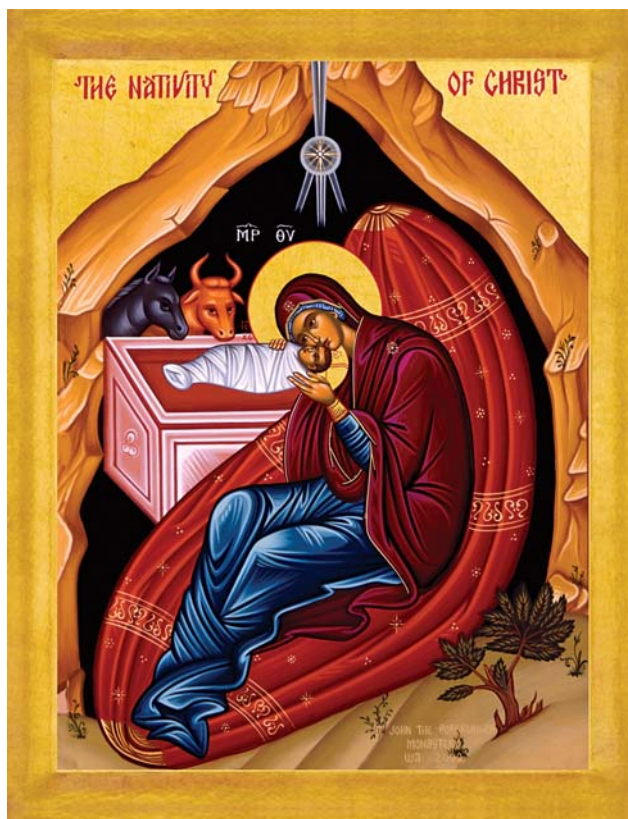


dise, where - - in the di - vine and sav - ing Tree is
found, and as we eat there-of we shall all live, and shall not die as
did Ad - - - am. For Christ is born now to raise the
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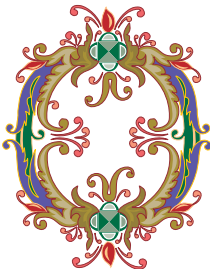
"On this day the Virgin"

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(M) (N) (N) | give birth _____ to God the Word in - ef - - fa - bly, Who was

(N) | be - fore all thē ag - - - es. Dance ___ for joy, O earth, on

(N) | hear - - - - ing the glad - some tid - - - ings; with ___ thē An - gels

