5) BIRTHDAY!

|Ab . Db . |Ab . Db . | - - - - | Eb . . . |

Ab Db Ab

**Birthday, Jesus’ birthday.**

 Db Bbm Eb

**It’s time to wear our finest clothes, sing our finest songs**

 Ab Db Ab /G /F /Eb

**For his birthday, Jesus’ birthday**

 Bbm Db Eb Ab

**The very one we’ve waited for all year long**

 Db Ab Bbm Eb Ab

It’s time for work to stop, it’s time for us to play

 Db Ab |Bbm . Eb . |

To bang a drum and come and celebrate

 Db Ab Bbm Eb Ab

It’s time for family fun for music and for mirth

 Db Ab Bb Eb . . . | . . . . |

It’s time to have a holiday to honor Jesus’ birth.

|Ab . Db . |Ab . Db . | - - - - | Eb . . . |

 **CHORUS**

It’s time for giving gifts, it’s time for candles bright

For singing and bell ringing in the night

It’s time to be with friends, it’s time for favorite food

For candy, cakes, and all that makes an extra festive mood

|Ab . Db . |Ab . Db . | - - - - | Eb . . . |

 **CHORUS**

| - - - - | - - - - |

 Ab Db Eb Ab Db

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday

 Ab Db Eb Ab Db

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday

 Ab Db Eb Ab

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday

5) BIRTHDAY! (capo 1)

|G . C . |G . C . | - - - - | D . . . |

G C G

**Birthday, Jesus’ birthday.**

 C A m D

**It’s time to wear our finest clothes, sing our finest songs**

 G C G /F# /E /D

**For his birthday, Jesus’ birthday**

 Am C D G

**The very one we’ve waited for all year long**

 C G Am D G

It’s time for work to stop, it’s time for us to play

 C G |Am . D . |

To bang a drum and come and celebrate

 C G Am D G

It’s time for family fun for music and for mirth

 C G A D . . . | . . . . |

It’s time to have a holiday to honor Jesus’ birth.

|G . C . |G . C . | - - - - | D . . . |

 **CHORUS**

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|G . C . |G . C . | - - - - | D . . . |

 **CHORUS**

| - - - - | - - - - |

 G C D G C

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday

 G C D G C

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday

 G C D G

 Birthday, Je sus’ birthday