

Theophany of Our Lord

First Antiphon

Serbian Chant
arr. P. Drobac

Tone 2

Melody

Through the prayers— of the The - o - to - kos, O

Ison

Final refrain ending

Sav-iour, save — us! save — us!

(Ps 113:1-5[114:1-5])

1. When Israel went out of Egypt, the house of Jacob from a people of strange language! (*Refrain*)
2. Judah became his sanctuary, and Israel his dominion! (*Refrain*)
3. The sea saw it and fled; Jordan was driven back! (*Refrain*)
4. What ailed you, O sea, that you fled, and you, O Jordan, that you were driven back? (*Refrain*)
5. Glory... Now and ever... Amen. (*Refrain*)

Second Antiphon

Tone 2

Melody

O Son of God, who was bap-tised by John— in the Jor -

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- dan, save us who— sing to You: — "Al - le - lu - ia!"

(Ps 114:1-5[115:1-5])

1. I am well pleased, for the Lord will hear the voice of my prayer! (*Refrain*)
2. Because He has inclined His ear unto me, therefore will I call upon Him as long as I live! (*Refrain*)
3. The anguish of death encompassed me, the perils of hell beset me: I found trouble and sorrow, and I called upon the name of the Lord! (*Refrain*)
4. Gracious is the Lord and righteous: yea, our God is merciful! (*Refrain*)
5. Glory... (Now and ever... Amen. Only-begotten Son...)

The antiphon verses can be straight chanted, or else intoned according to the following pattern:

e.g



When Israel went out of Eg - ypt, the house of Ja - cob from a people



of strange lang - uage.



Ju - dah be - came his sanc - tu - a - ry, and Is - ra - el his do - min - ion.