December 18th - 24th
Sunday before the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ
Doxastikon at the Praises
(Byzantine notation begins after the 2nd page.)

Chadi Karam

Byzantine Chant Tone 8/Plagal 4th Mode

Glo-ry to the Fa-ther and to the Son and to the Holy Spir-it.

The col-lec-tion of the Law's teach-ing mak-eth plain Christ's di-vine Na-tiv-i-ty

* (diatonic-transposed up a 4th)

F B F B C

in the flesh (ne) (sh) through them that had preached of grace before the com-ing of the Law,

Alternate melody:

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Therefore, unto the souls held in Hades,

did they foretell Thy Nativity, which, through the Resurrection, was the cause of our deliverance from corruption.

O Lord, glory be to Thee.
Doxasticon for the Sunday Before the Nativity of Christ

Plagal Fourth Mode

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