Vesper propers, October 7, 2012
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

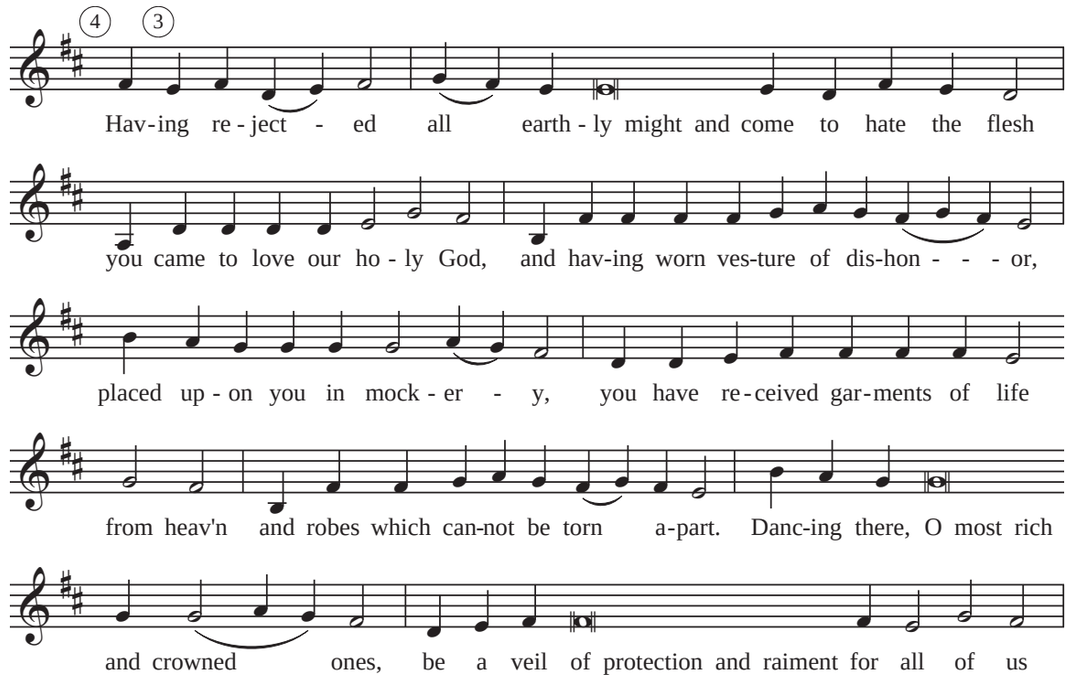
The holy martyrs Sergius and Bacchus at Rosapha in the province of Augusta Euphratesia in Syria. They were nobles at the court of the emperor Maximian, who valued them for their courage, wisdom, and zeal. They refused to offer sacrifice to the pagan gods, and the emperor turned against them, dressing them in women's clothing and paraded them through the city of Rome. They were then sent to Asia to be tortured. Bacchus died first, and came back from the dead to urge Sergius to fidelity. He was then martyred. (303)

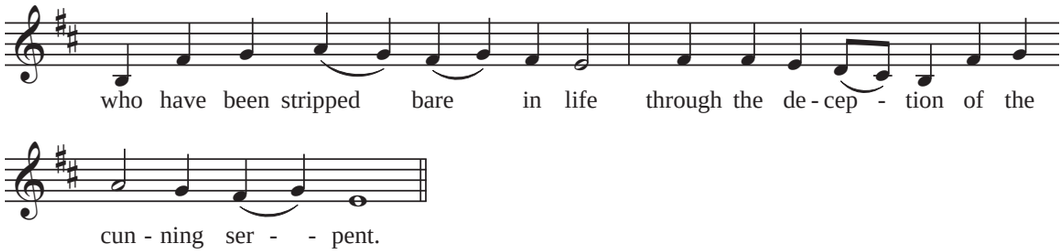
Supplement for **The Order of Vespers for Sundays after Pentecost**, **2006**

Lamplighting Psalms in the Tone of the Week (Tone 2, p. 24), stichera 10-5.

