



Excerpt from *Christ Our Pascha*

*The Freedom of the Creator*

God realizes his plan for the creation of the world through his Word: “Let there be light ... let there be a firmament in the midst of the waters” (*Gen 1:3, 6*). This creative Word reveals himself in Holy Scripture as the Son of God, begotten of the Father : “He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation ... he is before all things, and in him all things hold together” (*Col 1:15-17*). (#104)