

O come, all ye faithful    AMNS 34    Melody: Adeste Fideles    Irregular metre



O come, all ye faithful,  
joyful and triumphant,  
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;  
come and behold him  
born, the King of angels:  
(Refrain:) O come, let us adore him,  
O come, let us adore him,  
O come, let us adore him, Christ the Lord.

God of God,  
Light of Light,  
lo, he abhors not the Virgin's womb;  
very God, begotten not created:  
(Refrain)

Sing, choirs of angels,  
sing in exultation,  
sing, all ye citizens of heaven above:  
'Glory to God  
in the highest:'  
(Refrain)

Yea, Lord, we greet thee,  
born this happy morning;  
Jesu, to thee be glory given;  
Word of the Father,  
now in flesh appearing:  
(Refrain)

Words: Latin, 18th century, translated by Frederick Oakeley (1802-1880)  
Music: Probably by John Francis Wade (c. 1711-1786)