In the sixth month, the Archangel was sent to the pure

Virgin; and with his greeting, “Re-joice,” he announced the

good news that the Deliverer was to come forth from her. Therefore

having received the salutation with faith, she conceived You, the
pre-ter-nal God, Who were well-pleased ineffably
to become man // for the salvation of our souls.

v. Proclaim from day to day the glad tidings of the salvation of our God!

The Theotokos heard a tongue that she knew not, for
the Archangel addressed to her the words of glad tidings; therefore,
accepting the salutation with faith, she conceived
You, the pre-eternal God. And so, rejoicing exceedingly,

we too cry aloud to You: “O God made flesh from her without change,// grant peace to the world, and great mercy to our souls!”

v. Sing to the Lord a new song!

Behold, our restoration has now been revealed to us:

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in a manner beyond understanding, God is united to mankind;

at the voice of the Archangel, delusion is destroyed, for the

Virgin receives joy; things of the earth have become

heaven; and the world is freed from the ancient curse. Let

creation rejoice exceedingly and sing with voices of praise: // O Lord,
our Maker and Deliverer, glory to You!"