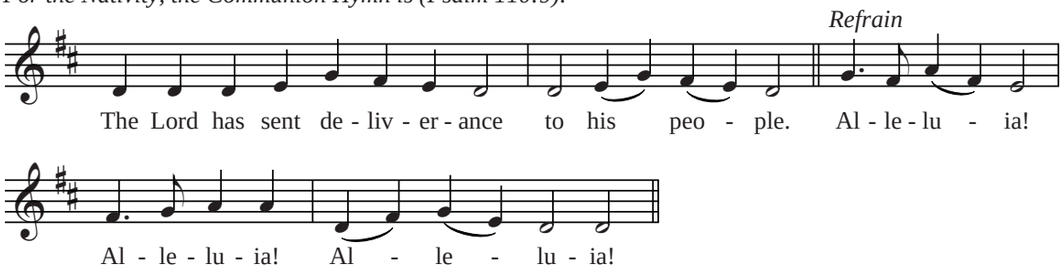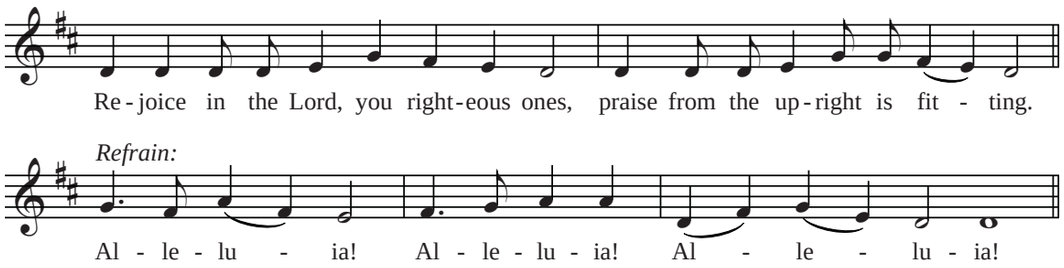
Communion Hymns:

For the Nativity, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 110:9):

