



Excerpt from *Christ Our Pascha*

The Only-Begotten Son

The Holy Spirit is the Third Divine Person and proceeds from the Father (see Jn 15:26). This procession [i.e. coming forth] of the Holy Spirit can be explained through an image, making use of an analogy: the Father is the source, the Son is the stream, the Holy Spirit is the water. There is only one source for the stream and the water, only one Father for the Son and for the Holy Spirit, which like water flows from the source and fills the river-bed and stream. The Holy Spirit is a Divine Person that is equally worshiped and glorified with the Father and the Son, proceeding from the Father, coming to rest in the Word, and expressing the Word. (# 91)