Day.

Oh a moment still worth was a glow,
all the bells rang outthere were tears of joy and
laughter, people shouted

"let everyone know, there is hope
for all to find peace".

Oh my Lord
You sent your son to save us
Oh my Lord
Your very self you gave us
Oh my Lord
That sin may not enslave us
And love may reign once more

Oh my Lord
when in the crib they found him
Oh my Lord
A golden halo crowned him
Oh my Lord
They gathered all around him
To see him and adore

(This day will live forever)
Oh my Lord (So praise the Lord)
They had become to doubt you
Oh my Lord (He is the truth forever)
What did they know about you
Oh my Lord (So praise the Lord)
But they were lost without you
They needed you so bad
(His light is shining on us)

Oh my Lord (So praise the Lord)
with the child's adoration
Oh my lord (He is a personation)
There came great jubilation
Oh my Lord (So praise the Lord)
And full of admiration
They realized what they had (until the sun falls
from the sky)

Oh my Lord (Oh praise the Lord)
You sent your son to save us
Oh my Lord (This day will live forever)
Your very self you gave us
Oh my Lord (So praise the Lord)
That sin may not enslave us
And love may reign once more end of lyrics

Beautiful Star of Bethlehem

Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem
Shining afar through shadows dim
Giving the light to those who long have gone
Guiding the Wise Men on their way
Unto the place where Jesus lay
Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on

Oh Beautiful Star the hope of light
Guiding the pilgrims through the night
Over the mountains 'til the break of dawn
Into the land of perfect day
It will give out a lovely ray
Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on

Oh Beautiful Star Of Bethlehem
Shine upon us until the glory dawns
Give us the lamp to light the way
Unto the land of perfect day
Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on

Oh Beautiful Star the hope of rest
For the redeemed, the good and the blessed
Yonder in glory when the crown is won
Jesus is now that star divine
Brighter and brighter He will shine
Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on

Oh Beautiful Star Of Bethlehem
Shine upon us until the glory dawns
Give us the lamp to light the way
Unto the land of perfect day
Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on
Oh Beautiful Star of Bethlehem, shine on

Let There Be Peace On Earth

Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me.
Let there be peace on earth
The peace that was meant to be.
With God as our Father
Brothers all are we.
Let me walk with my brother
In perfect harmony.

Let peace begin with me
Let this be the moment now.
With every step I take
Let this be my solemn vow.
To take each moment
And live each moment
With peace eternally.

Let there be peace on earth
And let it begin with me.

About The Celebration

The Community Christmas Celebration was started in 1979 by John Unsworth, who was at the time the music teacher at GP Vanier School. Over the next 10 years, John built the celebration into a tradition in Morinville. When he moved to B.C. - a small group ensured the celebration would continue.

A Special Thank You

The Celebration Committee would like to offer a special Thank You to Eddie Bulger and his family for leading us in song. And Thank You to all of you for coming to the 36th Annual Community Christmas Celebration.

Celebrate the WONDER of Christmas

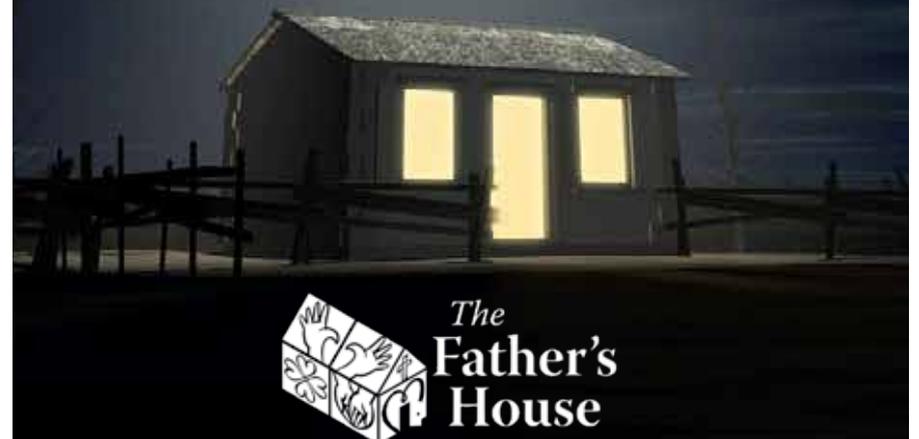
Join us at the Morinville
Cultural Center for our
Christmas services:

December 14th & 21st

10:30AM

December 24th

6:00PM



The
Father's
House



*Warm wishes for a Merry Christmas
from Alliance Pipeline!*

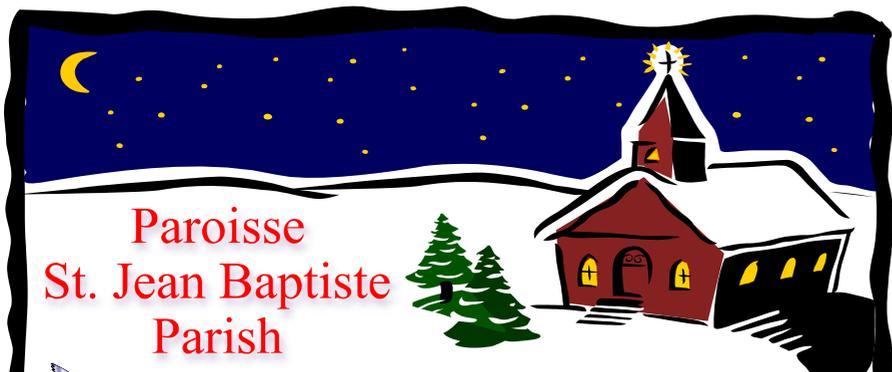
The Alliance pipeline will be transporting enough natural gas this holiday season to keep seven million homes and businesses warm, each day!

As a proud member of this community, we hope that your home will also be filled with warmth and joy this Christmas, and we wish you a safe, happy, and healthy New Year!

For information on Alliance's community support and safety initiatives, visit our website:

www.alliancepipeline.com





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CHRISTMAS EVE	- Wednesday, Dec.24 th	- 5:00 pm	7:30 pm 10:00 pm
CHRISTMAS DAY	- Thursday, Dec.25 th	- 10:00 am	
FEAST OF HOLY FAMILY	- Saturday, Dec. 27 th	- 5:00 pm	
	- Sunday, Dec. 28 th	- 9:00 am	11:00 am
NEW YEAR'S EVE	- Wednesday, Dec.31 st	- 5:00 pm	
NEW YEAR'S DAY	- Thursday, Jan.1 st	- 10:00 am	
EPIPHANY OF THE LORD	- Saturday, Jan 3 rd	- 5:00 pm	
	- Sunday, Jan. 4 th	- 9:00 am	11:00 am

