

What's All the Noise?

Based on the Russian Pascha Carol
"Ne shum shumit" (as sung by Sirin Ensemble)
English adaptation and arrangement
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Briskly, with spirit.

Solo or unison:



1. What's all the noise? Why the ex-cite-ment?

REFRAIN (All):



The Son of God is risen to-day!

CHORUS (after each verse):



Christ is risen, Christ is risen, therefore let us all say:



The Son of God is risen to-day!

2. Buried on Friday!
Risen on Sunday!
Refrain: The Son of God is risen today.
and Chorus.
3. Come to the church!
Have a procession! Ref. and Chorus
4. Ring all the bells,
sing "Christ is risen!" Ref. and Chorus
5. Guys, look your best!
Ladies – even better! Ref. and Chorus
6. Color the eggs!
Bake kulich and pascha! Ref. and Chorus
7. Bake the lamb!
Cook up the sausage! Ref. and Chorus.
8. For forty days
we'll be celebrating! Ref. and Chorus.
9. After forty days
comes the Ascension!
Refrain: Jesus, our Lord, departs on that day. Chorus.
10. Ten days later
comes the Holy Spirit.
Refrain: Jesus, our Lord, will send Him our way! Chorus.
11. We will proclaim it
to all generations
Refrain: that Jesus Christ is risen today! Chorus.

(Add your own verses...)