"Lord I Call..." – Tone 6

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

Lord, I call upon You, <u>hear me!</u> <u>Hear</u> me, O Lord! Lord, I call upon You, <u>hear</u> me! Receive the <u>voice</u> of my prayer, when I <u>call</u> upon You!// Hear me, O Lord! Let my <u>prayer</u> arise in Your sight as <u>in</u>cense, and let the lifting <u>up</u> of my hands be an evening <u>sac</u>rifice!// Hear me, O Lord!

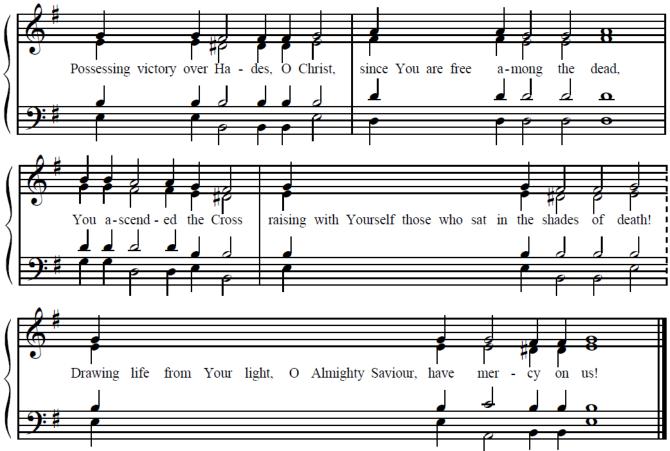


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Reader: (Reads text from service book) v. (10) Bring my soul out of prison, that I may give thanks to Your name!

Possessing victory over <u>Ha</u>des, O Christ, since You are free a<u>mong</u> the dead, You as<u>cend</u>ed the Cross raising with Yourself those who sat in the <u>shades</u> of death.// Drawing life from Your light, O Almighty Savior, have <u>mer</u>cy on us!



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

Today Christ <u>tram</u>ples on death,

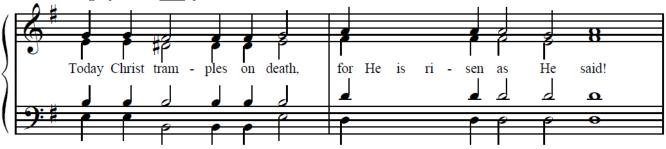
for He is risen <u>as</u> He said!

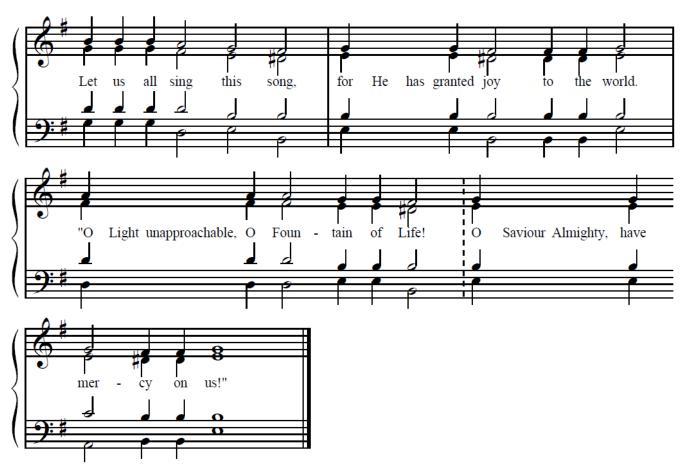
Let us all sing this song,

for He has granted joy to the world:

"O Light unapproachable, O Fountain of life!//

O Savior Almighty, have mercy on us!"





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

Where shall we sinners flee from You, for You are in all creation? In heaven You dwell!

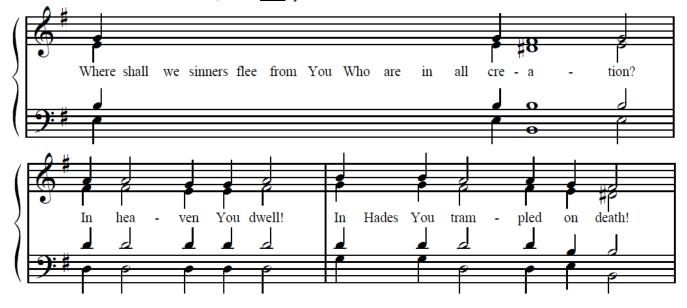
In Hades You trampled on death!

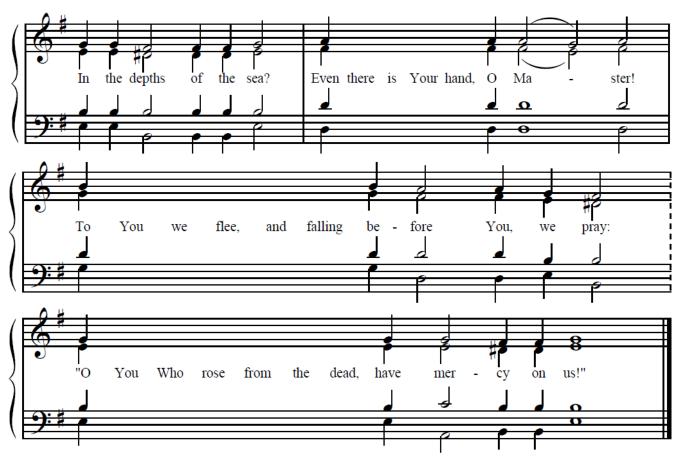
In the <u>depths</u> of the sea?

