December 18th - 24th
The Sunday Before the Nativity of Christ
Exapostilaria

By faith, the Fathers ere the Law shone bright as stars before hand, those foremost of the Patriarchs, great Abraham and Isaac, and the illustrious Jacob; for from them, all the Prophets and all the just were set a fire like lamps blazing with splendor; and by the rays of their hallowed prophecies they enlightened the whole creation, which had been shrouded with heavy darkness.

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