Πάντες αγρυπνήσωμεν

"Let us all keep vigil"

Ἦχος λ̅ ᾳ̈ πα   X̅

Let us all keep vi — — — — — — —

-gil — —   and — Christ — sha — ll

Come un — — — to — — — — Un

to — us — — — — — — — —, with

— ma -ny mer- — — — — - cies; and with

bri - ght ly — — shi — -ning — —

la - mps   that we may   be - ma - - de

wor - - thy - of en-ter - - - ring -

- - through - the doors = - of =

- - the Bri = dal Cha - - - - mber - -;

let us - therefore cry to = God   fer - vent

- ly - , "Have - mer - cy = - on me."

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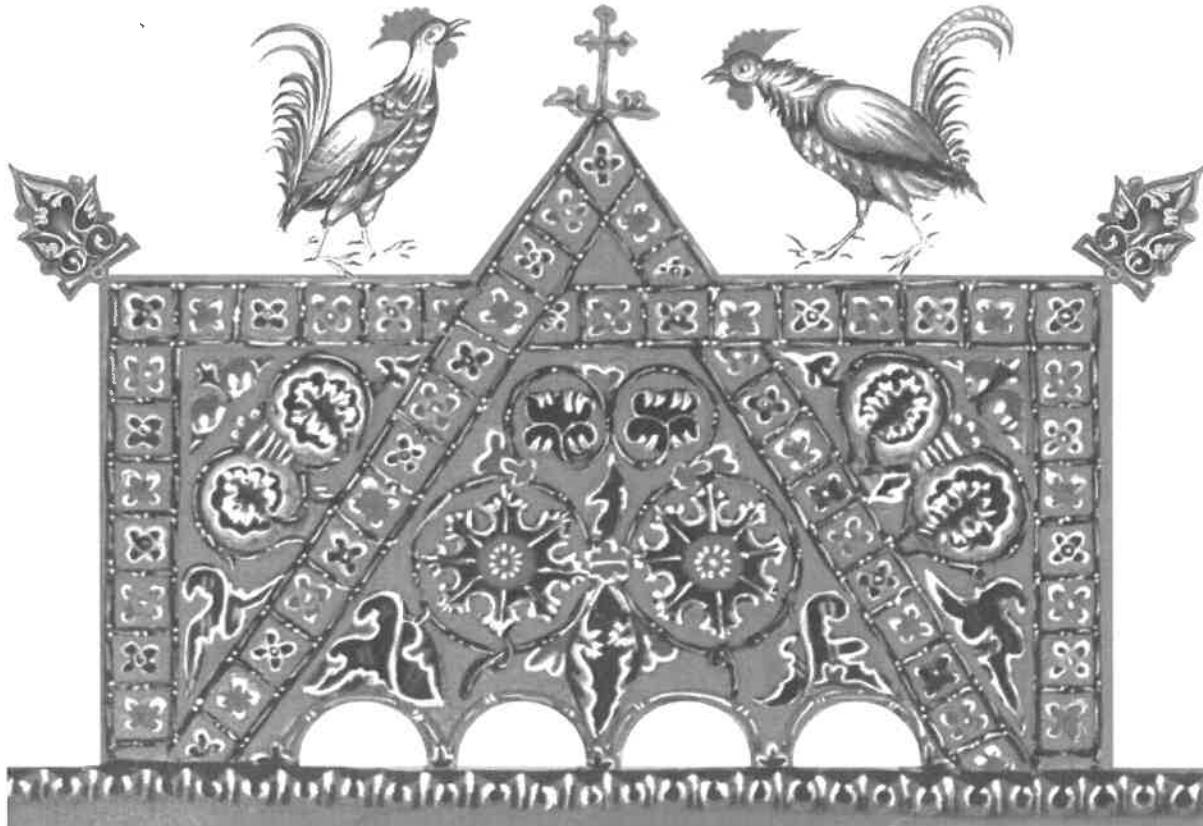
Anoixantaria
(Concluding Verses of Psalm 103)*

Plagal Fourth Mode

adapted from the standard melody
attributed to Theodore Phokaeus**

Ἦχος λ̅ πλ δ Νη

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Duration: 19:00

Intonation: #26

Ἀνοίξαντός σου

(N) (M)   (N)

hen You_ o - - - - pen - - - - Your hand,_____

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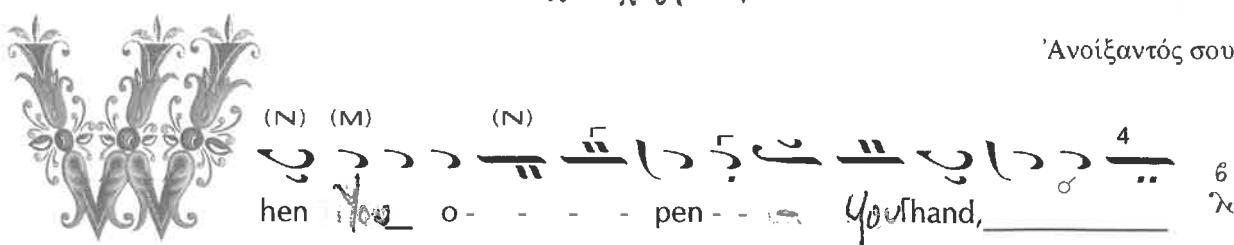
* On special feast days, these concluding verses of the opening vesper psalm are chanted instead of being read.

**As Georgios Papadopoulos mentions, the Anoixantaria published by Phokaeus was actually composed by Antonios Sigalas in 1830 at the request of monks from Vatopedi Monastery on the Holy Mountain. (Vid. Παπαδοπούλου, Γεωργίου, Συμβολαὶ εἰς τὴν Ἱστορίαν τῆς Ἐκκλησιαστικῆς Μουσικῆς, Ἀθῆναι, 1890, σελ. 437.)

all   things_____ shall_____ be_____ filled with_ good - - ness;   when

You turn - - - - a- way *Your*___ face___ they shall be trou-

- - - - bled.___ Glo - ry to_ *You* O___ God._____ Al - -

le - lu - - - - -i - - - - a.

Verse #2

Thou wilt take_____ their spir - - - - it,_____ and they___

_____ shall_____ cease; and un - - -to___ their dust_____ shall

they_____ re - - - - turn. Glo - ry to_ *You* O___ God.___

_____ Al - le - lu - - - i - - - - a.

Verse #3 Ἐξαποστελεῖς

Ou wilt send forth Your Spir - - -it,___ and they___ shall_ ___ be cre - - at - - - - ed,___ and You shalt re - - -new___ ___ the face_____ of_____ thē_____ earth. Glo - ry to You, O___ Fa - - - - ther. Glo - - ry to__ You_ O___ Son._____ ___ Glo - - - - ry_____ to_____ You O___ Ho - - ly___ Spir - - - it.__ Glo - - - ry to_ You O___ God.__ Al - le - lu - - - - i - - - - a.
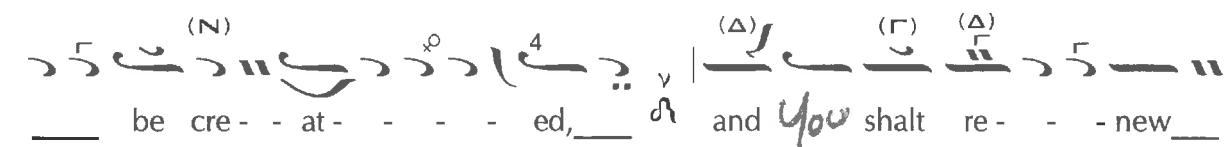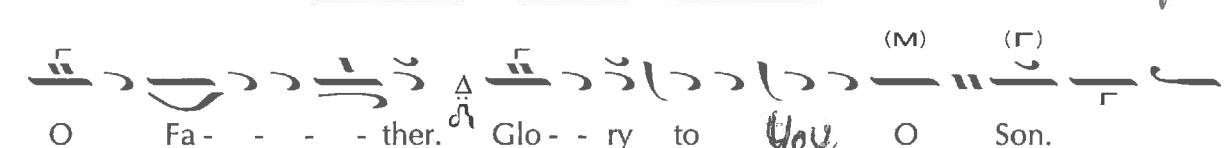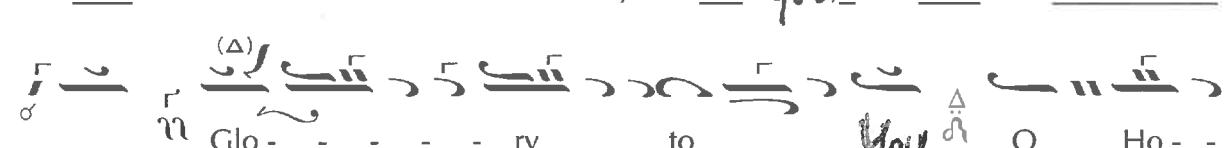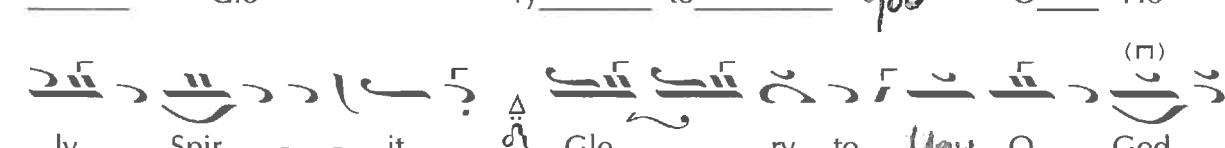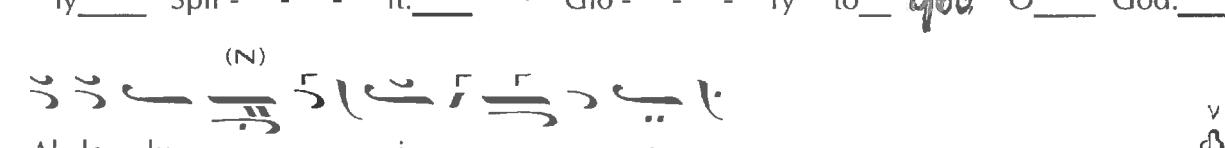
Verse #4   Ἀντανελεῖς

L et_____ the_____ glo - ry_____ of_____ the_____

Lord be un - to thē ag - - es;_____ the Lord__ will re - -joice_

_____ in_____ His_____ works. Glo - - - - - ry

to__ You, O_____ Ho - ly__ One. Glo - - - - -ry__ to__ You_

_____ O_____ Lord. Glo - ry_____ to_____ You,

O Heav - - - - - - - - en - - ly_____ King._____ (n)_____

_____ Glo - ry to__ You, O__ God._____ Al - - - - le-

lu - - - - i - - - - - a.
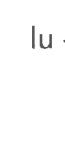
Verse #5 Ὁ ἐπιβλέπων

W ho___ look - - - - - - up - - on___ the___

earth and mak - es - - it trem - - - - - - - - - ble,

Who touch - - - - - - - - - es - - the moun - - tains___

and_____ and__ they__ smoke._ Glo - -

- - ry to__ You O_____ Ho - ly__ One. Glo - - ry__ to_

_ You,_____ O_____ Lord. Glo - - ry to__ You, O___

Heav - - - - en - ly_____ King.____ Glo - - ry to You O___

Ho - - ly____ Spir - - - - - - - - - - - -

it._____ Glo - ry to You_ O___ God._____

(N)

Al- le- lu- - - - - i- - - - - a.

Verse #6   ᾌσω τῷ Κυρίῳ

(Π)   (N)   4   (B)   (Δ)

will sing un- to___ the Lord___ through-out my__ life, I

(N)   (Π)

will chant_____ to__ my_____ God for as long_____

(N)

_____ as I___ have my__ be- - - ing.___ Glo-ry to__ You

(Δ)

the___ God- - -head__ of Three Hy- - -pos- - - - - -ta-

(B)   (Δ)   (B)

- - - ses: Fa- -ther,___ Son, and Spir- - -it;___ You__ do

(N)   (Π)

we__ wor- - - - ship_____ and glo- - - - ri- - - - fy.

(M) (Γ)   (N)

Glo- - ry to You_ O___ God._____ Al- le- lu- - -

- -i- - - - -a.

Verse #7   Ἡδυνθείη αὐτῷ

May my words___ be___ sweet____ un - to___ Him and I will

re - joice_____ in_____ the_____ Lord. Glo - ry to___

O Be - gin - - - - ning- - less_____ Fa - - - - - ther.

Glo - - ry to___ You, O Co - Be - gin - - - - - ning- -less__

Son.__ Glo - - ry to You__ O__ Ho - - ly___ Spir - - it, one_

_ with_____ Them in es - - - - - - -sence_____ and_

_ in__ throne._ O Ho - - ly Trin - - - i-ty, glo - - - - - - -

ry_____ to_____ You. Glo - - ry to You,_ O___ God._____

Al - le - lu - - - - - - - - - -i - - - -a.