Even there is Your hand, O <u>Mas</u>ter!

To You we flee, and falling before You, we pray://

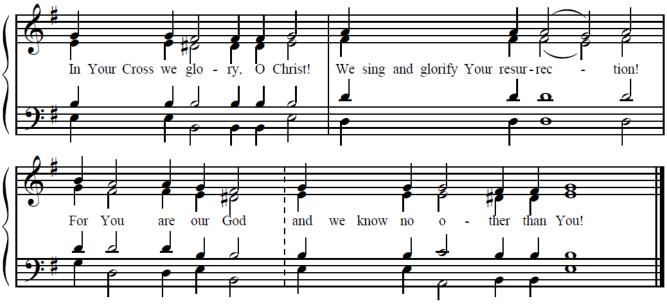
"O You Who rose from the dead, have mercy on us!"





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

In Your Cross, we <u>glo</u>ry, O Christ. We sing and glorify Your Resur<u>rec</u>tion. For <u>You</u> are our God,// and we know no other than You.



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

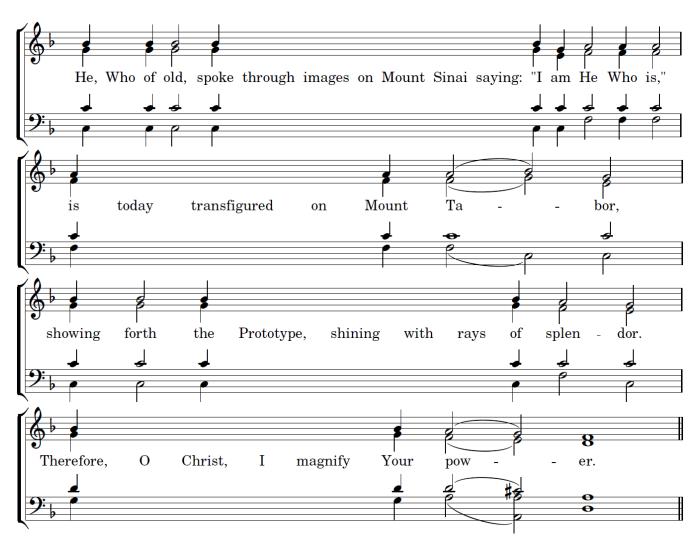
Tone 1

(for the Feast)

(Joy of the Heavenly Hosts)

He, Who of <u>old</u>, spoke through images on Mount Sinai saying: "I am <u>He</u> Who is," is today transfigured on Mount <u>Ta</u>bor, showing <u>forth</u> the Prototype, shining with rays of <u>splen</u>dor.//

Therefore, O Christ, I magnify Your power.



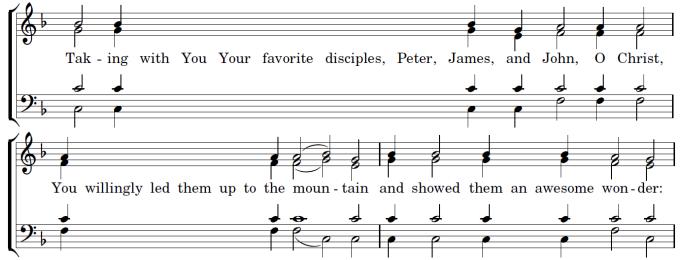
v. (5) For Your Name's sake I wait for You, O Lord. My soul has waited for Your word; my soul has hoped on the Lord.

<u>Taking with You Your favorite disciples</u>, Peter, James, and <u>John</u>, O Christ, You willingly led them up to the mountain

and showed them an awesome wonder:

the everlasting and unbearable magnificence//

of Your divine arrival from afar.





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

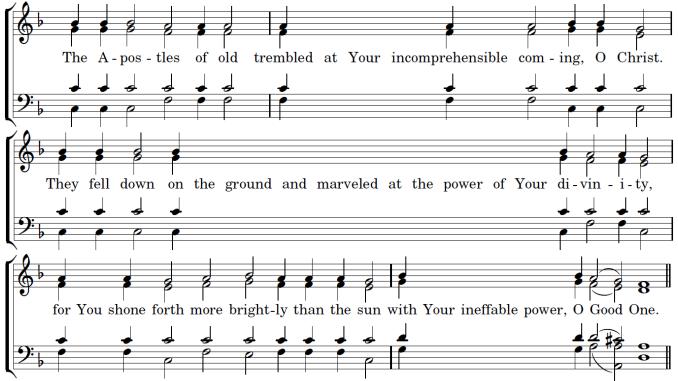
The Apostles of old

trembled at Your incomprehensible coming, O Christ.

They fell down on the ground and marveled at the power of Your divinity,

for You shone forth more brightly than the sun//

with Your ineffable power, O Good One.



