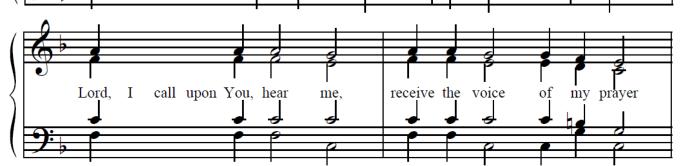
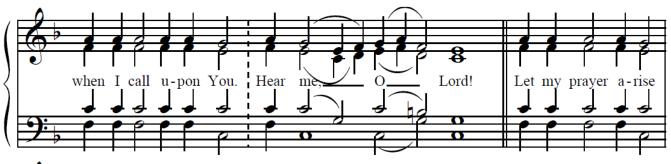
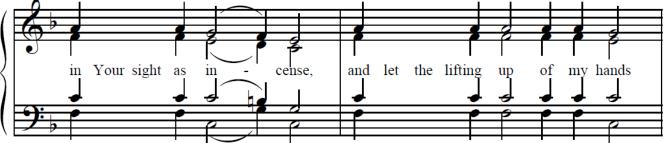
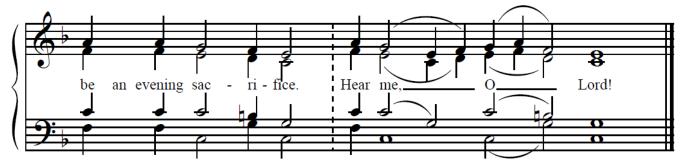
"Lord I Call..." – Tone 3 Reader: In the Third Tone, Lord, I call upon You, hear me! Lord, I call upon You, hear me. Let my prayer arise Hear me, O Lord. in Your sight as incense, Lord, I call upon You, hear me. and let the lifting up of my hands Receive the voice of my prayer, be an evening sacrifice.// when I call upon You.// Hear me, O Lord. Hear me, O Lord. Lord. Ι call upon You, hear me. Hear Lord. me



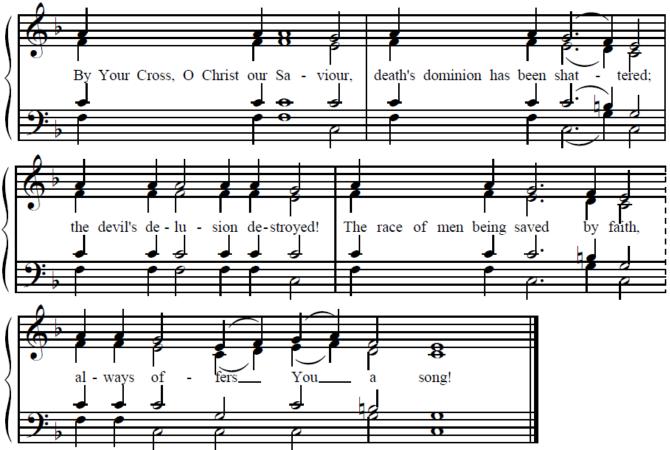






Reader: (Reads text from service book) v. (10) Bring my soul out of prison, that I may give thanks to Your name!

By Your Cross, O Christ our <u>Sav</u>ior, death's dominion has been <u>shat</u>tered; the devil's de<u>lu</u>sion destroyed. The race of men, being <u>saved</u> by faith,// always <u>offers You</u> a song.

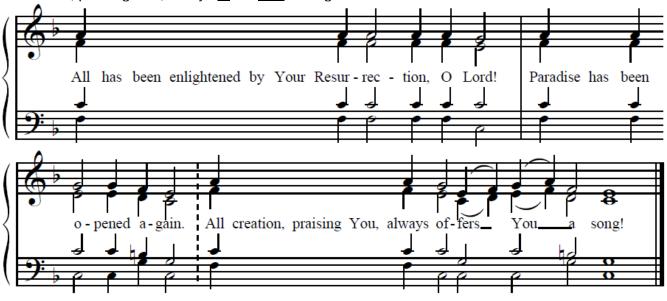


v. (9) The righteous will surround me; for You will deal bountifully with me.

All has been enlightened by Your Resurrection, O Lord.