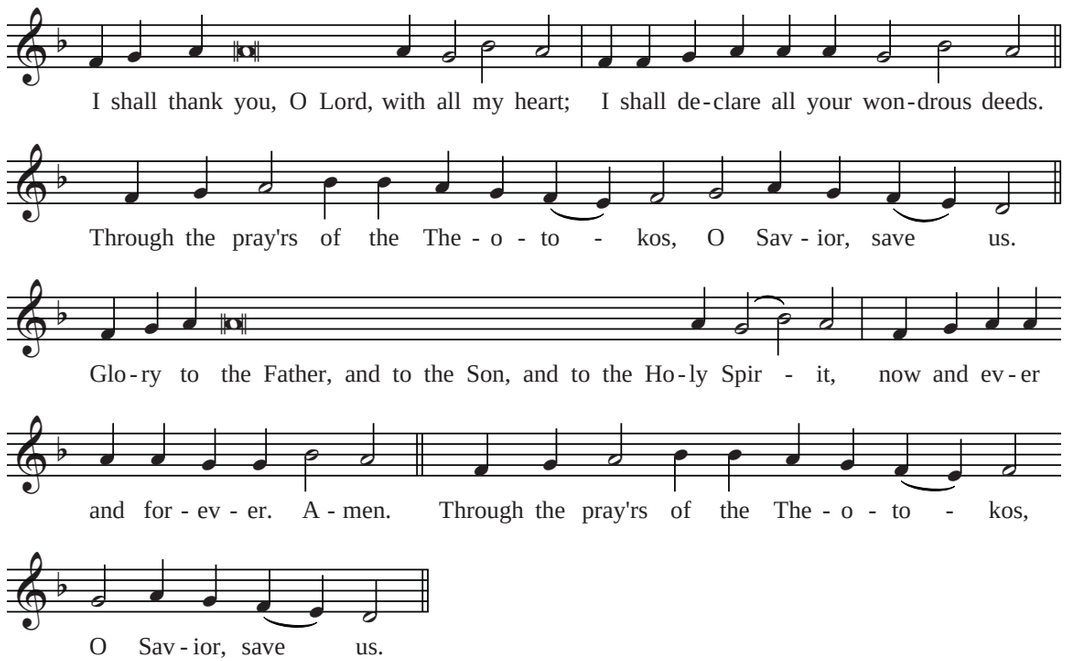


And for the Relatives of the Lord, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 32:1):
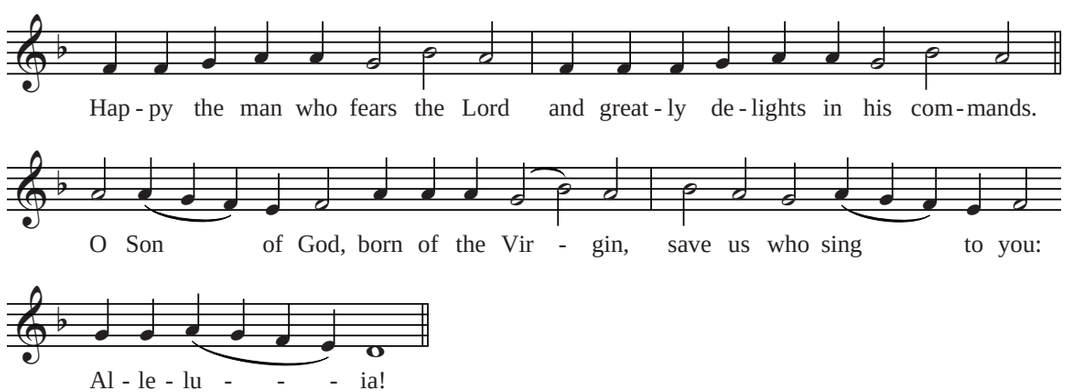


Divine Liturgy, December 26, 2011
Synaxis of the Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary
Commemoration of the Holy and Righteous Joseph the Betrothed, David the King, and James the Brother of God

First Antiphon (Psalm 110:1; 9:2):
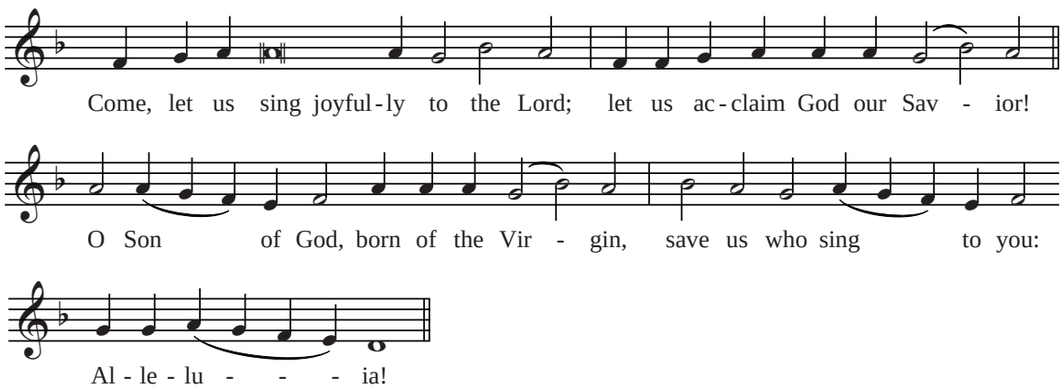


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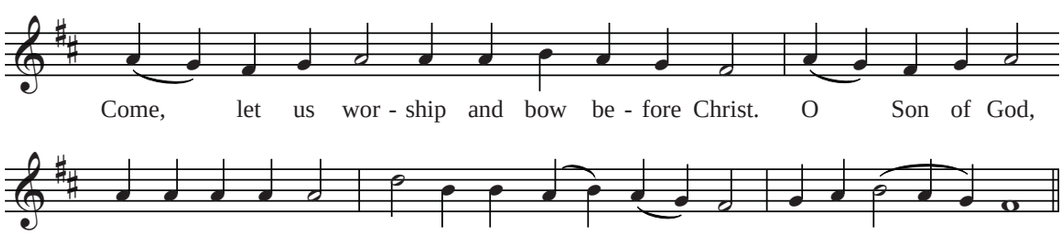
Hymn of the Incarnation: (*music on pp. 18-21)*

