Apostle Quadratus (transferred from September 21)

### "Lord I Call..." Tone 5

Reader: In the Fifth Tone, Lord, I call upon You, hear me!

Lord, I call upon You, hear me!

Hear me, O Lord!

Lord, I call upon You, hear me!

Receive the voice of my prayer,

when I call upon You!//

Let my prayer arise in Your sight as incense, and let the lifting up of my hands

be an evening sacrifice!//

Hear me, O Lord!



Reader: (Reads text from service book)

v. (10) Bring my soul out of prison, that I may give thanks to Your name!

#### Tone 5

#### (for the Resurrection)

By Your precious Cross, O Christ,

You have put the devil to shame.

By Your Resurrection, You have blunted the sting of sin

and saved us from the gates of death.//

We glorify You, O only begotten One.



v. (9) The righteous will surround me; for You will deal bountifully with me.

Christ was led as a sheep to the slaughter

in order to grant Resurrection to the human race.

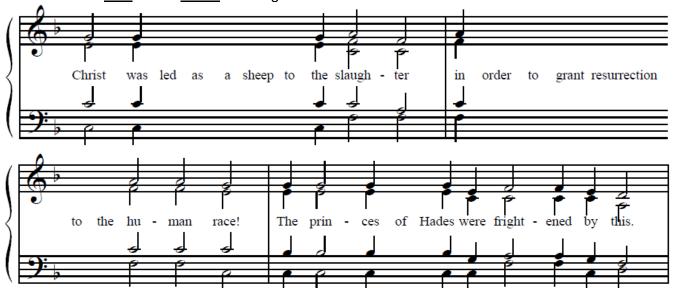
The princes of Hades were frightened by this,

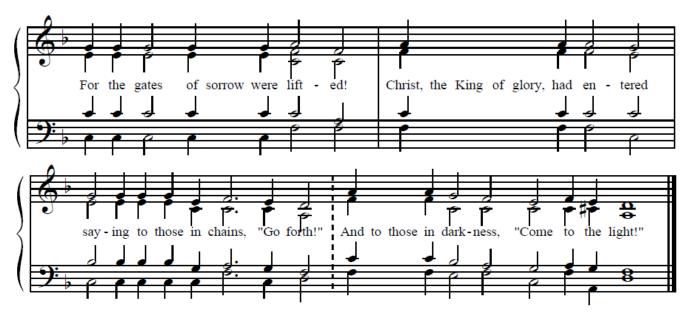
for the gates of sorrow were lifted.

Christ the King of glory had entered,

saying to those in chains: "Go forth!"//

And to those in darkness: "Come to the light!"





v. (8) Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice!

Oh, great wonder!

The Creator of the invisible suffered in the flesh in His <u>love</u> for man and <u>rose</u> again im<u>mor</u>tal.

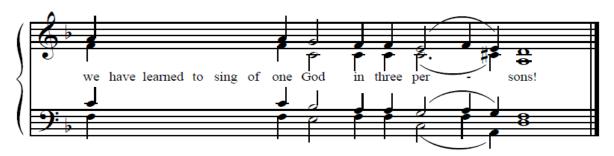
Come, O sons of nations,

let us worship Him,

Delivered from error by His compassion,//

we have learned to sing of one God in three Persons!





v. (7) Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplications!

We offer You our evening worship,

O never setting Light,

Who <u>came</u> in these last days to the <u>world</u> in the flesh;

Who even descended to Hades to dispel its darkness.

And Who have revealed the light of Resurrection to the nations.//

Glory to You, O Lord and Giver of light!



v. (6) In the Fourth Tone, If You, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with You.

(from the Menaion, for Quadratus)

As a hierarch and divine preacher,

Tone 4

a divinely-chosen witness of the sufferings of Christ

and co-inheritor of the inexpressible glory which is yet to be revealed,

(Called from on high)

O glorious Quadratus,

You wisely preached the holy Gospel,

leading those [dwelling] in the darkness of unbelief to the Light.

Therefore keeping joyous festival//

we honor your all-sacred memory, O blessed bearer of God.



v. (5) For Your name's sake I have waited for You, O Lord, my soul has waited for Your word; my soul has hoped on the Lord.

Having splendidly gained the knowledge of divine things,

like the Sun, you passed over the earth,

enlightening all with the brightness of your teachings.

O witness of the divine mysteries,

you enlightened the souls of those who were in darkness,

driving away the prince of darkness together with his demons,

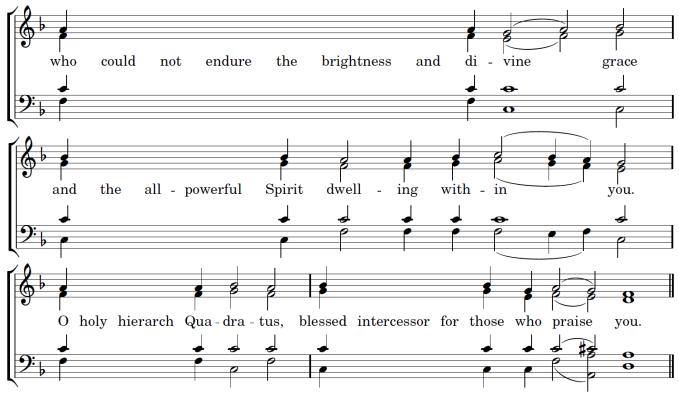
who could not endure the brightness and divine grace

and the all-powerful Spirit dwelling within you.