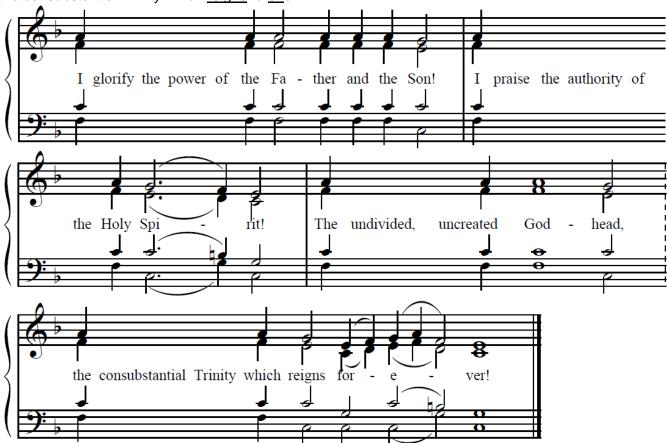
Paradise has been opened again.//

All creation, praising You, always offers You a song.



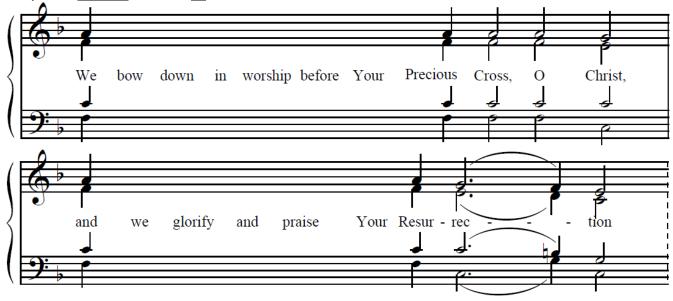
v. (8) Out of the depths I cry to You, O Lord. Lord, hear my voice!

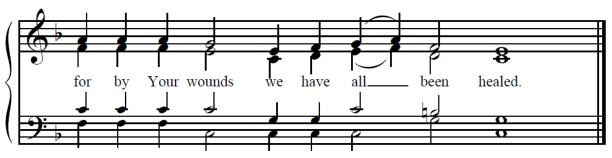
I glorify the power of the <u>Fa</u>ther and the Son. I praise the authority of the Holy <u>Spi</u>rit: the undivided, uncreated <u>God</u>head,// the consubstantial Trinity which <u>reigns</u> for<u>ev</u>er.



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

We bow down in worship before Your precious <u>Cross</u>, O Christ, and we glorify and praise Your Resur<u>rection</u>,// for by Your <u>wounds</u> we have <u>all</u> been healed.

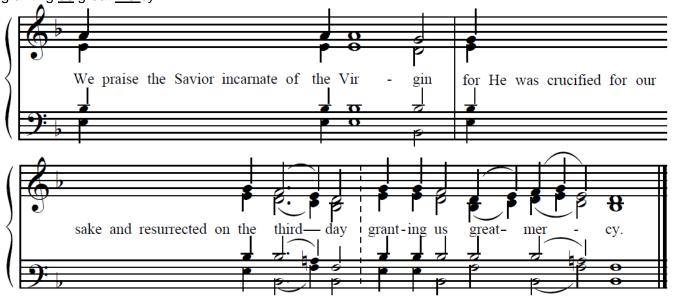




v. (6) If You, O Lord, should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with You.

We praise the Savior incarnate of the Virgin,

for He was crucified for our sake and resurrected on the <u>third</u> day,// granting <u>us</u> great <u>mer</u>cy.



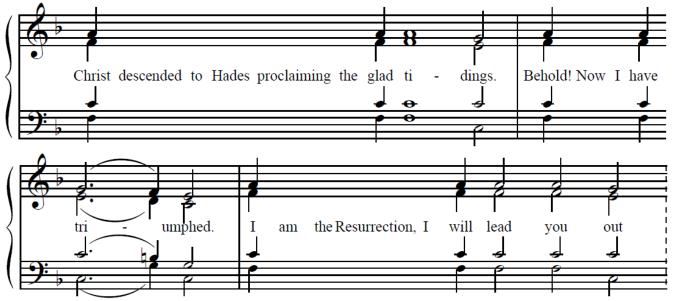
v. (5) For Your name's sake I have waited for You, O Lord, my soul has waited for Your word; my soul has hoped on the Lord.

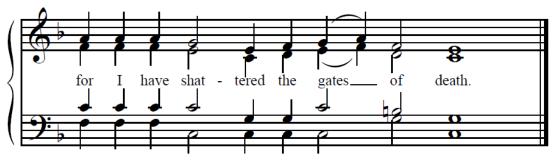
Christ descended to Hades proclaiming the glad tidings:

"Behold! Now I have triumphed!

I am the Resurrection, I will lead you out,//

for I have shattered the gates of death!"





