

November 21: The Entry of the Theotokos Megalyrnarion and 9th Ode

Kiev Caves Lavra
(lesser chant)

1st Refrain of the 9th Ode

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Be-hold-ing the entry of the All-Pure, the angels were struck with a-maze - ment,

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see - ing how the Virgin entered into the Holy of Ho - lies.

Irmos of the 9th Ode

Obikhod

Let no pro fane hand touch the liv-ing Ark of God, but let the lips of the faithful, singing

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with-out ceas - ing the words of the angel to the The - o - to - kos, cry a-loud in

great joy: O pure — Vir - gin, thou art tru - ly high a - bove all.

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