

January 2nd
Forefeast of Theophany
Exaposteilaria

Byzantine Mode 2
Special Melody: *Hearken, ye women*

1) The voice of one_ that cri - eth out hath sound-ed forth; leap
up,___ ye hills; O race of man, dance in glad-ness;
for He Who had no___ be - gin - ning, the Word, hath tak - en
flesh_ as man and com-eth to___ be bap - tized now by hands that
He___ Him-self___ hath formed, that He might loose in___ the Jor - dan
the weight of sin of___ the whole___ world.

2) How shall the riv - er's run - ning streams re-ceive Thee, O___ Thou
Friend___ of man, O Thou Who mad - est___ the riv - ers

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F E G
and all the seas out_ of noth - ing? And how shall Thy_ Fore -

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- run - ner dare to set his earth - en hand_ up - on Thy spot-less

head, O Sov - 'reign Lord? O Word, while trem-bling, we sing_ of

G Un. *rit.* F G
Thy most ex-treme self - a - base - ment.