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

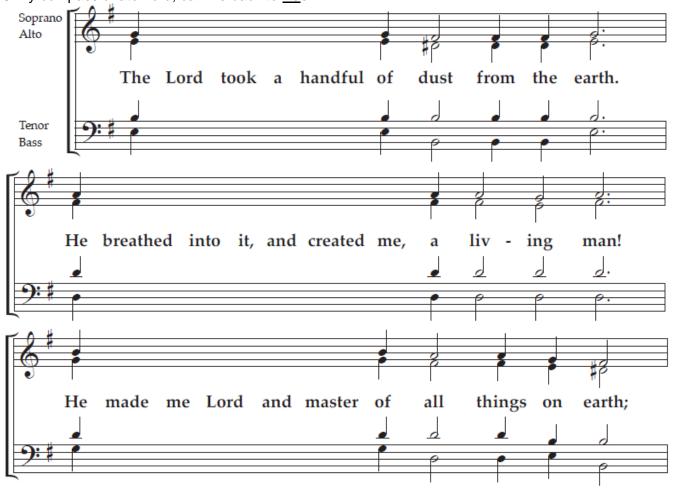
## Tone 6(from the Lenten Triodion)

(Having placed all their hope)

The Lord took a handful of <u>dust</u> from the earth. He breathed into it and created me, a <u>living man</u>. He made me lord and master of <u>all</u> things on earth; truly I enjoyed the life of the <u>ang</u>els. But Satan the deceiver tempted me in the guise of a <u>ser</u>pent; I ate the forbidden fruit and forfeited the glory of God.

Now I have been delivered to the <u>earth</u> through death.//

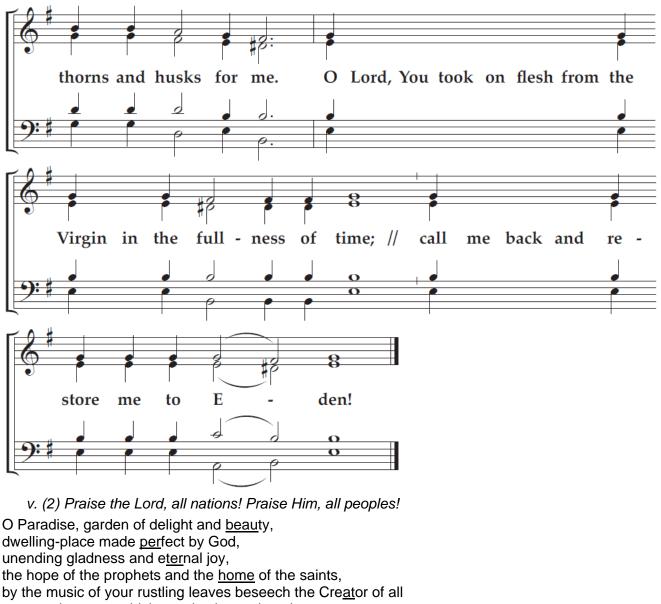
O my compassionate Lord, call me back to Eden!





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

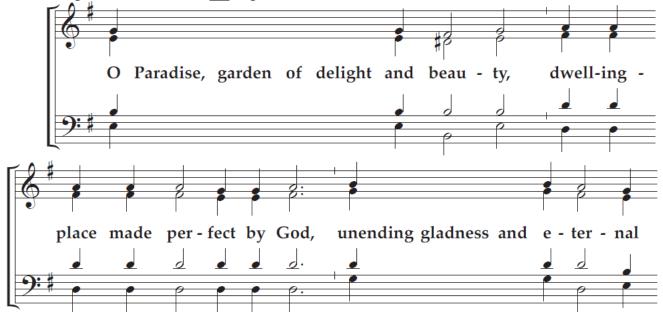
When the Enemy tempted me, I disobeyed Your command, O Lord. I exchanged the glory of my mortal body for shame and <u>nakedness</u>. Now I must wear garments of skins and fig-leaves; I am condemned to eat the bread of bitter hardship by the sweat of my brow. The earth is cursed and brings forth thorns and husks for me. O Lord, You took on flesh from the Virgin in the fullness of time;// call me back and restore me to Eden! When the Enemy tempt - ed I disobeyed Your com me, I exchanged the glory of my mortal body for mand, O Lord. 0 0 θ 18 shame and na - ked-ness. Now, I must wear garments of skins and O θ fig-leaves; am condemned to eat the bread of bitter hardship Ι 0 Ο by the sweat of my brow. The earth is cursed and brings forth 0 0.

