

Kontakion of the Forefeast - Tone 3

Abbreviated Greek Chant

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To - day Ma - ry, the Vir - gin and The - o - to - kos

the bound-less cham-ber of the Heav - en - ly Bride - groom is born!

From a bar-ren wo-man, by the coun - sel of God, the cha-riot of

the Word is right - ly a - dorned; for she was fore-told as the di - vine

por - tal and Mo - - - - ther of life.

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