

November 26 - December 24

PREFEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Kontakion (B)

Byzantine Chant - Tone 3

Arranged by Frederick Karam (1926-1978)

The Original Melody

♩ = 120

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

The__ Vir - gin com - eth to - day to__ the

cave__ to give__ birth, in - ef - fa - bly to__ bring forth

the__ Word__ e - ter - nal. There - fore, re -

joice,__ O__ earth at the mes - sage

PREFEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST - Kontakion (B) - 2

with the an - gels and shep-herds give glo - ry to him

who shall ap-pear by his own will as a young child,

he who is from e - ter - ni - ty God.