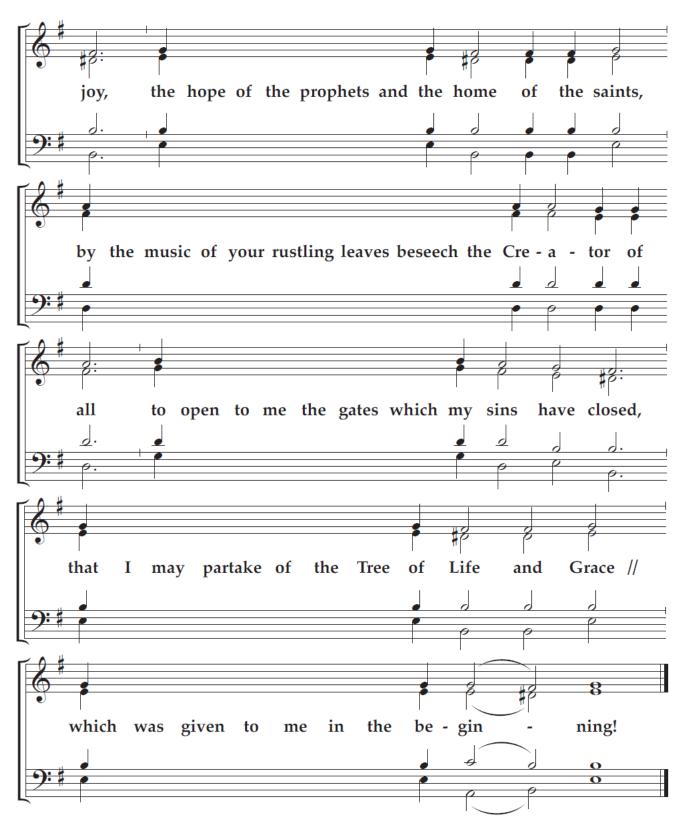


to open the gates which my sins have closed,

that I may partake of the Tree of Life and Grace//

which was given to me in the beginning!

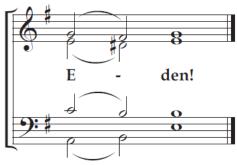




v. (1) For His mercy is confirmed on us, and the truth of the Lord endures forever.

Adam was exiled from Paradise through diso<u>be</u>dience; he was driven from eternal bliss, deceived by the <u>words</u> of Eve; he sat naked and weeping before the gates of <u>Par</u>adise. Let us hasten to enter the season of <u>fast</u>ing; let us carefully obey the <u>Gos</u>pel commands, that we may be made acceptable to <u>Christ</u> our God,// and regain our home in <u>E</u>den!



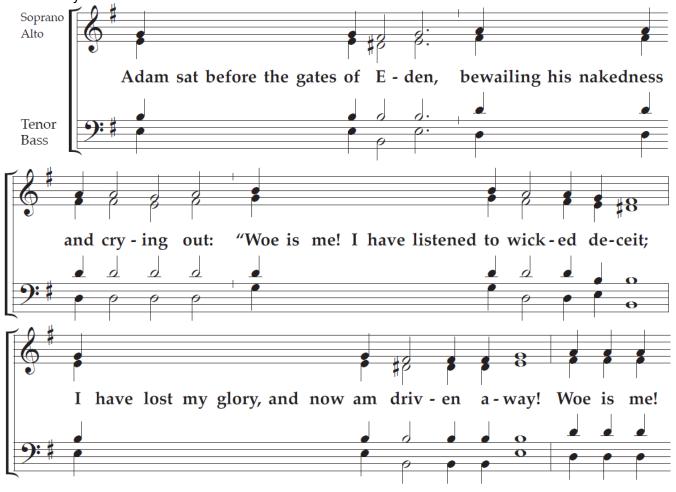


In the Same Tone, Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit;

## Tone 6

(from the Lenten Triodion)

Adam sat before the gates of <u>Ed</u>en, bewailing his nakedness and <u>cry</u>ing out: "Woe to me! I have listened to <u>wicked</u> deceit; I have lost my glory, and now am <u>driv</u>en away! Woe to me! My open-mindedness hath left me <u>naked</u> and confused! No longer will I enjoy your delights, O <u>Paradise</u>; no longer can I see my Lord, my God and Cre<u>at</u>or. He formed me from dust, and now to the <u>dust</u> I return! I beg You, O com<u>pas</u>sionate Lord:// Have mercy on me who have fallen!"





