The Appearance of the Icon
of the Theotokos of Tikhvin

June 26

Apolytikion

Fourth Mode

Intonation: #10

ο - day thy most ven - 'ra - ble i - con, O La - dy, hath

shone in Heav - en up - on us like a most bril - liant sun,

en - light-en - ing the world with rays of mer - cy, which great Rus - sia and

A - mer - i - ca re - ceived from on high most rev - 'rent - ly as a di -
vine gift, and they glorify thee, O Mother of God, as the Queen of all, and joyfully magnify Christ our God Who was born of thee. Pray to Christ, O our Lady and Queen, O Theotokos, that He keep all Christians unharm by all assaults of the enemy, and that He save them that venerate His divine image and thy pure icon with faith, O Virgin who knew not wedlock.