

Aposticha - St John of the Ladder (Climacus)

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

Tone 2

Obikhod

Let us hon - or John! He is an earthly angel and a heav - en - ly man,
the a - dorn - ment of the world, the joy of the vir - tu - ous,
the glory of as - ce - tics. He was planted in the house of God,
and blos - somed with the flower of sanc - ti - ty. He flourished
in the desert like a cedar of Le - ban - on. Through him the
sheep of Christ's flock grow in holiness and right - eous - ness.