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and forever. Amen. O only-begotten Son and Word of God, who, being immortal, deigned for our salvation to become incarnate of the holy Theotokos and Ever-Virgin Mary, and became man without change; you were also crucified, O Christ our God, and by death have trampled Death, being One of the Holy Trinity, glorified with the Father and the Holy Spirit, save us.
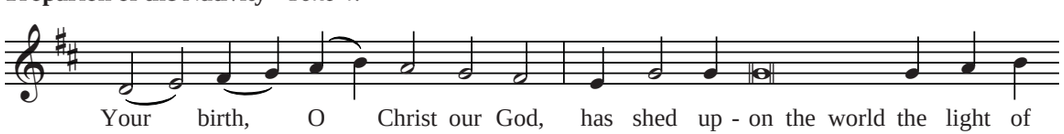
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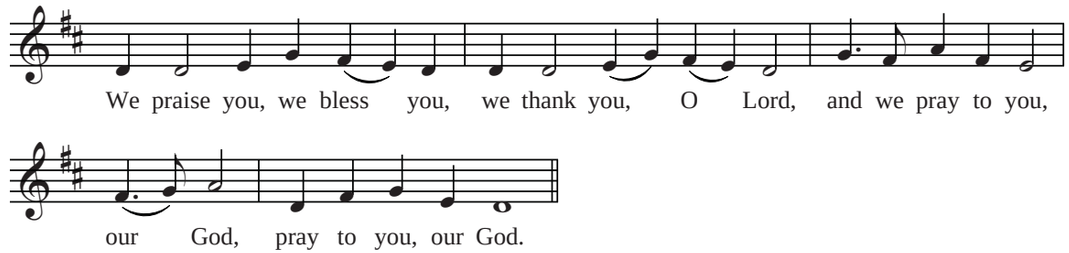
Post-festive Entrance Hymn (Psalm 94:6)