O holy hierarch Quadratus,//

blessed intercessor for those who praise you.





v. (4) From the morning watch until night, from the morning watch let Israel hope on the Lord

Strengthened by confeesing God,

adorned by marks of goodness,

yet driven away from Athens and your flock by lawless people,

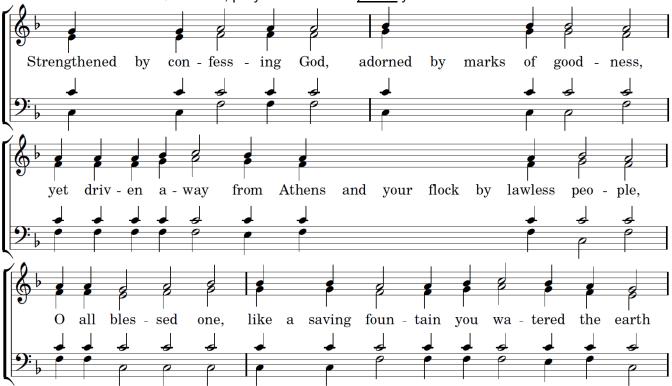
O all-blessed one,

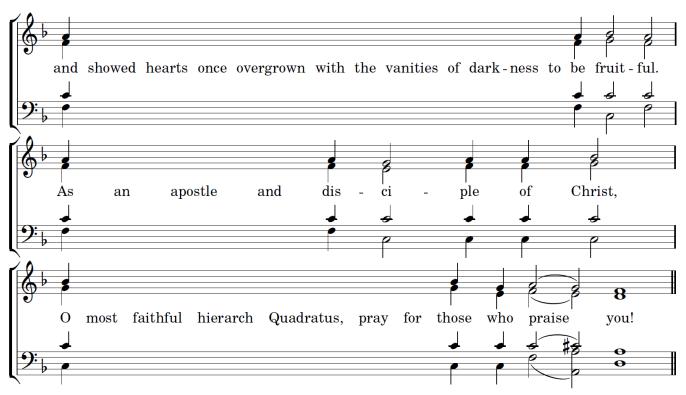
like a saving fountain you watered the earth

and showed hearts once overgrown with the vanities of darkness to be fruitful.

As an apostle and disciple of Christ, //

O most faithful hierarch Quadratus, pray for those who praise you!





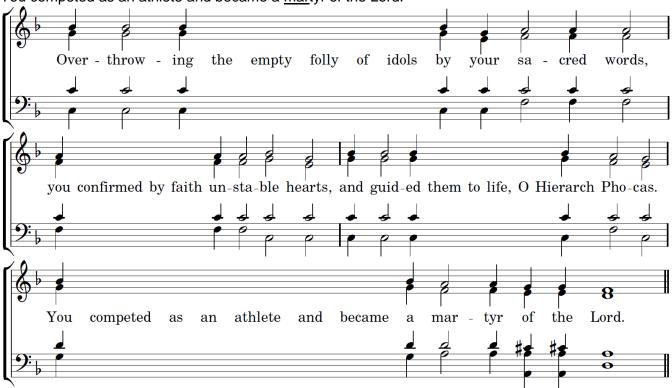
v. (3) In the First Tone, For with the Lord there is mercy and with Him is plenteous redemption, and He will deliver Israel from all his iniquities.

Tone 1 (from the Menaion, for Phocas) (Joy of the Heavenly Hosts)

Over<u>throwing</u> the empty folly of idols by your <u>sa</u>cred words, you confirmed by faith unstable hearts,

and guided them to life, O Hierarch Phocas.//

You competed as an athlete and became a martyr of the Lord.

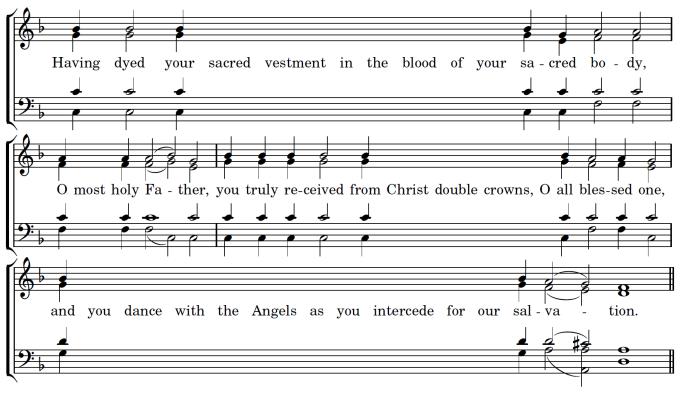


v. (2) Praise the Lord, all nations! Praise Him, all peoples!

