

# NATIVITY OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST - VIGIL

Ps. 71:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 15, 17  
(L 586)

Since — my mo-ther's womb you have been — my strength.

1. In you, — O Lord, — I take re- fuge;  
3. — Be my — rock of re- fuge,  
5. — For — you are my hope, O Lord;  
7. My mouth — shall de- clare your jus- tice,

1. let me never — be put to shame.  
3. a stronghold to give — me safe- ty,  
5. my trust, O — God, from my youth.  
7. day by day your — sal- va- tion.

2. In your justice rescue — me, and de - li - ver me;  
 4. for you are my ——— rock and my for - tress,  
 6. On ——— you I de - pend from birth;  
 8. O God, you have taught me taught — me from my youth,

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ear to me and ——— save ——— me. Ant.  
 hand of the ——— wick - ed. Ant.  
 womb you are ——— my strength. Ant.  
 claim your won - drous deeds. Ant.

2. in cline your ——— ear to me and save ——— me. Ant.  
 4. O my God, rescue me from the hand of the wick - ed. Ant.  
 6. from my mother's ——— womb you ——— are my strength. Ant.  
 8. and till the present I pro - claim your ——— won - drous deeds. Ant.