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

Tone 4

(for St. Euplus)

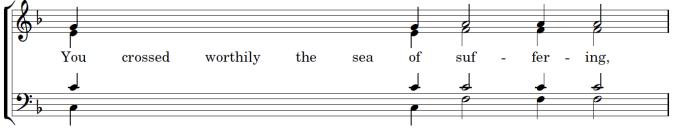
(You have given a sign)

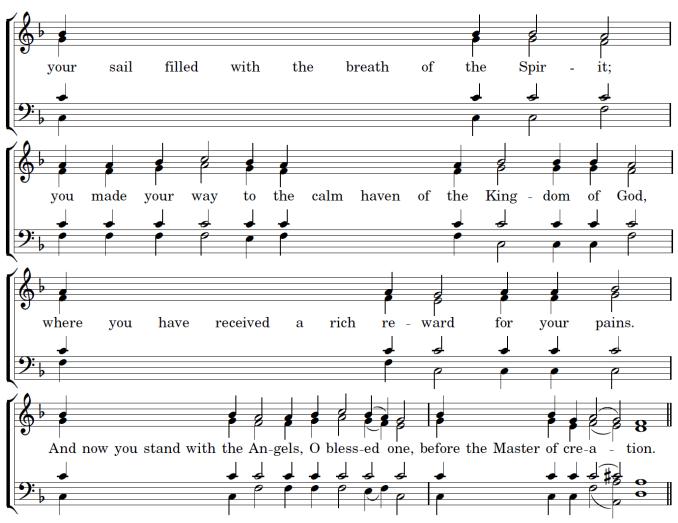
You crossed worthily the sea of <u>suffering</u>, your sail filled with the breath of the <u>Spirit</u>; you made your <u>way</u> to the calm haven of the <u>King</u>dom of God,

where you have received a rich reward for your pains.

And now you stand with the Angels, O blessed one,//

before the Master of creation.





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

Clad in a purple robe dyed in your blood, O glorious one,

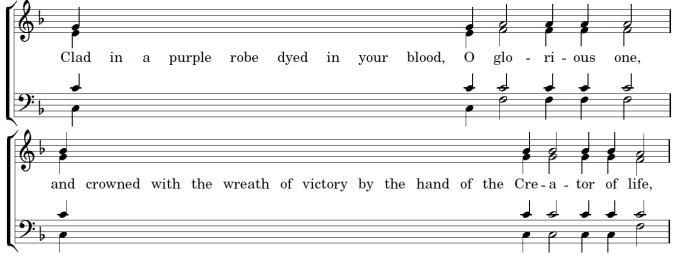
and crowned with the wreath of victory by the hand of the Creator of life,

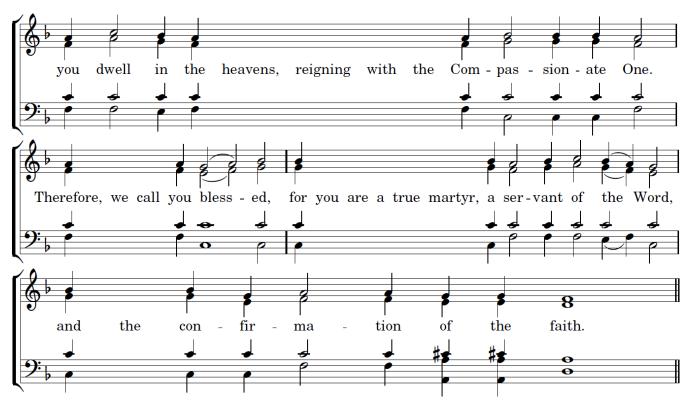
you <u>dwell</u> in the heavens, reigning with the Compassionate One.

Therefore, we call you blessed,

for you are a true martyr, a servant of the Word,//

and the confirmation of the faith.





v. (1) For His mercy is confirmed on us, and the truth of the Lord endures forever.

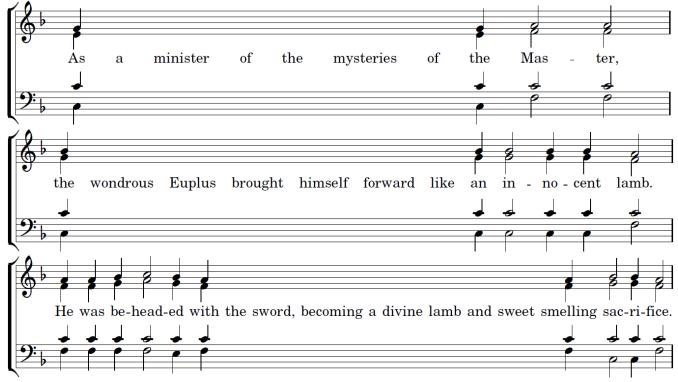
As a minister of the mysteries of the Master,

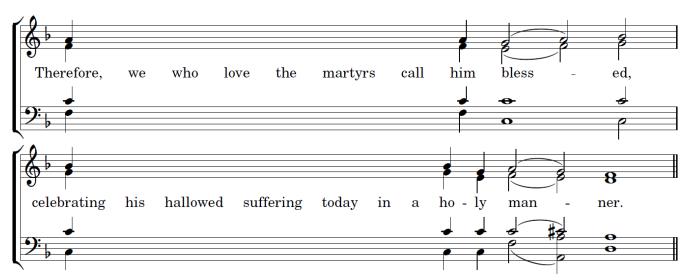
the wondrous Euplus brought himself forward like an innocent lamb.

