



read Isaiah 9:6-7

For to us a child is born,
to us a son is given,
and the government will be on his
shoulders.

And he will be called
Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God,
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.
Of the greatness of his government
and peace there will be no end.
He will reign on David's throne
and over his kingdom,
establishing and upholding it
with justice and righteousness
from that time on and forever.
The zeal of the Lord Almighty
will accomplish this.



read Micah 5:2-4

"But you, Bethlehem Ephrathah,
though you are small among the clans of
Judah, out of you will come for me
one who will be ruler over Israel,
whose origins are from of old,
from ancient times. Therefore Israel will be
abandoned until the time when she who is in
labor bears a son, and the rest of his brothers
return to join the Israelites. He will stand and
shepherd his flock in the strength of the Lord,
in the majesty of the name of the Lord his
God.

And they will live securely, for then his
greatness will reach to the ends of the earth.

sing: O Come, O Come Emmanuel



read Luke 2:8-12

And there were shepherds living out in
the fields nearby, keeping watch over
their flocks at night. An angel of the Lord
appeared to them, and the glory of the
Lord shone around them, and they were
terrified. But the angel said to them, "Do
not be afraid. I bring you good news that
will cause great joy for all the people.
Today in the town of David a Savior has
been born to you; he is the Messiah, the
Lord. This will be a sign to you: You will
find a baby wrapped in cloths and lying
in a manger.

sing: The First Noel & Joy to the World



read Luke 2:13-15

Suddenly a great company of the
heavenly host appeared with the angel,
praising God and saying, "Glory to God in
the highest heaven,

and on earth peace to those on whom
his favor rests. When the angels had left
them and gone into heaven, the
shepherds said to one another, "Let's go
to Bethlehem and see this thing that has
happened, which the Lord has told us
about."

*sing:
Angels we Have Heard on High*

