Cantor: Now and ever...

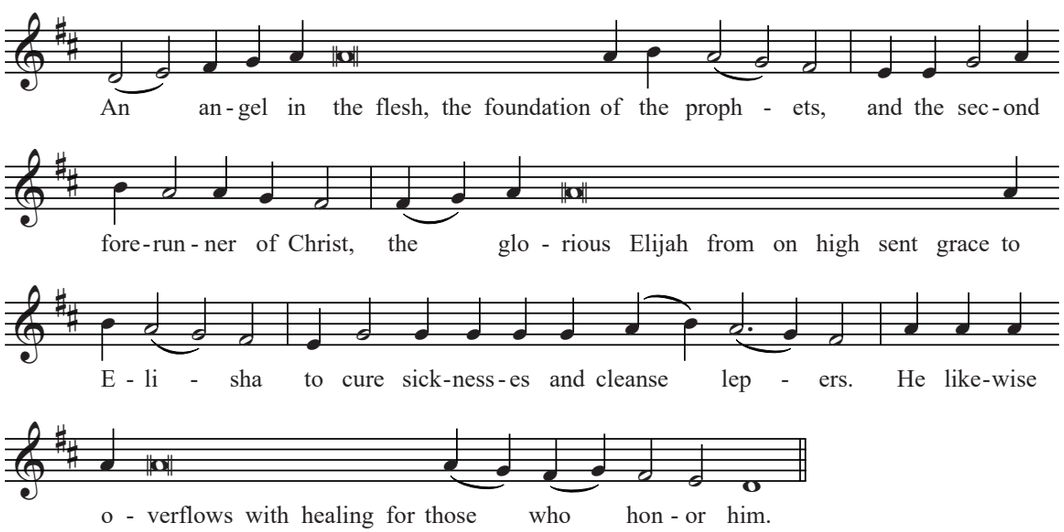
Apposticha theotokion in the same tone (Tone 6, p. 90):
Christ the Lord, our Creator and Redeemer, * came forth from your womb, O Virgin most pure. * He clothed himself in our human flesh * to set us free from the original curse of Adam. * Therefore, O Mary, we praise you without ceasing * as the true Virgin Theotokos, * and we sing with the angels: * Rejoice, O Lady, advocate, protector, * and salvation of souls.

The service continues on p. 19.

Troparia

Priest first, then all:

Troparion of the holy prophet Elijah - *Tone 4*



Cantor: Glory... now and ever...

Troparion "Rejoice, O Virgin Theotokos," page 119, followed by the Blessing of Bread.

THE HOLY AND GLORIOUS PROPHET ELIJAH the Tishbite, who was a prophet of the Lord in the days of Ahab, the king of Israel and defended the rights of the one God against the unfaithful people with such a strength of spirit that he prefigured not only John the Baptist but even Christ himself. Written prophecies do not remain, but his memory is faithfully kept, especially on Mount Carmel.

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Psalm 140, Tone 1 (begins on page 24)

Bring my soul out of this prison
and then I shall praise ***your*** name.

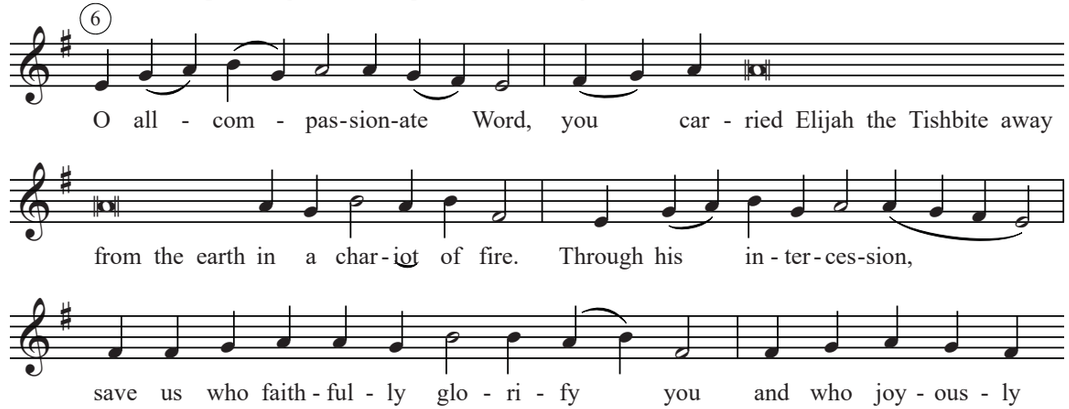
Around me the just will assemble
because of your goodness ***to*** me.
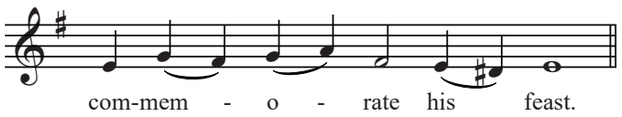
Out of the depths I cry to you, O Lord;
Lord hear ***my*** voice!

Let your ears be attentive
to the voice of ***my*** pleading.