He was beheaded with the sword, becoming a divine lamb and sweet smelling sacrifice.

Therefore, we who love the martyrs call him <u>bless</u>ed,//

celebrating his hallowed suffering today in a holy manner.





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

Tone 4 (for the Feast, by Cosmas the Monk)

The mountain that once was veiled in gloom and smoke,

is now holy and revered,

since Your feet, O Lord, had stood upon it.

For by Your dread Transfiguration,

the mystery hidden before the ages

has been made manifest in the last times to Peter, James, and John.

Unable to endure the shining of Your face and the brilliance of Your garments,

they fell to the ground upon their faces.

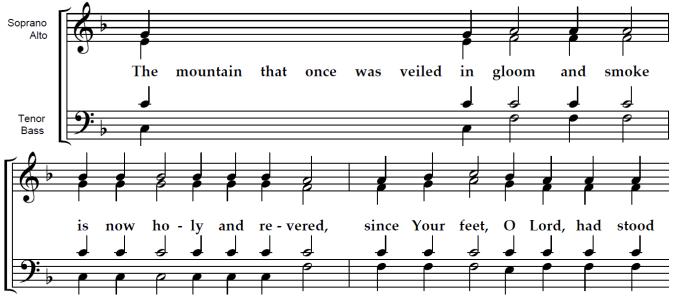
Seized with wonder and amazement, they saw Moses and Elijah

talking with You about the things that would be<u>fall</u> You;

and a voice came in testimony from the Father saying:

"This is My beloved Son in Whom I am well pleased; listen to Him!//

It is He Who grants the world great mercy!"





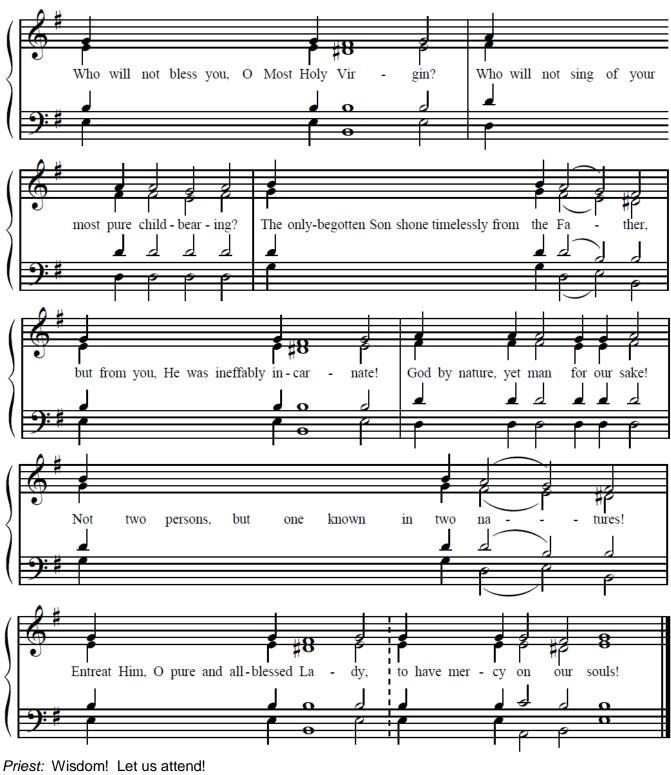


In the Sixth Tone, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Tone 6

(Theotokion – Dogmatikon)

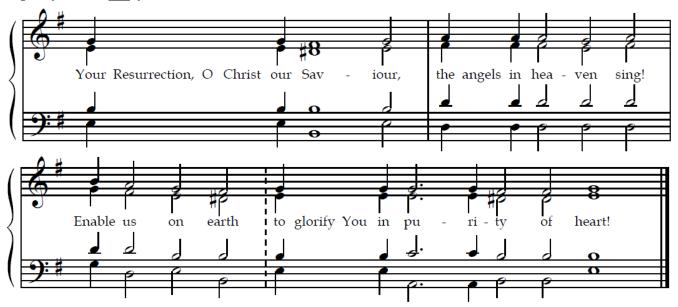
Who will not bless you, O most holy <u>Virgin?</u> Who will not sing of your most pure <u>child</u>bearing? The only-begotten Son shone timelessly from the <u>Fa</u>ther, but from you He was ineffably in<u>carnate</u>. God by nature yet <u>Man</u> for our sake, Not two persons but One known in two <u>na</u>tures. Entreat Him, O pure and all-blessed <u>La</u>dy,// to have mercy <u>on</u> our souls!



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

Aposticha – Tone 6

Your Resurrection, O Christ our <u>Sav</u>ior, the Angels in <u>heav</u>en sing! Enable <u>us</u> on earth// to glorify You in <u>pur</u>ity of heart!

