

2nd Sunday of Lent: St. Gregory Palamas
Stichera of "Lord I have cried"
Tone 2, Special Melody, "With what wreaths of praise...",
Kiev Caves Lavra Melody

(4) *Reader:* In the 2nd Tone, Special Melody "With what wreaths of praise..."
 From the morning watch until night, from the morning watch

II-chant melody

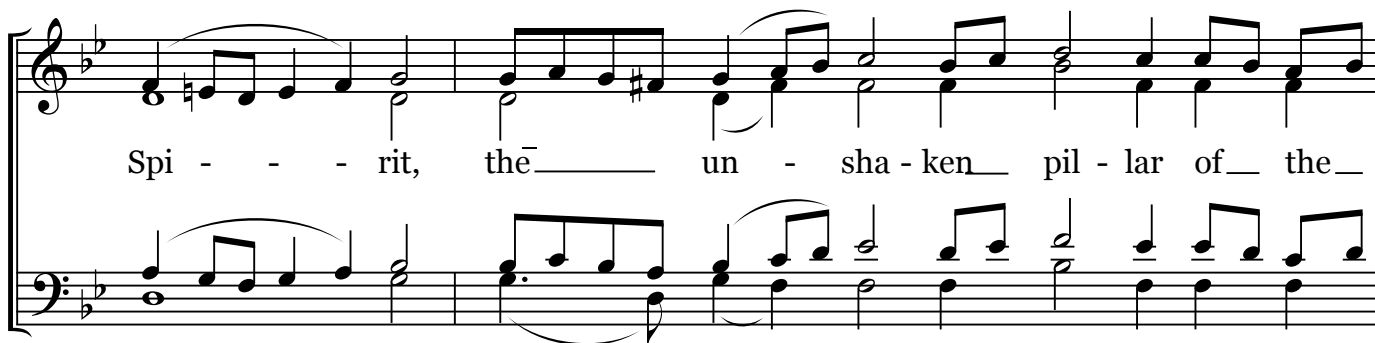
Let Is - ra - el hope — in the Lord.

I-descant

+ What — hymns of — praise — shall — we — sing in — hon - or

of the ho-ly bish - - - op? He is the — trum-pet of the — ol - - - o - gy,

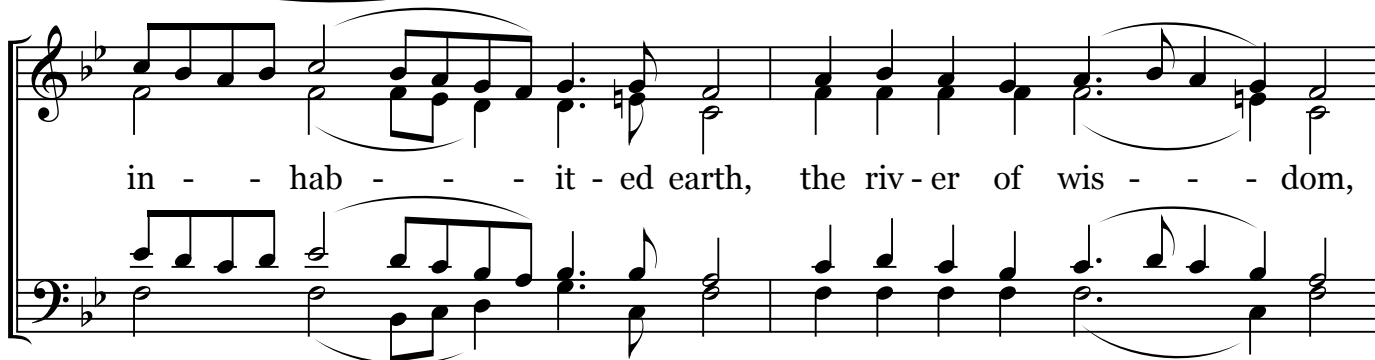
the — her-ald of the fire — of grace, the hon-ored ves-sel of the



