

Troparion after the Sixth Reading

The Holy Theophany, the Baptism of Our Lord - January 6

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Tone 6

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

You have shone forth to tax collectors and sinners be-cause of

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of the troparion. It features a four-part vocal setting (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) and a basso continuo line. The music is in the key of D major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. The lyrics are: "You have shone forth to tax collectors and sinners be-cause of". The vocal parts are written in a style characteristic of Russian Imperial Court Chant, with a focus on harmonic support and melodic contour.

Your abundant mer - cies. Where should Your light shine but on

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the troparion. It continues the four-part vocal setting and basso continuo. The lyrics are: "Your abundant mer - cies. Where should Your light shine but on". The musical notation includes various rhythmic values and rests, with some notes tied across bar lines.

those who sit in dark - ness? O our Savior, glo - ry to You!

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the troparion. It concludes the main text of the troparion. The lyrics are: "those who sit in dark - ness? O our Savior, glo - ry to You!". The music ends with a double bar line.

*vs. The Lord is King; He is robed in majesty! The Lord is robed, He is girded with strength.
For He has established the world, so that it shall never be moved; Your throne is from of old;
You are from everlasting. (Ps. 92:1-3)*

Refrain:

Where should Your light shine but on those who sit in

Detailed description: This block contains the refrain of the troparion. It features a four-part vocal setting and basso continuo. The lyrics are: "Where should Your light shine but on those who sit in". The music is in the same key and time signature as the main text.

dark - ness? O our Savior, glo - ry to You!

vs. The floods have lifted up, O Lord, the floods have lifted up their voice; the floods lift up their waves at the voice of many waters. (Ps. 92:4-5)

Refrain:

Where should Your light shine but on those who sit in

dark - ness? O our Savior, glo - ry to You!

vs. Wonderful are the mighty waves of the sea; wonderful is the Lord on high. Your testimonies are very sure. Holiness befits Your house, O Lord, forevermore! (Ps. 92:6-7)

Refrain:

Where should Your light shine but on those who sit in

dark - ness? O our Savior, glo - ry to You!

vs. Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

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