Verse #8   Ἐκλείποιεν ἁμαρτωλοί

_____ that sin - - - - - ners___ would cease_____

_ from_____ thē_____ earth,   and they that__ work in-

iq - - ui - - - - ty,   that they should_ be_____ no_____

more. Glo - - - - - - - - ry___ to___ You,_ O_____ Fa-

- -ther. Glo - - ry to__ You, O___ Son._____ Glo - - -

ry__ to__ You,_ O__ Ho - - ly___ Spir - - - - - - - - it._

_ O Ho - - ly Trin - - - - i - - ty, glo - - - - - - -

- - -ry_____ to_____ You _ Glo - - ry to You,_ O___ God._

_____ Al - le - lu - - - - i - - - - a.

Verse #9   Εὐλόγει ἡ ψυχή μου

Bless the___ Lord, O_____ my_____ soul. The sun_

_____ knows - - - ___ his_ go - - - - - - - - ing_____

_down. You ap- point - - - - -edst the dark - - - ness and

there_____ was_____ the_____ night. Glo - - - ry to___

You, O___ Heav - - en - - -ly_____ King. Glo - - -

- - - - - ry__ to___ You, O Rul - - - er___ of_____

all,_____ with_____ the___ Son___ and Spir - - -it. Glo - -

ry to_ You O___ God.___ Al -le- lu - - - i - - - - a.
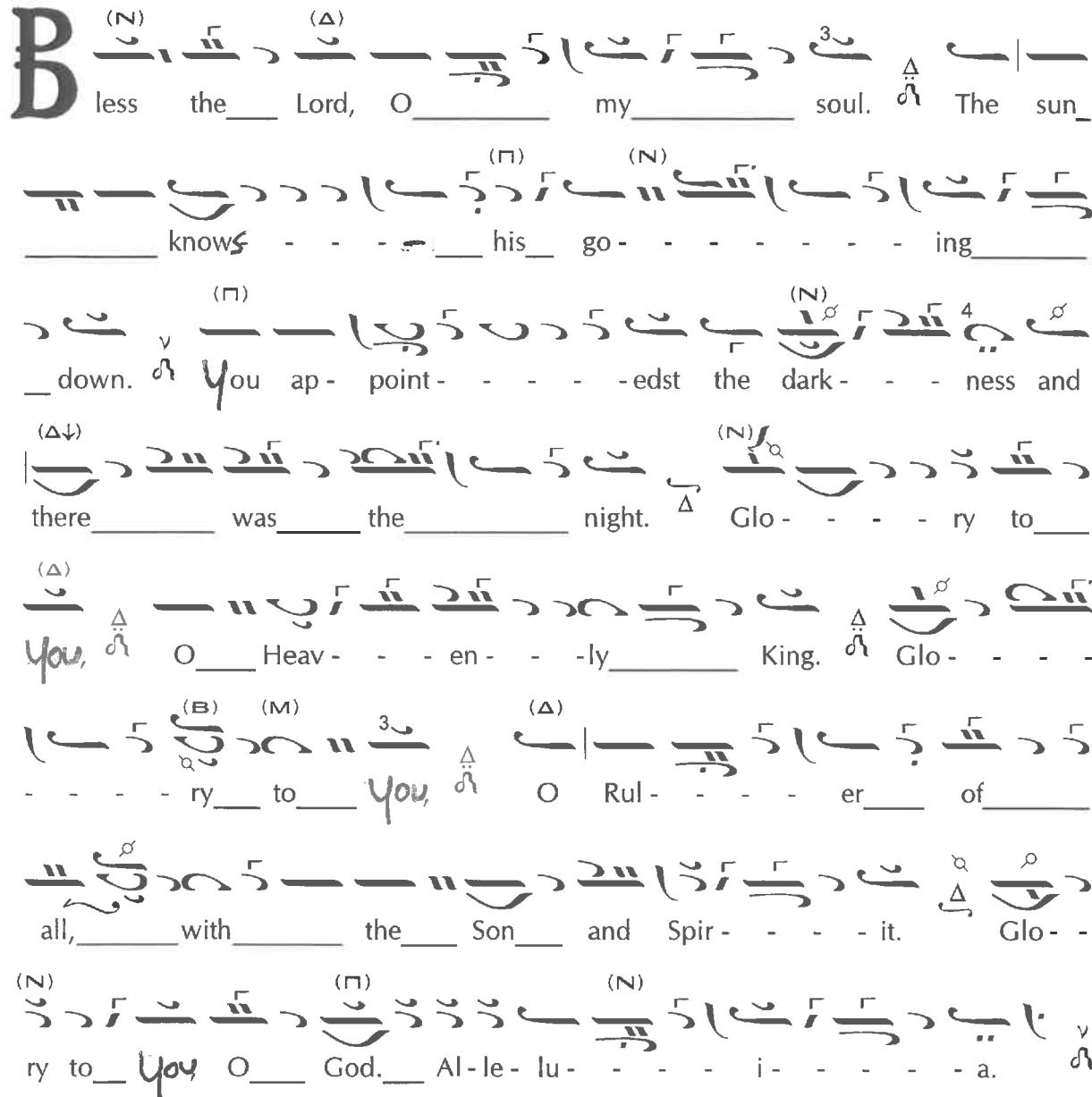
Verse #10

Ὡς ἐμεγαλύνθη

How____ mag - - - ni - - - - fied_____ are You works,

O__ Lord! in wis - - - - - - - dom ha ve You_ made_____

_____ them_____ all. Glo - - - - ry to___ You,

O_____ Un - - be - - got - - ten_____ Fa - - - - -ther. Glo - - -

- - ry to___ You,_____ O Be - - got - - - - - - -

- - ten__ O__ Be - got - - en_____ Son. Glo - - ry____

_to_____ You, the Ho - - ly_____ Spir - - - it,___ Who

pro - - -ceed - - - s___ from the___ Fa - - -ther, and_____ rest -

- est in_____ the_____ Son. O Ho - ly Trin - - -

i - - ty, glo - - - - ry_____ to_____ You. Glo - - ry to

You_ O___ God._____ Al - le - lu - - - - -i - - - - - a.

Glory...

Δόξα Πατρί

lo - - -ry to the Fa - - -ther, and__ to the____ Son,

and_____ to the___ Ho - ly_____ Spir - - - - it.

Both now...

Καὶ νῦν

oth now and__ ev - - - - er, and un - to thē ag - -

es_____ of ag - - - - es._____ A - - - men.

Alleluia #1   Ἀλληλούϊα

I- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i- a. Al- le-

lu- i- a. Glo-ry to You_ O_ God._ Al-le- lu- - - - i-

- - - - a.

Alleluia #2   Ἀλληλούϊα

I- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i- a. Al- le-

lu- i- a. Glo-ry to You_ O_ God._ Al-le- lu- - - - i-

- - - - a.

Alleluia #3   Ἀλληλούϊα

I- le- lu- i- a. Al- le- lu- i- a. Al- le-

lu - i - - a. Glo - - - - - ry_____ to_____ *You* O our_

_God,_____ glo - - ry___ be___ to__ *You*_____

†HE LADDER OF DIVINE ASCENT

Opening Litany

Plagal Fourth Mode
adapted from John Pallasis (d. 1942)

῏Ηχος λ πλ δ Νη

(N)
ord,_____ have_ mer - - - -cy.

(N)
2   Lord,_____ have___ mer - - - cy.

(N)
3   Lord,_____ have___ mer - - - cy.

(Δ)   **(Γ)**   **(N)**
4   Lord,__ have__ mer - - - cy.

(Π)   **(N)**
5   Lord,__have__ mer - - - cy.

(Π)   **(Δ↓)**   **(N)**
6   Lord,__have__ mer - - - cy.

(Π)   **(N)**
7   Lord,__have__ mer - - - - -cy.
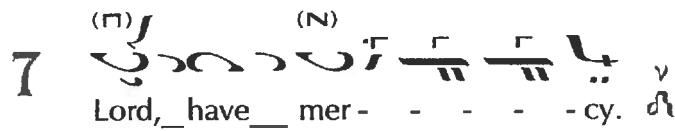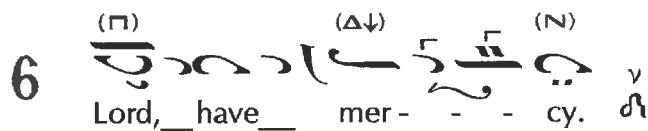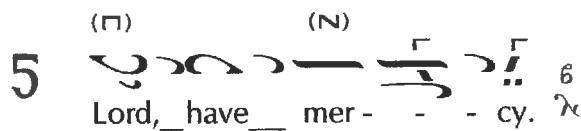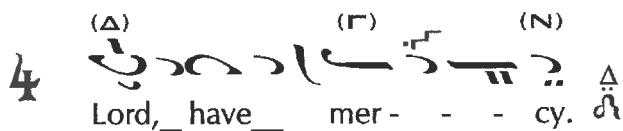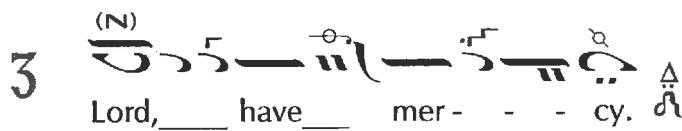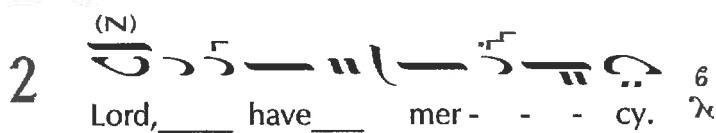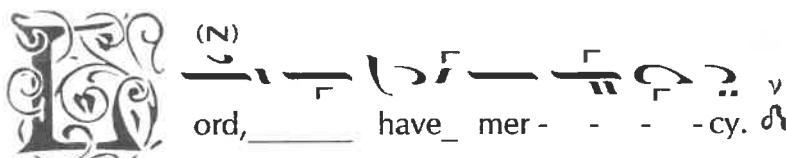
Blessed is the Man
(Psalms 1-3)

Brief Version

Plagal First Mode

adapted from Hieromonk Gregory
of Simonos Petras Monastery

Ἦχος λ π ᾳ Πα

χ 180

Duration: 6:30

Intonation: #14

Μακάριος ἀνήρ

bless-ed is the man that hath not walked in the coun - -sel of

thē un-god-ly, nor stood in the way of sin-ners, nor sat____ in

the seat of the pes-ti-lent.__ Al - le- lu - - i- - a.

2 But his will is rath - er in the law___ of the Lord, and

in His law will he med - - i-tate day and night.__ Al - le- lu - - i-

- a.

3 And he shall be like the tree which is plant-ed by the streams_

___ of the wa - - ters.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

4 Which shall bring forth its fruit___ in its sea - son; and its leaf

shall not fall, and all things what - so - ev - er he may do shall pros - - per.__

Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

5 Not so are thē un - god - ly, not so; but rath - er they are like

the chaff which the wind doth hurl a-way from the face_____ of thē earth.__ Al -

le - lu - - - i - - a.

6 For this rea - son shall thē un - god - ly not stand up in judg - -

ment, nor sin-ners in the coun - cil of the right - -eous.__ Al - le - lu - -

i - - a.

(⊓)

7 For the Lord know-eth the way__ of the right-eous, and the

way of thē un-god - - - ly shall per - - ish.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - -

a.

(⊓)

8 Why have the hea-then raged, and the peo-ples med - i - ta-ted emp-ty

things?__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

(⊓)

9 The kings of thē earth__were a - roused, and the rul - ers were_

_as - sem - bled to - geth - er, a - gainst the Lord,____and a-gainst His Christ._

_ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

10 Let us break their bonds a- sun - - - der, and let us cast
a- way their yoke from us.___ Al- le- lu - - - i - - a.
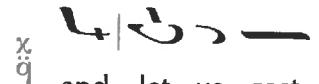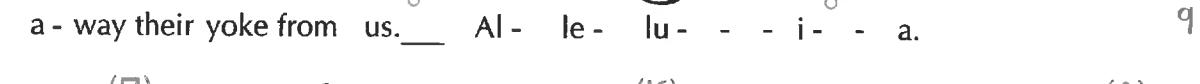
11 He that dwell- eth in the heav- ens shall laugh them to scorn, and the
Lord_____ shall de - ride__ them.__ Al- le- lu - - - i - - a.
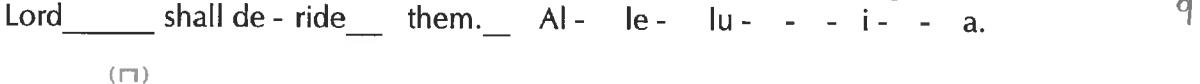
12 Then shall He speak un - to them__ in His wrath, and in His an-
ger shall He trou-ble them.__ Al - le- lu - - - i - - a.
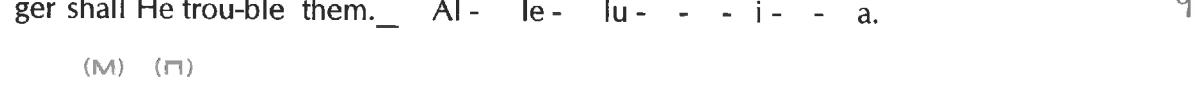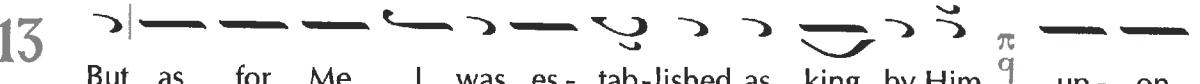
13 But as for Me, I was es - tab-lished as king by Him, up - on
Si - on, His ho - ly moun-tain, pro - claim-ing the com-mand-ment of the Lord._
_ Al - le- lu - - - i - - a.
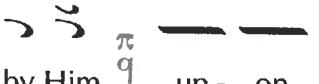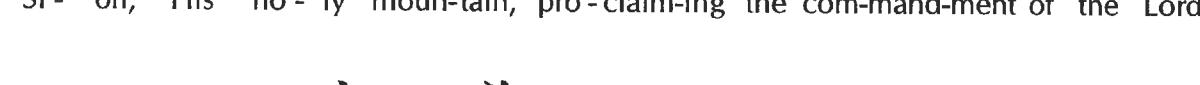
14 The Lord said un - to Me: Thou art My Son, this day have I be-got-

ten Thee.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.
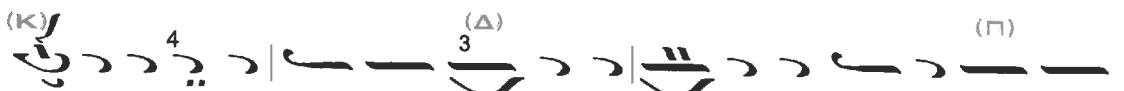
15 Ask of___ Me, and I will give Thee the na - tions for Thine in - her - i -

tance, and the ut - ter - most parts of thē earth for Thy pos - sess - - ion._

__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

16 Thou shalt herd them with a rod of i - ron; Thou shalt shat - ter

them__ like a pot-ter's ves - - sels.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

17 And now, O ye kings,_ un - der - stand; be in - struct - - ed,___
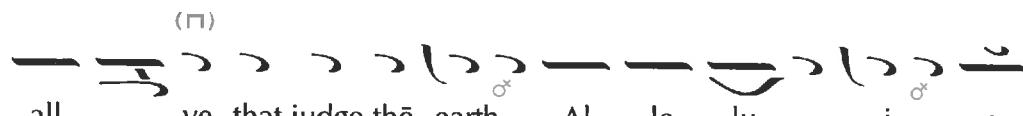
all_____ ye that judge thē earth._ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

18 Serve ye the Lord with fear, and re - joice in Him with trem - - bling.__

Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

19   (Π)   (K)
Lay hold of in - struc - tion, lest at an - y time the Lord be

(Π)
an - - gry, and ye per - ish from the right-eous way._ Al - le - lu - - - i-

- a.