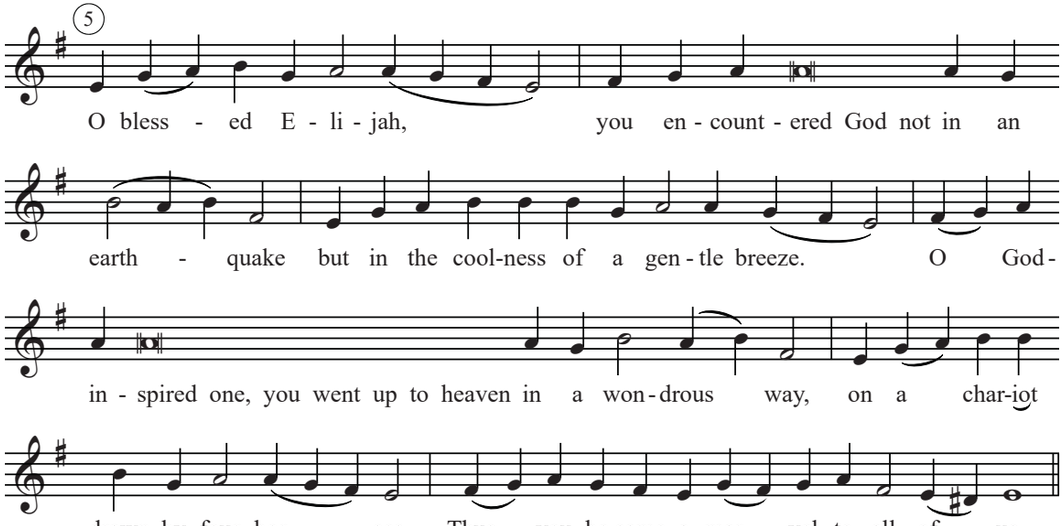
Cantor: If you, O Lord, should mark our guilt, Lord, who would survive?
(on 6) But with you is found forgiveness: for this we revere you.

Stichera of the Prophet Elijah - *Tone 1 podoben: Nebesnych činov*

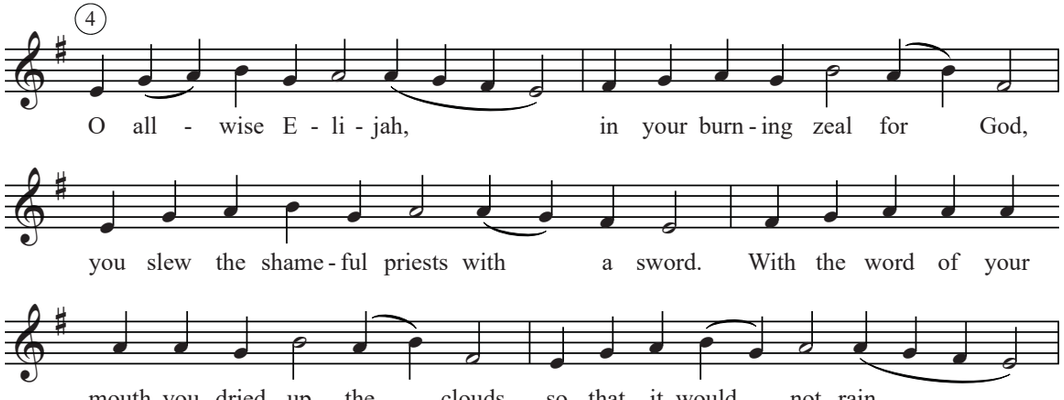


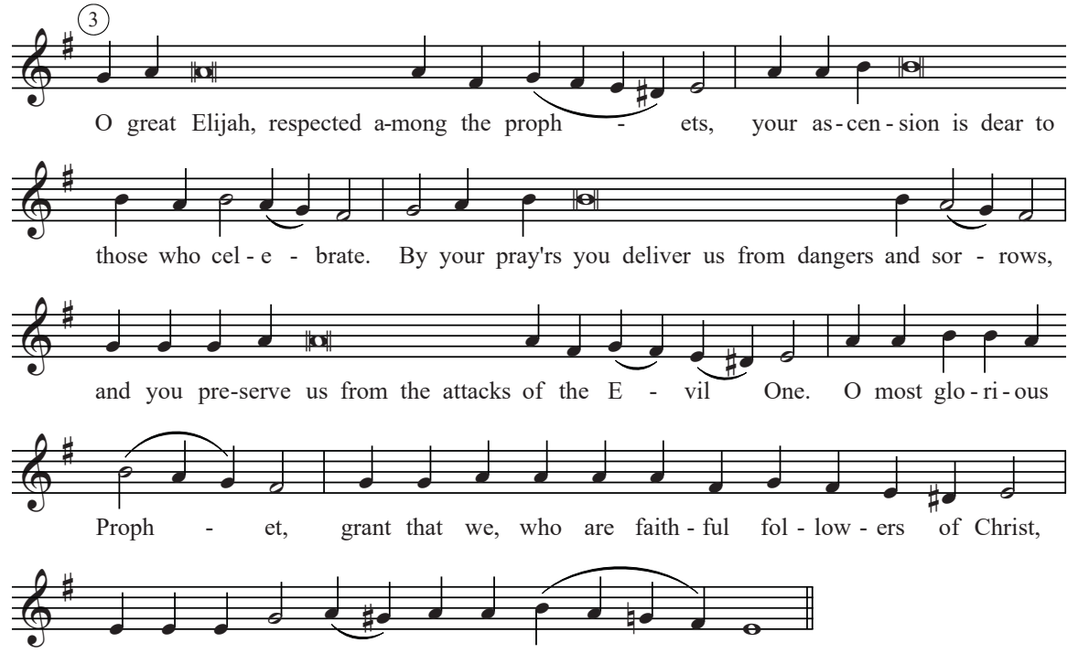


Cantor: My soul is waiting for the Lord. I count on his word.
(on 5) My soul is longing for the Lord more than watchman for daybreak.



