

Feb. 2      The Meeting of the Lord in the Temple

TROPARION OF THE FEAST - Tone 1

Rejoice, O Virgin Theotokos, full of grace! /

From thee hast risen the Sun of Righteousness, Christ our God, /

Who gives light to those in darkness. /

Rejoice, also, O righteous elder; /

Thou didst accept in thine arms the Redeemer of our souls ///

Who grants us the resurrection.

KONTAKION - Tone 1

By Thy Nativity, Thou didst sanctify the Virgin's womb, /

And didst bless Simeon's hands, O Christ God. /

Now Thou hast come and saved us through love. ///

Grant peace to all Orthodox Christians, O only Lover of mankind!