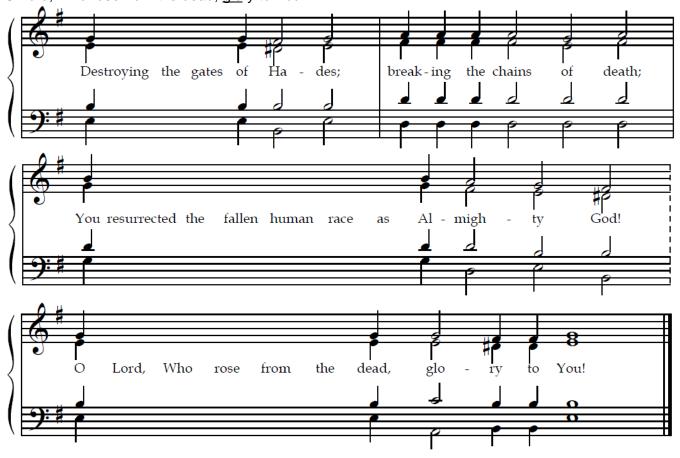


v: The Lord is King; He is robed in majesty!

Destroying the gates of hades,

breaking the chains of death,

You resurrected the fallen human race as almighty God!// O Lord, Who rose from the dead, glory to You!

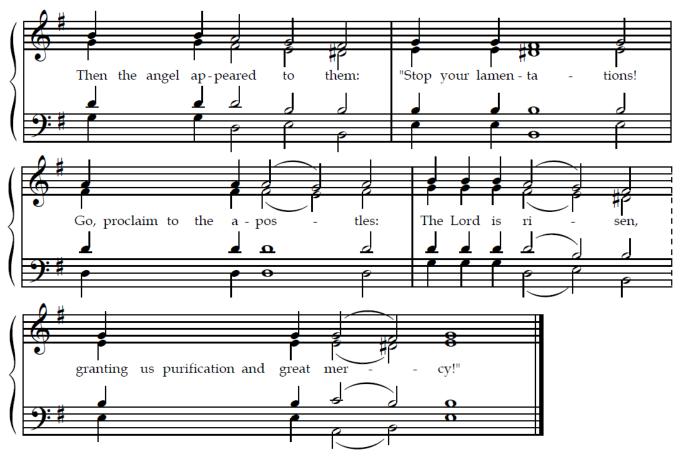


v: For He has established the world, so that it shall never be moved.

Desiring to return us to <u>Par</u>adise, Christ was nailed to the Cross and <u>placed</u> in a tomb. The Myrrhbearing Women sought Him with tears, <u>cry</u>ing, "Woe to us, O <u>Sav</u>ior! How do You deign to de<u>scend</u> to death? What place can hold Your life bearing <u>body</u>? Come to us as You <u>promised!</u> Take away our <u>wailing and tears!"</u> Then the Angel appeared to them: "Stop your lamen<u>ta</u>tions! Go, proclaim to the A<u>pos</u>tles: 'The Lord is <u>risen</u>,//

granting us purification and great mercy!"



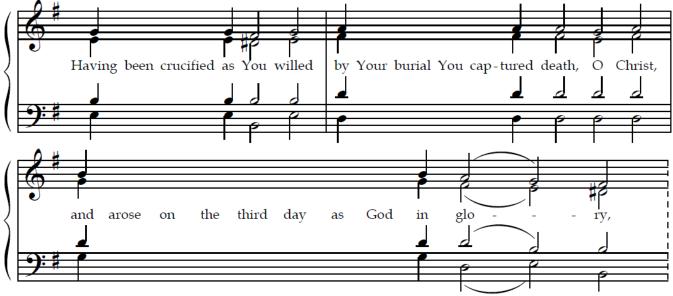


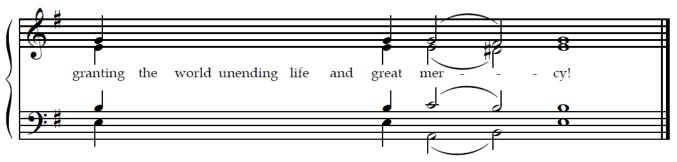
v: Holiness befits Your house, O Lord, forevermore!

Having been crucified as You willed,

by Your burial You captured <u>death</u>, O Christ, and rose on the third day as God in <u>glo</u>ry,//

granting the world unending life and great mercy!





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

Tone 4(for the Feast, by Cosmas the Monk)

When You were transfigured upon a high mountain, O Savior,

having with You the chief Disciples,

You shone forth in glorious majesty,

proving that those who excel in the height of their virtues

shall be made worthy of divine glory.

Moses and Elijah, talking with Christ,

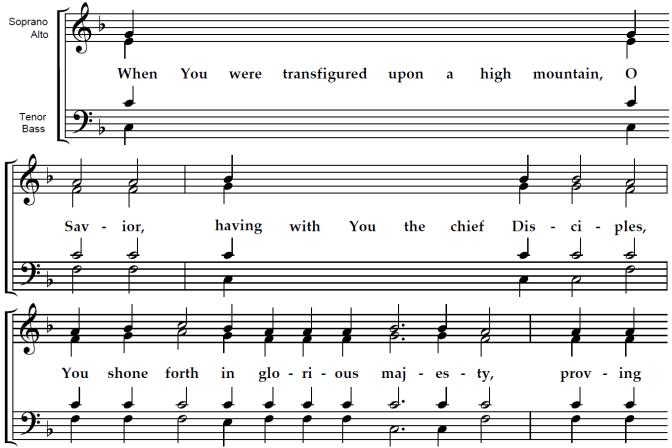
showed that He is Lord of both the living and the dead,

the God Who spoke of old through the Law and the Prophets.

