

# 986. Fear not, Zechariah

Introit for the Nativity of St. John the Baptist (June 24, Vigil), et al (\* see footnote)

*R* Luke 1: 13

Fear not, Zech - a - ri - ah; your prayer has been an-swered.

*V* Luke 1: 13, 15a, 14; Psalm 21 (20): 2

*V* 1

Elizabeth, your wife, will bear a Son, and\_ you shall name him John.  
And he will be filled with the Ho - ly Spir - it, e - ven from his moth - er's womb,

He will be great be - fore\_ the Lord.  
and many will re - joice at his birth. *R*

*V* 2

*May be sung in SATB*

In your strength shall the king re - joice, O Lord,

and in your salvation shall he re - joice great - ly. *R*

\* Also for December 19 (Last Weekdays of Advent)

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