Having <u>dyed</u> your sacred vestment in the blood of your sacred <u>body</u>,

O most holy Father,

you truly re<u>ceived</u> from Christ double crowns, O all-<u>bless</u>ed one,// and you dance with the Angels as you intercede for our sal<u>va</u>tion.



v. (1) For His mercy is abundant towards us; and the truth of the Lord endures forever.

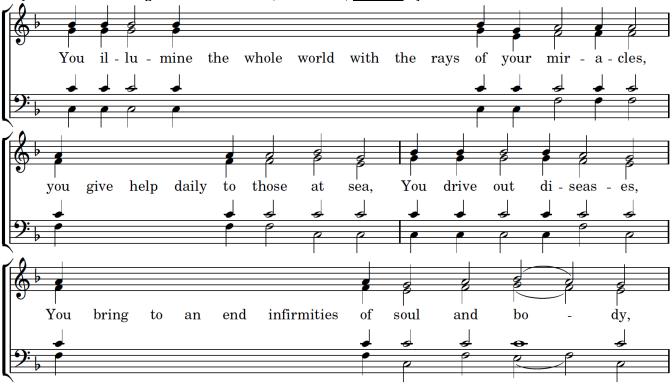
You illumine the whole world with the rays of your miracles,

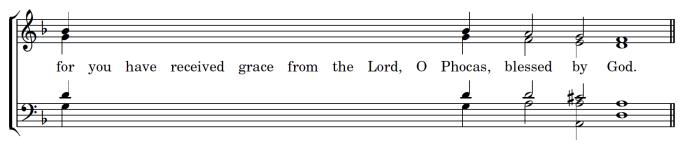
you give help daily to those at sea,

You drive out diseases,

You bring to an end infirmities of soul and body,

for you have received grace from the Lord, O Phocas, blessed by God.





In the Fourth Tone, Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

#### Tone 4

(for Phocas, by Cyrpian)

From your childhood you loved the Lord, O all-blessed Phocas,

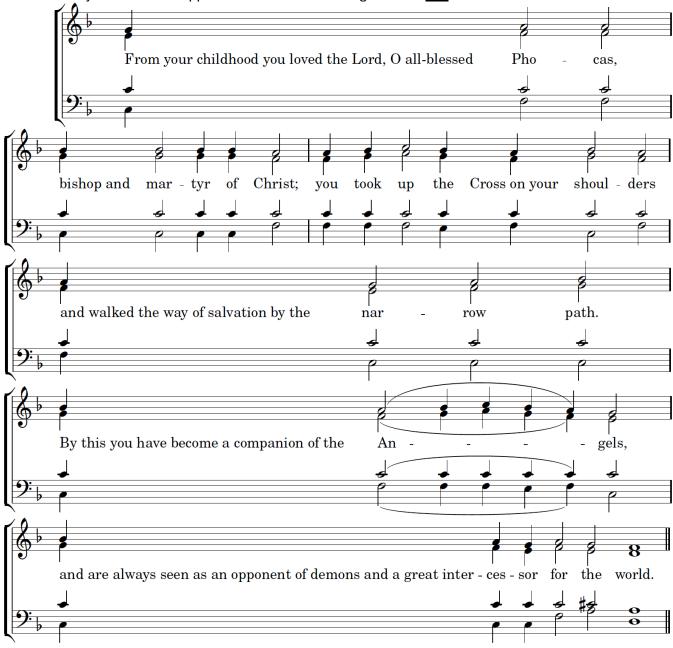
bishop and martyr of Christ;

you took up the Cross on your shoulders

and walked the way of salvation by the narrow path.

By this you have become a companion of the Angels,//

and are always seen as an opponent of demons and a great intercessor for the world.



In the Fifth Tone, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Tone 5

(Theotokion – Dogmatikon)

In the Red Sea of old,

a type of the Virgin Bride was prefigured.

There Moses divided the waters;

here Gabriel assisted in the miracle.

There Israel crossed the sea without getting wet,

here the Virgin gave birth to Christ without seed.

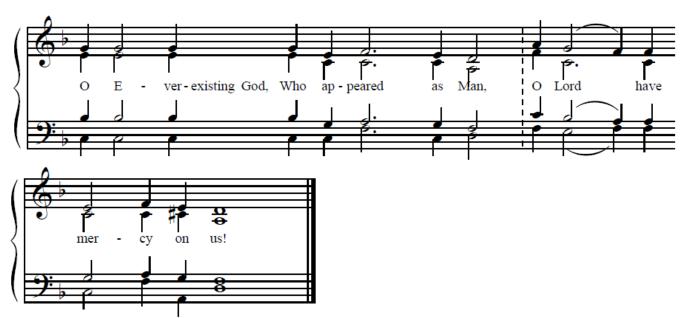
After Israel's passage, the sea remained impassable;

after Emmanuel's birth, the Virgin remained a Virgin.