20   (Π)   (K)   (Δ)   (Π)
When quick - ly His wrath be kin-dled, bless-ed are all___ that have

put their trust in Him._ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

21   (Π)   (K)   3   (Π)
O Lord, why are they mul - ti-plied_ that af - flict me? Man-y rise_

___ up a - gainst_ me._ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

22   (Π)
Man - y say un - to my soul: There is no sal - va - tion for him_

____ in his God._ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

23   (Π)   (Δ)
But Thou, O Lord, art my help - - er, my glo - ry, and the

lift - er up__ of my head.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

24 I cried un - to__ the Lord__ with my voice, and He heard__

me out of His ho - ly moun - - tain.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

25 I laid me down and slept; I a - woke, for the Lord will help__

me.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

26 I will not_____ be a - fraid of ten thou - - sands of peo -

- - - ple that set them-selves a-gainst me round a - bout.__ Al - le - lu -

- - i - - a.

27 A - rise, O__Lord, save me, O__my God, for Thou hast smit -

ten all who with-out cause__ are mine en - e-mies; the teeth of sin - ners

hast Thou bro - - ken.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

**28** Sal - va - tion is of the Lord, and Thy bless - - ing is up - on

Thy peo - - ple.__ Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

29 Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir -

it.

30 Both now and ev - er, and un - to the ag - - es of ag -

- es. A - men.

31 Al - le - lu - i - a. Al - le - lu - - - i - a. Al - le - lu - i - a.__

Glo - - ry to Thee, O God.

32 Al - le - lu - i - a. Al - le - lu - i - a. Al - le - lu - i - a.

Glo - ry to Thee O God, our hope O__ Lord, glo - ry to Thee._____
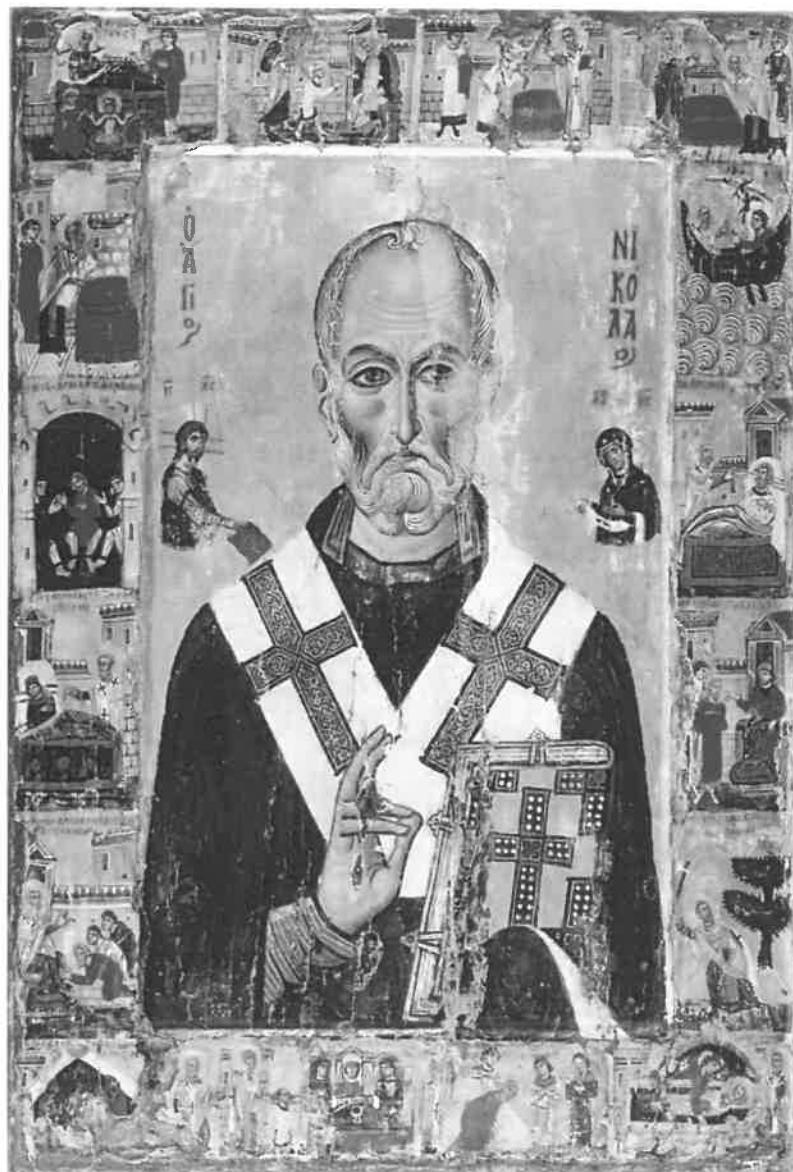
SAINT NICHOLAS

Lord, I have Cried.
Mode 4.

Mode 4. Πα

(B)
Lord, ___ I have cried to __ You; hear ____ me.

(Π)
Hear ___ me, O

(B)
_____ Lord. Lord, ___ I have cried _____ to ___ You; ___

(Δ)

hear _____ me.

(B)
Give heed ___ to the voice ____ of ____ my

(Π)
sup- pli - ca - - - tion when I cry _____ to _____

(B) (Δ)

(Π) (N) (Π) (B)
__ You. Hear ____ me, hear me, O ___ Lord.

Let My Prayer.
Mode 4.

Mode ᴸ Πα

(B)

Let my prayer be set ___ forth be - fore ___ You ___

as _____ in - - - cense, the lift- ing up _____ of

my ___ hands as thē eve - ning _____ sac - ri - -

-fice. Hear ____ me, hear me, O ___ Lord. __

Composed by Fr. Seraphim Dedes. Transcribed into Byzantine notation by Gabriel Cremeens.

Stichologia

4th Mode. Bou

by Gabriel Cremeens

Set a watch, O Lord, be-fore my mouth, a door of en - clo - - sure a - bout my lips.

In - cline____ not my heart to e - vil words, to make ex - cus - es in sins.

With men____ who work law - less - ness; and I will not join___ with their choice ones.

The right-eous man shall cor - rect me___ with mer - - cy and he shall re - prove__ me; but let not thē oil

of the sin - - ner a - noint my head.

For my pray'r shall be in - tense in the pres-ence of

their pleas - - ures. Their judg - - - es are swal-low'd up___

by the rock.___

They shall hear my words, for they are pleas - ant. As

a clod of ground is dash'd to piec-es on the earth, so

their bones were scat-ter'd be-side the grave.__

For my eyes, O Lord, O Lord, are t'ward You; in

You I___ hope; take___ not my soul a- way.

Keep me from the snares they set for me. and from the stum-bling_ blocks of those who work law-less-ness. Sin - -ners shall fall in-to their own net; I am a - lone, un - til I es - cape.___ I cried___ to the Lord___ with my voice, with my voice I prayed___ to the Lord.___ I shall pour___ out my sup - pli - ca - - tion be-fore___ Him; I shall de - clare my af - flic-tion in His pres-ence.

When my spir-it faint-ed with-in___ me, then You knew my paths.

For on the way I was go - - ing they hid___ a snare for me.

I looked____ on my right, and saw there was no___ one who knew__ me.

Ref-uge fail'd me, and there was no one who cared for my soul.___

I cried to You,___ O Lord, I said, "You are my hope, my por-tion in the land of___ the liv - - ing."

a t - tend_____ to my sup - pli - ca - - tion, for

I was hum - - bl'd ex - ceed - ing - ly.

D e liv - - er me from my per - se - cu - - - tors,

for they are strong-er than I.____

B ring my soul out of pris - - on to give thanks to

Your name.__

T he right - - eous shall wait for me, un - til You___ re-

-ward me.

Glory. Both now. First Theotokion.
Mode 3.

Ἦχος Γα

Glo- ry to the Fa - - ther and the Son and the Ho - ly Spir - - - it.

Both now and ev - er and to the a - - ges of a - - ges. A - men.

How can we not mar - - - vel that you be - came the moth - - - er of the Son of God the Fa - - ther, O all - hon - - - 'ra - - ble Vir - - gin! You were whol - ly blame - - - less, and you ex- pe- ri-enced no u - - nion with a
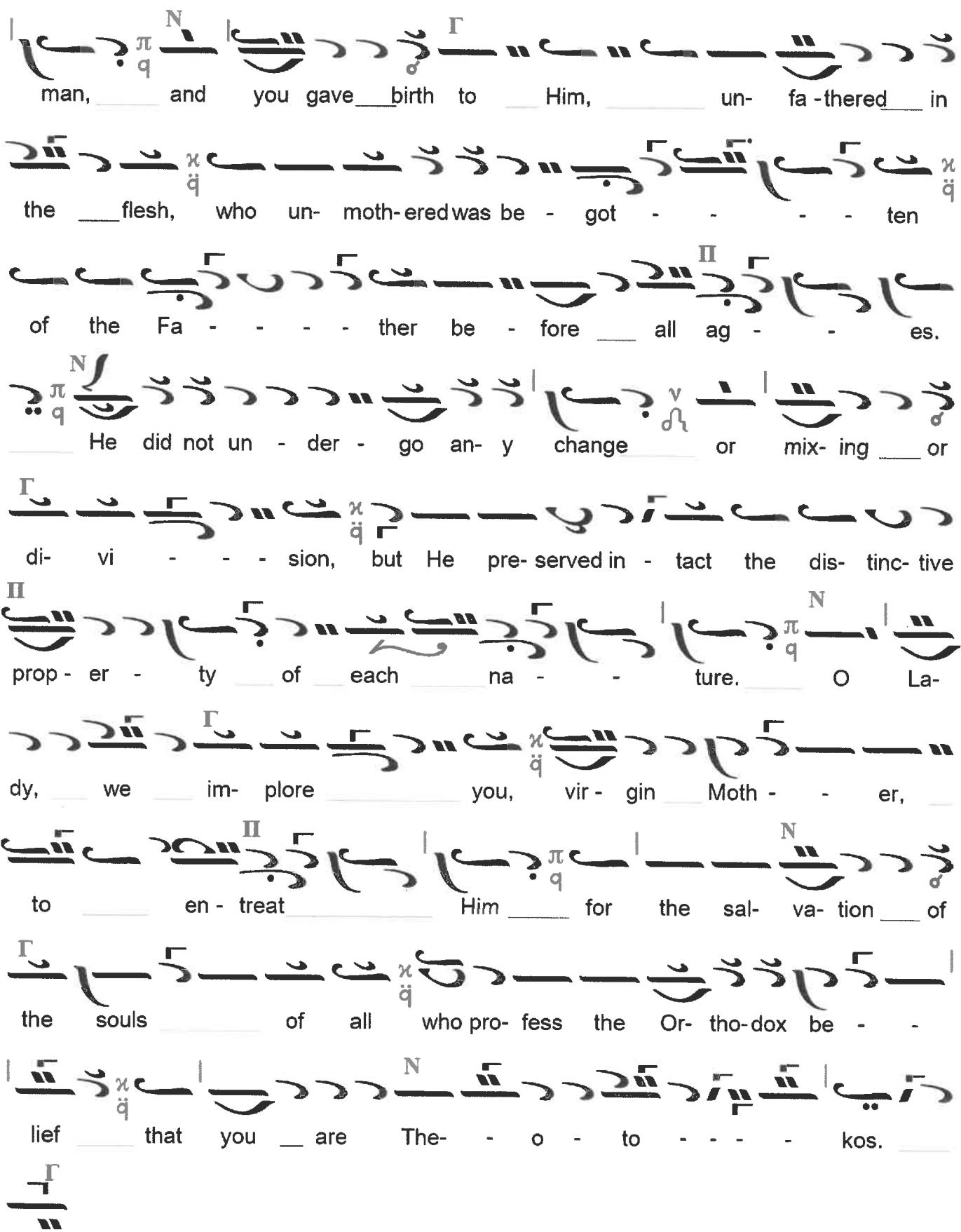
man, and you gave birth to Him, un- fa -thered in

the flesh, who un- moth-ered was be - got - - - ten

of the Fa - - - ther be - fore all ag - - es.