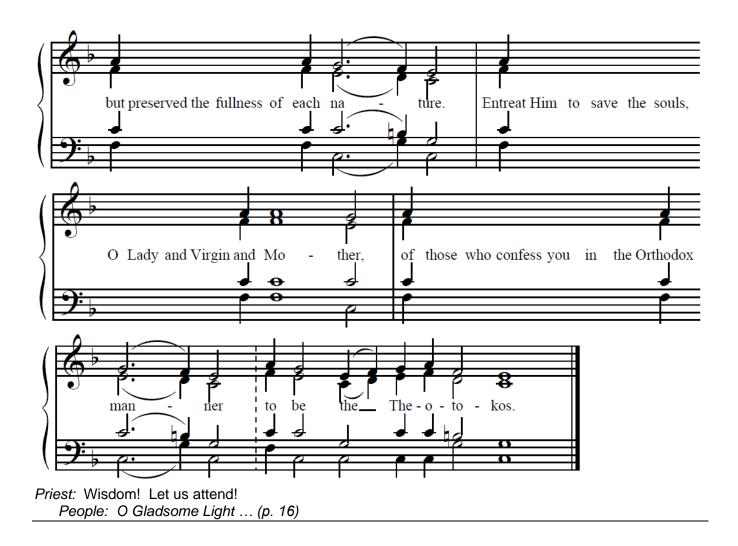
In the Third Tone, now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

## Tone 3

(Theotokion – Dogmatikon)

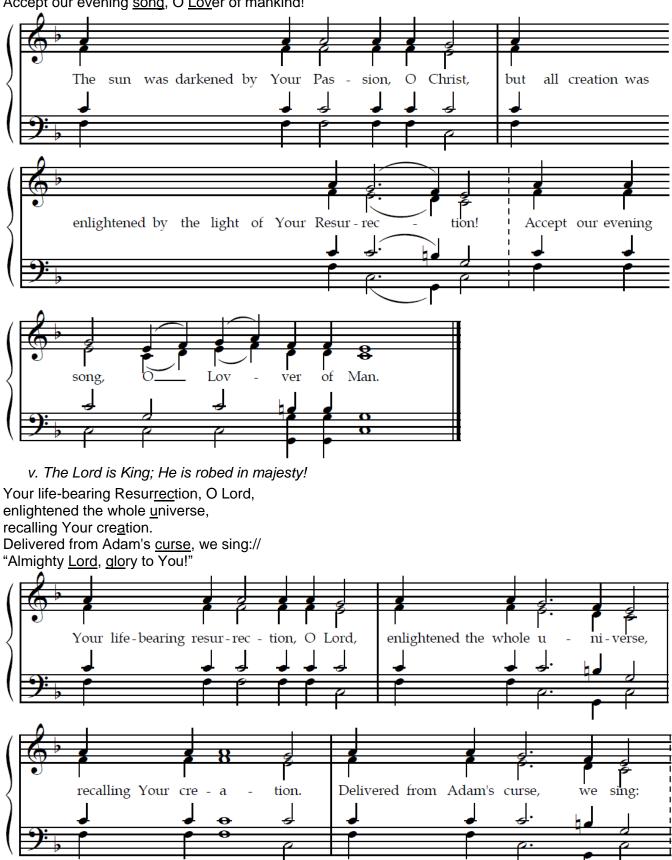
How can we not <u>wonder</u> at your mystical childbearing, O exalted <u>Moth</u>er? For without receiving the <u>touch</u> of man, you gave birth to a Son in the flesh, O immaculate <u>Virg</u>in. The Son born of the Father before e<u>ter</u>nity was born of you at the fullness of time, O honored <u>Lady</u>. He underwent no mingling, no change, no di<u>vi</u>sion, but preserved the fullness of each <u>na</u>ture. Entreat Him, O Lady and Virgin and <u>Mo</u>ther, to save the souls of those who, in the Orthodox manner, con<u>fess</u> you// to be the <u>Theoto</u>kos.

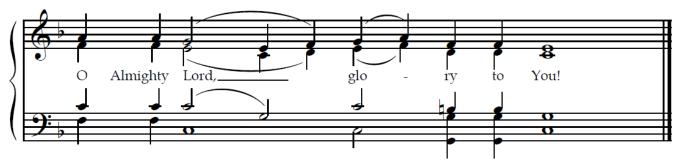




# Aposticha – Tone 3

The sun was darkened by your <u>Pas</u>sion, O Christ, but all creation was enlightened by the light of Your Resur<u>rec</u>tion.// Accept our evening <u>song</u>, O <u>Lov</u>er of mankind!