O ever-existing God, Who appeared as Man,//

O Lord, have mercy on us!





Priest: Wisdom! Let us attend!

Choir: O Gladsome Light ... (p. 16)

# Aposticha - Tone 5

(for the Resurrection)

We magnify You in songs of praise,

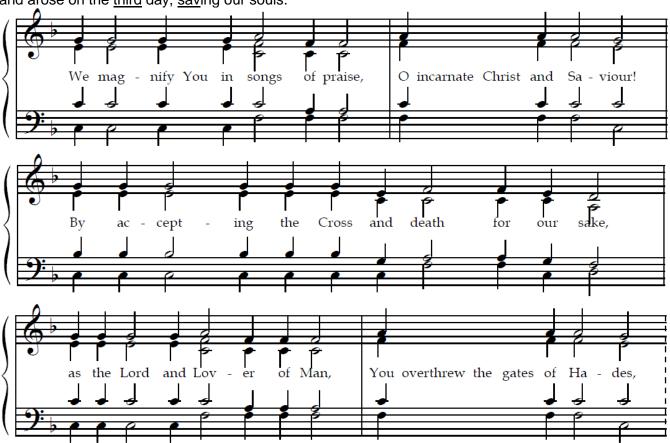
O incarnate Christ and Savior.

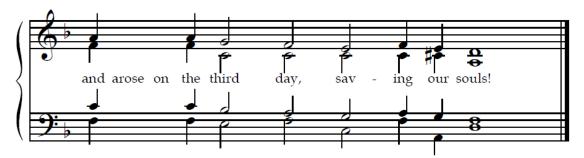
By accepting the Cross and death for our sake,

as the Lord and Lover of man,

You overthrew the gates of <u>Ha</u>des,//

and arose on the third day, saving our souls.





v. The Lord is King; He is robed in majesty!

By being pierced in the side, O Lover of man,

You have poured out drops of life and salvation for all.

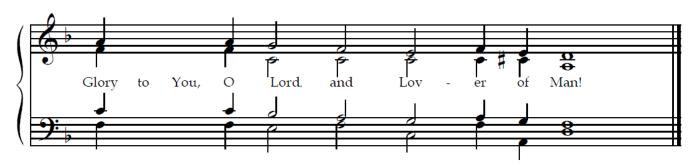
By accepting death in the flesh, You have granted us immortality.

You have freed us by being placed in the tomb,

and have resurrected us with Yourself in glory, as God.//

Glory to You, O Lord and Lover of man!





v. For He has established the world, so that it shall never be moved.

Your crucifixion and descent into Hades are awesome, O Lover of man.

You have captured it, releasing the ancient prisoners.

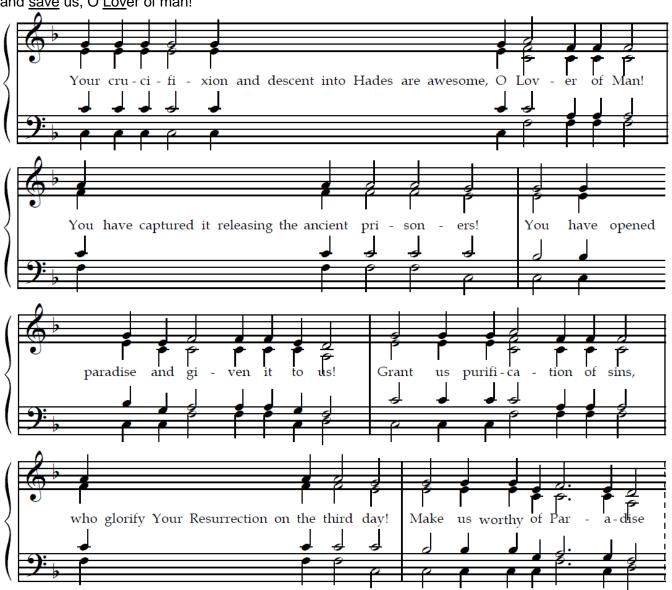
You have opened Paradise and given it to us.

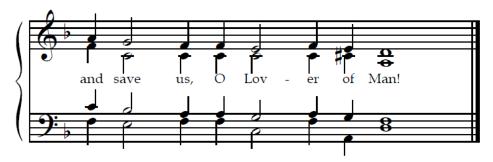
Grant us purification of sins,

who glorify Your Resurrection on the third day!

Make us worthy of Paradise//

and save us, O Lover of man!