Spi - - - rit, the un - sha - ken pil - lar of the



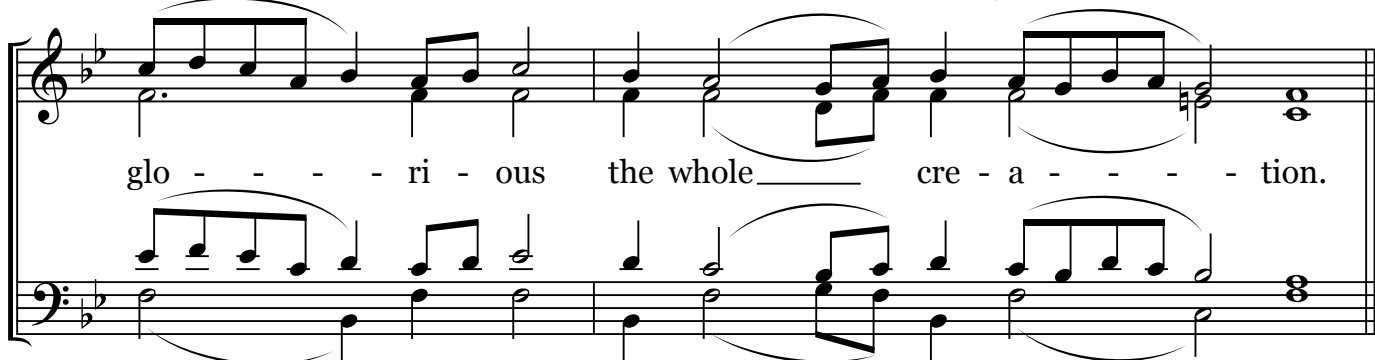
Church the great joy of the



in - - hab - - - it - ed earth, the riv - er of wis - - - dom,

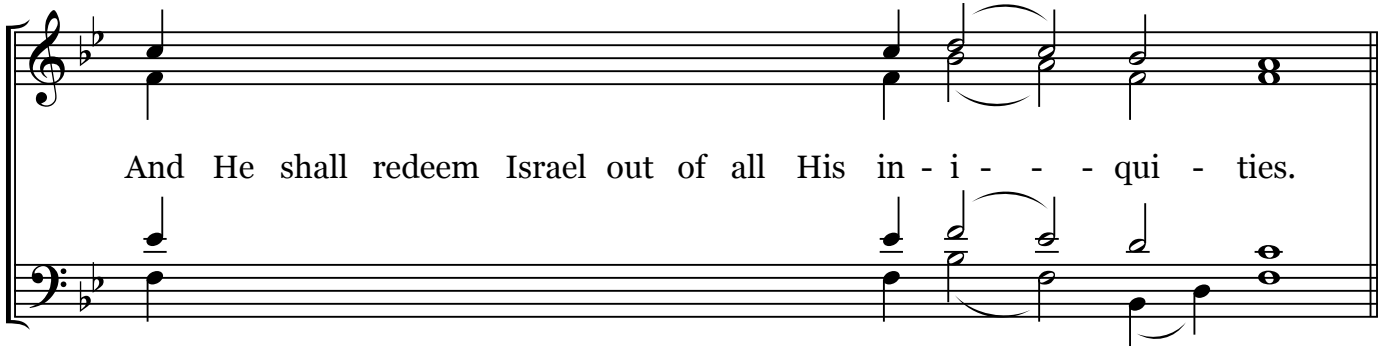


the can - dle stick of the light, the shin - ing star that makes



glo - - - ri - ous the whole cre - a - - - - tion.

