

# 'Lord I Call' - St Mary of Egypt

**Reader (4):** From the morning watch until night, from the morning watch, let Israel hope on the Lord!

**Reader (3):** For with the Lord there is mercy and with Him is plenteous redemption, and He will deliver Israel from all his iniquities.

**Tone 6**

**Obikhod**



Thou wast standing before the doors of the Church, polluted with  
evil and unable to enter. Accused by thine own conscience,  
O wise one of God, thou wast converted to a better way  
of life. Looking upon the icon of the blessed Mother of God,  
thou didst condemn all thy past sins, O Mother Mary,  
and didst go to bow before the precious Cross.