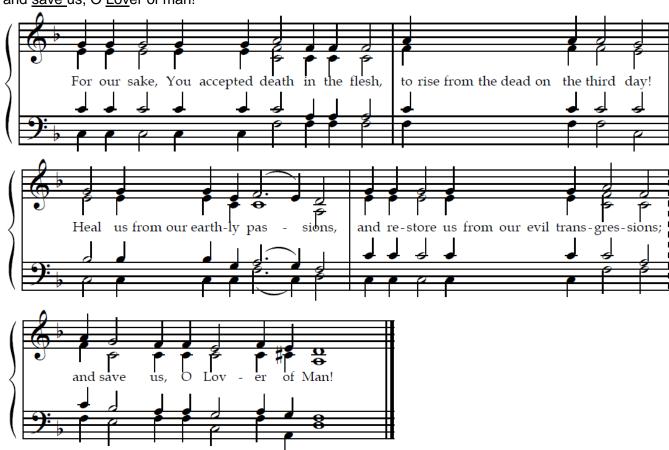


v. Holiness befits Your house, O Lord, forevermore!

For our <u>sake</u>, You accepted <u>death</u> in the flesh, to rise from the dead on the <u>third</u> day. <u>Heal</u> us from our earthly <u>pas</u>sions,

and restore us from our evil transgressions;//

and save us, O Lover of man!



Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

(Theotokion – Tone 5)

O Most precious Virgin,

you are the gate, the Temple,

the Palace, and the Throne of the King.

From You, my Redeemer, Christ the Lord,

appeared to those asleep in darkness.

He is the Sun of righteousness,

Who desired to enlighten His image, whom He had created.

Since you possess motherly boldness before Him, O all praised Lady,//

pray unceasingly that our souls may be saved!



Then, St. Symeon's Prayer (p. 25)

(at Great Vespers)

Tone 5 Troparion (Resurrection)

(Resurrectional Troparion – Tone 5)

Let us, the faithful, praise and worship the Word,

co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit, born for our salvation from the Virgin; for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh, to endure death,

and to raise the dead//

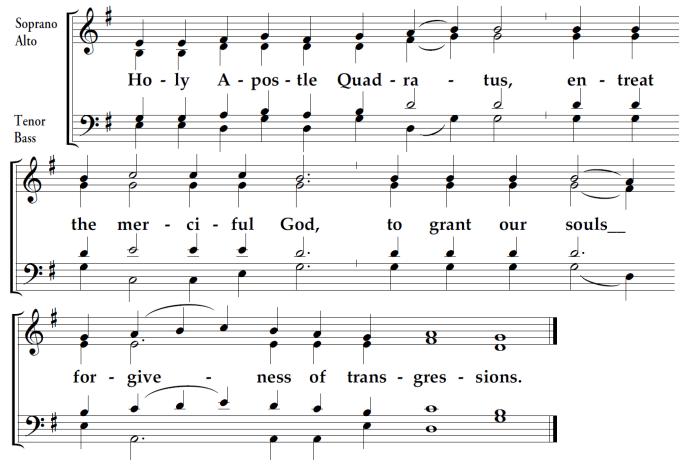
by His glorious Resurrection.



Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

Tone 3 **Troparion** (Holy Apostle Quadratus)

(Troparion of the Apostle – Tone 3) Holy Apostle Quadratus, entreat the merciful God,// to grant our souls forgiveness of transgressions!



now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

# Tone 3 Resurrectional Dismissal Theotokion

(Resurrection Dismissal Theotokion – Tone 3)

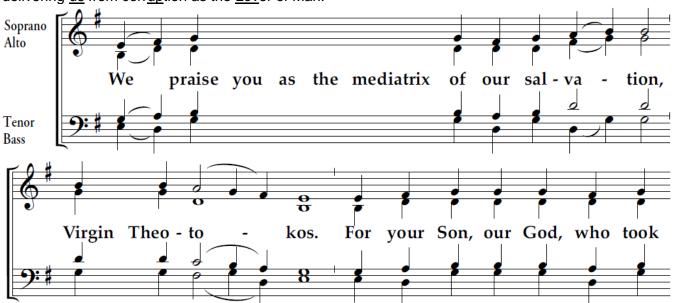
We <u>praise</u> you as the mediatrix of our sal<u>va</u>tion,

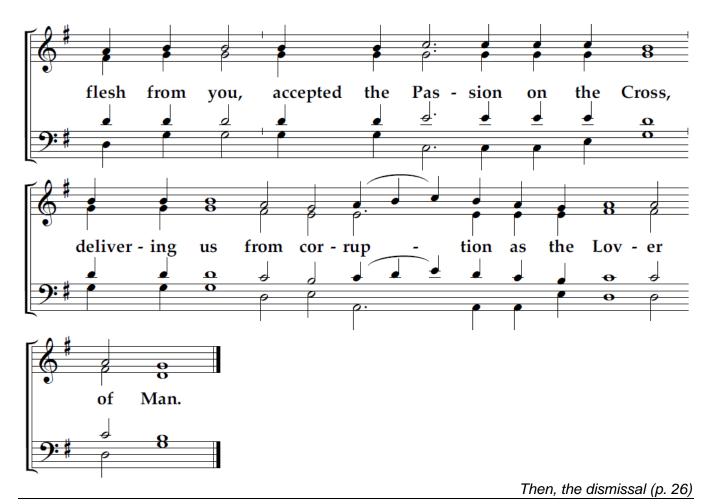
Virgin Theotokos.

