Dogmatic Theotokion

Plagal First Mode

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Ἐν τῇ Ἑρυθρῇ Θαλάσσῃ

n the Red Sea there was once depicted an image of the unwedded Bride. There, Moses divided the water; here, Gabriel doth minister the wonder. Then the deep was trodden dry-shod by Israel; now Christ is born seedlessly of the
"Yoke them in oneness of mind;  
crown them into one flesh;  
grant them the fruit of the womb,  
the joy of children."