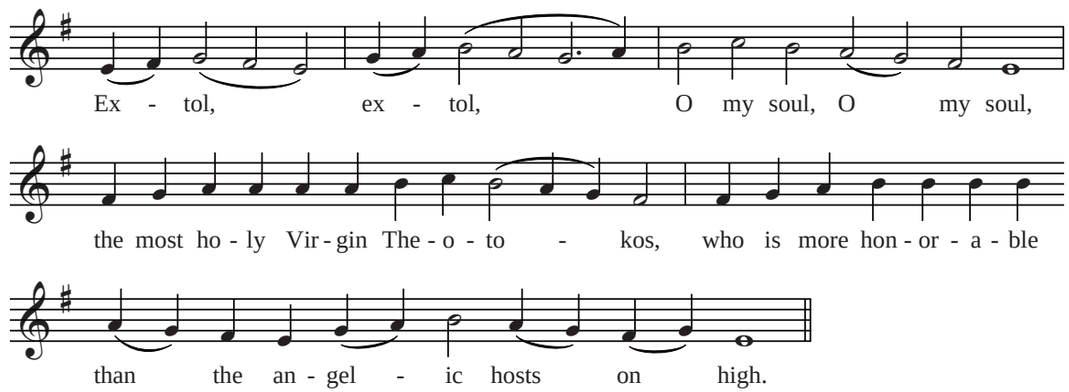
Troparion of the Nativity - *Tone 4:*



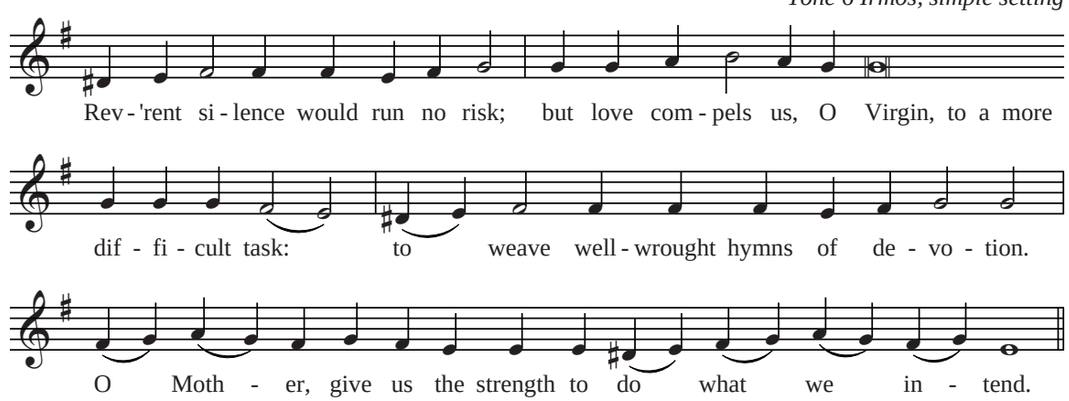
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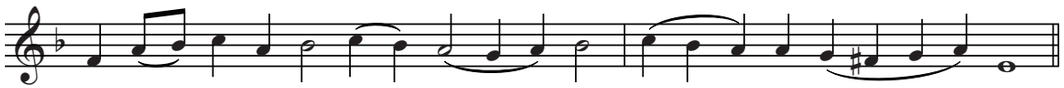


Instead of "It is truly proper..."
Magnification



Irmos *Tone 6 Irmos, simple setting*



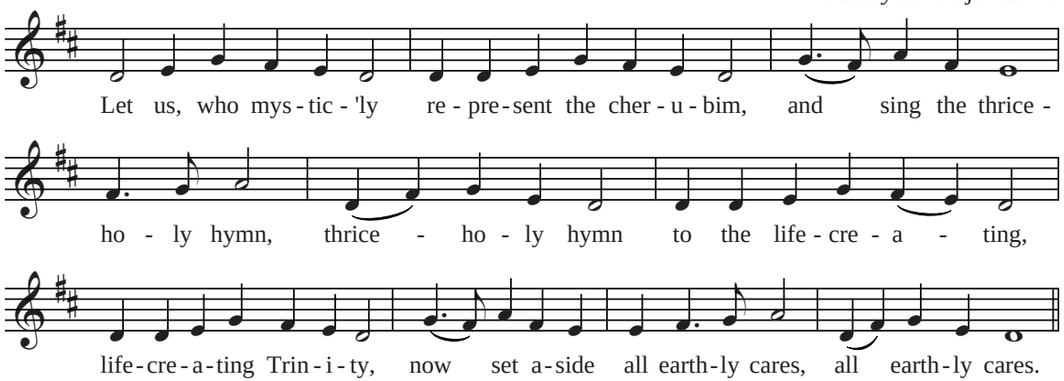
Alleluia of the Relatives of the Lord- *Tone 4* (Psalm 131:1,2):



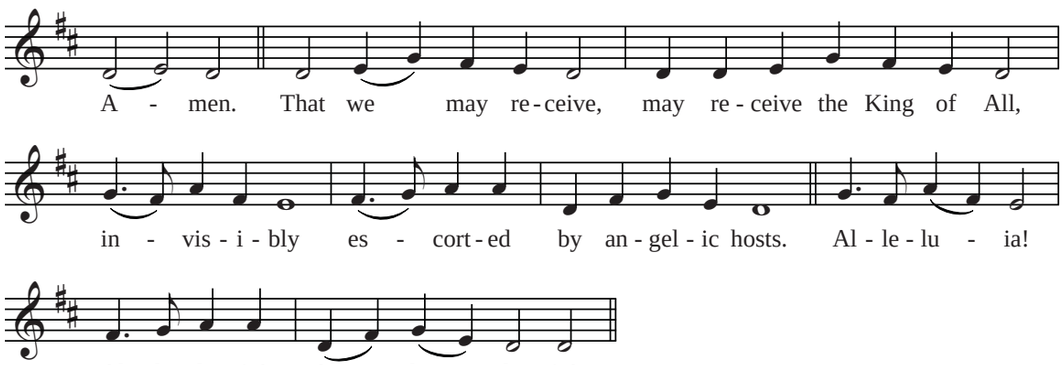
Verse: Lord, remember David and all his humility.
Verse: How he swore to the Lord and vowed to the God of Jacob.