For your Son, our God, Who took flesh from you,

accepted the Passion on the Cross,//

delivering us from corruption as the Lover of Man.





# (at the Divine Liturgy)

Tone 5 Troparion (Resurrection)

(Resurrectional Troparion – Tone 5)

Let <u>us</u>, the faithful, praise and <u>wor</u>ship the Word,

co-eternal with the Father and the Spirit,

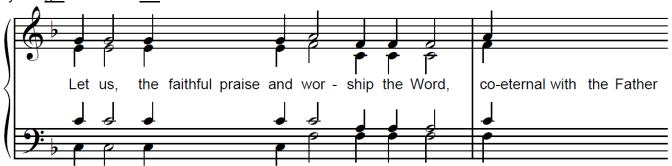
born for our salvation from the Virgin;

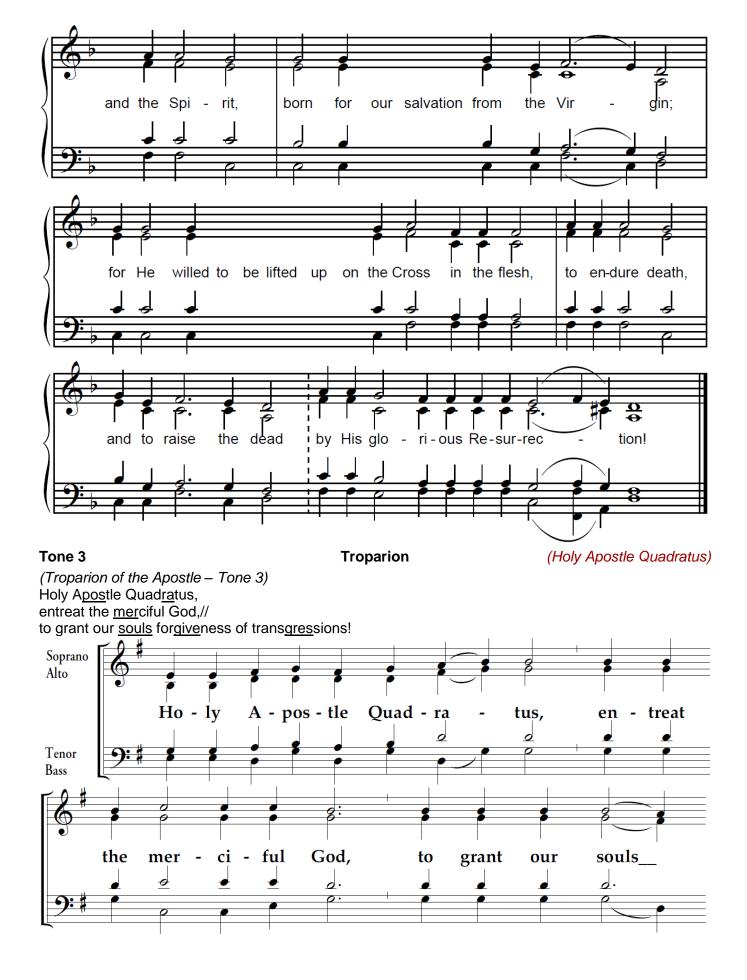
for He willed to be lifted up on the Cross in the flesh,

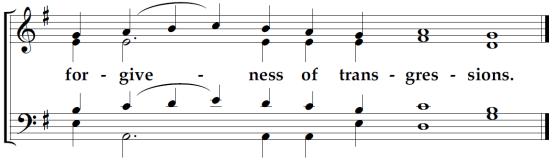
to endure death,

and to raise the dead//

by His glorious Resurrection.







Tone 4 Troparion (Hieromartyr Phocas)

(Troparion of the Martyr – Tone 4)

By sharing in the ways of the Apostles,

you became a successor to their throne.