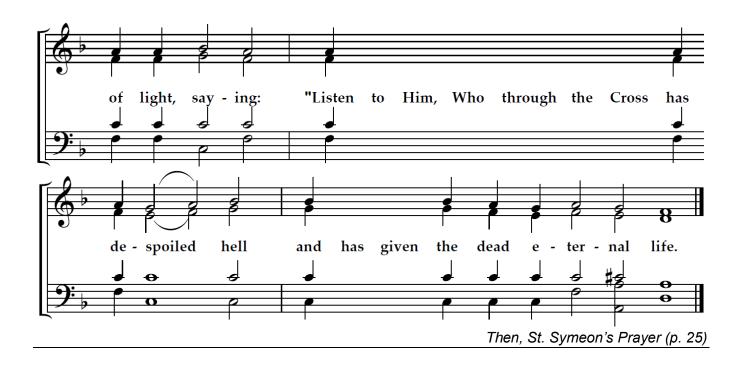
The voice of the Father testified to Him from the cloud of light, saying:

"Listen to Him, Who through the Cross has despoiled hell/

and has given the dead eternal life!"







(at Great Vespers) Tone 6

Troparion

(Resurrectional Troparion – Tone 6) The angelic powers were <u>at</u> Your tomb; the guards became as <u>dead</u> men. Mary <u>stood</u> by Your grave, seeking Your most pure <u>body</u>. You captured <u>Ha</u>des, not being <u>tempt</u>ed by it. You came to the Virgin, <u>grant</u>ing life.// O Lord, Who rose from the dead, <u>glo</u>ry to You.

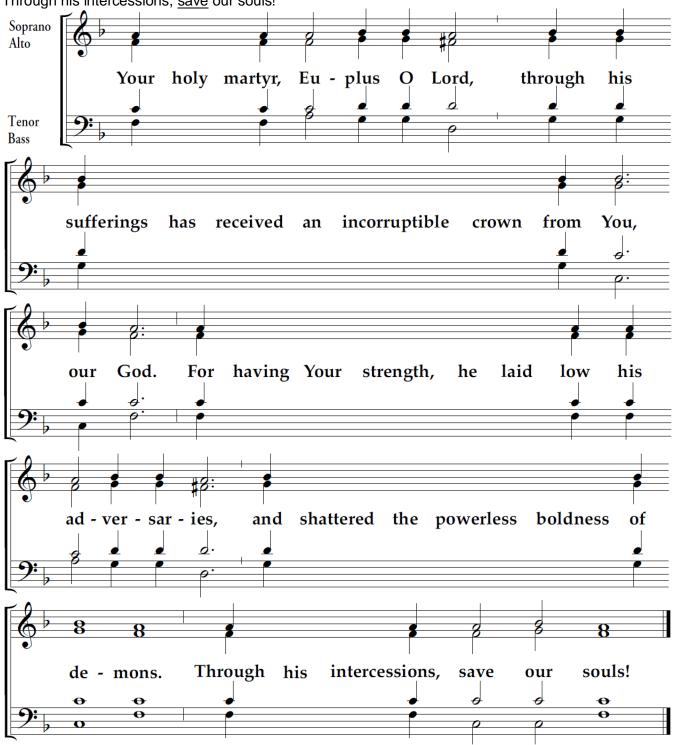


Tone 4

Troparion

(St. Euplus)

(*Troparion for the Martyr – Tone 4*) Your holy martyr, <u>Eu</u>plus O Lord, through his sufferings has received an incorruptible from <u>You</u>, our God. For having Your strength, he laid low his <u>ad</u>versaries, and shattered the powerless boldness of <u>de</u>mons.// Through his intercessions, save our souls!



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

Tone 7 Troparion



(Troparion for the Transfiguration – Tone 7) You were transfigured on the mountain, O Christ God, revealing Your glory to Your Disciples as far as they could bear it. Let Your everlasting Light also shine upon us sinners, through the prayers of the Theotokos!// O Giver of Light, glory to You! Soprano Alto You were trans-fig-ured on the mountain, O Christ God, Tenor Bass revealing Your glory to Your disciples as far as they could Let Your ev - er - lasting Light also shine upon bear it. us through the prayers of the The - o sin - ners, to - kos. 0 Giv - er Light, 0 of You! glo to ry 0 8 Then, the dismissal (p. 26)