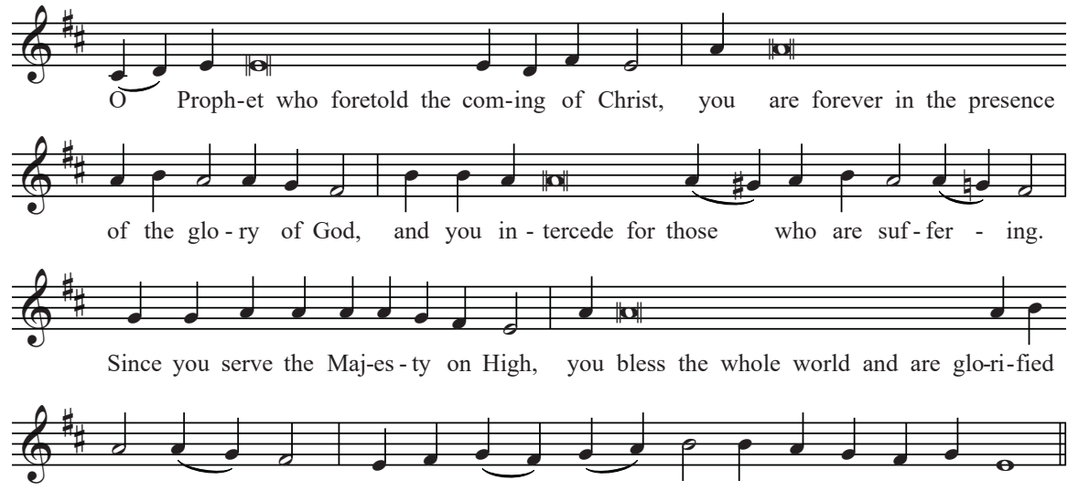
Cantor: Let the watchman count on daybreak,
(on 4) and Israel on the Lord.