He did not un - der - go an- y change or mix- ing or

di - vi - - - sion, but He pre- served in - tact the dis- tinc- tive

prop - er - ty of each na - - ture. O La-

dy, we im- plore you, vir - gin Moth - - er,

to en - treat Him for the sal- va- tion of

the souls of all who pro- fess the Or- tho-dox be - -

lief that you are The- - o - to - - - kos.

Vespers Prokeimenon
Friday

Grave Mode.

You are my pro-tec--tor, O God. Your mer--cy shall go be-fore_____ me.
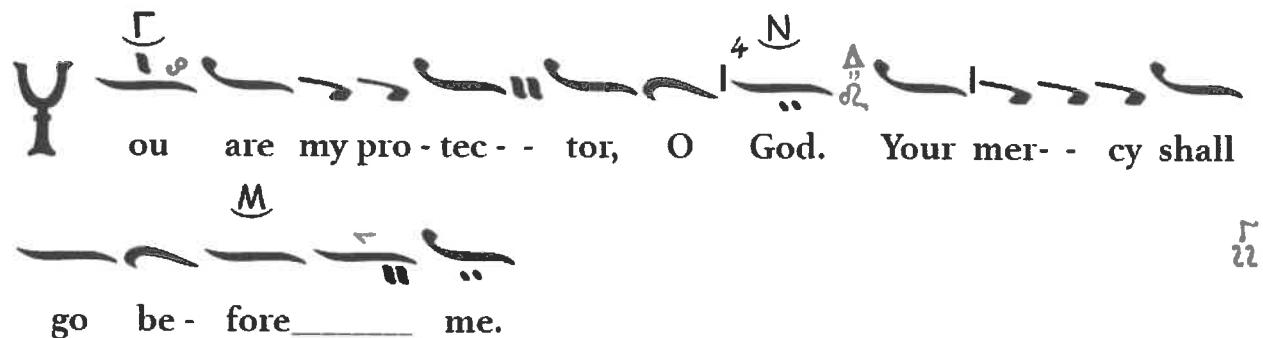
✝ Rescue me from my enemies, O God, and redeem me from those who rise up against me.

You are my pro-tec---tor, O God.__ Your mer-cy shall go be-fore___ me._____
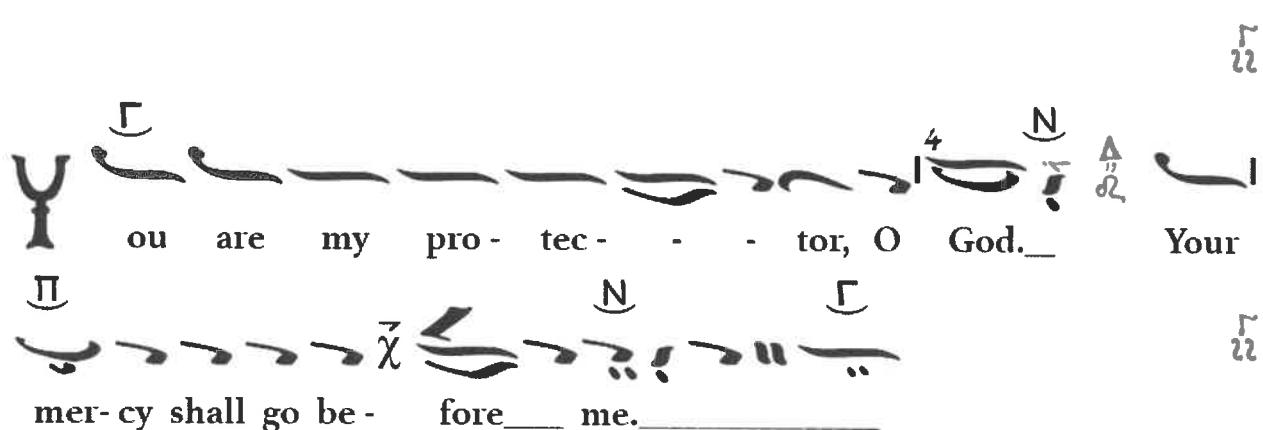
Aposticha

[Glory.] Both now. Theotokion.
Mode 3.

῏Ηχος Γα
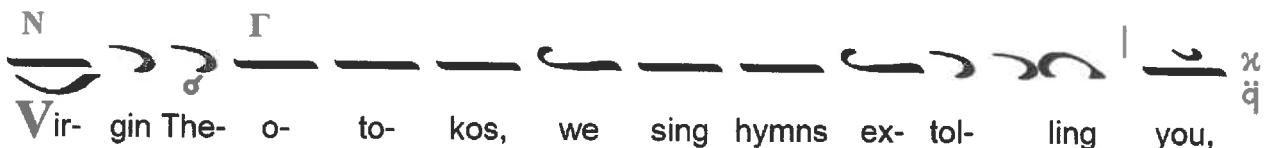
Vir- gin The- o- to- kos, we sing hymns ex- tol- ling you,

thru whom came hu- man- i- ty's sal- va - tion. For your Son and our

God, who is be- nev- o- lent, ac- cept- ed the Pas - sion and

the cru- ci- fix - ion, in the flesh that He as- sumed from you,

and thus from de- struc - tion He res - cued us.

Final ending

and thus from de- struc - tion He res - cued us.

Rich Men Have Turned Poor

Brief Versions*

Grave Mode   Intonation: #21

Ἦχος βαρύς Γα   Πλούσιοι ἐπτώχευσαν

Rich men have turned____ poor and gone hun - - gry; but they that seek the Lord shall not be de - prived of an - - y good thing.

* Finale:

shall not be de - prived of an - y good thing.____

* According to some traditions, after the Blessing of the Loaves this psalmic verse is chanted three times heirmologically (i.e., briefly) with melodies such as the ones found on this and the following page. On the Holy Mountain, however, this psalmic verse is chanted only once sticherarically (i.e., more elaborately) with melodies such as those found on pages 524-529.

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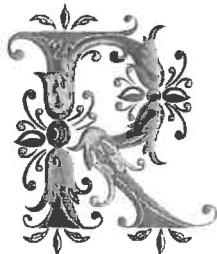
3rd Time

Plagal First Mode

Ἦχος λ πͅ q̈ Κε

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Intonation: #13

ich____ men have turned____ poor____ and gone

hun - - - gry; but they that seek___ the Lord shall not___ be de-prived

of an - - - y___ good thing.

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* Finale:

of an - - - y___ good thing._____

When we are weighed down by deep despondency,

we should for a while sing psalms out loud,

raising our voice with joyful expectation

until the thick mist is dissolved

by the warmth of song.

—St. Diadochos of Photiki

POLYELEOS
PSALM 134

Brief Version
First Mode

adapted from Athonite Melody

Ἦχος ᾱ Πα

χ 200

Duration: 4:45

Intonation: #1

Δοῦλοι Κύριον

(Π)

ye ser - - -vants._ Al - le - lu - i - a. Praise ye

the Name of the Lord; O ye ser-vants, praise the_ Lord._ Al - le - lu - i -

- a.

π
q

(Π)

2 Ye that stand in the house of the Lord, in the courts of the house

of our God._ Al - le - lu - i - - a.

π
q

3 (Π) Praise ye the Lord, for the Lord is__ good._ Al - le- lu- i- - a.

4 (Π) Chant un - to His name, for it is__ good._ Al - le- lu- i- - a.

5 (Π) For the Lord hath cho-sen Ja-cob un - to Him - - self.__ Al - le-

lu- i- - a.
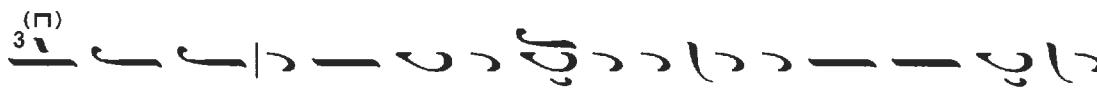
**6** 3(Π) Is - ra- el for His own pos-sess - - - ion.__ Al - le- lu- i-

- a.

7 (Π) 3 For I know that the Lord is__ great._ Al - le- lu- i- - a.
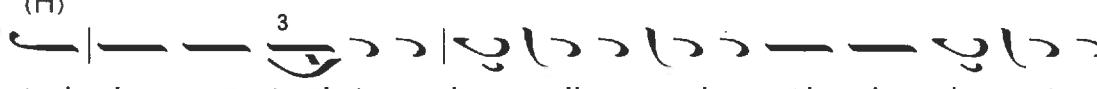
8 (Π) 3 And that our Lord is a - bove all__ gods._ Al - le- lu- i- -

a.

**9** (Π) All that the Lord hath willed He hath done._ Al - le- lu- i- - a.

10 In heav-en and on thē__ earth._ Al - le - lu - - i - a.

**11** In the seas and in all thē a - byss - - - es.__ Al - le-
lu - - i - a.

12 Bring - ing clouds up from thē ut - ter-most parts of thē earth._ Al - le-
lu - - i - a.
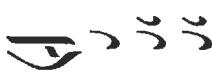
13 Light -nings for the rain hath He made._ Al - le - lu - - i - a.

14 He bring - eth winds out of His treas - ur - - ies.__ Al - le - lu
- i - - a.
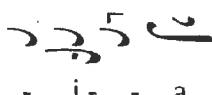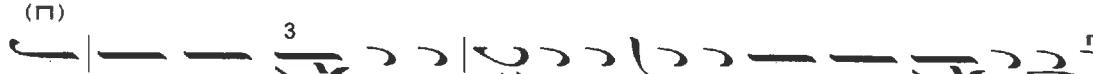
**15** He smote the first - born of E - - - gypt._ Al - le - lu - i - -
a.

16 From man un-to beast.＿ Al - le - lu - - i - - a.
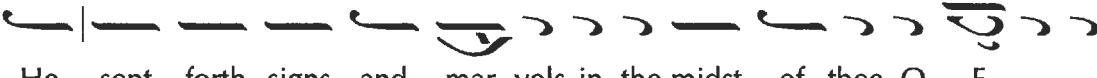
**17** He sent forth signs and mar-vels in the midst of thee, O E- - - gypt.＿ Al - le - lu - - i - - a.

**18** On Phar-aoh and on all his ser - - vants. Al- le- lu- i- - a.

19 He smote man-y na - - - tions. Al - le - lu - i- - a.
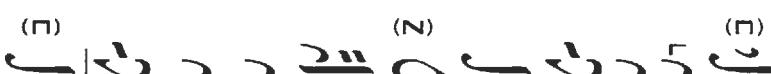
20 And slew might-y kings. Al - le- lu- i- - a.
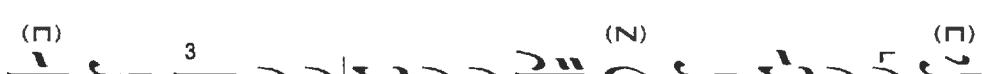
21 Se- on, king of thē Am-o- - rites. Al- le- lu- i- - a.

22 And Og, king of the land of Ba - - - san. Al- le- lu- i- - a.

23 And all the king-doms of Ca- - naan. Al- le- lu- i- - a.

24 And He gave their land for an in-her-i- -tance. Al- le- lu- i- - a.

25 An in-her- i-tance for Is- ra-el His peo- - -ple. Al- le- lu- i- - a.
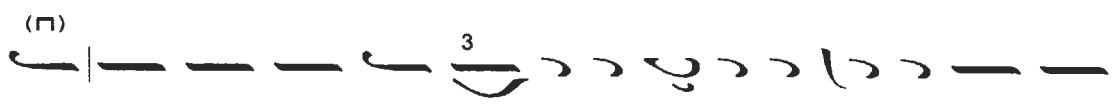
26 O Lord, Thy name en- dur-eth for ev- - - er.___ Al- le- lu- i- - a.

27 And Thy me-mo- ri- al un- to gen-er- a-tion and gen- er- a- - tion.___ Al- le- lu- i- - a.
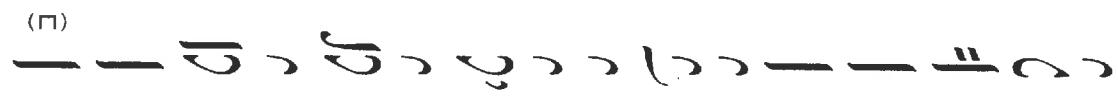
28 For the Lord will judge His peo- - -ple.___ Al- le- lu- i- - a.

29 And be-cause of His ser- -vants shall He be com-fort- - ed.__

Al- le- lu- i- - a.
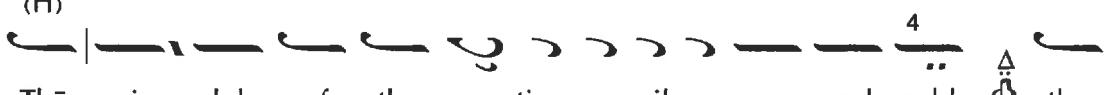
30 Thē i- dols of the na-tions are sil- - ver and gold, the

works of the hands of__ men.__ Al- le- lu- i- - a.

31 They have a mouth but shall not_____ speak._ Al- le- lu- i- -

a.

32 Eyes have they and shall not_____ see._ Al- le- lu- i- - a.

33 Ears have they and shall not_____ hear._ Al- le- lu- i- - a.

34 Nor is there an- y breath in their mouth. Al- le- lu- - - i-

a.

35 Let those who make____them be-come like un-to them. Al - le - lu-

- - i- - a.
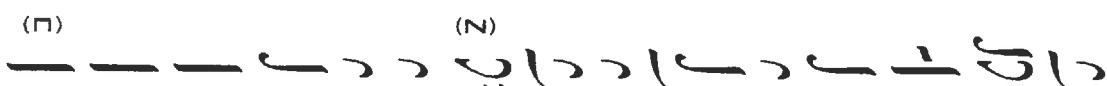
36 And all they that put their trust in__ them.__ Al - le- lu- i-

- a.

