**Salvation Song**

**Chorus:** *Listen well while we tell all about the history of our salvation. Listen now, this is how we came to be a Christian family.*

1. Abraham and Sarah, Isaac their son, many generations to follow on. Joseph and Moses and David too, they led their people. We lead you now to…….
2. Chosen people wandering round and around, Moses leading them to God’s holy ground. Isaiah, Jeremiah, the prophets who Led the wayward people; we lead you now to …
3. John the Baptist finally prepared the way: Get ready; be prepared; turn back today. Jesus, Son of God, will soon be born. Salvation, salvation, we lead you now to …

**Trust in the Lord (Psalm 37)**

**Chorus:** *Trust in the Lord, Trust in the Lord. Trust in the Lord and do good.*

1. Give yourself to the Lord. Trust in him and he will help you. Seek your happiness in the Lord and he will give you your heart’s desire.
2. The Lord guides us the way we should go and protects all those who please him. The Lord does what is right and does not abandon his faithful people.
3. Turn away from evil and do good. Don’t give in to worry or anger. The Lord takes care of those who obey him. He protects them forever.

**Bible Rap**

**Chorus:** *The Bible is a library of books, The word of God written long ago. The bible is a library of books, shows the love of God for us all.*

1. Are you listening closely ‘cause I’ve got something to say

About a great and mighty book that we’re gonna read today?

This book has lots of books inside it, actually seventy-three,

And all the books were written to be read by you and me.

Stories ’bout the life of people long before Christ’s birth;

Stories ‘bout the life and deeds of Jesus Christ on earth;

Books with wise words there to guide us, helping us to live;

Psalms that praise our Saviour and thank him for what he gives.

1. There’s Genesis and Exodus, Leviticus and Zephaniah,

Numbers, Judith, Joshua, Deuteronomy and Jeremiah,

Psalms and Proverbs, Chronicles, Samuel and Nehemiah, Ezra, Wisdom, Joel and Amos, Ruth, Daniel and Obadiah, Romans and Corinthians, Galatians and Ephesians, Timothy and Titus too, and Peter and Philippians, Revelations, Hebrews, Matthew, Mark and Luke and John,

The last four are the Gospels, now you know them sing along.

**The Parable Song**

Jesus told his people stories, parables that they could share, parables that they could pass onto God’s people ev’rywhere ev’rywhere.

1. The sower went to sow a seed. The seed just grew so that tall it grew. Important things can start so small, in God’s kingdom this is true.
2. A man was beaten and was robbed. A stranger helped him on the road. So we should love people, show the kindness the stranger showed.
3. A woman lost a precious coin, then found it and was so relieved. So if we’re lost God seeks us out and loves all those who have believed.
4. A widow came before a judge. The fearless judge, he heard her pleas. So God will listen to our prayers. We must pray hard and we must believe.

**The Neighbour Song**

Round and round and round we go. Where we’ll end up we don’t know. But whoever we will meet, This is what we’ll do to greet.

Coming on into sister or brother,

Giving a hand out giving another.

Doing a good turn, doing a favour,

Back out again to find the next neighbour.

**O Come, O Come Emmanuel**

1. O come, O come, Emmanuel, And ransom captive Israel, That mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear.

**Chorus:** *Rejoice, rejoice, Emmanuel shall come to you, O Israel.*

1. O come, O Wisdom from on high, who ordered all things mightily; to us the path of knowledge show and teach us in its ways to go.
2. O come, O come, great Lord of might, who to your tribes on Sinai’s height in ancient times did give the law in cloud and majesty and awe.

**Oíche Chiúin**

1. Oíche Chiúin, oíche Mhic Dé, Cách ‘na suan, dís araon. Dís is dílse ‘faire le spéis, Naíon beag gnaoi-gheal ceann-ann-tais caomh; Críost ‘na chodladh go séimh. Críost ina chodladh go séimh.
2. Oíche chiúin, oíche Mhic Dé, Aoirí ar dtús chuala ‘n scéal; Allelúia aingeal ag glaoch. Cantain suairc i ngar is i gcéin.

Críost ár Slánaitheoir Féin. Críost ár Slánaitheoir Féin.