(at the Divine Liturgy) Tone 6

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Tone 7 Troparion

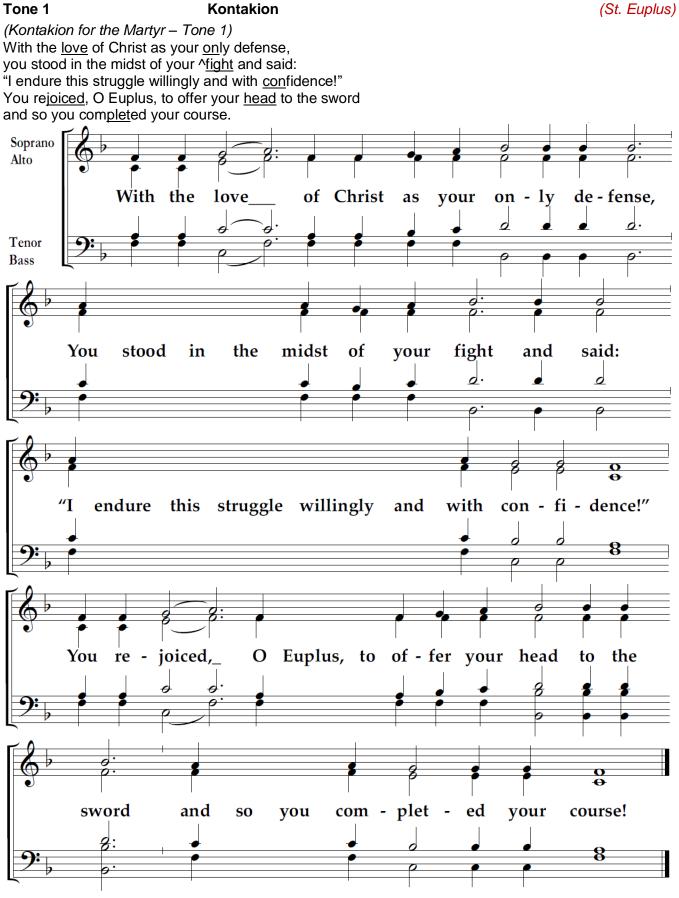


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Tone 4 Troparion

(St. Euplus)

(Troparion for the Martyr – Tone 4) Your holy martyr, Euplus O Lord, through his sufferings has received an incorruptible from You, our God. For having Your strength, he laid low his adversaries, and shattered the powerless boldness of demons.// Through his intercessions, save our souls! Soprano Alto Your holy martyr, Eu - plus Lord, through his Ο 0 Tenor Bass incorruptible received an sufferings has crown from You, d 0 having Your strength, God. For he laid low his our and shattered the powerless ad - ver - sar - ies, boldness of 0. 8 8 8 Through his intercessions, souls! de - mons. save our θ 0 0 θ θ 0 0 Ο 0

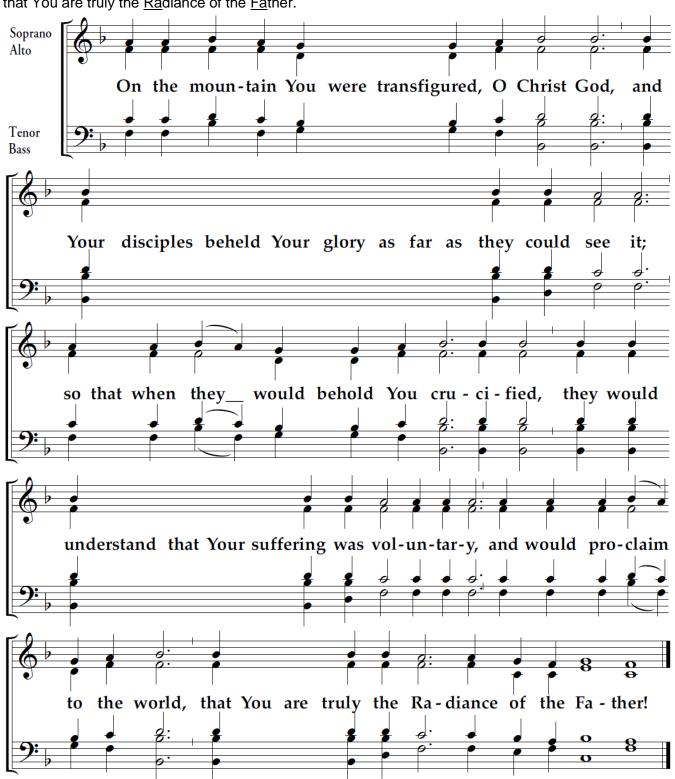


Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

Tone 7 Kontakion



(Kontakion for the Transfiguration – Tone 7) On the <u>moun</u>tain You were transfigured, O <u>Christ</u> God, and Your Disciples beheld Your glory as far as they could <u>see</u> it; so that when <u>they</u> would behold You <u>cru</u>cified, they would understand that Your suffering was <u>vol</u>untary, and would pro<u>claim</u> to the <u>world//</u> that You are truly the Radiance of the Father.



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

Tone 6

Kontakion

(Resurrectional Kontakion – Tone 6)

When Christ God the Giver of Life,

raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand,

He bestowed resurrection on the human race.//

He is the Savior of all, the Resurrection, the Life, and the \underline{God} of all.



Tone 6 Prokeimenon

Prokeimenon, Tone 6

Deacon: Let us attend! Priest: † Peace to all!

Reader: And with your spirit!

Deacon: Wisdom!

Reader: The Prokeimenon, in the 6th Tone: O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance! *People:* O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance, your inheritance!



