

*From the Menaion*  
**Thou Art The Joy**  
**Theotokion**

Byzantine Chant Tone 1  
*The Original melody*

Thou art the joy of the heav - en - ly or - ders  
found on high, and of us men up - on earth, a strong  
help and pro - tec - tion. Save us, O pure Vir - gin and  
Moth - er of God, as we flee un - to thee in faith;  
for af - ter God, we have set all our hope on thee,  
seek - ing re - fuge in thy might - y strength.