

August 14th
Forefeast of the Dormition of the Theotokos
Exaposteilarion

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

As we with love_ keep fes - ti - val on this most bright me -

- mo - - ri - al of thine all - hal - lowed Dor - mi - tion,

we sing thee hymns of de - par - ture. Now as a Moth - er

tak - en up in glo - ry to thy Son and Lord, pray for the

Chris - tians, who in faith now sing thy prais - es, O spot - less

and ev - er - blest The - o - to - - - kos.