

After reading Psalm 50, then sing the following on the Feasts of John the Baptist

Troparia

Byzantine Chant Tone 2

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Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the

Ho - ly Spir - it. Through the in - ter - ces - sions of the Fore -

run - ner, O Thou Who art mer - ci - ful, blot out all the

mul - ti - tude of our trans-gres - sions. Both now and

ev - er, and un - to ag - es of ag - es. A - men.

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Through the in - ter - ces - sions of the The - o - to - kos, O

Thou Who art mer - ci - ful, blot out all the

mul - ti - tude of our trans-gres - sions.

Quickly - Tone 2

Have mer - cy up - on me, O God, ac - cord-ing to thy lov - ing kind-ness,
Slow
ac - cord - ing to the mul - ti - tude of thy ten - der mer - cies, blot
out _____ my trans - gres - - - - - sions.

O John the Bap - tiz - er and preach-er of re - pent - ence,
thou didst sanc - ti - fy the earth when thy head__ was__
cut____ off; for thou didst make plain to be - liev - ers the
law____ of God,____ a - bol - ish - ing dis - o - be - di - ence
to the law. Where - fore, since thou__ stand - est by the
throne____ of Christ, the heav'n - ly King, be - seech him to have
mer - - - cy____ on____ our____ souls.