

The holy prophet Jeremiah

MAY 1



1. Let the faith - ful's choir join with pipe and lyre
2. When i - do - la - try caused the truth to flee,
3. When in - va - ders' might caused the Ci - ty's blight,
4. Sent in ex - ile's path, soon the peo - ple's wrath



To an - nounce the fes - tal days! Let us raise a song,
Je - re - mi - ah preached with strength to both rich and poor
Je - re - mi - ah stayed in place. Midst the fal - len walls
Caused this man to be be - trayed. Though he would not bend,



Sound - ing loud and long pro - phet Je - re - mi - ah's praise!
Caught in e - vil's lure, tra - vel - ing the king - dom's length.
And the foes' cruel calls, hHe an - nounced Good News and grace!
Nor his mes - sage mend, he was killed by men a - fraid.



Faith - ful in both deed and word, tell - ing forth what he had heard,



Pro - phet from his youth, shout - ing God's own truth, priest - ly man by Spi - rit stirred!

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Melody: *Anhel Božij / When the angel came* (traditional)