37 O house of Is - ra-el, bless ye the Lord. Al - le- lu- i- - a.

38 O house of Aar-on, bless ye the Lord. Al - le- lu- - - i- -

a.

39 O house of Le - vi, bless ye the Lord. Al - le- lu- - - i- -

a.
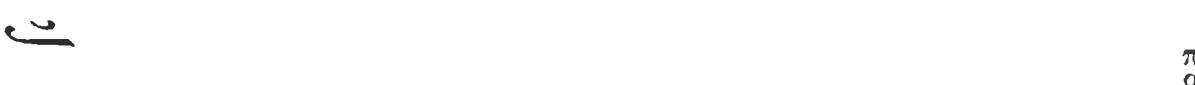
40 Ye that fear the Lord, bless ye the Lord.__ Al - le- lu- - - i-

(п)

\- a.
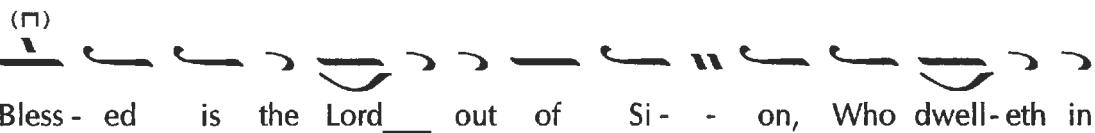
41 Bless - ed   is   the   Lord___   out   of   Si - - on,   Who dwell - eth in

Jer - u - sa - - lem.

(The second choir chants the final Alleluia
so that the first choir may begin the next psalm.)
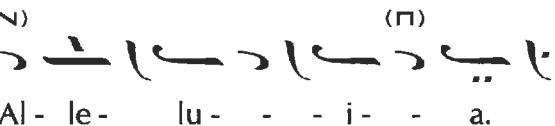
42 Al - le - lu - - - i - - a.

Polyeleos
Psalm 135

Brief Version

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First Mode
Adapted from a traditional Athonite melody

Ἦχος 🎵 Πα

Duration: 4:30

Intonation: #1

Ἐξομολογεῖσθε

(Π)

give thanks un - to the Lord, for He is good. For His

(N) 4 (Π)

mer - cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π q

2

(Π)

O give thanks un - to the God of gods. For His mer - cy en -

(N) 4 (Π)

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π q

3

(Π)

O give thanks un - to the Lord of lords. For His mer - cy en -
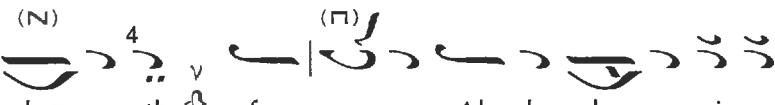
dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

4 To Him Who a - lone hath wrought great won - - ders. For His mer-cy
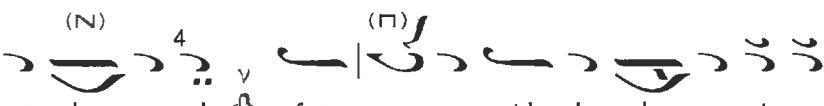
en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.
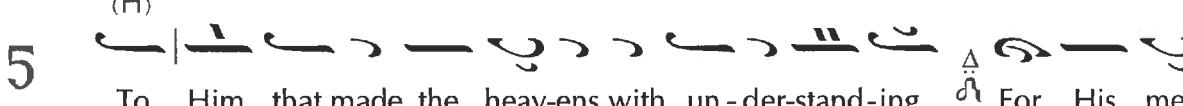
**5** To Him that made the heav-ens with un - der-stand-ing. For His mer -
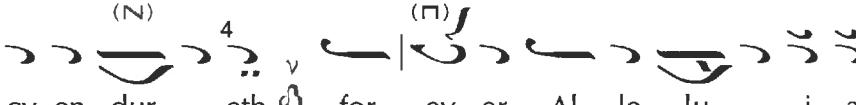
cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.
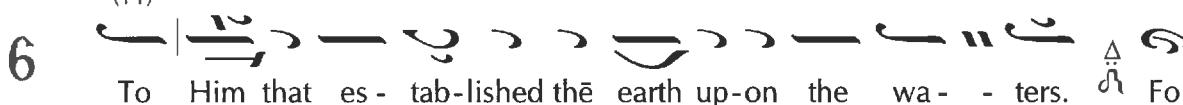
6 To Him that es - tab-lished thē earth up-on the wa - - ters. For
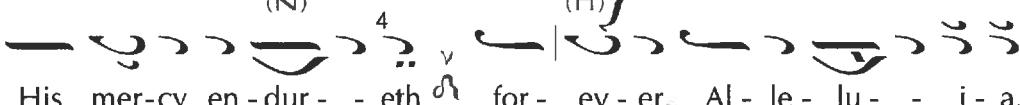
His mer-cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.
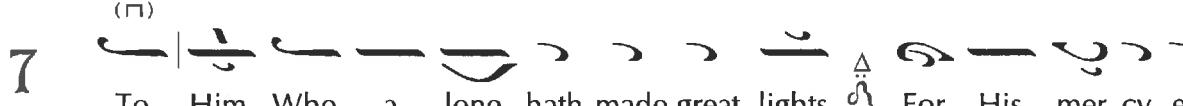
7 To Him Who a - lone hath made great lights. For His mer-cy en-

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.
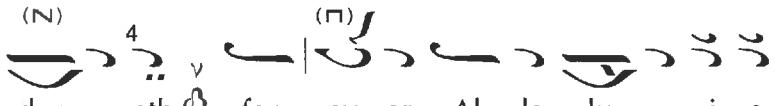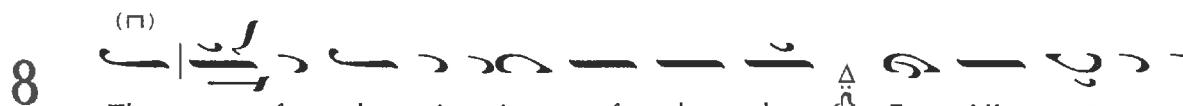
**8** The sun for do - min - ion of the day. For His mer-cy en-

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

**9** The moon and the stars for do - min - ion of the night For His mer -

cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

**10** To Him that smote E - gypt with their first - born. For His mer - cy en -

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

11 And led forth Is - ra - el out of the midst of them. For His
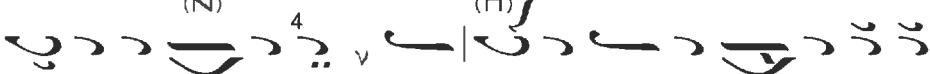
mer - cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

12 With a strong hand and a loft - y arm. For His mer - cy en -

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

**13** To Him that di - vid - ed the Red Sea in - to parts. For His mer -

cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

14 And led Is - ra - el through the midst there - of. For His mer-cy en -

dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

15 And o - ver - threw Phar-oah and his host___ in the Red___ Sea.

For His mer-cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

16 To Him that led His peo-ple through the wil - der - ness. For His

mer-cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

17 To Him that smote great kings. For His mer-cy en - dur - - eth for -

ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

18 And slew__might - y kings. For His mer-cy en - dur - - eth for -

(Π)
ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

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19 (Π) (Ν)
Se - on, king of thē Am - o - rites. For His mer-cy en-dur - - eth

(Π)
for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π
q

20 (Π) (Ν)
And Og king of the land of Ba - san. For His mer-cy en-dur-

(Π)
- eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π
q

21 (Π)
And gave their land for an in - her - i - tance. For His mer-cy en-

(Ν) (Π)
dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π
q

22 (Π)
An in - her - i - tance for Is - ra - el His ser-vant. For His mer-cy

(Ν) (Π)
en - dur - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - - i - a.

π
q

23 (Π)
For in our hu - mil - i - - a - tion the Lord re - mem-bered us.

Go Back to
the Service Text
for the Eklogai
(Selected Psalm Verses)
for the Feast, then
return to the Triadika.

Glory. Mode pl. 4.

Ἦχος πλ. δ´ Νη

G-lo- ry to the Fa- ther ___ and the ___ Son and the Ho

- ly _____ Spir - - - it.

L-et us the faith- ful ap- plaud with ___ songs to - day,

on the oc- ca- sion of the mem- o - ry of the ho - ly

A- pos- tle and E - van - - - ge- list _____ Mat - -

- thew. He threw ___ off the weights _____ and the ___ gold

of tax - - - col - lect - - - ing, and he fol- lowed

Christ; and he be- came a god- ly her- ald of

the Gos - - pel. And as the Psalm- ist said pro-

phet - - i - cally, his proc- la- ma - - - tion ___
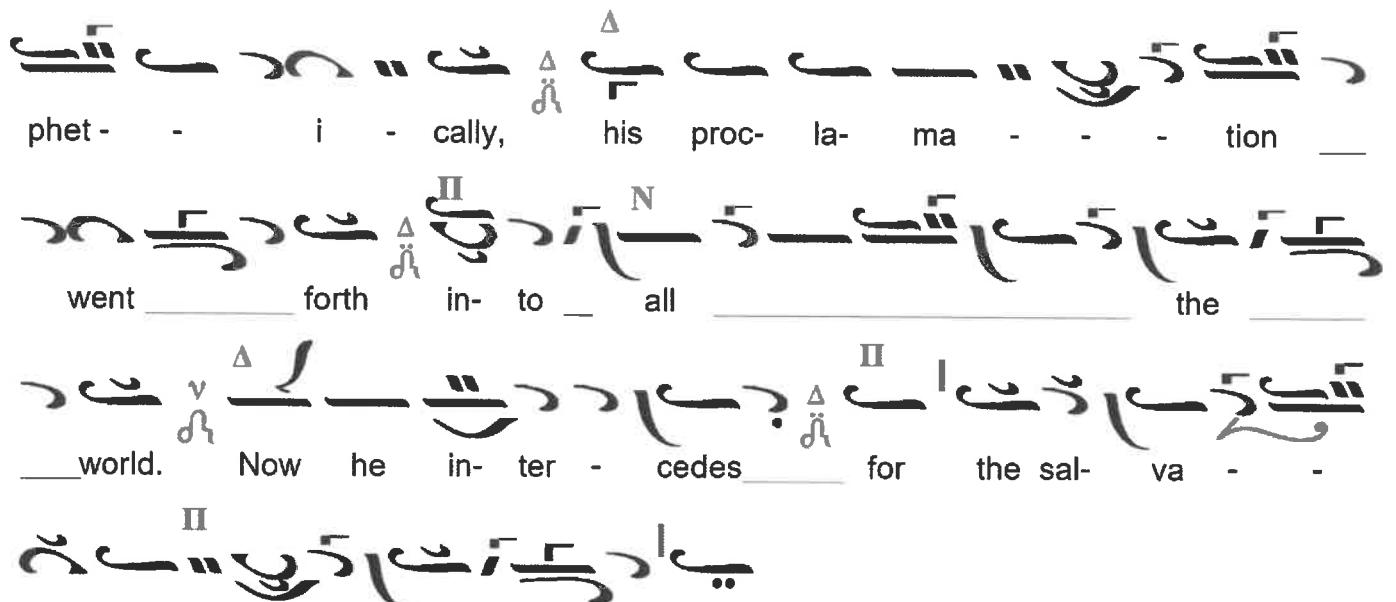
went _____ forth in- to _ all _____ the _____

___world. Now he in- ter - cedes_____ for the sal- va - -

tion of _____ our _____ souls.