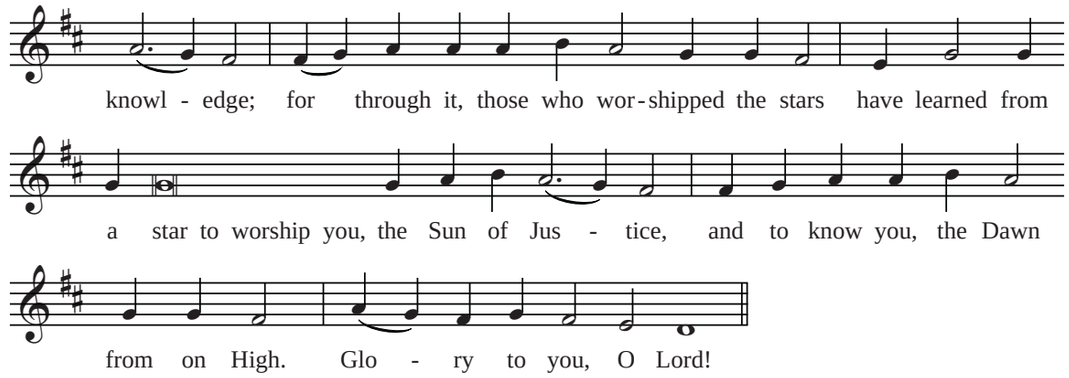
Cherubic Hymn

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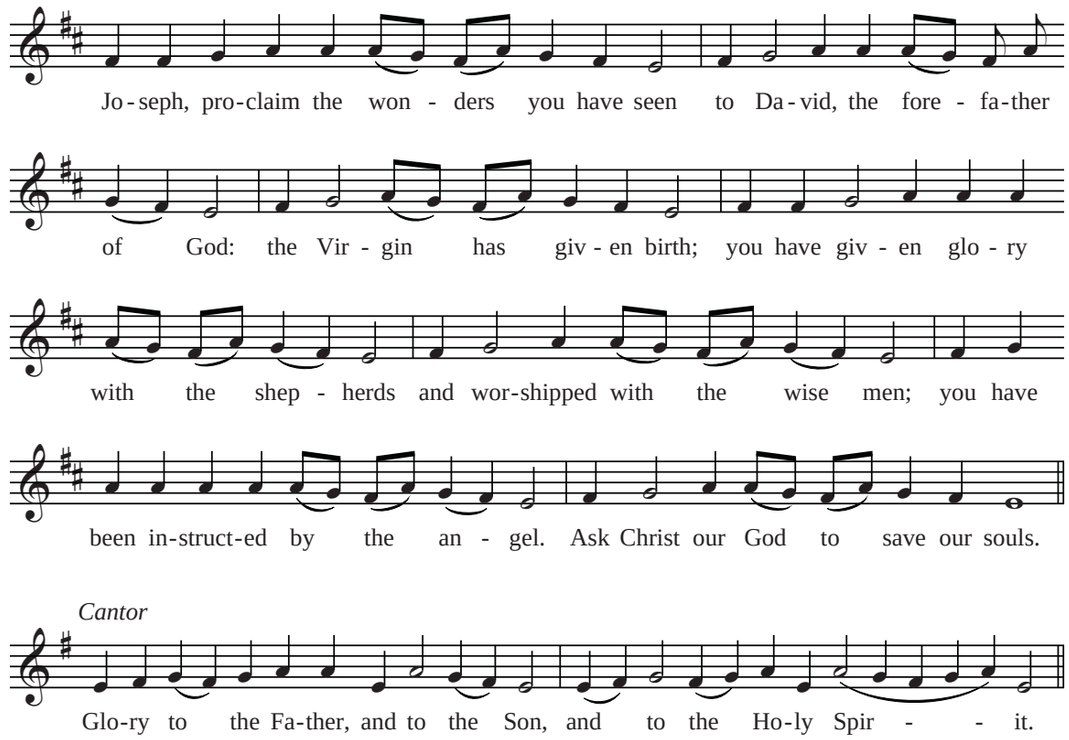


