

# February 2

## Vespers

Verse 1

First Mode

*Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"*  
*(Byzantine notation begins on page 4)*

Tell us O Sym-e - on whom dost thou bear in thine arms in

7 the Tem - ple with such great joy? To whom dost thou cry and shout:

13 Now am I freed, for I have be - held my

19 Sav - iour? This is He that is born of a Vir - gin; this is

26 He, God the Word, Who came forth from God; Who is in-car -

32 nate for our sakes, and hath saved the race of man.

37 Let us wor - ship Him.

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Verse 2

First Mode

41  
Re - ceive, O Sym - e - on, Him Whom Mo - ses fore - saw in dark - ness\_\_

48  
on\_\_ Si - nai when He gave the Law, Who is be - come a\_\_ new -

54  
born babe sub - ject\_\_ to\_\_ the Law. This is He that through the

61  
Law hath spo - ken; this is He that was pro - claimed\_\_ in\_\_ the

67  
Proph - ets; Who is in - car - nate for\_\_ our\_\_ sakes, and hath saved the

73  
race of\_\_ man. Let\_\_ us wor - ship\_\_ Him.

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Verse 3

First Mode

78  
Come, let us as well, with songs in-spired of God, go

85  
to - geth - er to meet Christ; and let us re -

91  
ceive Him Whose sal - va - tion Sym-e - on hath now be - held.

96  
This is He Whom Da - vid pro - claim - eth this is He that in the

101  
Proph ets hath spo - ken; Who

105  
is in - car - nate for our sakes, and Who speak - eth in the

111  
Law. Let us wor - ship Him.



# THE MEETING OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE

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Vespers Stichera

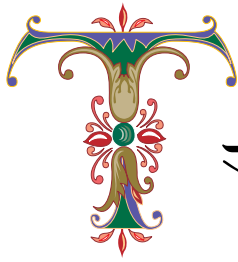
First Mode

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Verse #1

**I** <sup>(M)</sup> f Thou should- est mark in - iq - ui - ties, O Lord, O Lord,  
<sup>(Π)</sup> who shall stand? <sup>χ</sup> For with Thee there is for - give - ness. <sup>π ρ</sup>

# Stichera A



(□) <sup>3</sup>  
 Tell us, O Sym - e - on, whom dost thou bear  
 (M) (□)  
 in thine arms in the Tem - ple with such great  
<sup>4</sup> <sup>π 9</sup> <sup>3</sup>  
 joy? To whom dost thou cry and shout: Now am I  
<sup>3</sup> (N) (□)  
 freed, for I have be - held my Sa -  
 (N)(□) <sup>π 9</sup>  
 viour? This is He that is born of a Vir - gin;  
 (N) (□)  
 this is He, God the Word, Who came forth from  
<sup>4</sup> (N) (□)  
 God; Who is in - car - nate for our sakes, and hath saved  
 the race of man. Let us wor - ship  
 Him. <sup>π 9</sup>

## Verse #2

F
(M)

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### Verse #3

(M) 
 From the morn - ing watch un - til night, from the morn - ing

(N) 
 watch let Is - ra - el hope in the Lord.

## Stichera B

Stichera B

 e - ceive, O Sym - e - on, Him Whom Mo - ses

fore - saw in dark-ness on Si - nai when He gave the

Law, Who is be - come a new born

babe     $\pi q$     subject    to the    Law.<sup>4</sup>    This <sup>$\Delta$</sup>  is He that

through the Law hath spo - ken; this is He

that was pro-claimed in the Proph -

4  
ets;  
Who is in - car - nate for our sakes, and hath

















saved the race of man. Let us wor -

ship      Him.       $\pi$   
9

## Verse #4

**F**<sup>(M)</sup> or with the Lord there is mer - cy, and with Him is plen -


te - ous    re - demp - tion; and He    shall    re - deem    Is - ra - el



# Verse #5

**O** <sup>(M)</sup> praise the Lord, all ye <sup>(N)</sup> na - tions; <sup>χ</sup> praise Him, all ye  
 peo - ples. <sup>π q</sup>

## Stichera C

 <sup>(N)</sup> ome, <sup>(M)</sup> let us as <sup>(N)</sup> well, <sup>π q</sup> with songs in-spired  
 of God, <sup>π q</sup> go to - geth - er to meet  
<sup>4</sup> Christ; <sup>π q</sup> and <sup>3</sup> let us re - ceive Him Whose sal - va - tion Sym -  
 e - on hath now be - held. <sup>π q</sup> This is He  
 Whom Da - vid <sup>3</sup> pro - claim - eth; <sup>π q</sup> this is He that in the Proph -  
 ets hath spo - ken; <sup>(N) (N)</sup> Who is in -



car - nate for our sakes, and Who speak - eth in the

Law. Let us wor - ship Him.

### Verse #6

<sup>(M)</sup>  
For He hath made His mer - cy to pre - vail o - ver

us, and the truth of the Lord <sup>(N)</sup> a - bid - eth for ev -

er. *(repeat Stichera C)*