1. Stille Nacht! Heil‘ge Nacht! Alles schläft; einsam wacht Nur das traute hoch heilige Paar. Holder Knab‘ im lockigen Haar, Schlafe in himmlischer Ruh! Schlafe in himmlischer Ruh!

**The Great Commandment**

Love the Lord your God with all your heart. Love the Lord your God with all your strength. Love the Lord your God with all your soul. Love the Lord your God with all your mind.

**All Things Bright and Beautiful**

**Chorus:** *All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all.*

1. Each little flow’r that opens, each little bird that sings, He made their glowing colours, He made their tiny wings.
2. The purple-headed mountains, The river running by, The sunset and the morning That brightens up the sky.
3. The tall trees in the greenwood, The meadows where we play, The rushes by the water, To gather every day.

**Use What You’re Given**

1. If I gave a gift to you,

I’ll tell you what you would do.

You’d treasure it. Wouldn’t you?

Not throw it away.

**Chorus:** *So use what you’re given, Don’t throw it away. Use what you’re given You’ve got a gift, use it today.*

1. If you gave a gift to me,

I’d tell you how it would be.

I’d treasure it gratefully,

Not throw it away.

1. We all have gifts.

We should make use of them.

‘Cause if we don’t, then what’s the use of them.

**O Lord, Hear My Prayer**

O Lord hear my prayer. O Lord hear my prayer. When I call, answer me. O Lord hear my prayer. O Lord hear my prayer. Come and listen to me.

**Jesus, Remember Me**

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom. Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

**Regina Coeli**

1. Rejoice, rejoice, Queen of Heaven. Rejoice, may joy fill your heart. For he whom you were worthy to bear has risen as he said. Alleluia, Alleluia.
2. Rejoice, rejoice, Queen of heaven. For us, for us pray to God. For he whom you were worthy to bear has risen as he said. Alleluia, Alleluia.

**Come, Holy Spirit**

1. Holy Spirit sent by God to make our spirits free. Light the darkness in our live and help us clearly see. Holy Spirit, by your presence give us strength to share, share the message of God’s word, to love, be kind and care.
2. Holy Spirit, teach us wisdom, teach us right from wrong. Teach us how to love our neighbour, help us to belong. Holy Spirit, show us how to sing God’s name, rejoice. Praise God’s wonder here on earth, united with one voice.
3. Holy Spirit, move our hearts and let your bright fire burn. Be our guide, there at our side, when to our God we turn. Holy Spirit, move our hands, our feet, our mouths, our eyes. May our actions speak your Word forever in our lives.

**Chorus:** *Come, Holy Spirit, come be the light that shine in our darkness. Come, Holy Spirit, come be the fire that burns in our hearts.*

**Parish Anthem**

**Chorus:** *Sing out! God’s holy people, Sing here together with ev’ry voice. Come praise! God’s holy people, Praise here together, exult, rejoice!*

1. Bless your people, mighty God, Bless the young, the old. People who come to share your word, life giving word.
2. Bless this place of worship today, Bless the work we do. Working together, doing your will, Working for truth.
3. Bless this family, family of God, Sharing the things we need. You, the Creator, watching with care, Father of Love.
4. Bless all those who help us to grow, Help us to grow as one. We, the Body, Body of Christ, Lord of us all.

**Magnificat**

Hail, Hail Mary! Hail Mary full of grace.

**Chorus:** *My soul glorifies the Lord. Hail Mary full of grace. My Spirit rejoices in God my Saviour.*

Hail Mary full of grace. He has done great things for me. Hail Mary full of grace. Holy, holy, holy his name. Holy, holy, holy his name.

Scattered the proud, filled the hungry,

Guarded the weak, not the mighty,

Showing his strength and his mercy

Promised to Abraham long ago.

Holy, holy, holy his name.

Holy, holy, holy his name.

Holy his name.

**A Mhuire Mháthair**

1. A Mhuire Mháthair ‘

Sé seo mo ghuí:

Go maire Íosa

go deo im’chroí.

**Chorus:** *Ave Maria, mo ghrá, Ave.*

*‘S tusa mo mháthair is máthair Dé.*

1. A Mhuire Mháthair,

I rith mo shaoil

Bí liom mar dhídean

Ar gach aon bhaol.