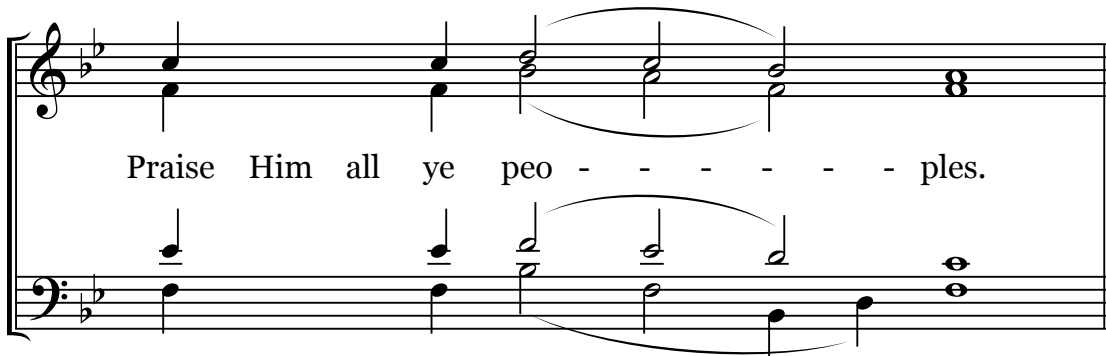
(3) *Reader:* For with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is plenteous redemption;



And He shall redeem Israel out of all His in - i - - - qui - ties.

✦ *Repeat:* "What hymns of praise..."

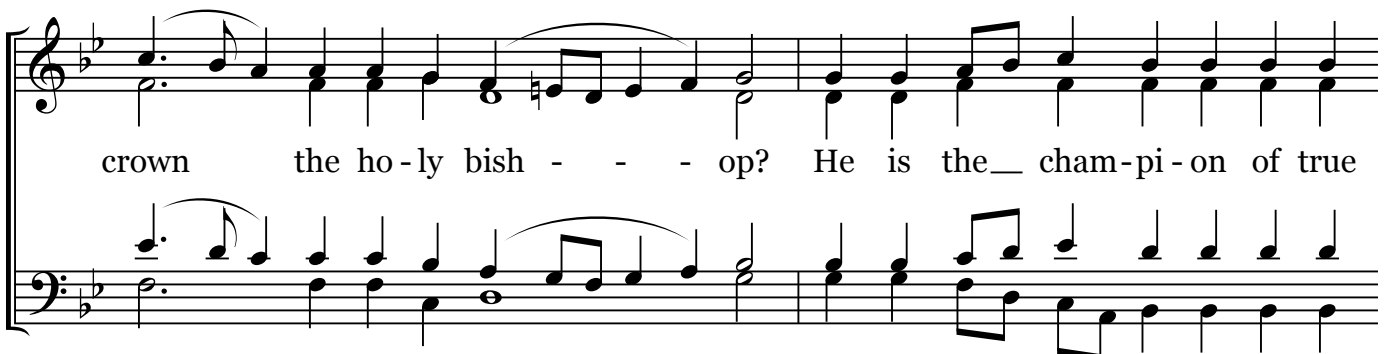
(2) *Reader:* O praise the Lord, all ye nations;



Praise Him all ye peo - - - - - ples.



What — words of_ song shall we_ weave_ as a gar - land, to_



crown the ho - ly bish - - - op? He is the_ cham - pi - on of true

de-vo - - - tion and the ad-ver-sar-y of un-god - - - li-ness,

the fer-vent pro - tec-tor of the Faith, the great

guide and teach - - - er, the well

tuned harp of the Spi - - - - rit,

the gol - den tongue, the foun - - - - tain

that flows with wa - ters of heal - ing for the faith - - - - ful,

Greg - or - y the great and mar - - - vel - ous.

(1) *Reader:* For He hath made His mercy to prevail over us,

And the truth of the Lord abideth for - ev - - - - er.

With what words shall we who dwell on earth

praise the ho - ly bish - - - op? He is the

teach - er of the Church, the her - ald of the

light of God, the in - i - ti - ate of the hea - ven - ly

mysteries of the Tri-ni-ty, the chief a-dorn-ment

of the mo-nas-tic life, re-nowned

a-like in ac-tion and in con-tem-pla-tion,

the glo-ry of Thes-sa-lon-i-ca; and now he dwells in hea-ven

with the great and glo - ri - ous mar - tyr De - me - - - tri - us,

whose rel - ics flow with ho - - - ly oil.

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