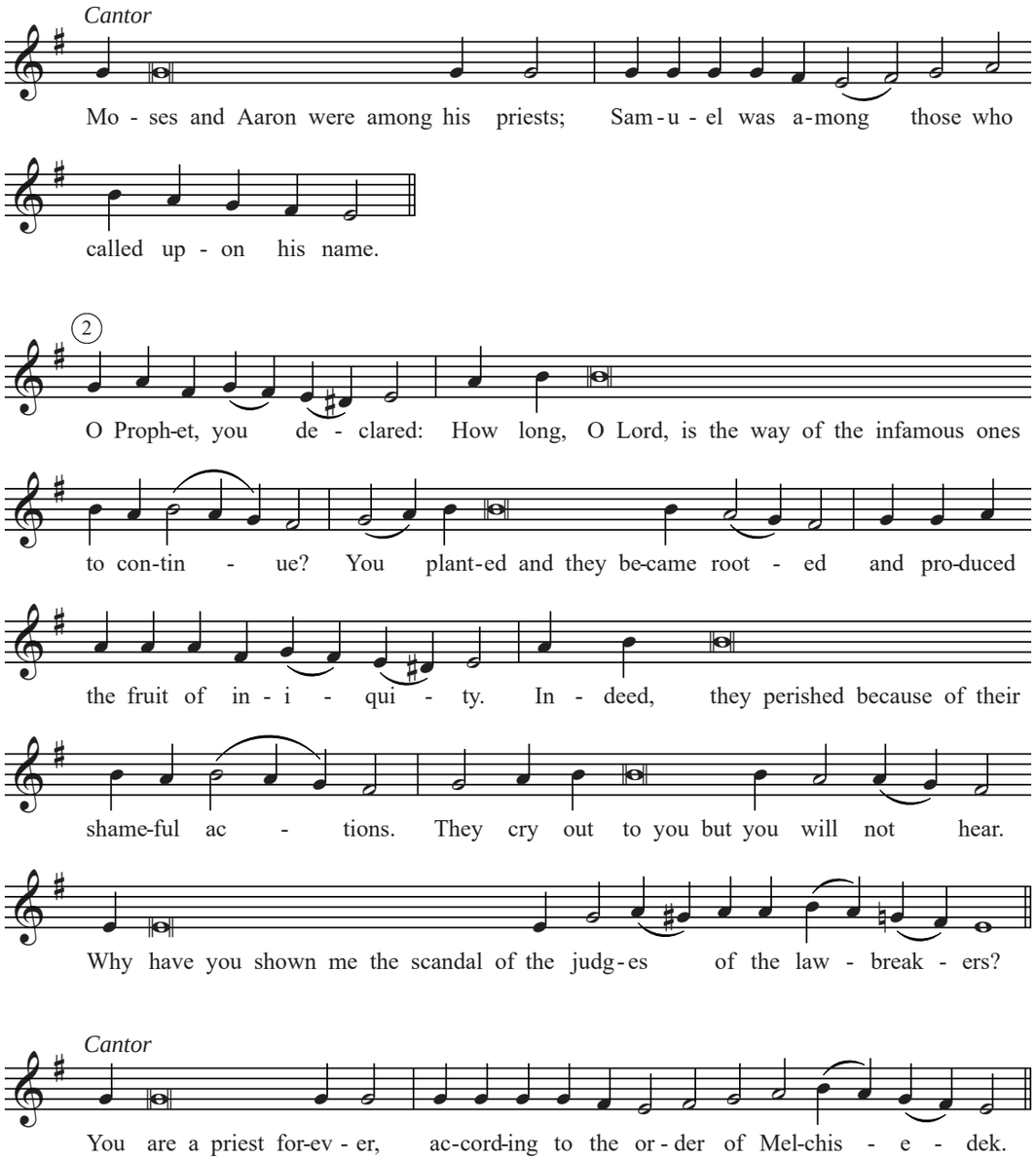


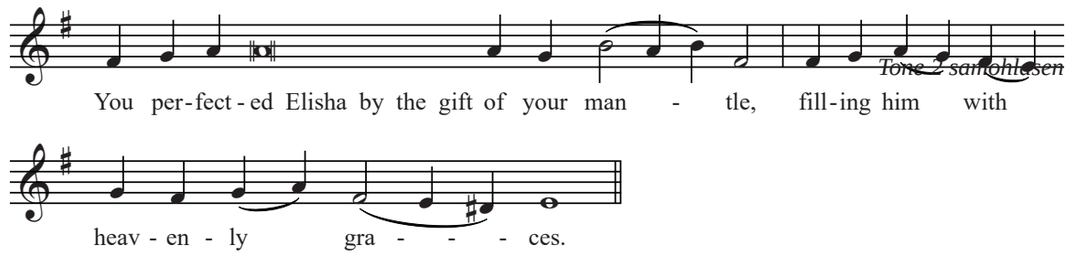


Cantor: *(Tone 6)* Glory...

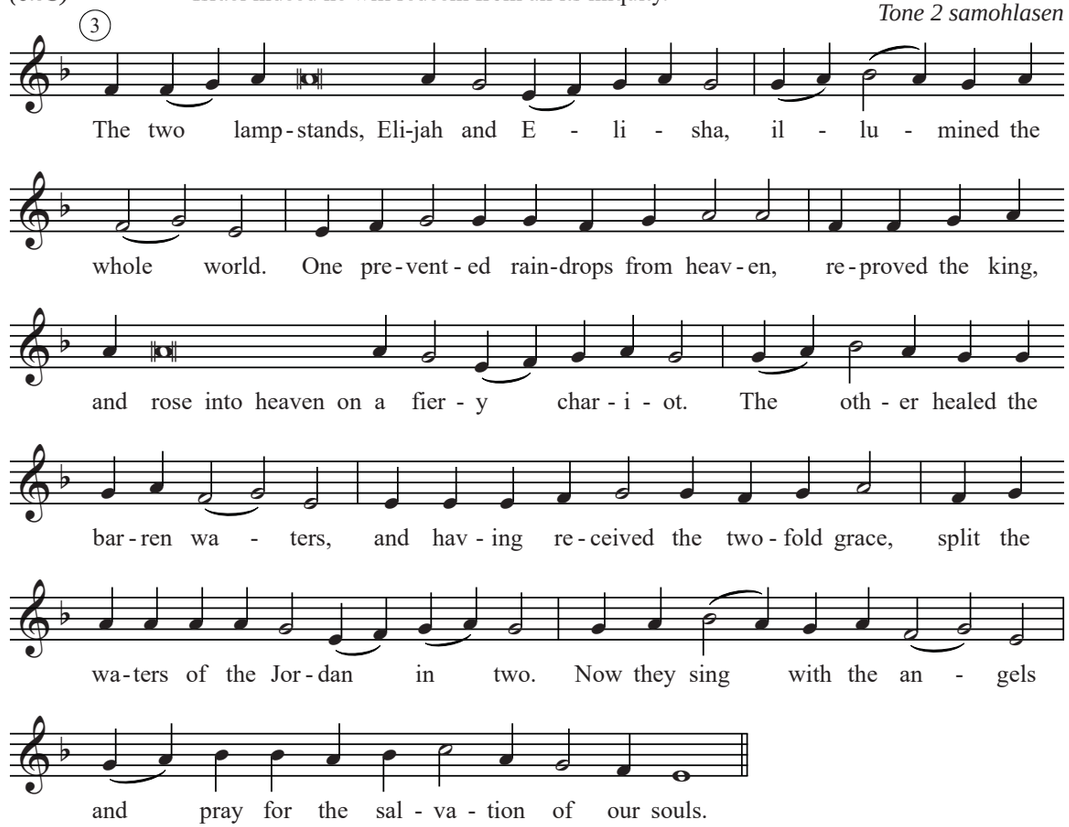
Doxastikon - *Tone 6 samohlasen*
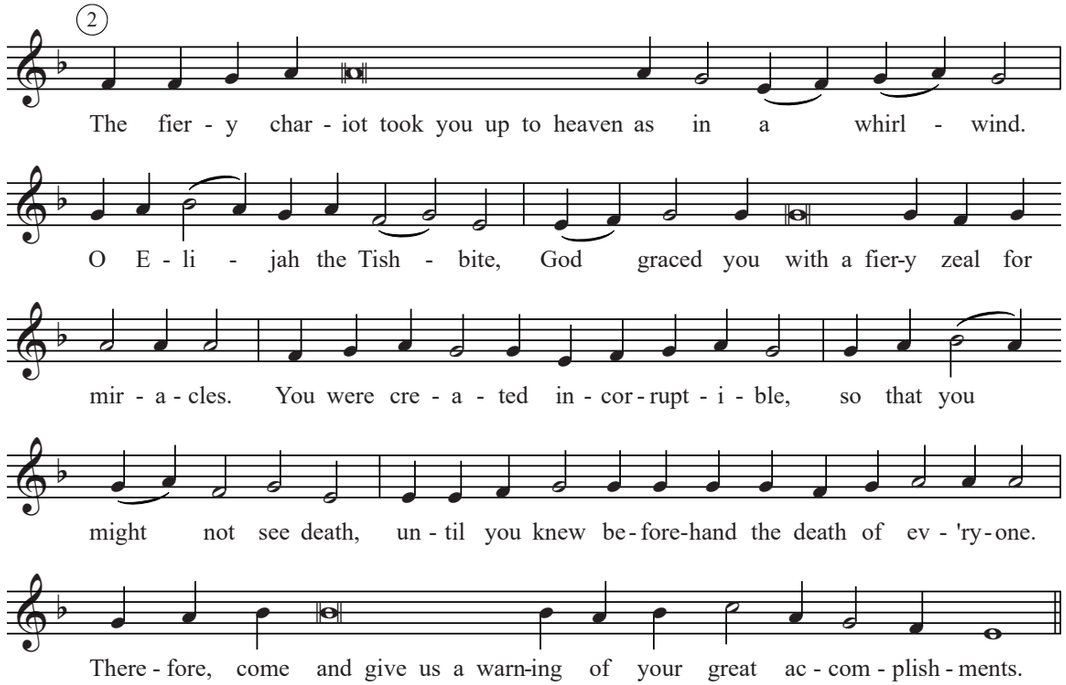