1. A Mhuire Mháthair

‘tá lán de ghrást’,

Go raibh tú taobh liom

Ar uair mo bháis.

**Song of Repentance**

1. We are watching in the dead of night.

We are waiting in the darkness still.

We are waiting for you Lord,

Kind forgiving Lord.

Come and bring your healing love.

1. We are longing for you, Lord, to come.

You are coming to forgive our sin.

We are longing for you, Lord,

Waiting for you, Lord,

Loving and forgiving Lord.

1. Like the sun that rises in the East

You will light our world and give us love. We are sure and certain, sure that you will come.

Come, O Lord, and listen to our prayer.

1. We are watching in the dead of night.

We are waiting in the darkness still.

We are waiting for you, Lord, kind forgiving Lord.

Come and bring your healing love.

Waiting for you, Lord, kind forgiving Lord. Come and bring your healing love.

**Eat This Bread**

Eat this bread, drink this cup, come to me and never be hungry. Eat this bread, drink this cup, trust in me and you will not thirst.

**Verse**

Anyone who eats this bread will live forever.

**Ithigí an T-Arán Seo**

Ithigí an t-arán seo. Ólaigí as an gcailís seo. Tagaigí chugam is ní bheidh oraibh ocras.

Cuirigí bhur muinín ionam ‘s ní bheidh oraibh tart.

**Véarsa**

An té a itheann an t-arán seo, Mairfidh sé go brách.

**Christ be our Light**

1. Longing for light, we wait in darkness.

Longing for truth, we turn to you.

Make us your own, your holy people,

Light for the world to see.

**Chorus:** *Christ be our light!*

 *Shine in our hearts,*

 *Shine through the darkness.*

 *Christ be our light!*

 *Shine in your church gathered today.*

1. Longing for food, many are hungry.

Longing for water, many still thirst.

Make us your bread, broken for others,

Shared until all are fed.

1. Longing for shelter, people are homeless. Longing for warmth, many are cold.

Make us your building, sheltering others, Walls made of living stone.

1. Many the gifts, many the people,

Many the hearts that yearn to belong.

Let us be servants to one another,

Making your kingdom come.

**The Clouds’ Veil**

**Chorus:** *Even though the rain hides the stars,*

 *Even the mist swirls the hills,*

 *Even when the dark clouds veil the sky,*

 *God is by my side.*

 *Even though the sun shall fall in sleep,*

 *Even when at dawn the sky shall weep,*

 *Even in the night when storms shall rise,*

 *God is by my side. You are by my side.*

1. Bright the stars at night

That mirror heaven’s way to you.

Bright the stars in light

Where dwell the saints in love and truth.

1. Deep the feast of life

where saints shall gather in deep peace.

Deep in heaven’s light

where sorrows pass beyond death’s sleep.

1. Blest are they who sing

the fellowship of saints in light.

Blest in heaven’s King.

All saints adore the Lord, most high.

**Hymn to Saint Brigid**

1. Brigid, gentle woman, strong of spirit,

Be our guide, our joy, our hope,

Our strength, our light.

Brigid brought God’s love to all God’s people

And proclaimed it, making day from darkest night.

**Chorus:** *Let us sing our praise to Brigid, with hearts open as we gather here together now to pray. May her life for us remain an inspiration.*

*Mary her faith be with us now and ev’ry day.*

1. Brigid, peaceful woman, who showed courage, Show us all the courage that we so often need. Brigid loved the poor, the sick and the lonely. Show us how to love in spirit and in deed.
2. Brigid who gave up her wealth to save us

Teach us kindness, teach us to be more like you.

Brigid who was firm, but always graceful,

In your grace, help us be firm, help us be true.

1. Brigid be the voice that guides all peoples. Bring us peace from all the conflict in our world. Lead us to the kingdom of our Saviour. Lead us to the truth, the truth that we have been told.

**Grow In Love**

Grow in love of God. Grow in love of everyone.

Grow in love of God. Grow in love.

1. God has shown his love for us.

God sent Jesus his Son.

He told us that to follow him

we must love everyone.

1. The Holy Spirit helps us live

So we’re never alone.

Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

Three persons in one.

1. God has given us the earth,

This lovely place we dwell.

Our world is fragile as it is,

We must treat it well.