

TROPAR - Tone 4

Rejoice, O barren one /
Who had not given birth, /
For behold, today hast thou conceived the One who is the dawn of
the Sun /
Who will illumine the whole world suffering in blindness, /
Shout for joy, O Zachariah, /
And boldly cry aloud: ///
Truly the One to be born is the prophet of the Most High.

KONTAKION - Tone 1:

Zachariah rejoices greatly /
With his wife Elizabeth, /
For she has rightly conceived the Forerrunner, John, /
Whom the archangel announced with great joy. ///
Let us worthily honor him for he truly an initiate of the
mystery of grace.

Prokeimenon, Tone 7:

The righteous one shall rejoice in the Lord / and shall set his
hope on Him.
Verse: Hear my voice, O God, when I pray into Thee!

The Alleluia, in Tone 4:The Communion Hymn:

The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance. He shall not
be afraid of evil tidings.