



“I am come a Light into the world.”

“Rejoice, thou who ineffably gavest birth to the Light!”

Christ is Risen! Indeed, He is Risen!

Blessed is the conjuncture whereby we celebrate together this year the crowning events of history: the **A**nnunciation of the *Theotokos* and the **R**esurrection of Christ our Savior!

God is the **L**ight that has come. **H**e has clothed Himself with history. **H**e transforms the world. **H**e inaugurates by His **R**esurrection the eschatological **F**east of the **K**ingdom of **G**od.

The **A**ll-Blessed **M**other of the **L**ight is honored and magnified in hymns. **S**he is the uplifting of men. **I**n her all-venerable person is reflected the true human person amid the **L**ight poured forth by the **H**oly **T**rinity.

May these truths be mystically present in every aspect of our lives. **L**et us rediscover our heavenly dignity amid the **L**ight of the **R**esurrection, led by our prototype: the **M**other of the **L**ight!



† Holy Resurrection of Christ our Savior, 2018

† Annunciation of the Theotokos

The Least Minster of Christ's Sheep, Girt with the Towel of Servitude,

† Metropolitan Cyprian of Oropos and Phyle