Cantor: *(Tone 6)* Let the watchman count on daybreak and Israel on the Lord.
(on 4)
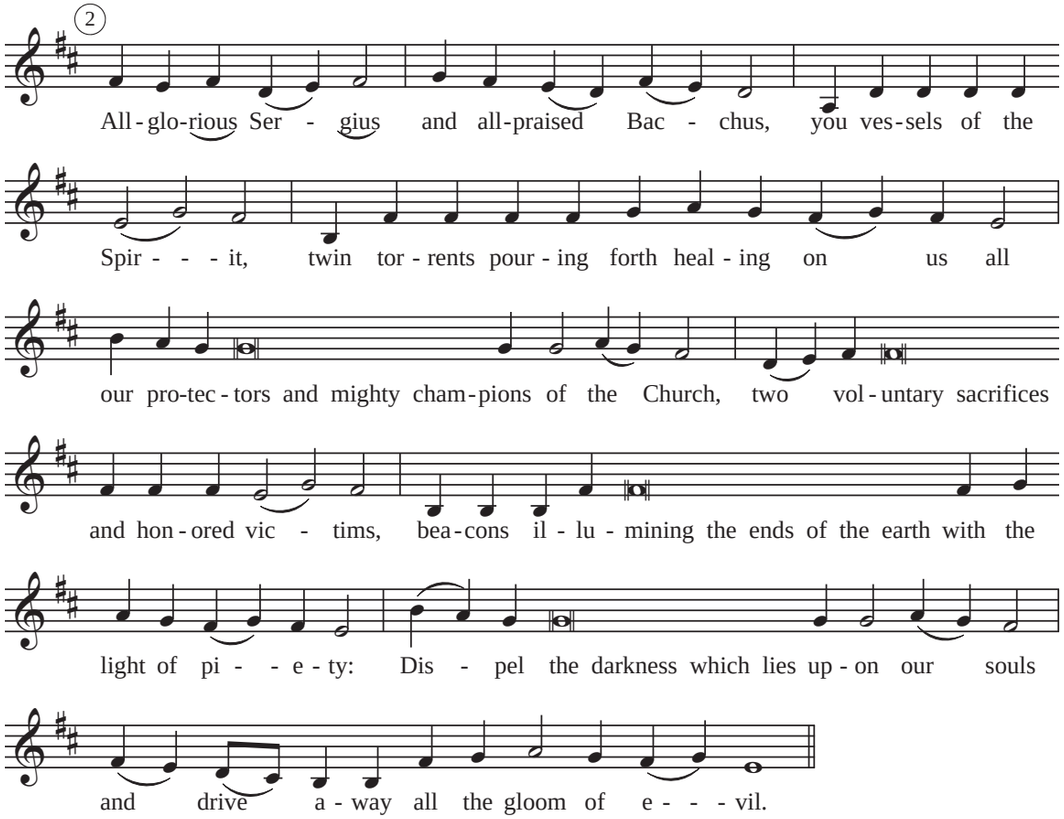
Stichera of the holy martyrs Sergius and Bacchus – *Tone 6 podoben: Vsju otloživše*
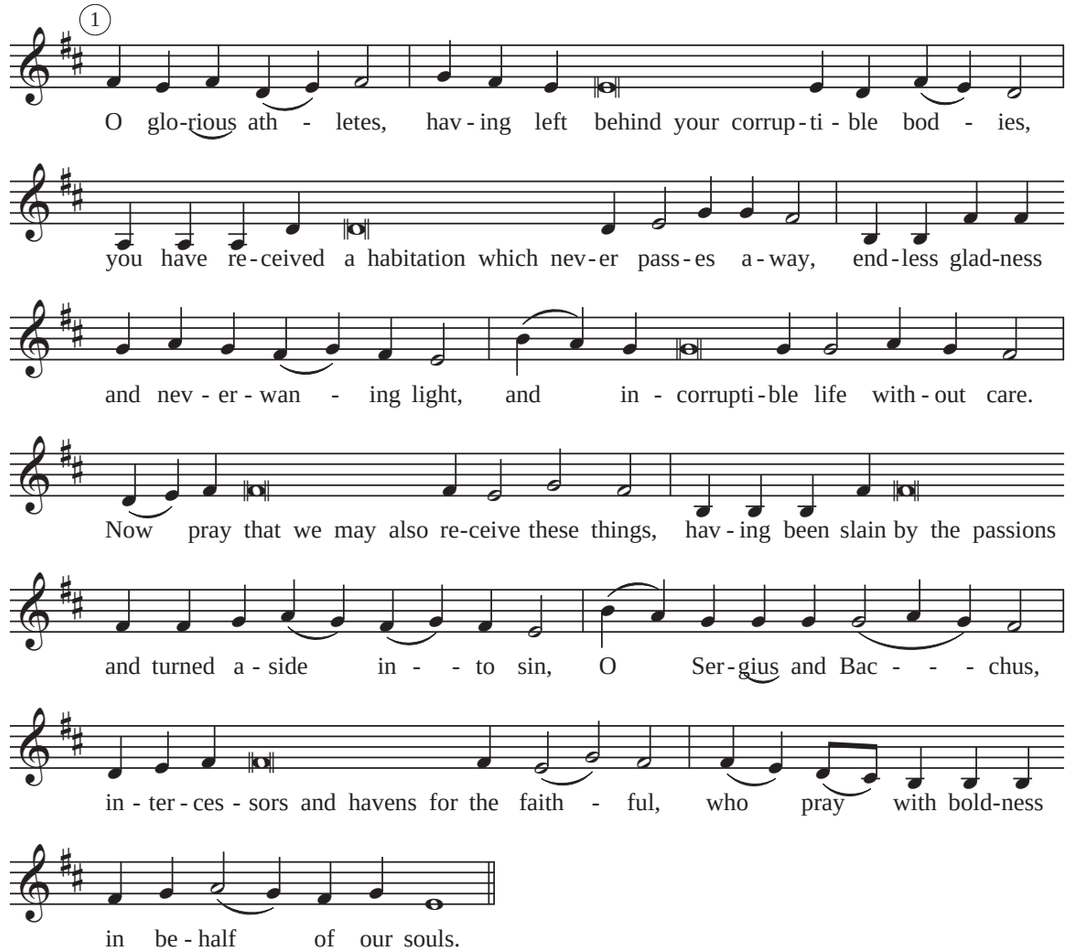




