

Tidings of Great Joy

Luke 2:8-14

**And there were in the same country
Shepherds abiding in the field,
Keeping watch over their flock by night.**

**And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon
them;
And the glory of the Lord shone round
about them;
And they were sore afraid.**

**And the angel said unto them, "Fear not!
For, behold, I bring you tiding of great
joy,
Which shall be to all people.**

**"For unto you is born this day in the city
of David
A Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.
"And this shall be a sign unto you;
Ye shall find the babe wrapped in
swaddling clothes,
Lying in a manger."**

**And suddenly there was with the angel
A multitude of the heavenly host
Praising God, and saying,**

**"Glory to God in the highest,
And on earth peace,
Good will toward men!"**

