

## Holy Pascha

### Procession Before Liturgy

☪ *First the clergy begin to sing:*



Hail, O fes-ti-val day, in all ag-es wor-thy of praise,



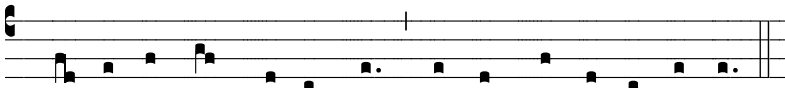
on which God con-quer'd hell, for He pos-ses-seth the stars.

☪ *The procession begins moving out of the choir enclosure, and the whole choir sings:*

Hail, O festival day...



**Singers:** Lo, by the grace of re-birth of the earth, she beareth us wit-ness



that all her gifts have re-turned, a-long with her Cre-a- tor.

**Choir:** Hail, O festival day...

☪ *The other verses are given in the Missal. The procession encircles the church.*