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

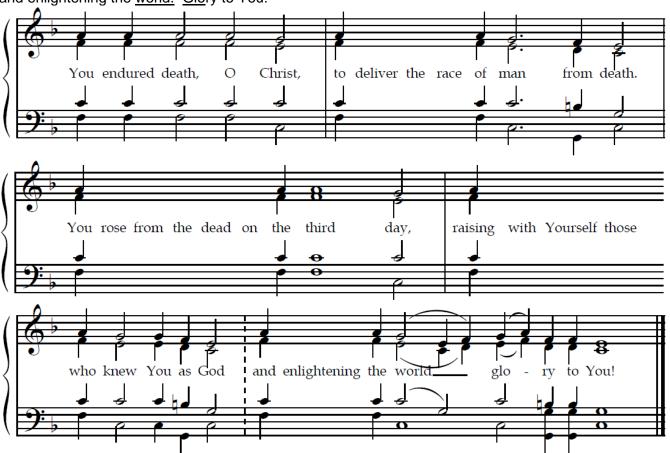
You are the changeless God,

Who, suffering in the <u>flesh</u>, were changed. Creation could not endure seeing <u>You</u> on the Cross. It was filled with fear while praising Your <u>pa</u>tience. By descending to Hadesl and rising on the <u>third</u> day,// You have granted to the world <u>life</u> and great <u>mercy</u>.



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

You endured <u>death</u>, O Christ, to deliver the race of <u>man</u> from death. You rose from the dead on the <u>third</u> day, raising with Yourself those who <u>knew</u> You as God// and enlightening the world. Glory to You!



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

## Tone 6

# (from the Lenten Triodion)

Adam ate the forbidden fruit and was driven from Paradise.

He sat outside, weeping <u>bit</u>terly:

"Woe to me! What will become of me, a worthless man?

I disobeyed one command of my Master and lost every good thing!

O holy Paradise, planted for me by God, and closed by the weakness of Eve,

grant that I may once again gaze on the flowers of your gardens!"

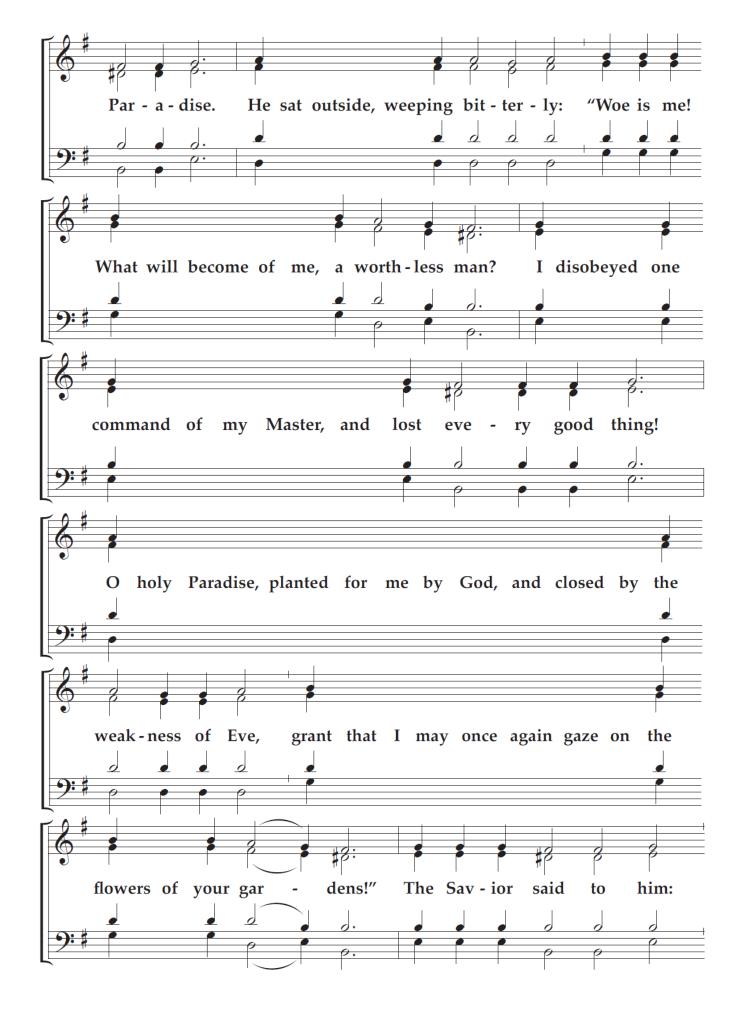
The Savior said to him:

