Meeting of Lord in the Temple

Troparion, tone 1

Rejoice, thou who art full of grace, O Virgin Theotokos, for from thee hath risen the Sun of

Righteousness, Christ our God,

enlightening those in darkness.

Rejoice, thou also, O righteous Elder, as thou receivest in thine arms

the Redeemer of our souls,

Who also granteth unto us the Resurrection.

Kontakion, tone 1

Thou Who didst sanctify the Virgin's womb by Thy birth,

and didst bless Symeon's hands as was meet, by anticipation didst even now save us, O Christ God. But grant peace in the midst of wars unto

Thy commonwealth,

and strengthen Orthodox Christians whom Thou hast loved, O only Lover of mankind.

Magnification

We magnify Thee, O Christ, Giver of Life, and we honor Thy most pure Mother, who now bringeth thee, according to the Law, into the Temple of the Lord.