Cantor: Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption,
(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.
All repeat "Having rejected…"

Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations, **Psalm 116**
(on 2) acclaim him all you peoples!

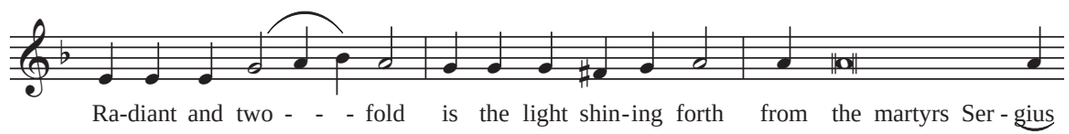


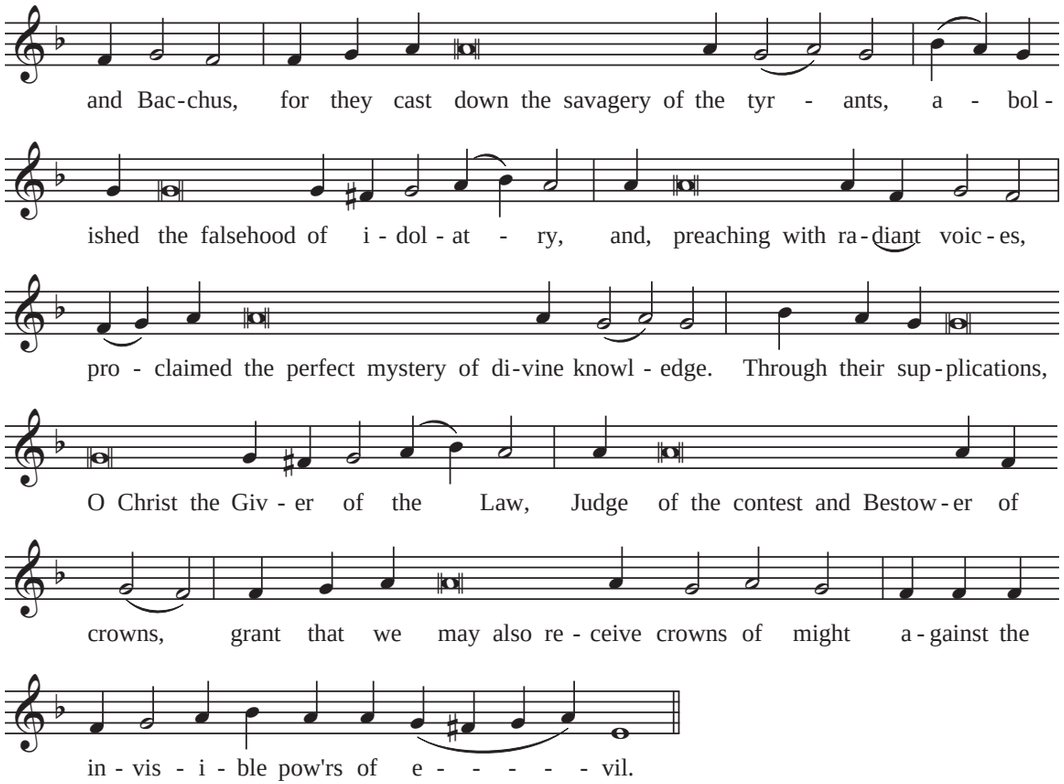
Cantor: Strong is the love of the Lord for us;
(on 1) he is faithful forever.