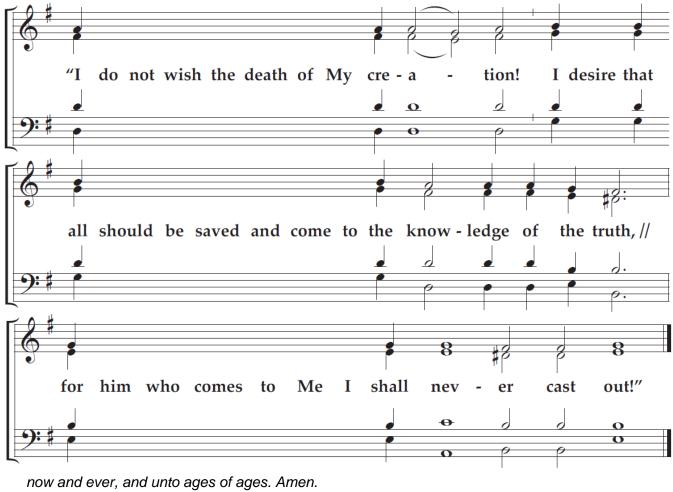
"I do not wish the death of My creation!

I desire that all should be saved and come to the knowledge of the truth,//

for him who comes to Me I shall never cast out!"

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#### Tone 6

# (Theotokion)

My Maker and Redeemer, Christ the Lord,

was born of you, O most pure Virgin.

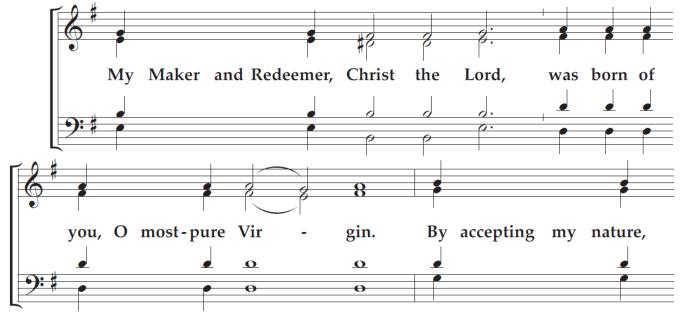
By accepting my nature, He freed Adam from his ancient curse.

Unceasingly we magnify you as the Mother of God!

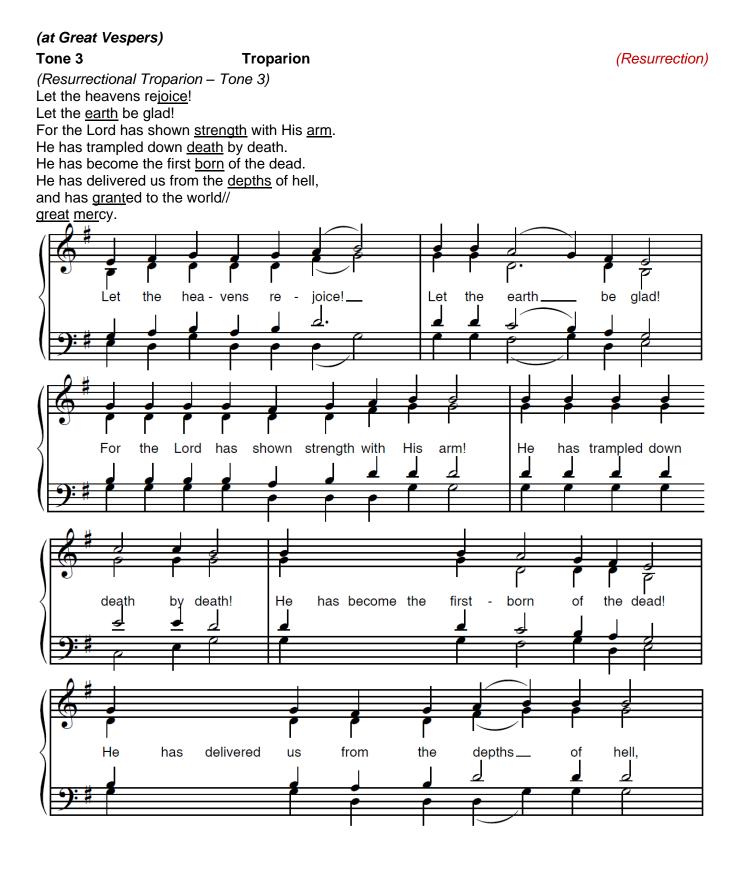
Rejoice, O ce<u>les</u>tial Joy!

Rejoice, O Lady://

the Protection, Intercession and Salvation of our souls!









