ANTIPHONS FOR THEOPHANY

January 6, *Sundays from January 6 to 14.*

First Antiphon (Psalm 113, LXX), *Verses in Second Tone:*

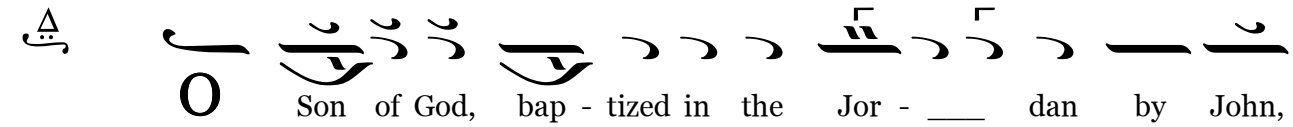
1. When Israel went out of Egypt, the house of Jacob from a people of strange language, Judah became His sanctuary.
2. The sea saw it and fled; Jordan turned back.
3. What ails you, O sea, that you fled? O Jordan, that you turned back?

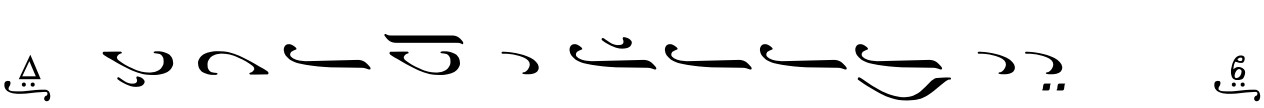
Refrain: Through the Intercessions...

Second Antiphon (Psalm 114, LXX), *Verses in Second Tone:*

1. I love the Lord, because He has heard My voice and my supplications, because He has inclined His ear to me, therefore I will call upon Him as long as I live.
2. The pains of death surrounded me, And the pangs of Sheol laid hold of me.
3. Gracious is the Lord, and righteous; Yes, our God is merciful.

Refrain:





Third Antiphon (Psalm 117, LXX), *Verse (Intone in First Tone):*

Oh, give thanks to the Lord, for He is good! For His mercy endures forever.

Chant the Apolytikion of Theophany. Then…

SMALL ENTRANCE HYMN FOR THEOPHANY

January 6 and 13

Continue immediately to 2nd Antiphon refrain above.

On the feast, segue immediately to the 2nd antiphon refrain above, "O Son of God, baptized in the Jordan by John…," or on the leave-taking, segue immediately to the standard 2nd antiphon refrain, "O Son of God, Who arose from the dead…."

Repeat the Apolytikion of Theophany and other apolytikia, if any..

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