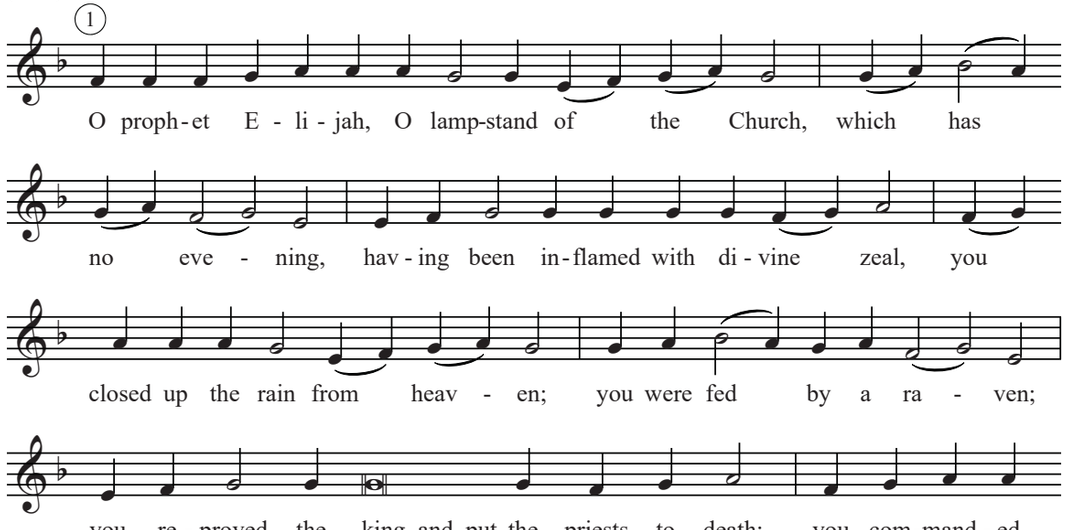
Cantor: *(Tone 2)* Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption,
(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

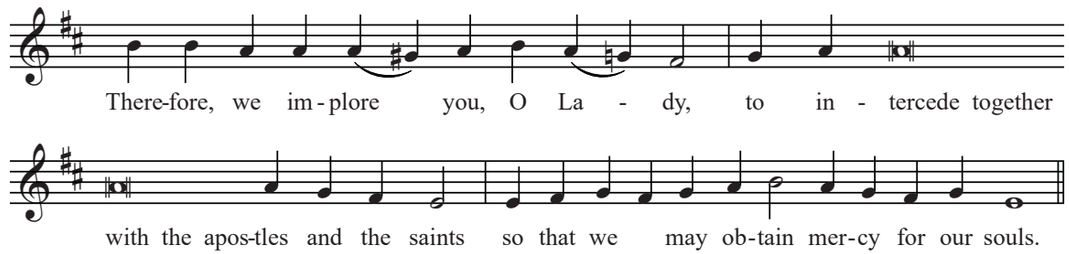


Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations; **Psalm 116**
(on 2) acclaim him all you peoples.



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

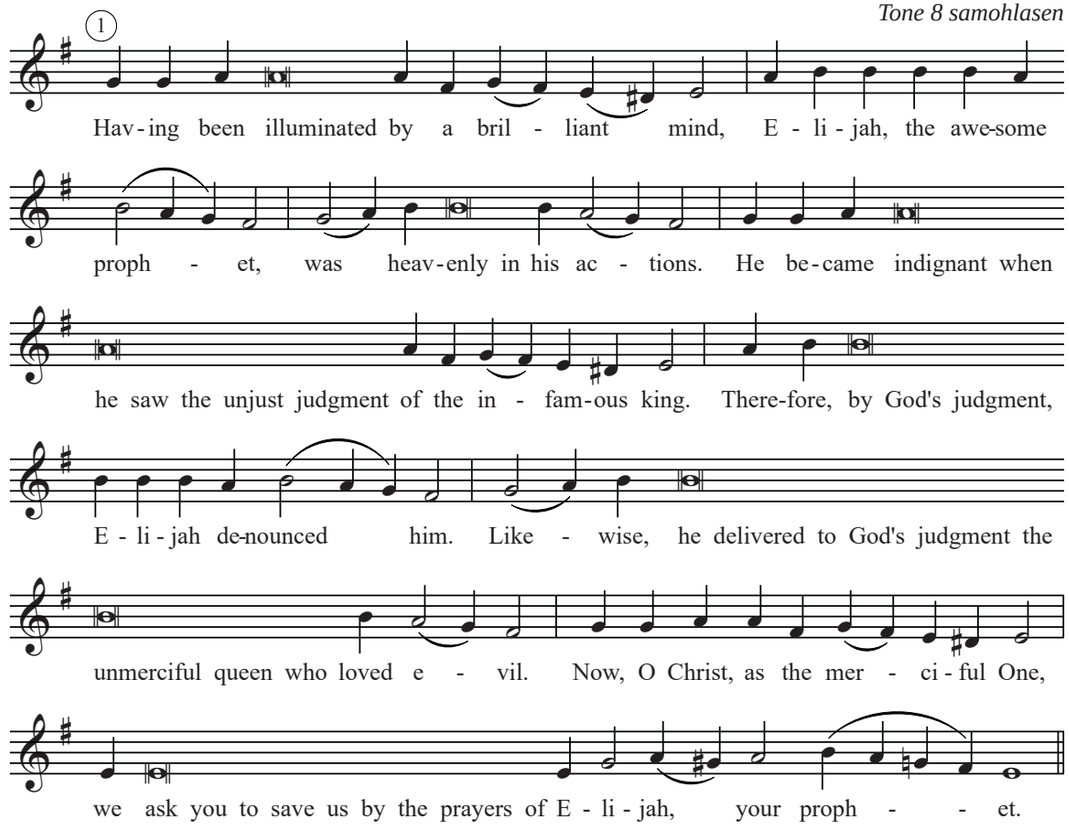




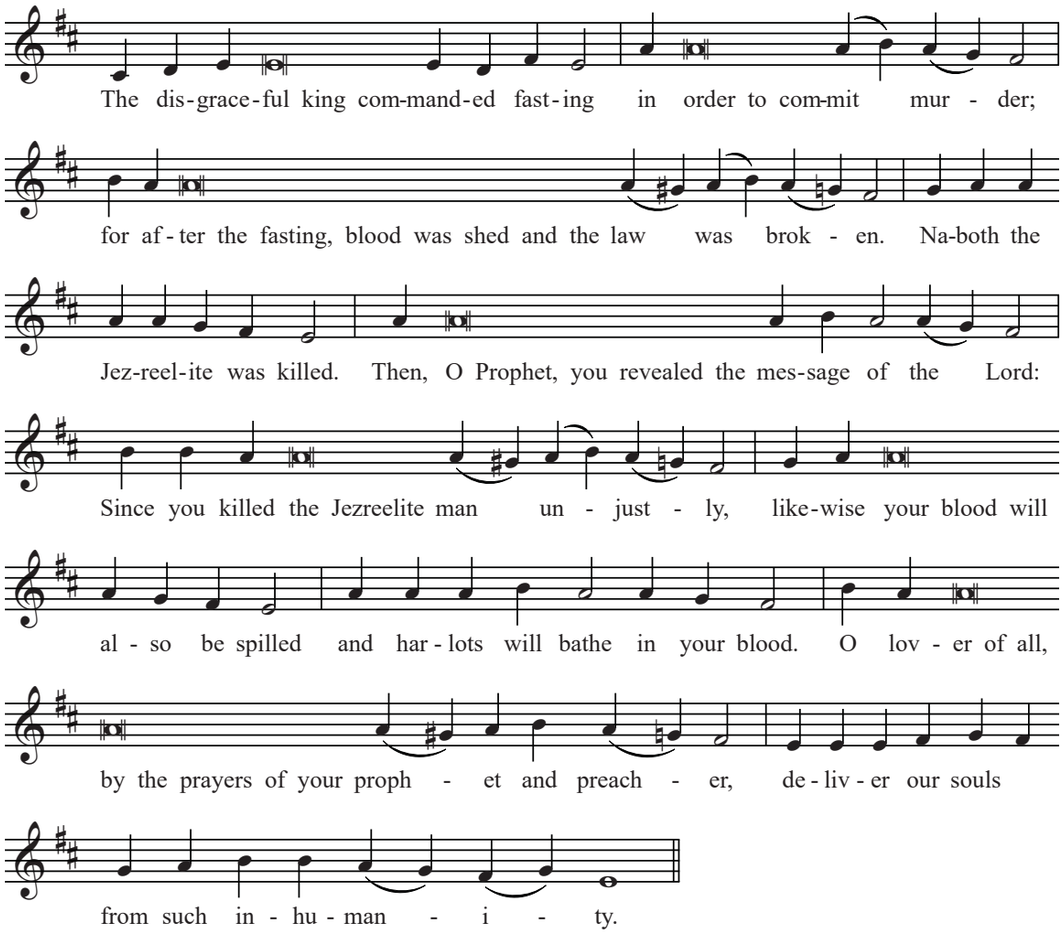
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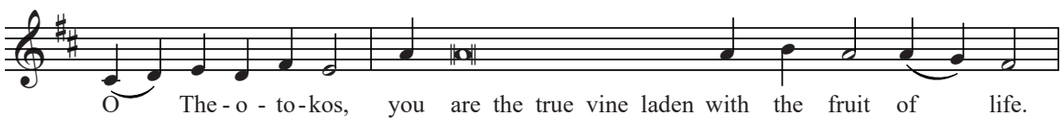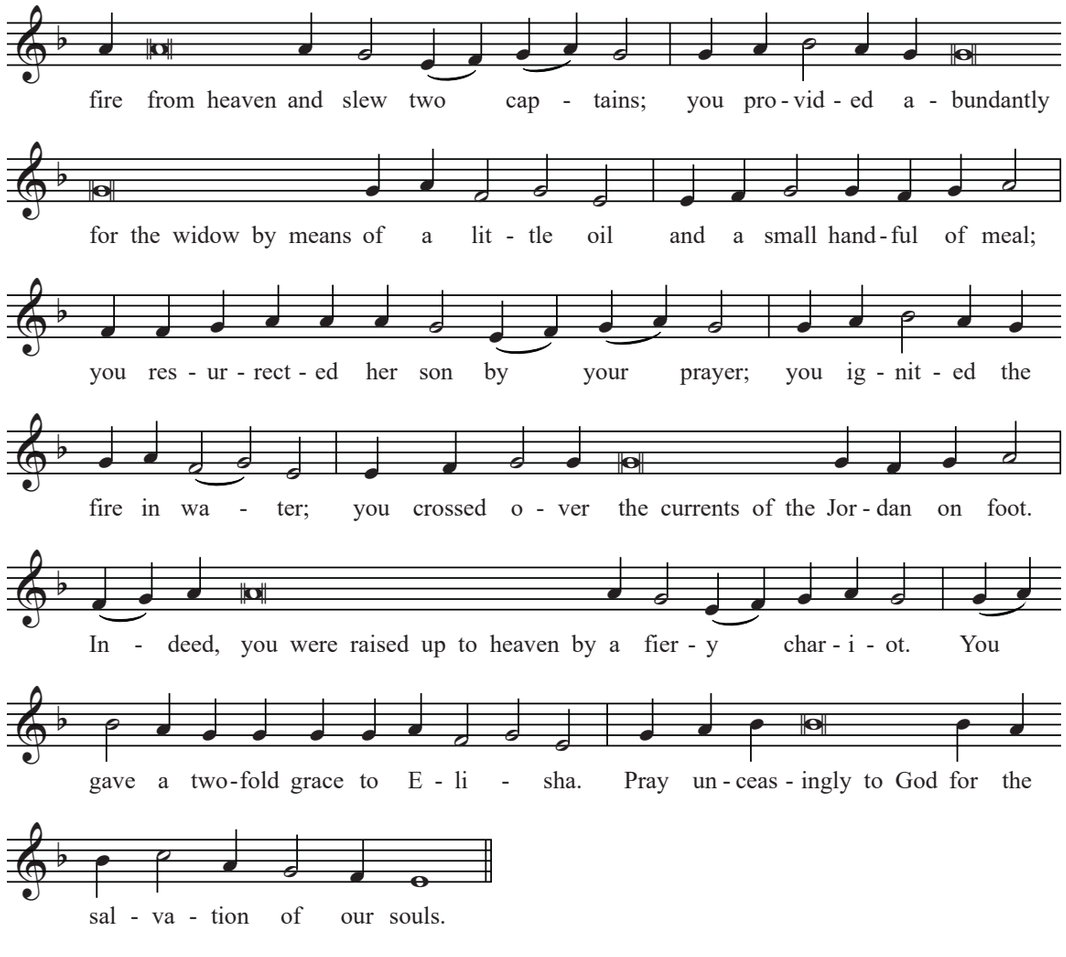


Doxastikon - *Tone 6 samohlasen*



Cantor: Now and ever...

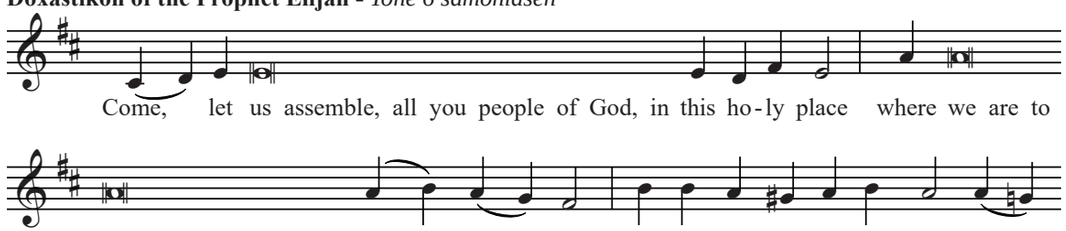
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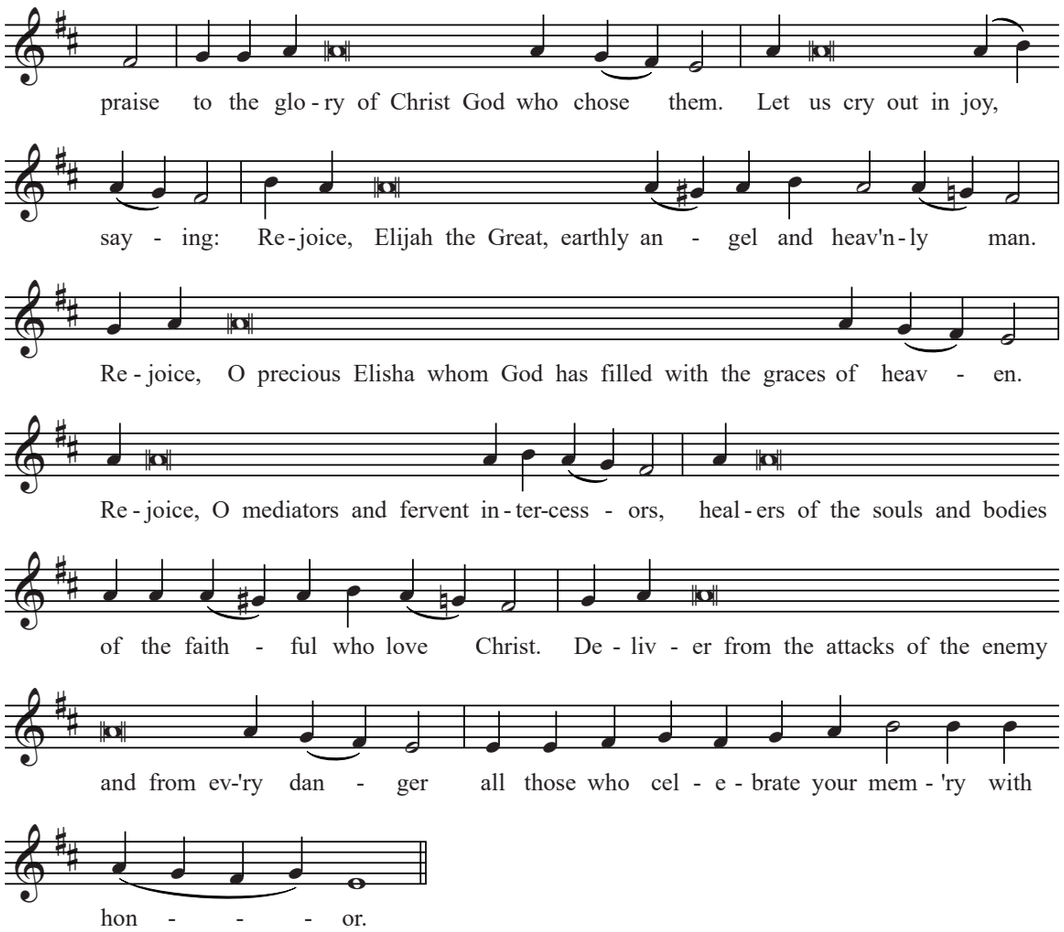