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

## Tone 3 Resurrectional Dismissal Theotokion

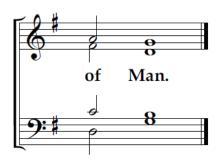
(Resurrection Dismissal Theotokion – Tone 3)

We <u>praise</u> you as the mediatrix of our sal<u>va</u>tion, Virgin Theo<u>to</u>kos.

For your <u>Son</u>, our God, Who <u>took</u> flesh from you, accepted the <u>Pas</u>sion on the Cross,//

delivering us from corruption as the Lover of Man.





Then, the dismissal (p. 26)

# (at the Divine Liturgy)

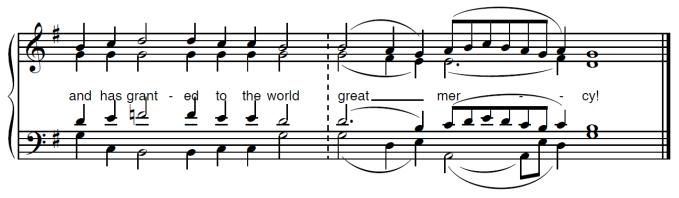


Troparion



(Resurrectional Troparion – Tone 3) Let the heavens rejoice! Let the <u>earth</u> be glad! For the Lord has shown <u>strength</u> with His <u>arm</u>. He has trampled down <u>death</u> by death. He has become the first <u>born</u> of the dead. He has delivered us from the <u>depths</u> of hell, and has <u>grant</u>ed to the world// <u>great mercy</u>.





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



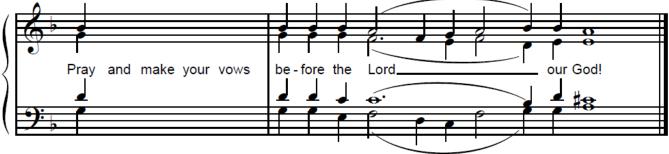
# Tone 8 Prokeimenon

Prokeimenon, Tone 8 Priest: Let us attend! † Peace to all!

Reader: And with your spirit!

Priest: Wisdom!

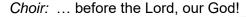
*Reader:* The Prokeimenon, in the 8<sup>th</sup> Tone: Pray and make your vows before the Lord, our God! *Choir:* Pray and make your vows before the Lord, our God!

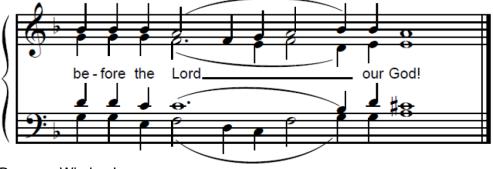


Reader: In Judah God is known; His name is great in Israel. Choir: Pray and make your vows before the Lord, our God!!



Reader: Pray and make your vows ...





Deacon: Wisdom!

Epistle: (112) – Romans 13:11-14:4

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

Deacon: Let us attend!

*Reader:* Brothers and sisters, salvation is now nearer to us than when we first believed! The night is far gone, and the day is near. Let us therefore throw off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armor of light. Let us walk decently, as in the day; not in parties and drunkenness, not in sexual immorality and lustful acts, and not in strife or jealousy. Instead, put on the Lord Jesus Christ and do not think how to satisfy the flesh and its lusts.

Accept the one who is weak in faith, but not to enter into arguments over disputable matters. One has faith to eat all things while the weak eats only vegetables. The one who eats everything should not look down on the one who does not eat. The one who does not eat should not judge the one who eats because God has accepted him. Who are you who judge someone else's servant? He stands or falls to his own master! Yes, that one will be made able to stand, because God has the power to make someone stand.

Priest: † Peace to you who read.

Alleluia: Tone 6

*Reader:* And to Your spirit. In the 6<sup>th</sup> Tone: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia! *Choir:* Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Reader:* It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to Your Name, O Most High. *Choir:* Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Reader: to declare Your mercy in the morning, and Your truth by night.

Choir: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

**Gospel:** (17) Matthew 6:14-21

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Deacon: The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew.

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

*Deacon:* The Lord said: For if you forgive people their offenses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you. But if you do not forgive people their offenses, neither will your Father forgive your offenses.

Moreover, when you fast, do not be like the hypocrites with their gloomy faces. For they disfigure their faces so that people may see that they are fasting. Amen, I tell you: they have received their reward. But you, when you fast, anoint your head and wash your face so that people may not see that you are fasting. Only your Father who is in secret will see, and your Father, who sees in secret, will reward you openly.

Do not store up treasures for yourselves on the earth, where moth and rust consume and where thieves break in and steal. Instead, store for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust consume, and where thieves do not break in and steal. For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

Priest: Peace to you who have proclaimed the Gospel.

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

Sermon

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