

November 20: The Forefeast of the Entry
Troparion, Tone 4
Court Chant - Obikhod

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Anna now beforehand doth betroth joy un - to all, bring - ing forth

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the only Ever - virgin as fruit which al - lay - eth grief, and to - day she

bringeth her, rejoicing, into the tem - ple of the Lord, in ful - fill - ment

of her prom - ise. For she is the pure Mother, the temple of God the Word.

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