Nativity (Birth) of the Theotokos

"Nativity" means "Birth." On this Feast, we celebrate the Birth of the Theotokos, the Ever-Virgin Mary.

This is the first of the Twelve Great Feasts of the Church. The Theotokos is the beginning of our salvation, because our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ was born from Her.

We go to a Festal Liturgy in Church on this day.