For the Forerunner. Mode 2. *Di-G. On the mountain.*

Soft Chromatic **G**

Now the Christ-lov - ing em - per - or, is glad-dened

by the find - ing of your all - pre - cious Head to - day,

more than by his im - pe - ri - al pur-ple robes, O Fore - run-

- ner. Em - pow-er him from heav - en, and re-ward him with

vic - to - ries. And by your prayers, O all - laud-ed Bap-tist

John, guard us from all en - e-mies and pro - tect

us, who cel - e - brate you joy - ful - ly and hon-or you with

long - ing.