

Aposticha - Forefathers of Christ

December 24

Reader: Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Tone 2

Obikhod

Rejoice, O honored Pro - phets, who laid well the foundation
of the Law of the Lord, and were re - vealed as firm and un - shak - en
pil - lars of faith! Ye became indeed the mediators of Christ's
new co - ve - nant. Since, therefore, ye have been taken up into heav - en,
intercede with Him to grant peace to the world and sal - va - tion to our souls!

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Reader: C Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Now and ever and unto ages of ages. Amen.

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The time of our sal - va - tion draws near. Pre - pare, O cave!

The Vir - gin draws near to bear the Christ.

Rejoice, Bethlehem, land of Ju - dah, for our Lord has come from you!

All you lands, know the com - ing of Christ

Who comes as the Lov - er of man - kind

to save mankind whom He has made!