Nativity 2020

“Magnify, O my soul, her who is more honorable and exalted in glory than the heavenly hosts. I behold a strange and wonderful mystery: the cave a heaven, the Virgin a Cherubic throne, and the manger a noble place in which hath lain Christ the uncontained God. Let us therefore praise and magnify Him.”

Nativity Ode 9, First Canon

CHRIST IS BORN! GLORIFY HIM!

We humbly offer gratitude to our Savior for every precious gift He bestows upon us as we warm ourselves by the fire of His cave. May the Nativity of our Lord and Savior bring you joy and imbue the hearts of people throughout the world with peace, reconciliation, understanding and love for one another. May you be granted a grace-filled, joyous feast and a blessed new year replete with both spiritual and physical health.

Yours in the service of Christ,

+JOSEPH
Archbishop of New York and Metropolitan of all North America

“The disciples were first called Christians in Antioch” (Acts 11: 26)