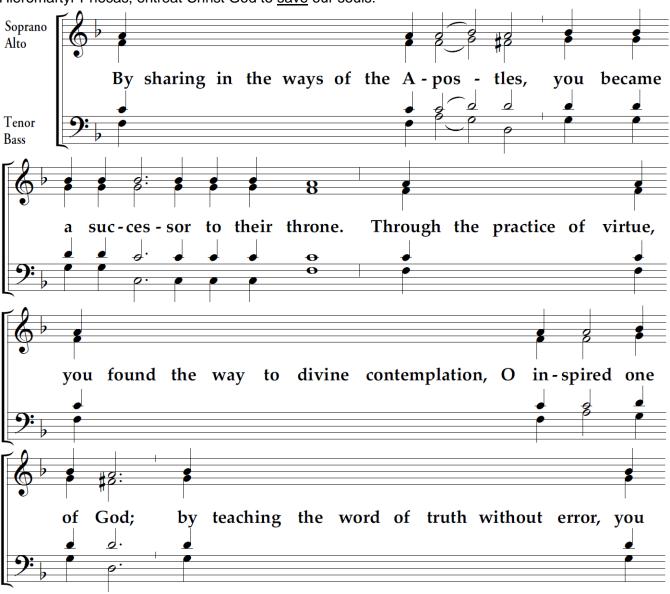
Through the practice of virtue, you found the way to divine

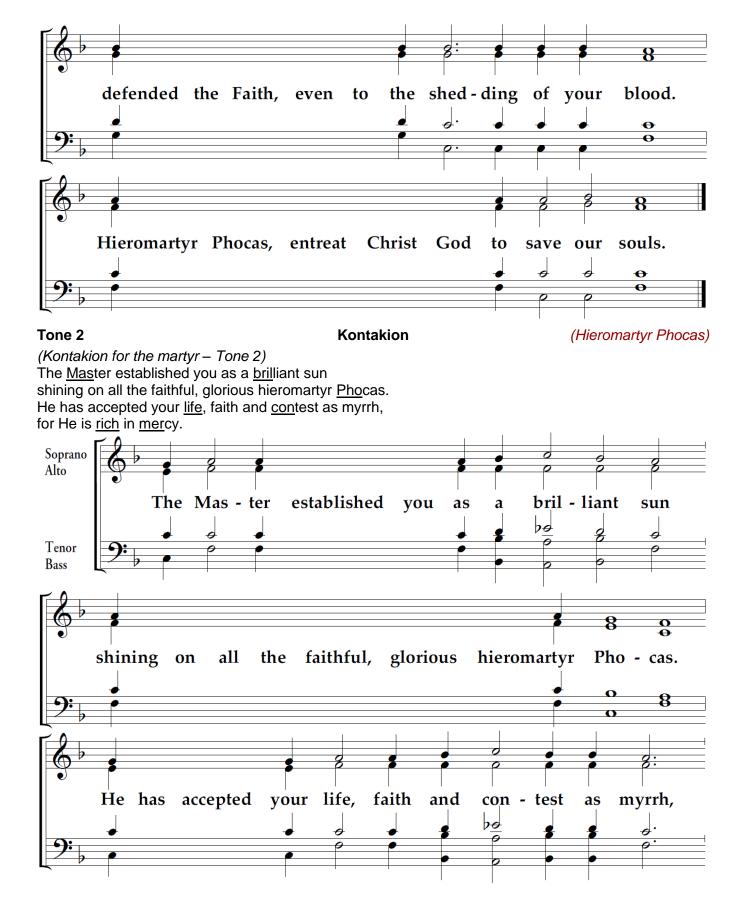
contemplation, O inspired one of God;

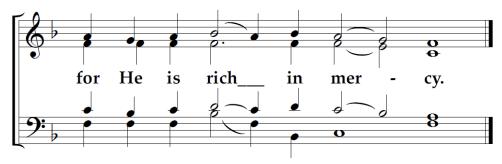
By teaching the word of truth without error, you defended the Faith, even

to the shedding of your blood.//

Hieromartyr Phocas, entreat Christ God to save our souls!







Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

Tone 8 Kontakion (Holy Apostle Quadratus)

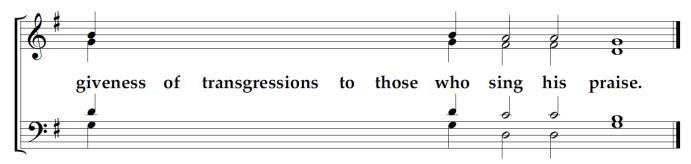
(Kontakion for the Apostle – Tone 8)

The universe offers You, O Lord, the Apostle Quadratus as a most honored hierarch and athlete of great strength;

with hymns it honors his all-venerable memory,

And asks that through him You grant forgiveness of transgressions to





now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Tone 5 Kontakion (Resurrection)

(Resurrectional Kontakion - Tone 5)

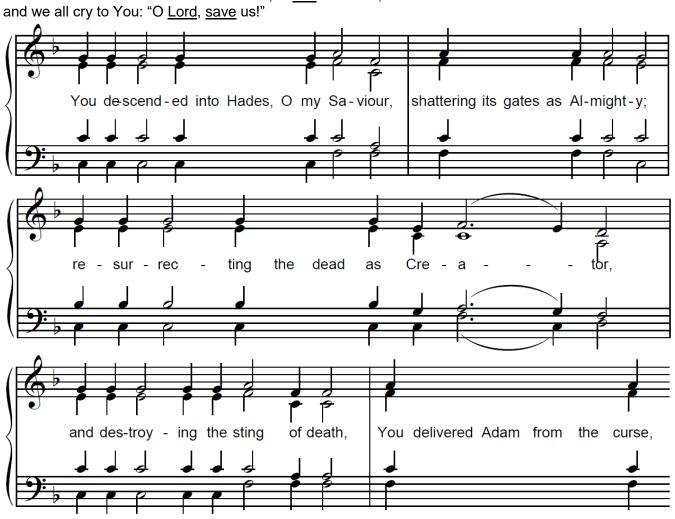
You descended into Hades, O my Savior,

shattering its gates as Almighty,

resurrecting the dead as Creator,

and destroying the sting of death.

