Divine Liturgy, January 6
THE THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD, GOD AND SAVIOR, JESUS CHRIST

Hymn

1. To Jordan's water, to Jordan's water
2. Three Persons in God, Three Persons in God,
3. Saint John the Baptist, Saint John the Baptist

Christ comes to be baptized. John the Forerunner,
Are now revealed to us. Father and Son,
Foretells release today. The Lamb of God,

John the Forerunner, now humbly steps aside.
Father and Son, Holy Spirit, One God.
The Lamb of God will wash our sins away.

Christ our Lord is baptized. Salvation is now realized.

Skies of heaven open, God the Father spoken,
O'er the Jordan a Dove, Holy Spirit of Love:

Melody: Nebo i zeml'a
English translation: Fr. Basil Kraynyak

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First Antiphon

Why is it, O sea, that you fled; O Jordan, that you turned back?

Refrain:

Through the pray'rs of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit: Now and ever and forever. Amen. Through the pray'rs of the Theotokos, O Savior, save us.

Second Antiphon

I love the Lord because he will hear my voice in supplication.

O Son of God, baptized by John in the Jordan, save us who sing to you. Alleluia.
Third Antiphon - Tone 1 Troparion (Psalm 117: 1):

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his mercy endures forever.

Troparion of Theophany - Tone 1

At your baptism in the Jordan, O Lord, worship of the Trinity was revealed; for the Father's voice bore witness to you, calling you his beloved Son, and the Spirit in the form of a dove confirmed the truth of these words. O Christ God, you appeared and enlightened the world. Glory to you!

Entrance Hymn - Tone 1 Troparion (Psalm 117: 26, 27):

Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord; we bless you from the house of the Lord. The Lord is God and has revealed himself to us.
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Cantor

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and for ever. Amen.

Kontakion - Tone 4

You have revealed yourself to the world today; and your light, O Lord, has set its seal on us. We recognize you and exclaim to you:
You have come and revealed yourself, O Unapproachable Light.

Instead of "Holy God"

_Rusyn chant_

All you who have been baptized into Christ have been clothed with Christ. Al-le-lu-ia! Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and forever. Amen.

_D.C. al Fine_

Or this melody:

_Galician chant_

Al-le-lu-ia! Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy...
Spir-it, now and ever and forev-er. A - men. Have been clothed with Christ.

Al - le - lu - - ia!

Bless-ed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. The Lord is God and has re-vealed him - self to us.

Verse: Give thanks to the Lord for he is good; for his mercy endures forever.

Verse: Bring to the Lord, you sons of God, bring to the Lord glory and honor.
Verse: The voice of the Lord over the waters; the God of glory thunders; the Lord over many waters.

Let us, who mys-tic - ly re - pre-sent the cher - u - bim, and sing the thrice - ho-ly hymn, thrice - ho-ly hymn to the life-cre-a - ting, life-cre-a-ting Trin-i - ty,
now set aside all earthly cares, all earthly cares.

After the commemorations:

Amen. That we may receive, may receive the King of All, invisibly escorted by angelic hosts. Alleluia!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Anamnesis Acclamation

We praise you, we bless you, we thank you, O Lord, and we pray to you, our God, pray to you, our God.

Instead of "It is truly proper..."

Magnification

Extol, extol, O my soul, O my soul,

Christ the King baptized in the Jordan.
Ev'ry tongue is at a loss to fittingly acclaim you; and even a supernatural mind is overwhelmed when it glorifies you, O Theotokos.

But in your goodness accept our faith, since you recognize our godly love.

You are the intercessor for Christians, and we exalt you.

Communion Hymn (Titus 2:11):

The saving grace of God has appeared to all. Alleluia! Alleluia!

Al - le - lu - ia!