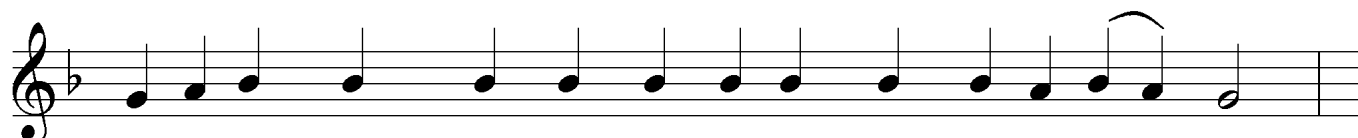


**October 1st. Protecting Veil of the Mother of God
Apostle Ananias of the 70
Romanos the Melodist**

On the Beatitudes sing 8 verses:

First, 4 verses for the Protecting Veil, Tone4:



(8) As an un - ploughed field you clear - ly pro - duced the di - vine Grain.



Hail, liv - ing ta - - ble hold - ing the Bread of life. Hail, O Mis - tress,



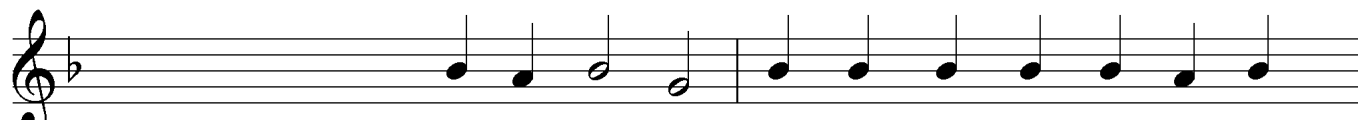
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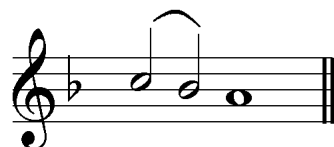
(7) We your ser - vants, O Mis - - tress, stand - ing be - fore you in your



Church with faith a - wait your mer - cy. Vis - it our low - li - ness,



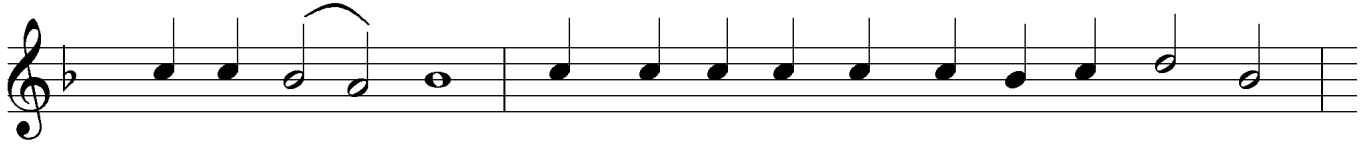
and with your ho - ly pro - tec - tion de - fend your peo - ple from all



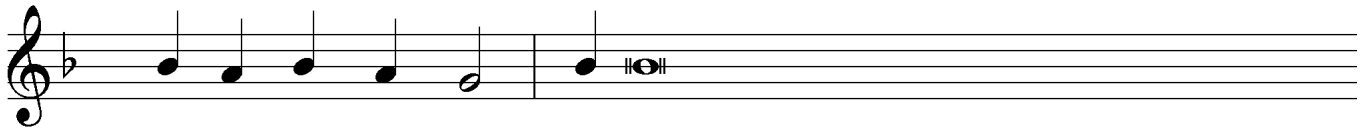
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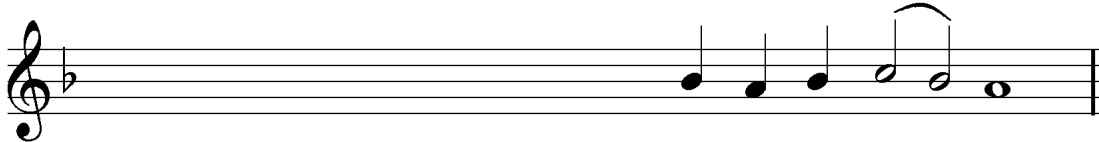
(6) O great - ly re - nowned Vir - - gin, you were hon - our - ab - ly pre - fig - ured



by the Proph - - ets, who with the An - gels now do you hom - age.



Pray to God with them that re - joic - ing to - day we may all



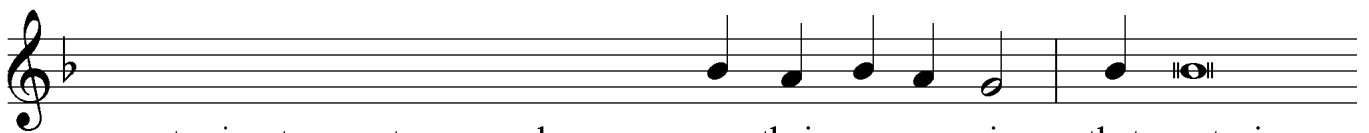
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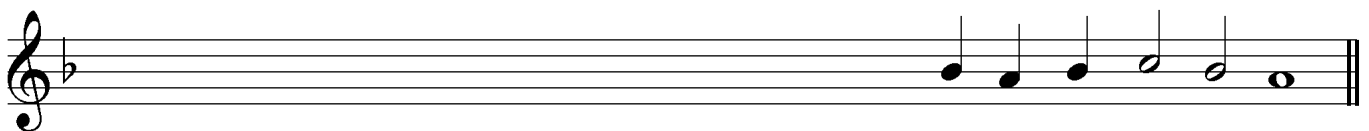
(5) Gid - e - on pre - fig - ured you as a fleece, for Christ God de - scend - ed



on you like dew. Pray to him, O Moth - er of God, that he may



grant vic - to - ry to our rul - ers o - ver their en - e - mies, that cast - ing



them down like the Mid - i - an - ites they may glo - ri - fy your ho - ly feast.

Then 4 verses for the Apostle, Tone 8:



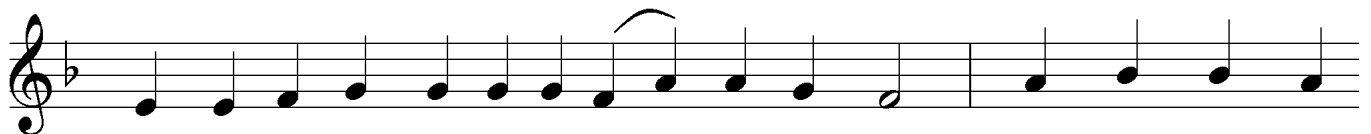
(4) Ac - cust - omed to serv - ing the liv - ing God, most ho - ly An - a - ni - - as,



you de - stroyed the man - i - fold e - vil of the mind - less, teach - ing all



to wor - - ship the one God - head in three Per - sons.



(3) Tak - ing the rud - der of the Church in your hands, you steered to - wards



Christ, the Helms - man, O a - pos - tle An - a - ni - - - as, and with the



Spir - - it you pro - pelled it like a di - vine ship.

(Glory)

(2) O Mas - ter, who cre - a - ted the straight path, you com - mand - ed your
glo - ri - ous dis - ci - - - ple to set out straight - a - way to find the
ves - - sel of your most right - eous choos - ing pray - ing.

(Both now)

(1) May we be de - liv - ered from griev - ous trans - gres - - sions, through
your en - treat - ies, O pure Moth - er of God; and may we ob - tain the
di - vine rad - i - ance of the Son of God, who be - came in - eff - ab - ly
in - car - - nate through you, O most pure.