You have delivered Adam from the curse, O Lover of Man,//





Tone 5 Prokeimenon

Prokeimenon, Tone 5

Priest: Let us attend! † Peace be unto all!

Reader: And with your spirit!

Priest: Wisdom!

Reader: The Prokeimenon, in the 5th Tone: You, O Lord, shall protect us and preserve us from this

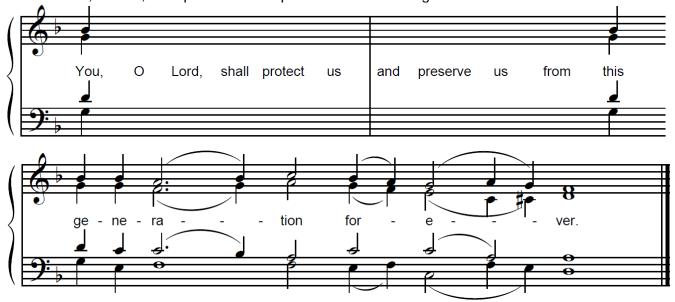
generation forever.

Choir: You, O Lord, shall protect us and preserve us from this generation forever.



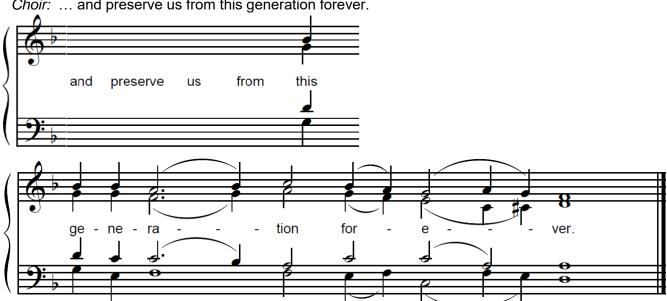
Reader: Save me, O Lord, for there is no longer any that is godly!

Choir: You, O Lord, shall protect us and preserve us from this generation forever.



Reader: You, O Lord, shall protect us ...

Choir: ... and preserve us from this generation forever.



Deacon: Wisdom!

Epistle - (170) 2 Corinthians 1:21-2:4

Reader: The Reading from the Second Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Corinthians.

Deacon: Let us attend!

Reader: Brothers and sisters, the One who establishes us with you in Christ and who has anointed us is God. He has also sealed us and given us the pledge of the Spirit in our hearts. I call God as a witness to my soul, that to spare you I did not come to Corinth. It is not that we have lordship over your faith: we are fellow workers with you for your joy, as you stand firm in faith.

But I resolved this for myself: that I would not return to you in sorrow. If I cause you distress, who will bring me joy except for you, the very ones whom I grieve? Indeed, I wrote to you as I did, so that when I came, I would not have sorrow from the ones who should be my joy; but I trust in you all, that my joy would also be shared by all. It was out of much affliction and anguish of heart that I wrote to you with many tears, not to cause you distress but to let you know what overflowing love I have for you.

Priest: † Peace be to you!

Alleluia: Tone 5

Reader: And to Your spirit. In the 5th Tone: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reader: I will sing of Your mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Your truth from

generation to generation.

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reader: For You have said: "Mercy will be established forever; My truth will be prepared in the

heavens."

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

### Gospel – (17) Luke 5:1-11 (Page 116)

*Priest:* The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke.

Choir: Glory to You O Lord, Glory to You.

Priest: At that time, Jesus was standing by the lake of Gennesaret. He saw two boats standing by the lake, but the fishermen had gone out of them and they were washing their nets. Jesus entered into one of the boats, which was Simon's, and asked him to put out a little from the land. He sat down and taught the multitudes from the boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep, and let down your nets for a catch."

Simon answered him, "Master, we worked all night and took nothing! But at your word, I will let down the net." When they had done this, they caught a great multitude of fish, and their net was breaking. They beckoned to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. They came and filled both boats, so much that they began to sink. But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, "Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, Lord!" He and all who were with him were amazed at their catch of fish; and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon.

Jesus said to Simon, "Do not be afraid! From now on, you will be catching people alive."

When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

Choir: Glory to You O Lord, Glory to You.

**Sermon** (then p. 89)