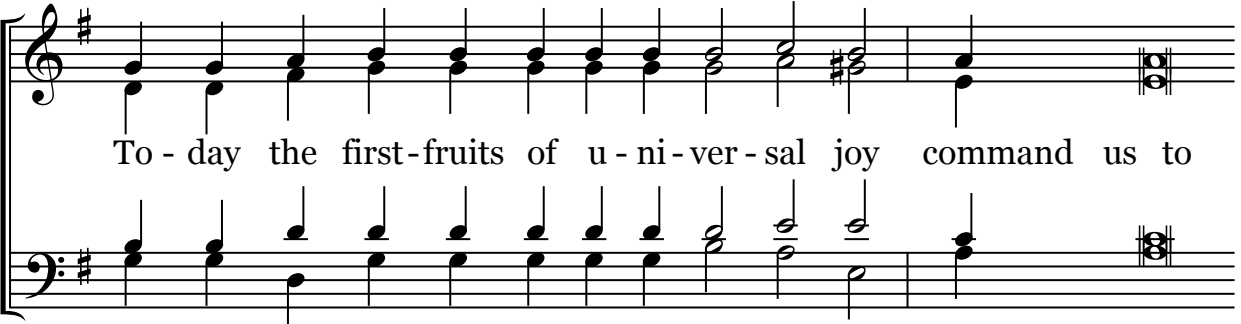


March 24: Forefeast of the Annunciation

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Moscow Synodal Choir

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To - day the first-fruits of u - ni - ver - sal joy command us to

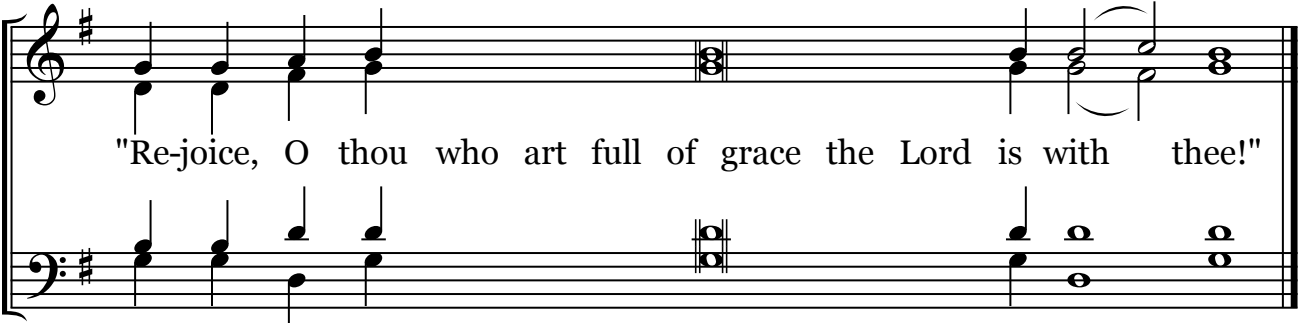
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chant hymnody of the fore-feast; for lo! Gabriel cometh, bearing



a salutation to the Vir - gin, and he cri - eth out to her:



"Re-joice, O thou who art full of grace the Lord is with thee!"

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St. John of Kronstadt Press. The complete service text may be purchased through: sjkp.org