Mode Πλ Νη χ
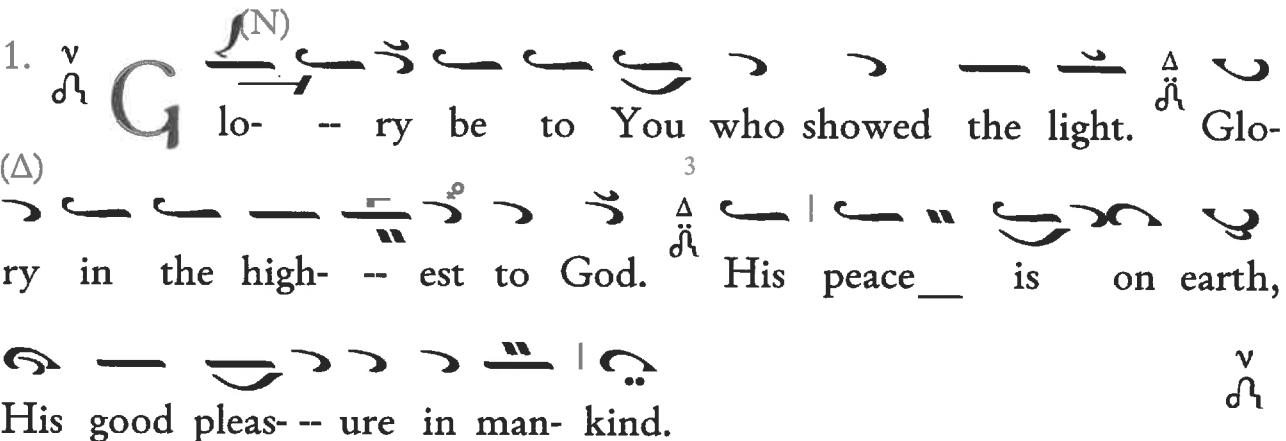
1. **G**lo- -- ry be to You who showed the light. Glo-
ry in the high- -- est to God. His peace__ is on earth,
His good pleas- -- ure in man- kind.
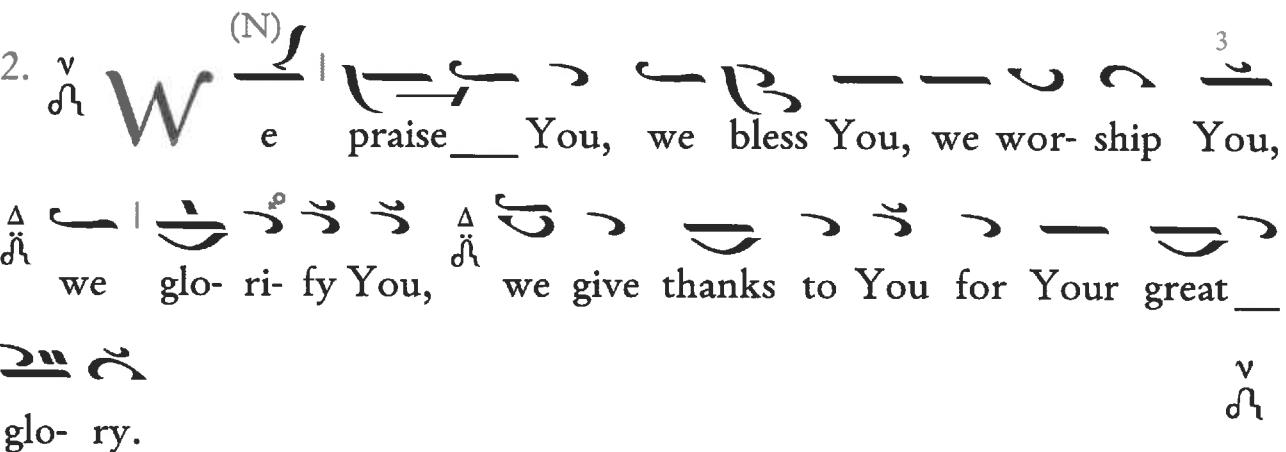
2. **W**e praise__ You, we bless You, we wor- ship You,
we glo- ri- fy You, we give thanks to You for Your great__
glo- ry.
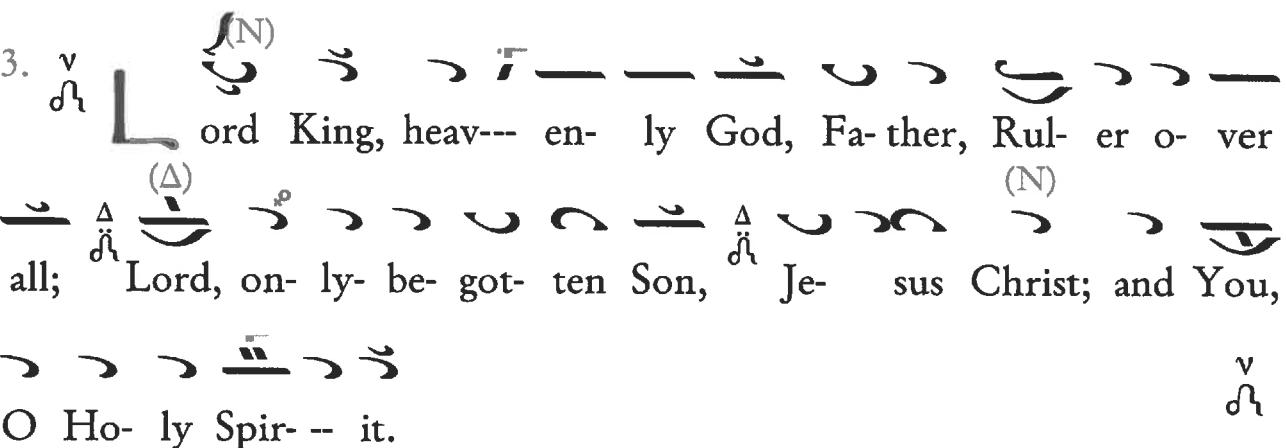
3. **L**ord King, heav--- en- ly God, Fa- ther, Rul- er o- ver
all; Lord, on- ly- be- got- ten Son, Je- sus Christ; and You,
O Ho- ly Spir- -- it.

4. Lord __ God, Lamb of God, Son __ of the Fa- --ther, who take a-way the sin of the world, have mer- cy on us, You who take a- way the sins of the world.__

5. Ac- cept our sup- pli- ca- -- -- tion, You who sit at the right hand of the Fa- --ther, and have mer- cy on us.

6. For You a- lone are ho- -- ly, You a- lone are Lord, Je- sus Christ, to the glo- -- ry of God the Fa- ther. A- men.__
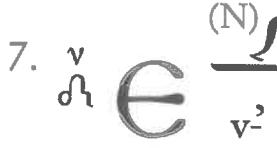
7. E v'ry day__ I will bless__ You, and Your name

__ will I praise to e- ter- ni- ty, and to the ag- -- es of

ag- es.
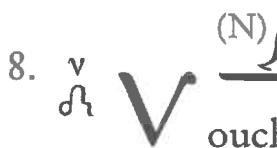
8. V Vouch- safe, O Lord, this day, that we be kept

with- out sin.
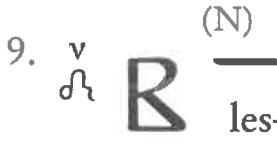
9. R les- -- sed are You, O Lord, the God__ of our

fa- -- thers, and praised and glo- ri- fied is Your name to the

ag- es. A- men.
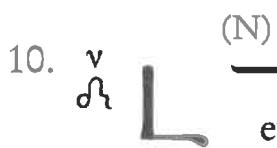
10. L et Your mer- cy be on us, O Lord, as we

have set our hope on You.
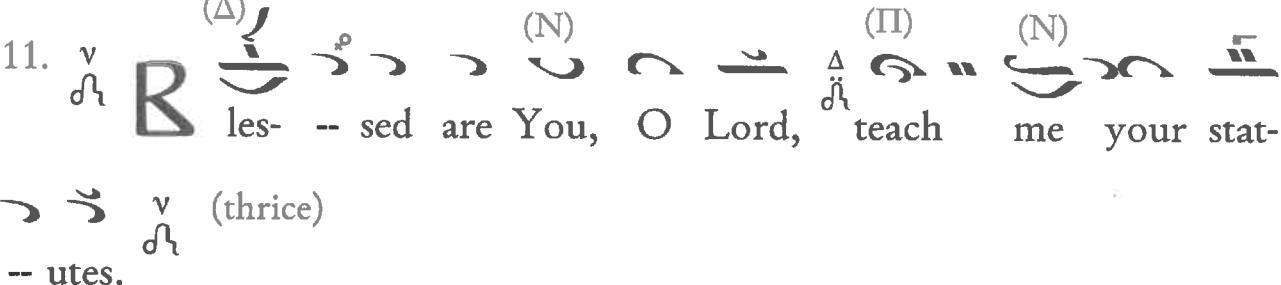
11. R̶les- -- sed are You, O Lord, teach me your stat-

-- utes. (thrice)
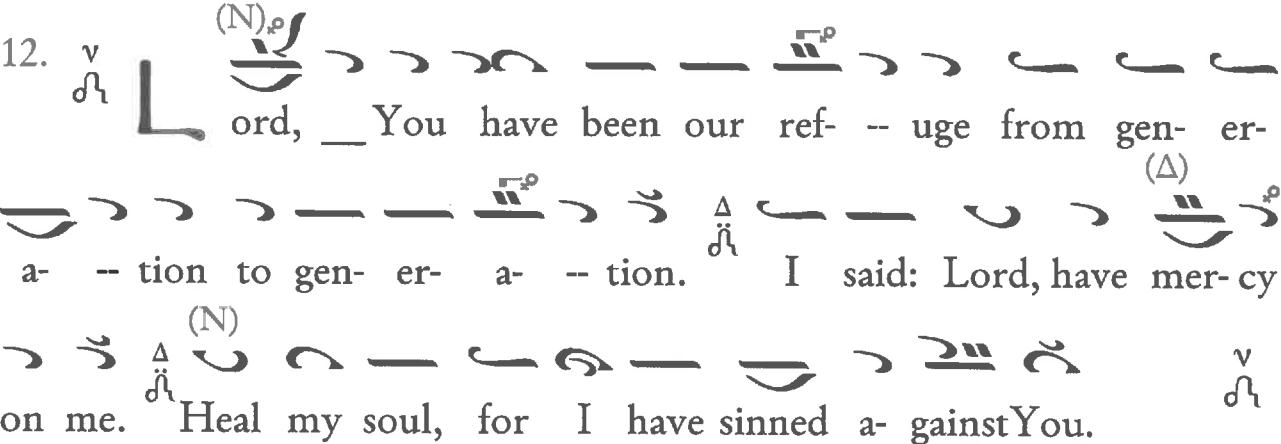
12. L̶ord, __ You have been our ref- -- uge from gen- er-

a- -- tion to gen- er- a- -- tion. I said: Lord, have mer- cy

on me. Heal my soul, for I have sinned a- gainst You.
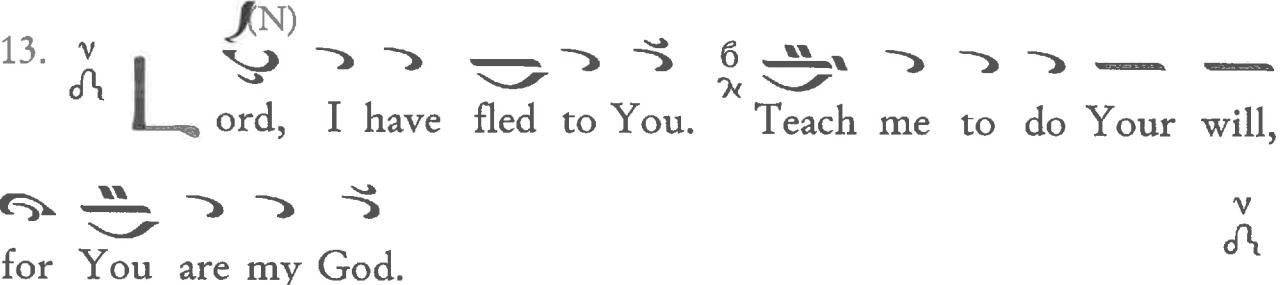
13. L̶ord, I have fled to You. Teach me to do Your will,

for You are my God.
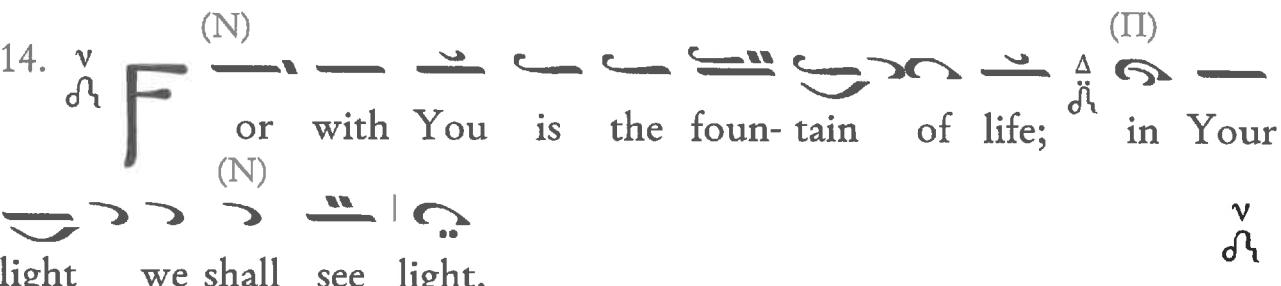
14. F̶or with You is the foun- tain of life; in Your

light __ we shall see light.
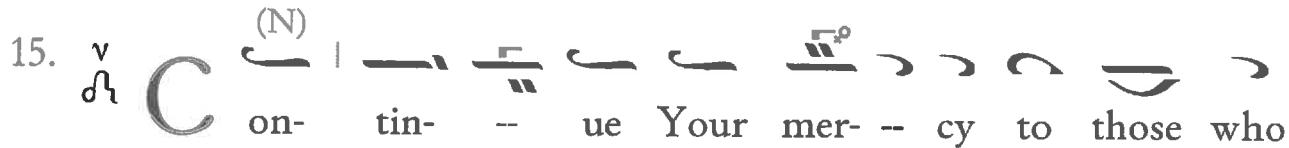
15. **C**on- tin- -- ue Your mer- -- cy to those who

know You.
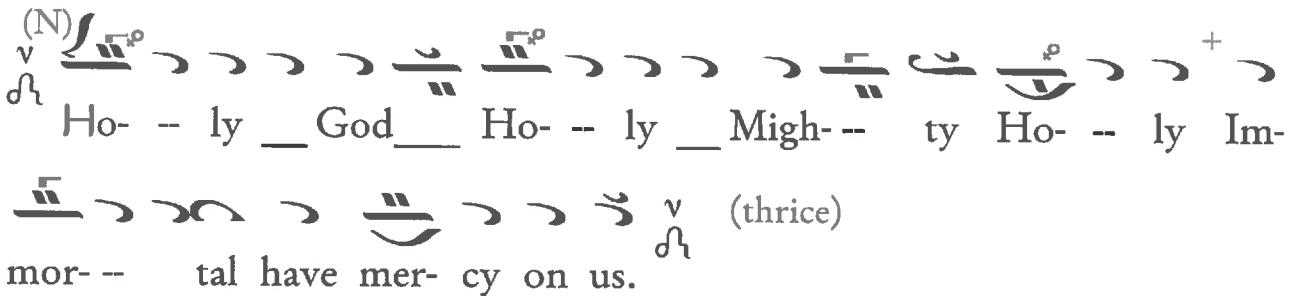
Ho- -- ly __ God __ Ho- -- ly __ Migh- -- ty Ho- -- ly Im-

mor- -- tal have mer- cy on us. (thrice)
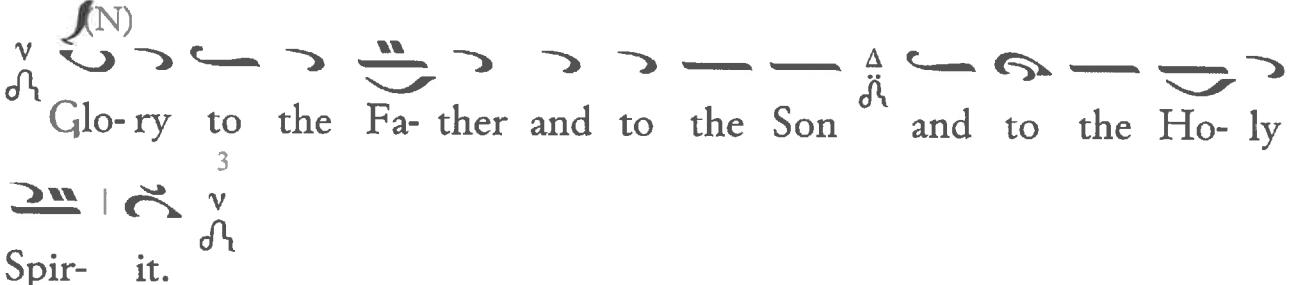
Glo- ry to the Fa- ther and to the Son and to the Ho- ly