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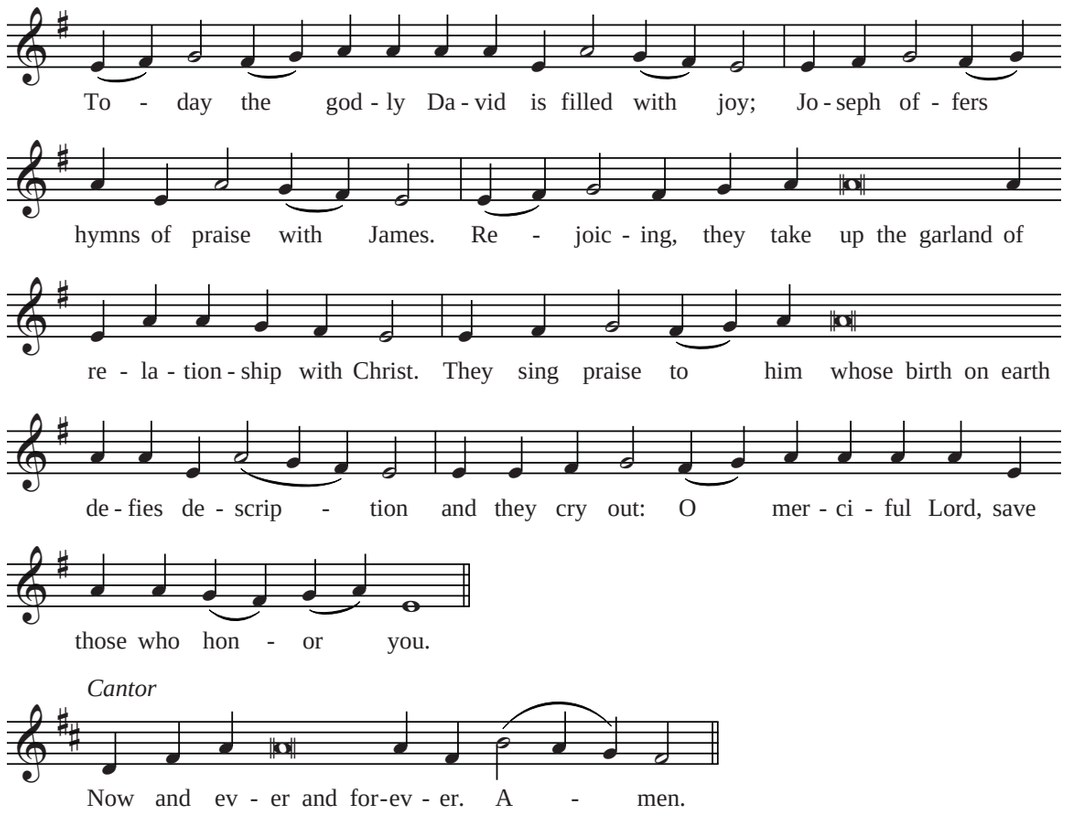




