

Nocti succedit lucifer  
Hymn for the Feast of St. Anne  
July 26

2012

1 The morn - ing star is on the rise  
2 The Sun of jus - tice, Christ, true Light,  
3 O moth - er An - na, fruit - ful root,  
4 Christ's moth - er's moth - er by the grace  
5 O Je - sus, Vir - gin - born, to You

1 And soon the dawn will fill the skies,  
2 And Ma - ry, gra - ce's dawn - ing bright,  
3 From you came your sal - va - tion's shoot,  
4 Your daugh - ter's birth brought to our race,  
5 All glo - ry is for - ev - er due.

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1 Fore - tell - ing of the com - ing Sun  
2 And An - na, red - den - ing the sky,  
3 For you brought forth the flow - 'ring rod  
4 And by her mer - its and her prayer  
5 To Fa - ther and the Spir - it, praise

1 Whose light will shine on ev - 'ry one.  
2 Have caused the night of Law to fly.  
3 That bore for us the Christ of God.  
4 May we her fa - vors come to share.  
5 Be sung through ev - er - last - ing days.

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