

Post-Gospel Stichera

The Nativity of Christ - December 25

Kievan Chant
arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Tone 2

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly

Spir - it; To - day — all things are filled with joy, //

for Christ — is born of the Vir - gin.

Now and ever, and unto ag - es of ag - es. A - men.

[Today all things . . .]

To - day all things are filled with joy, // for Christ is

born of the Vir - gin.

Tone 6

Have mer - cy on me, O God, ac - cording to Thy great

mer - cy, and ac - cord - ing to the multitude of Thy

ten - der mer - cies, // blot out my trans -

gres - sion!

Tone 6

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth—

peace! To - day Bethlehem receives Him Who reigns

forever with the Fa - ther. To - day— Angels glorify the

newborn Babe in hymns wor - thy of God: "Glo - ry to

God in the high - est, // and on earth, peace, good

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