Cantor: *(Tone 4)* Glory…

Doxastikon of the holy martyrs Sergius and Bacchus - *Tone 4*





Cantor: *(Tone 2)* Now and ever…
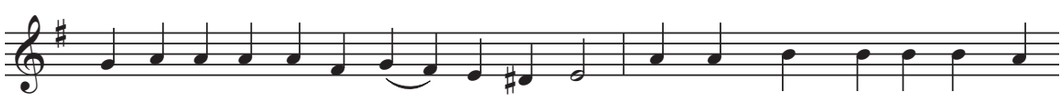
Dogmatikon in the Tone of the week (Tone 2, page 42).
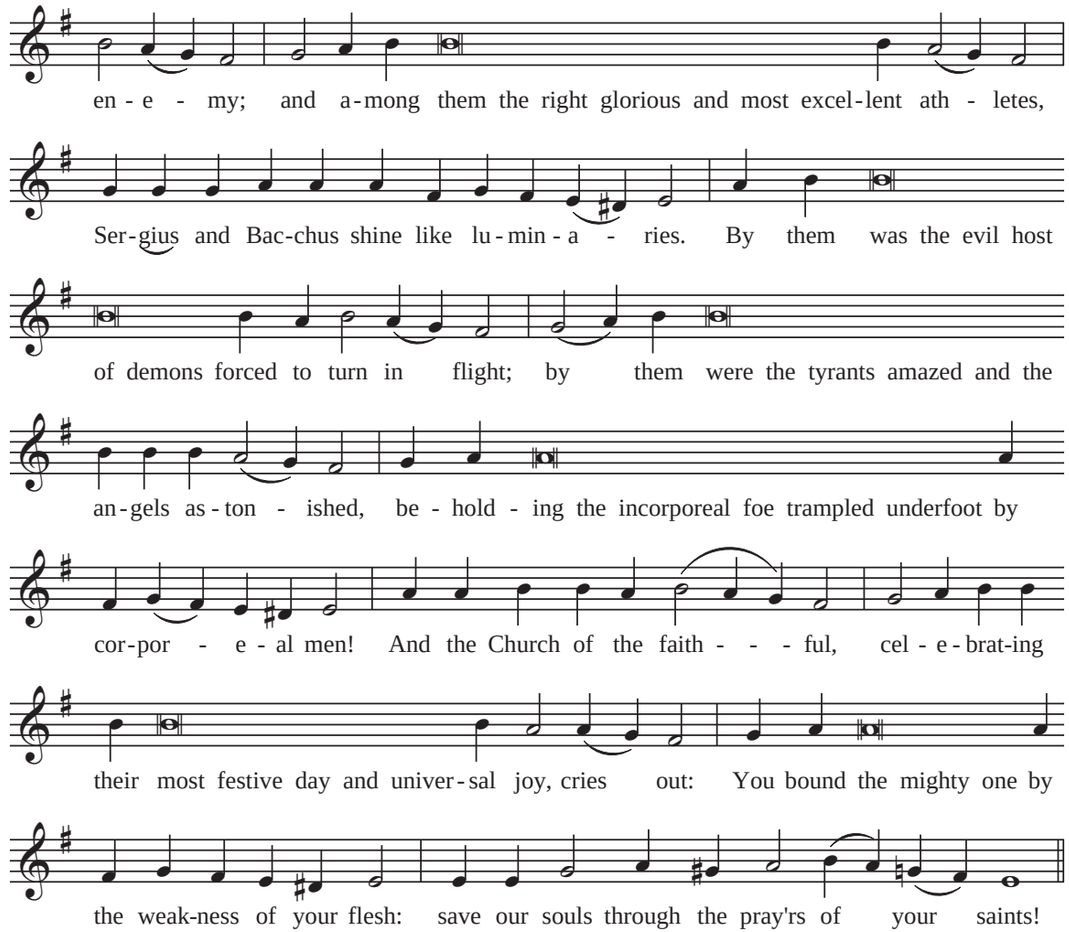
Aposticha

Sunday aposticha in the Tone of the Week (Tone 2, p. 43), concluding with:

Cantor: *(Tone 8)* Glory…

Aposticha doxastikon of the holy martyrs Sergius and Bacchus - *Tone 8 samohlasen*





Cantor: Now and ever…

Aposticha theotokion in the same tone (Tone 8, p. 110).

Troparion and Theotokion in the Tone of the Week (Tone 2, page 47).