

January 7: The Synaxis of St. John the Baptist

Kontakion, Tone 6

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Court Chant

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Stricken with awe by Thy com- ing in the flesh, the Jor- dan turned back

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in fear; and John, fulfilling the prophet- ic min - is - try, shrank back with

trem - bling. The ranks of an- gels were a - mazed, be - holding Thee baptized

in the flesh in the streams, and all who were in darkness were en- light - ened,

hymn - ing Thee Who hast appeared and il - lu - mined all things.