

Prefeast of the Nativity of Christ

Troparion

Tone 4

Serbian Chant
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Pre - pare, O Beth - le - hem, for E - den has been o - -
 pened - to all! A - dorn your - self, O Eph - ra - tha, for the
 tree of life blos-soms forth from the Vir - gin in the cave!
 Her womb is a spir - it - ual par - a - dise plant - ed with the
 Di - vine Fruit: if we eat of it, we shall live for - ev - er
 and not die like Ad - am. Christ comes to re -
 store the im - age which He made in the be - gin - - -
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