

Doxastichon at the Praises

The Annunciation of the Theotokos - March 25

vs. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now, and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Tone 2
by Theophanes **Kievan Chant**
arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

The mys - tery from all eternity is re-vealed to - day,
and the Son of God becomes the Son of man,
that, by shar - ing in what is worse, he may make me
share in what is bet - ter. Ad - am was cheat - ed of old;
[he did not become God . . .]

he did not become God, as he de-sired. Now God be-comes

man, that He may make Ad - am God. Let cre - a - tion re-joyce,

let our na - ture ex - ult; for the Archangel stands in awe

be-fore the Vir - gin and brings the greeting "Rejoyce!" to

take the place of Eve's sor - row. In Your mer - ci - ful com -

[(com)-passion You became man:]

passion You be - came man: // O our God,

glo - ry to You!