

# 4th Week of Lent: Vespers on Friday Evening (with Pre-sanctified Liturgy)

On "Lord I have cried", 10 stichera are sung, beginning with the following:

## Tone 7 - Kievan Chant

(10) Reader: Bring my soul out of prison

II-chant  
melody

That I may con - fess Thy name.

I-descant

Detailed description: This block contains the first system of musical notation. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a bass clef staff. The treble staff is labeled 'II-chant melody' and contains a series of chords and single notes, with lyrics 'That I may con - fess Thy name.' written below it. The bass staff is labeled 'I-descant' and contains a corresponding bass line.

✚ My soul's dig - ni - ty have I en-slaved to the pas - sions; I am

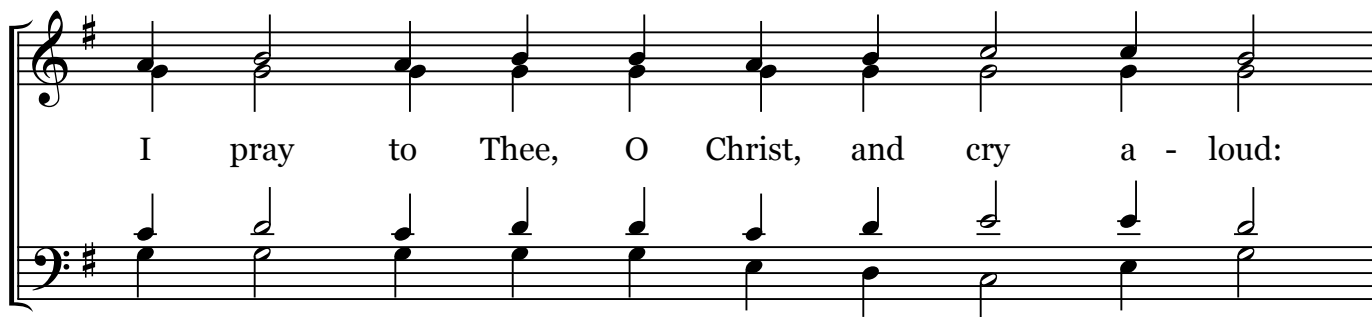
Detailed description: This block contains the second system of musical notation. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a bass clef staff. The treble staff contains a series of chords and single notes, with lyrics '✚ My soul's dig - ni - ty have I en-slaved to the pas - sions; I am' written below it. The bass staff contains a corresponding bass line.

be-come like the beasts, and have no pow - er to lift mine eyes to Thee,

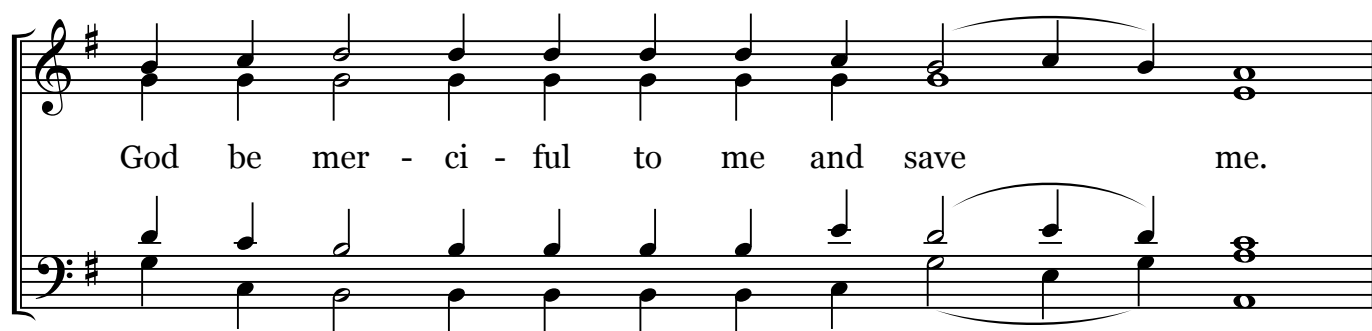
Detailed description: This block contains the third system of musical notation. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a bass clef staff. The treble staff contains a series of chords and single notes, with lyrics 'be-come like the beasts, and have no pow - er to lift mine eyes to Thee,' written below it. The bass staff contains a corresponding bass line.

O Most High. But with my head bowed like the Pub - li - can,

Detailed description: This block contains the fourth system of musical notation. It features a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a bass clef staff. The treble staff contains a series of chords and single notes, with lyrics 'O Most High. But with my head bowed like the Pub - li - can,' written below it. The bass staff contains a corresponding bass line.

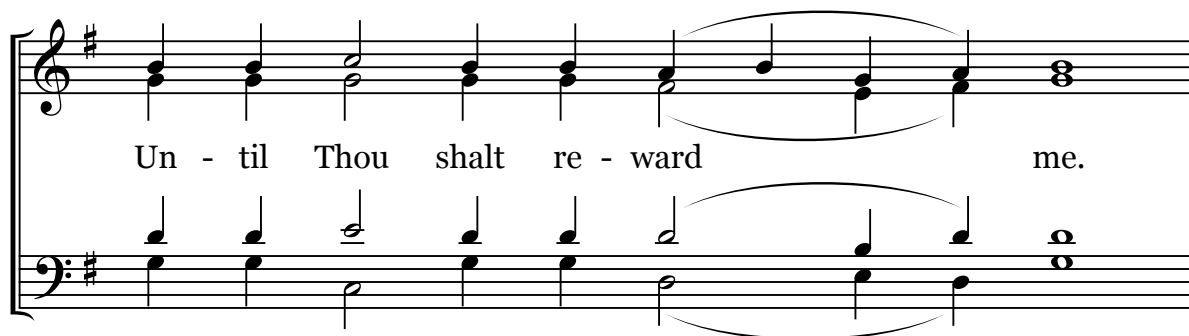


I pray to Thee, O Christ, and cry a - loud:



God be mer - ci - ful to me and save me.

(9) *Reader:* The righteous shall wait patiently for me



Un - til Thou shalt re - ward me.

**✝ Repeat 1st Sticheron: "My soul's dignity have I enslaved..."**

*Then, 4 stichera to the Martyrs in the Tone of the week, (from the Triodion Supplement) and 4 stichera to the saint of the day from the Menaion.*