

Samopodoben – Joy of the Heavenly Hosts – Tone 1

Theotokion at the Aposticha, Sunday evening vespers in the first tone

Pattern: A-B A-B A-C

Τῶν οὐρανίων ταγμάτων
Небесныхъ чиновъ радование

Optina hermitage chant

A **B**

You are the joy of the heav - en - ly hosts and the might-y pro-tec-tion of

A

men on earth: O im-mac - u - late Vir-gin, save us,

B **A**

who flee to you for ref - uge;— for, af - ter God,

C

O The - o - to - kos, we place our hope in you.