Reader: To You, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me!

People: O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your inheritance, your inheritance!

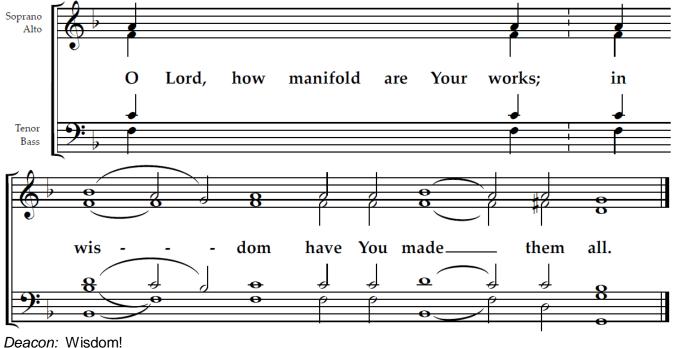


Tone 4

Prokeimenon

(Feast)

Reader: In the Fourth Tone, O Lord, how manifold are Your works; in wisdom have You made them all! *People:* O Lord, how manifold are Your works; in wisdom have You made them all!



Epistle - (116) Romans 15:1-7

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

Deacon: Let us attend!

Reader: Now we who are strong should bear the weaknesses of the weak, and not just please ourselves. Let each one of us please our neighbor for what is good, to be edifying to him. Even

Christ did not please himself. But, as it is written, "The insults of those who insulted you fell on me." For whatever things were written before were written for our instruction, so that through patience and the Scriptures' encouragement we might have hope. Now may the God of endurance and encouragement grant you to be together of the same mind according to Christ Jesus, so that with one accord, you may with one mouth glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, accept one another, even as Christ also accepted you, to the glory of God.

Priest: † Peace to you who read!

Tone 6

Reader: And to Your spirit. In the 6th Tone: Alleluia! He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the heavenly God.

People: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reader: He will say to the Lord: "My Protector and my Refuge; my God, in Whom I trust. *People:* Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reader: In the 8th Tone: The heavens are Yours, the earth also is Yours!

People: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Gospel – (33) Matthew 9:27-35	Page 73
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Priest: The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew.

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

Priest: At that time, as Jesus passed by from there, two blind men followed him, calling out and saying, "Have mercy on us, son of David!"

When he entered the house, the blind men came to him. Jesus asked them, "Do you believe that I am able to do this?"

They replied, "Yes, Lord."

He then touched their eyes, saying, "According to your faith, let it be done to you!" And their eyes were opened. Jesus strictly commanded them, saying, "See that no one knows about this." However, they went out and spread his fame throughout that entire land.

As they were leaving, behold, a mute man who was demon-possessed was brought to him. When the demon was cast out, the mute began to speak. The multitudes marveled, saying, "Nothing like this has ever been seen in Israel!"

But the Pharisees said, "It is by the prince of the demons that he casts out demons."

Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues and preaching the Good News of the Kingdom. He also healed every kind of disease and sickness among the people.

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

Sermon

(then p. 89)

(Instead of "It is truly meet ...," we sing:)

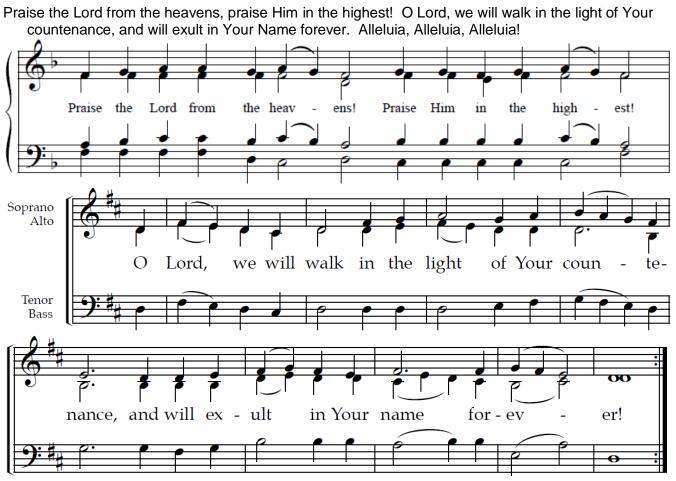
Magnify, O my soul, the Lord Who was transfigured on Mount Tabor!

Your childbearing was without corruption; God came forth from your body clothed in flesh, and appeared on earth and dwelt among men.

Therefore, we all magnify you, O Theotokos.



Communion Hymns



- 1. The heavens are Yours, the earth also is Yours; the world and all that is in it You have founded them.
- 2. The north and the south, You have created them; Tabor and Hermon joyously praise Your name.
- 3. You have a mighty arm; strong is Your hand, high Your right hand.
- 4. Righteousness and justice are the foundation of Your throne; steadfast love and faithfulness go before You.
- 5. Blessed are the people who know the festal shout who walk, O Lord, in the light of Your countenance.
- 6. Who exult in Your name all the day, and extol Your righteousness.
- 7. For You are the glory of their strength; by Your favor our horn is exalted.
- 8. For our shield belongs to the Lord, our king to the Holy One of Israel.