Spir- it.
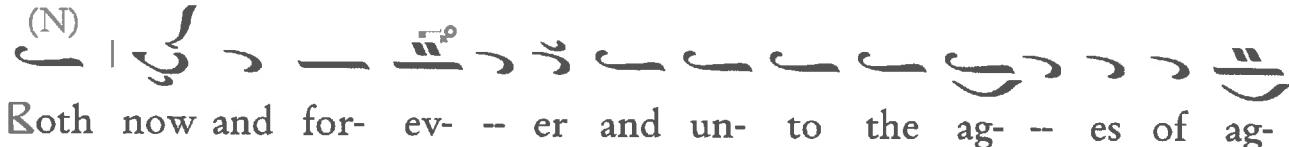
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es. A- men.
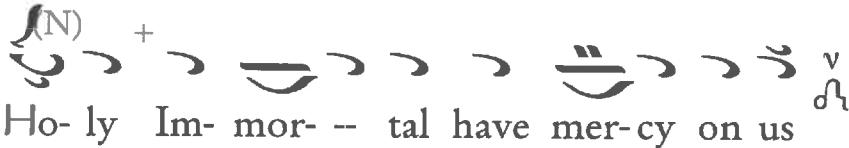
Ho- ly Im- mor- -- tal have mer- cy on us

Asmatikon

Ho-- -- ly _____ God, _____ (d) Ho-- -- ly _____

Might-- -- y, Ho-- -- -- -- -- ly Im-- mor- -- -- tal,

have mer-- -- -- -- cy on _____ us ___

_____ (s)

Opening Litany

Plagal Fourth Mode
adapted from John Pallasis (d. 1942)

Ἦχος λ πλ δι Νη

(N)
Lord,_____ have_ mer - - - -cy.

2 (N)
Lord,____ have___ mer - - cy.

3 (N)
Lord,____ have___ mer - - - cy.

4 (Δ) (Γ) (N)
Lord,_ have__ mer - - - cy.

5 (Π) (N)
Lord,_have__ mer - - - cy.

6 (Π) (Δ↓) (N)
Lord,__have__ mer - - - cy.

7 (Π) (N)
Lord,_have__ mer - - - - -cy.
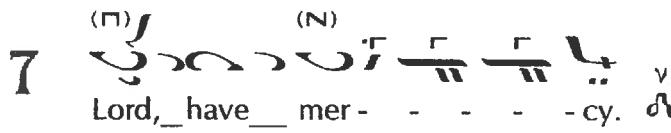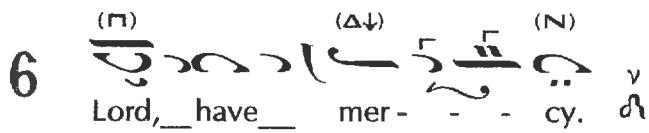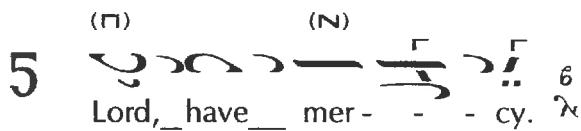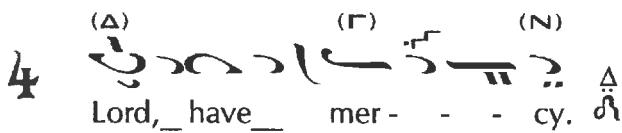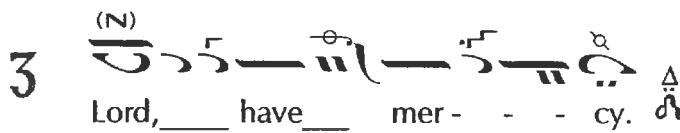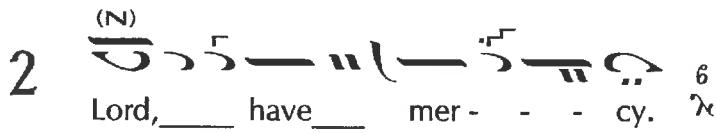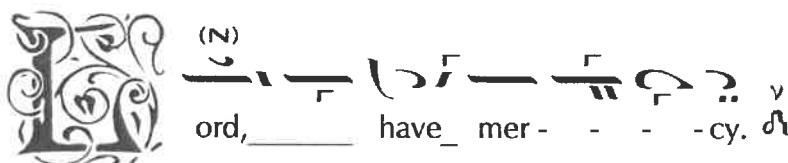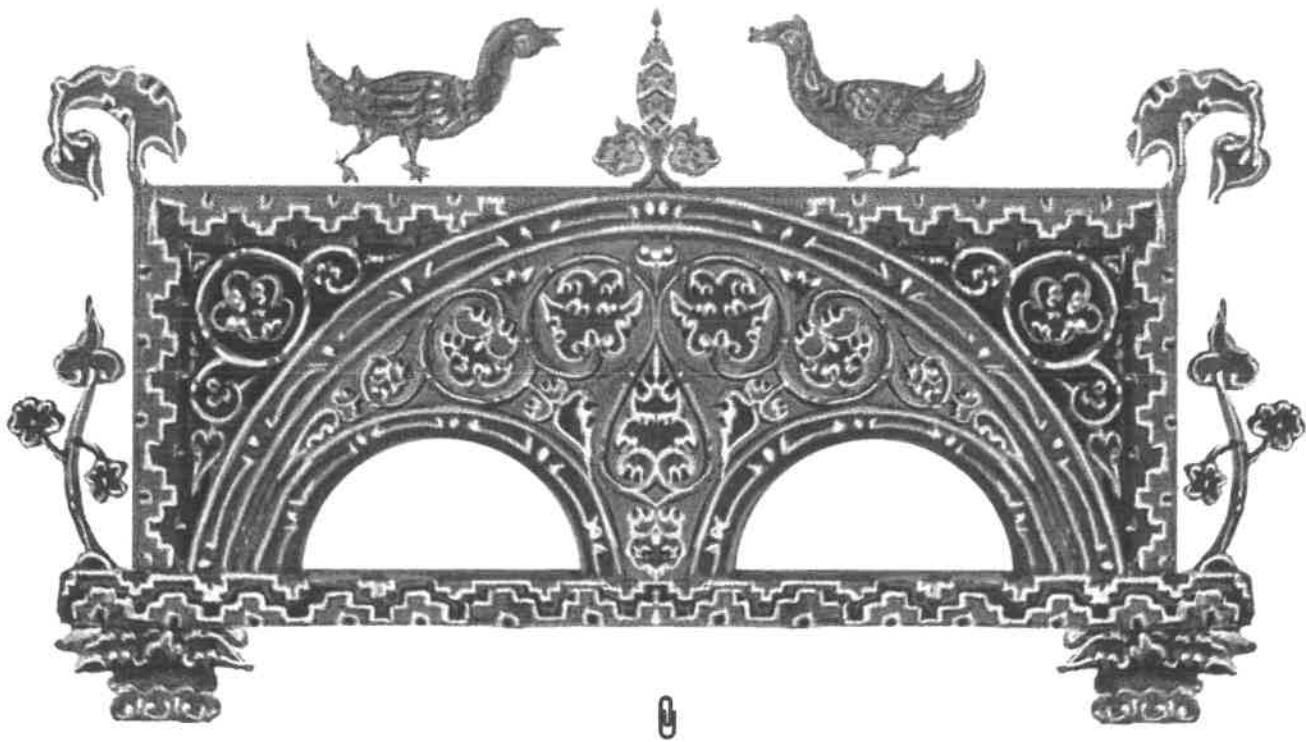
THRICE-HOLY HYMN

First Mode
adapted from Kyriakos Ioannidou "Kalogerou" ("the monk") (1844-1914)

Duration: 6:00

ˈΗχος 4/q ₒΠα

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π/q

(Π)
χ̈/q

o - ly__ God,___ ꜔ ho - - - ly__ Might - - y,

(Δ)　　　　　　(Π)

ho - ly__ Im - - mor - - - - tal,_____ have mer - - - cy_____

(repeated twice)

π/q

on_____ us.

for the third time:

Ho - - - ly__ God,_____ ho - - - - ly__ Might -

- - - - - y, ho - - ly__ Im - - - mor - - - tal,_____

___have mer - - - cy_____ on_____ us.

Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to__ the_____ Son, and to the Ho -

- - - - ly_____ Spir - - - - - - it.

Both now and ev - - er, and un - - to the__ a - - ges

of a - - - ges.__ A - - - men.

Ho - - - ly__ Im - - mor - - - - tal,_____ have mer - -

cy_____ on_____ us.

Ho- ly_____

ho- - - - - - - - ly Im-

mor- Im-

mor- -

- - - - - - - - tal,_____

Have mer- -

- - - - - - - - have mer- - - cy___ on_____

___ us.

Plagal Second Mode
Alternate Melody
by Simon Karas

Ἦχος λ̣/π ...

I- le- - lu- i- - a._____   Al- - le- lu- - - - a.

- - - - i- - - - - a.   Al- - - - - - le- - - lu- - -

- - - - - - -i- - - - - - - - a.

_____

* Finale:

i- - - - - - - a._____

Cherubic Hymn

First Mode

Duration: 5:00 + 1:00 + :45

Intonation: #1 or #15

Adagio   ♩=76

* The notes between the two brackets may be omitted for brevity.

Cherubic Hymn - First Mode - Phokaeus

Cherubic Hymn - First Mode - Phokaeus

the life - giv -
- - - - (να) - - - - δο_____ υ - μνον προ - σα -
- - - - (nah) - - - - dho_____ ee - mnon pro - sah -

- ing_____ Trin - - - -
- - - - δον - τες_____ πα - - - -
- - - - dhon - des_____ pah - - - -

i - - - ty_____ now_____ lay_____ now lay_____ a -
- - - σαν_____ την βι - ω - - τι - βι - ω - τι -
- - - san_____ teen vee - o - - tee - vee - o - tee -

side_____ ev - 'ry earth - ly_____
κην_____ α - πο - θω - με - - -
keen_____ ah - po - tho - - meh - - -

care_____ meh - - - - - - - - ρι -
θα_____ με - - - - - - - - ρι -
thah_____ meh - - - - - - - - ree -

ev - 'ry_____ earth - ly_____ care,_____
- - - - - - με - ρι - μναν_____
- - - - - - meh - ree - mnan_____

that we may receive the King of all
ὡς τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὅλων ὑποδεξόμενοι
os ton va-see-leh-ah ton o-lon ee-po-dhek-so-men-ee

*For brevity, the words in parentheses
may be chanted in a monotone, or as
on the following page if time allows:*

Cherubic Hymn - First Mode - Phokaeus

Cherubic Hymn - First Mode - Phokaeus

ted_____ by the an - ge - - - - - - lic___ or - - -
τως_____ δο - ρυ - φο - ρου - - - με - νον___ τα - - -
tos_____ dho - ree - fo - roo - - - meh - non___ tah - - -

- - - ders. Al - - - le - lu - - - - i - a._____
ξε - - - σιν Αλ - - - λη - λου - - - - ι - α_____
xeh - - - seen ah - - - lee - loo - - - - ee - ah_____

rit. C   D
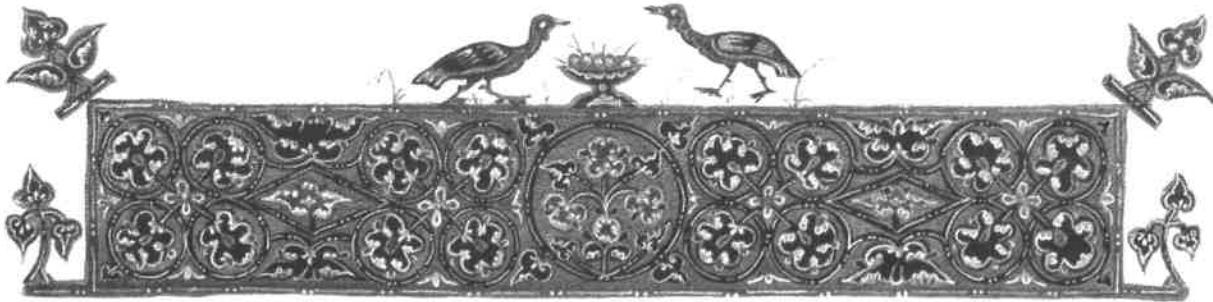
Anaphora

First Mode

adapted from Basil Nikolaidis (1915-1985)
the Presiding Protopsaltis of the Patriarchate of Constantinople (1965-1985)
and Hieromonk Gregory of Simonos Petras Monastery

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ord,___ have___ mer - - cy.

