

December 24th

Paramon of the Nativity of Christ

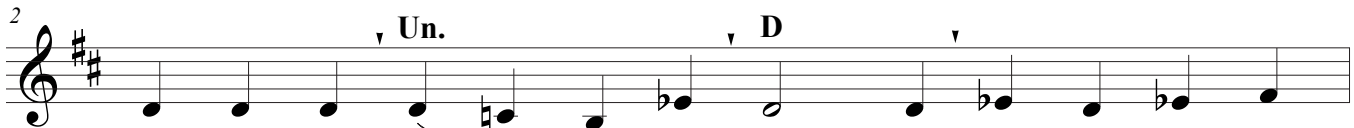
Aposticha of the Praises

Byzantine Chant Tone 2
Special melody: *O house of Ephratha*

Adapted by Rassem El Massih



1) Thou art be - come the house of Him that fash - ioned all things,
2) *O won - der nev - er seen! The God be - fore the ag - es*
3) O ye no - et - ic ranks of An - gels in the high - est,



O Vir - gin, for with - in thee hath dwelt the Lord of
is now born of the Vir - gin a lit - tle babe in
with Ma - gi and the shep - herds, to - geth - er cry to



Glo - ry, Who now doth come forth to be born.
Beth - le - hem in a crib of sense - less beasts.
God, Who is born now: Glo - ry be to Thee!

Verses:

1) God shall come out of Thaeman, and the Holy One out of a mountain overshadowed and densely wooded.

2) O Lord, I have heard Thy report, and I was afraid; O Lord, I considered Thy works, and I was amazed.