

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

## Troperia

Byzantine Chant Tone 2

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Un. G  
Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to the Son and to the

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

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

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

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

G Un.  
Through thē in - ter - ces - sions of the The - o - to - kos, O

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

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

*Hard chromatic, Tone 6*



Have mer - cy up - on me, O



God, ac - cord - ing to thy lov - ing - kind - ness,



ac - cord - ing to the mul - ti - tude of thy ten - der



mer - cies blot out my trans - gres - sions.



God the Word ap - peared in the flesh to man - kind. He



stood up to be bap - tized in the Jor - dan, and the



Fore - run - ner ad - dressed him say - ing: How shall I



stretch out my hand and touch the head of the Con - trol - ler of

all cre - a - - - tion? Ver - i - ly, thou  
cam - est as a child from Mar - - - y;  
I have known thee as ē - ter - nal God walk - ing thē earth, O  
Christ, who art praised by the ser - - a - - phim.  
And I, thy ser - vant, have not learned to bap - tize the  
Mas - - - ter. Where - fore, O in - ef - fa - ble Lord,  
glo - - ry be to thee.