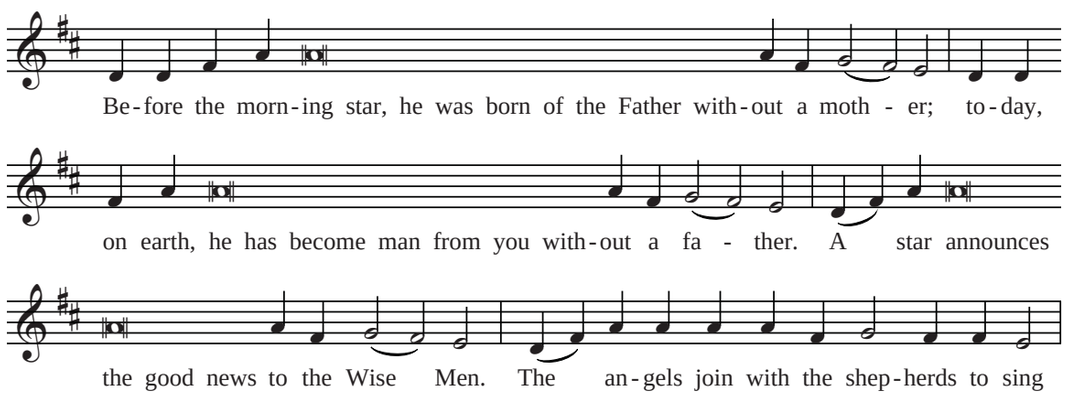
Troparion of the Relatives of the Lord - *Tone 2*



Kontakion of the Relatives of the Lord - *Tone 3*

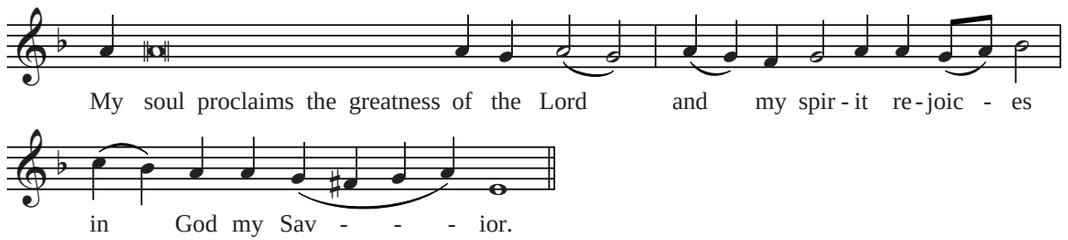


Kontakion of the Synaxis - *Tone 6*





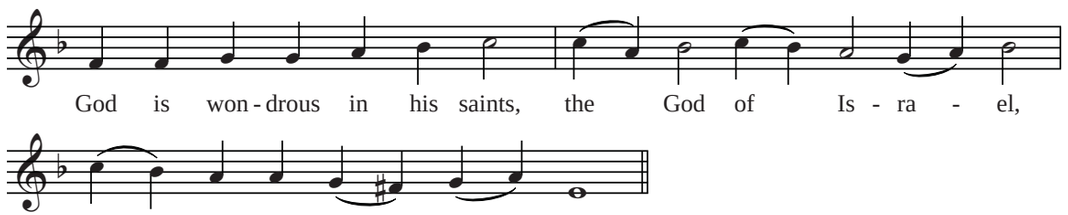
Prokeimenon of the Synaxis of the Theotokos - *Tone 3* (Luke 1:46-48)
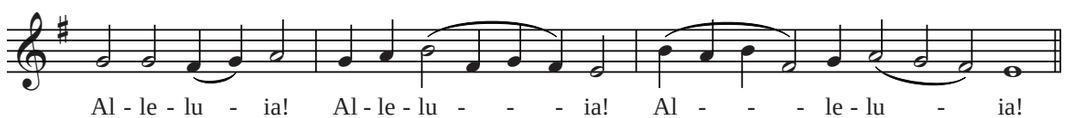


Verse: For he has looked with favor on the humility of his servant;
from this day forward, all generation will call me blessed.

And then immediately:

Prokeimenon of the Sunday after the Nativity - *Tone 4* (Psalm 67:36,27):



Alleluia of the Synaxis - *Tone 8* (Psalm 131:8,11)



Verse: Go up, Lord, to your rest, you and your holy ark.
Verse: The Lord swore a true oath to David; he will not go back on his word.

And then immediately: