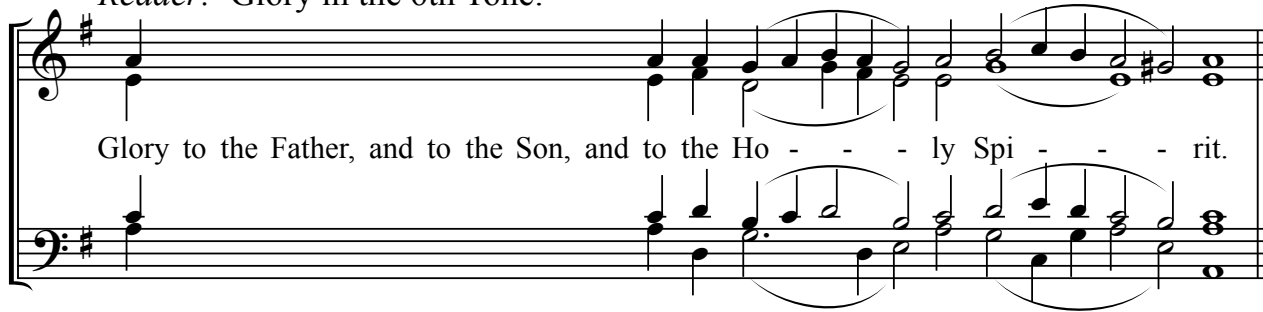


**At the Aposticha of Vespers***Reader: Glory in the 6th Tone:*


Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - - - ly Spi - - - rit.

Thy birthgiving hath become the memorial of priests, /

The dominion and gladness of kings, /

O Thou Who lovest mankind, /

and rejoicing therein, we say, //

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name.

*Reader: Both now.. in the same tone.*


Both now and ever, and unto the a - - - ges of a - - - ges. A - men.

Today is the invisible Nature joined to man through the Virgin /

Today is the infinite Essence wrapped in swaddling clothes in Bethlehem. /

Today by a star doth God lead the Magi to worship, /

foretelling His three-day burial, /

as it were in their gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh, /

To Him let us sing: //

O Christ God, Who didst become incarnate of the Virgin, save Thou our souls!