B Lord,____ have___ mer - - - cy.

C Lord,__ have___ mer - - - cy.

D Lord,____ have___ mer - - cy.

E Lord,____ have__ mer - - cy.

1 Grant__ this,__ O_____ Lord.

2 Grant__ this,__ O_____ Lord.

3 Grant__ this,____ O__Lord.

4 Grant__ this,__ O_____Lord.

5 Grant_____ this,_ O_____ Lord.

6 Grant___ this,__ O_____ Lord.

**7** Most ho - ly The - o - to - kos, save_____ us.

8 To You, O Lord.

9 A - men.

a And___ to your spir - - - it.

B1 I will love____ You, O Lord,__ my___ strength; the Lord is my___ foun - da - - tion, and my ref - - uge, and my de - liv - - er - - - er.

B2 Fa - ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir - it: the Trin - - i - ty one in es - sence and__ in - - sep - - 'ra - - - ble.

C A mer - - cy of peace, a sac - - ri - fice of__ praise.

D And__ with your spir - - it.

E We___ lift them up un - to___ the Lord.

F It is prop - er and___ right.

G Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord_ of Sa - ba - oth, heav - -
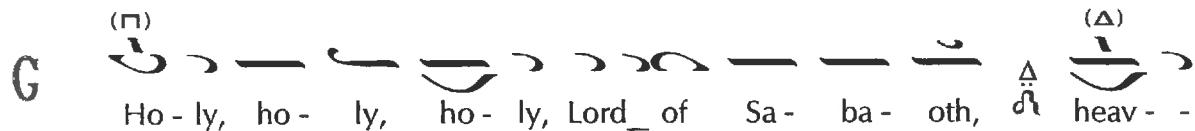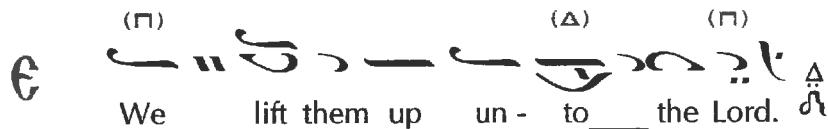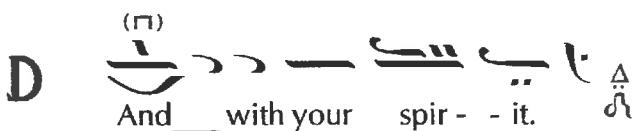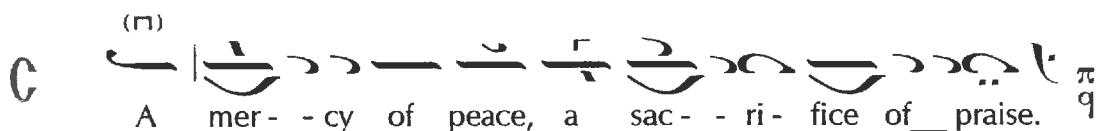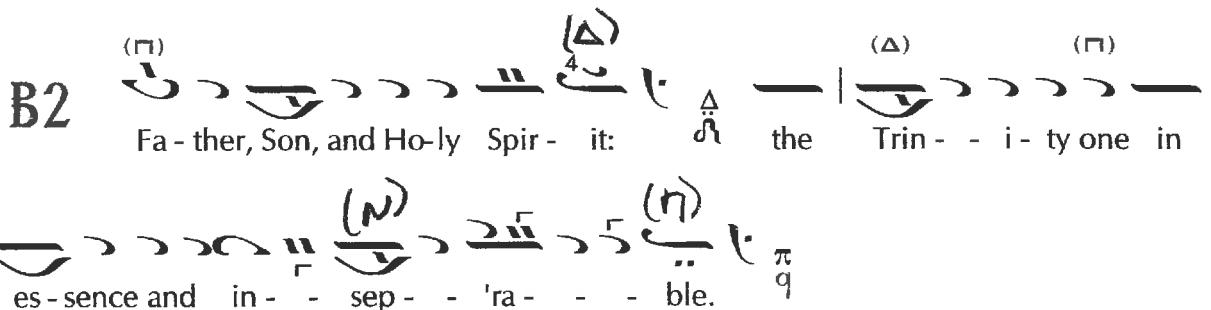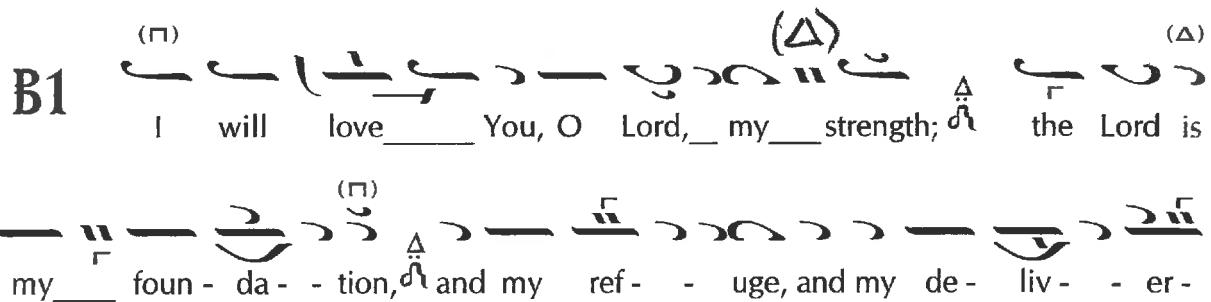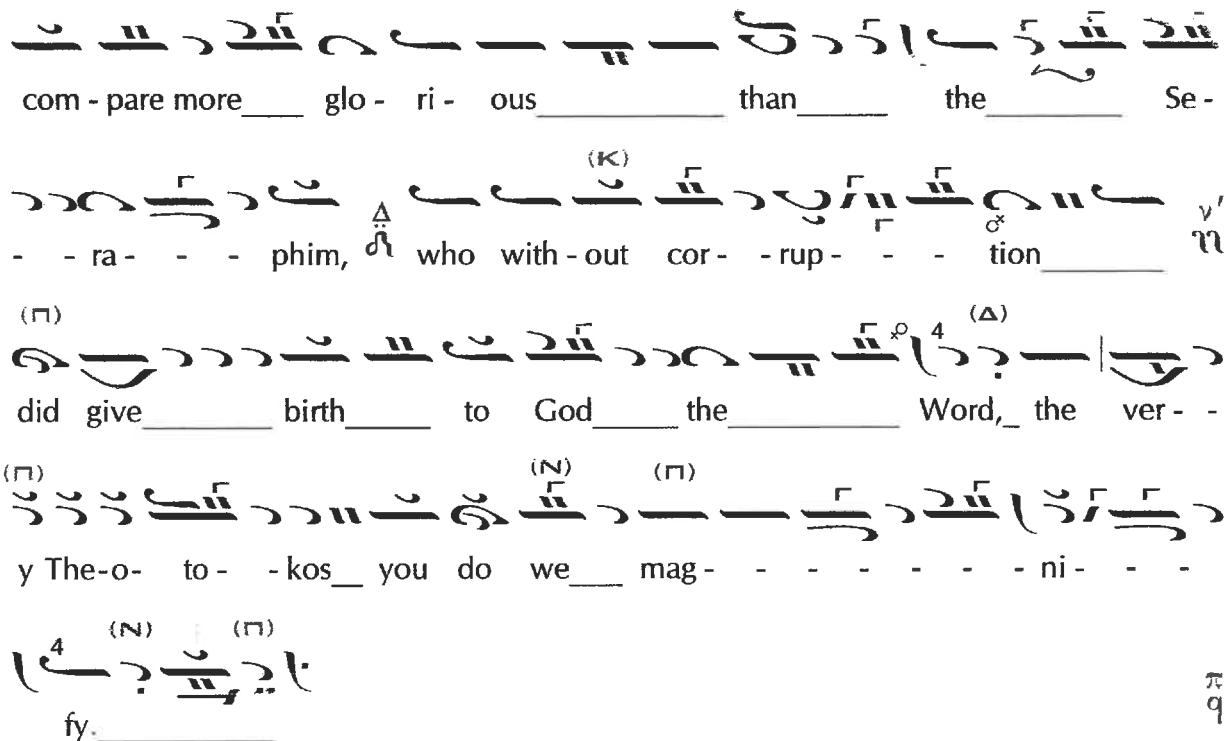
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- - ra - - - phim, who with - out cor - -rup - - - tion_____

did give_____ birth_____ to God_____ the_____ Word,_ the ver - -

y The-o- to - -kos__ you do we___ mag - - - - - - - ni - - -

fy._____

Be not drunk with wine, wherein is debauchery,

but be filled with the Spirit, speaking to one

another in psalms and hymns and spiritual

songs, singing and making melody

in your heart to the Lord.

Eph: 5:18-19

Their Sound Has Gone Forth

**Communion Hymn for Thursdays
and Feast Days of the Apostles**

Briefer Melodies
adapted from Hieromonk Gregory
of Simonos Petras Monastery

First Mode

Ἦχος ⸤ Πα

Duration: 1:00

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Their sound_____ has gone__ forth__ in - to all_____

the_____ earth,__ and their words un - to__ thē ends_____ of_____ the_

_____ world._ Al - le - lu - - - - i - - - - -a.

Plagal Fourth Mode

Ἦχος λ π̅ δ̈ Νη

Duration: 1:00

heir sound_____ has gone_____ forth_____ λ in - to all_

_____ thē_____ earth, δ̈ and their__ words un - to_____ thē__

ends_____ of_____ the_____ world._____

Al - le - lu - - - - i - - - - a.

"When you have children,
teach them music. But, of course,
real music—angelic, not dances and songs.
Music assists the development of the perception
of spiritual life. The soul becomes refined. It begins to
understand spiritual music as well."

—St. Barsanuphius of Optina
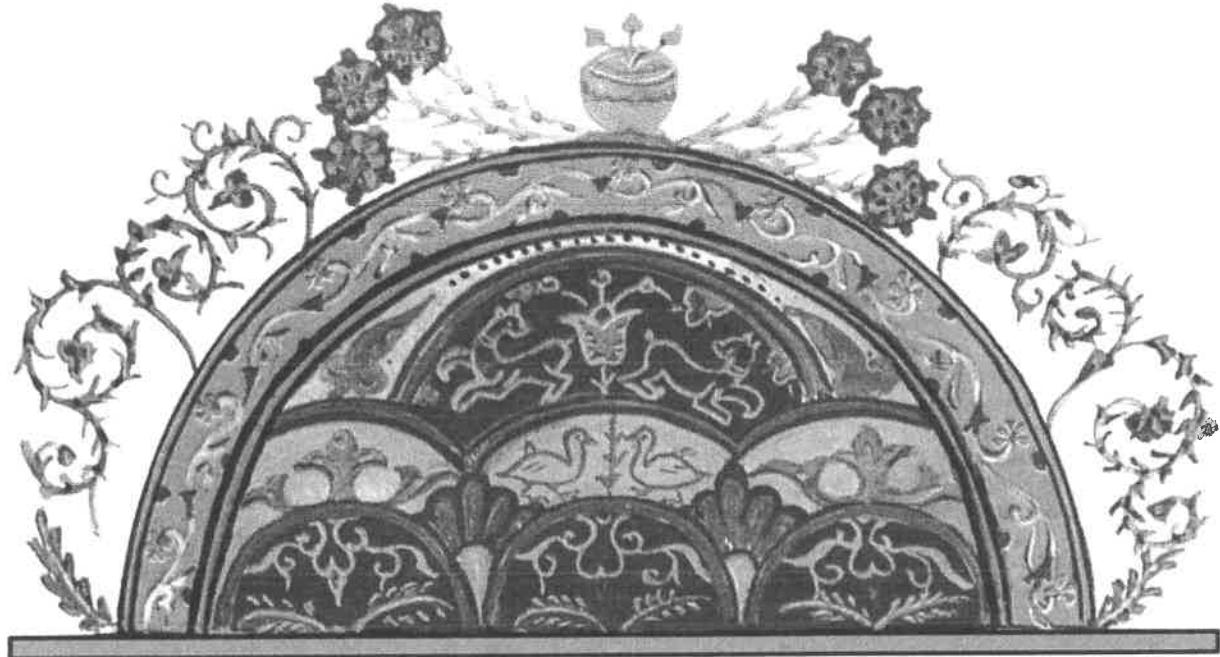
Receive Me Today

Communion Hymn[*]

Plagal Second Mode
adapted from Athonite melody

Duration: 2:45

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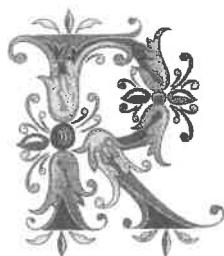
e - - ceive me to-day, O Son of___ God, as___ a

com - mu - - - - ni - - - - cant of Your Mys - - ti - cal Sup -

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[*] On the Holy Mountain, this hymn is repeated while the faithful receive communion.

- - - - - per;   for   I_____ will_____ not speak of

the mys - - ter - - y____   to___ Your en - e - - - - mies,

nor   will___ I_____ give You__ a____ kiss___   as_____

did___ Ju - - - - das;   but   as   the   thief_____ do___

I_____ con - - fess_____ You: Re - mem-ber me,__ O_____

Lord,___   in___Your King - - - - - - dom;   re - mem-ber me,

O____ Mas - - - - - ter,   in___Your King - - - - - - dom;

re - mem-ber me, O____ Ho - - - ly__ One,___   when You come in_

_Your King - - dom._____