Cantor: *(Tone 6)* Glory...

Doxastikon of the Prophet Elijah - *Tone 6 samohlasen*
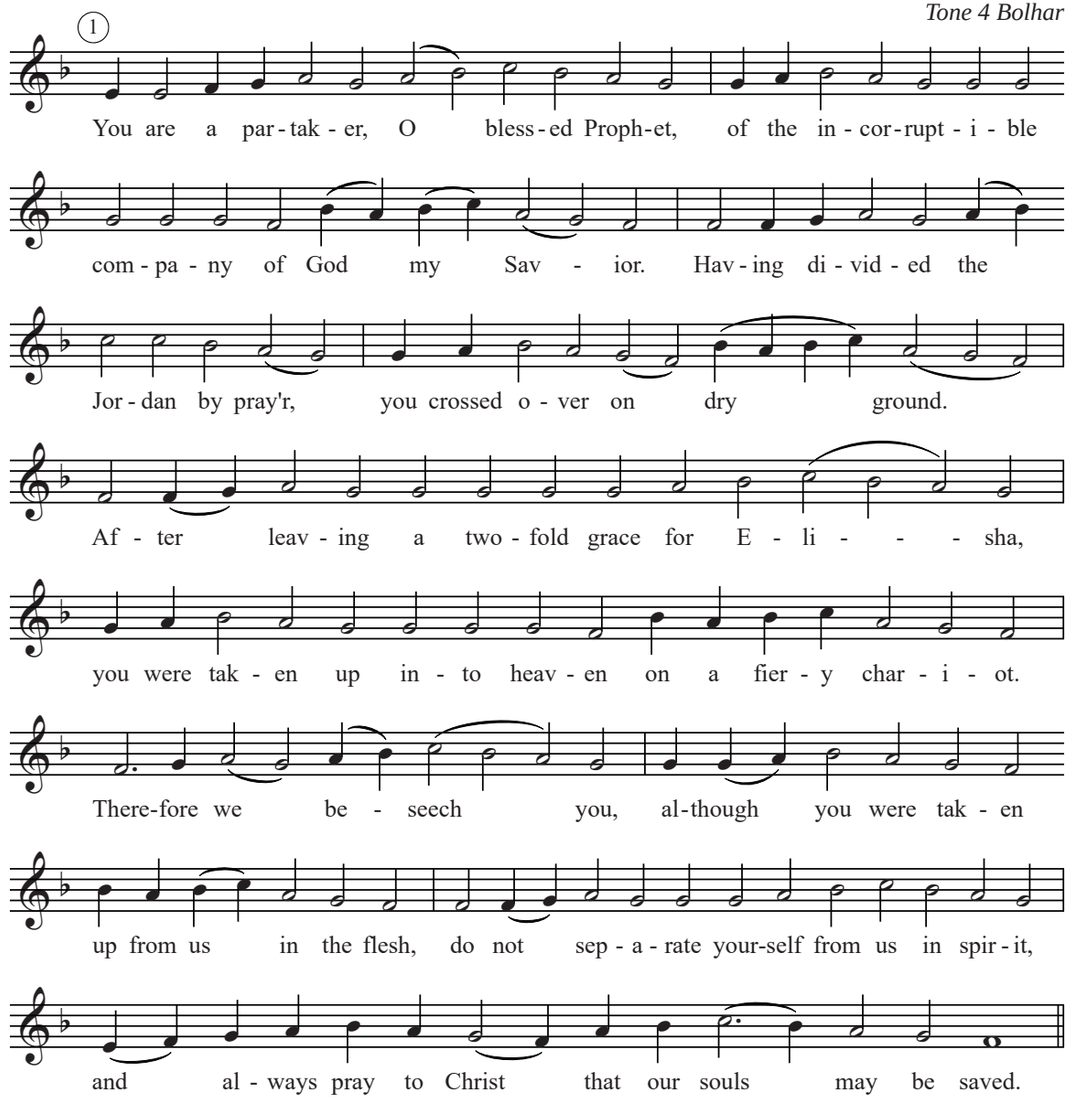




Cantor: Now and ever...

The Dogmatikon in the same tone (Tone 6, p. 87).

Readings: 1 Kings 17: 1-23
1 Kings 18: 1, 17, 41, 44, 42, 45-46; 19: 1-16
1 Kings 19:1 9-21 and 2 Kings 2: 1, and 6-14 EOT 321

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Tone 4 Bolhar



Cantor: *(Tone 6)* Glory...