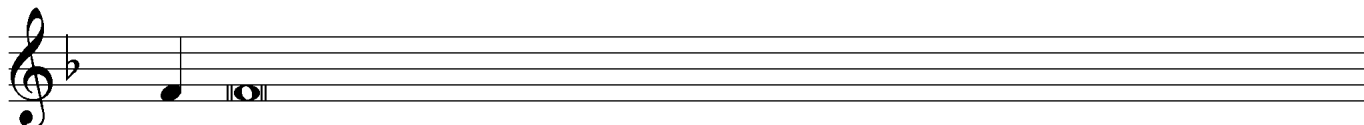


March 21st. St James the Confessor, Bishop of Catania

At Presanctified, last 4 verses on "Lord, I have cried", Tone 4

(melody: "You have given a sign")

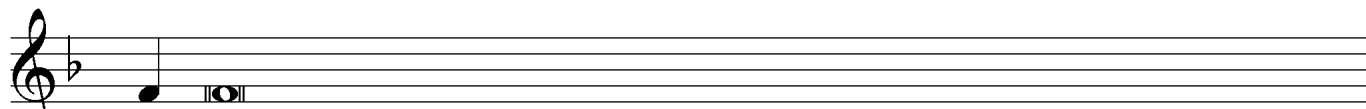


(1) From the morn - ing watch un - til night, from the morn - ing watch let

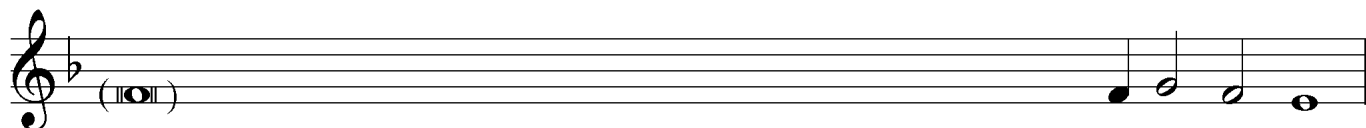


Is - ra - el hope in the Lord.





(II) For with the Lord there is mer - cy, and with him plen - ti - ful



re - demp - tion; and he will re - deem Is - ra - el from all his in - i - qui - ties.



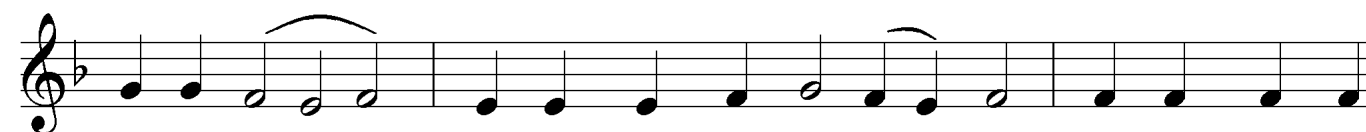
De - sir - ing the bless - ed glo - - - ry which is e - ter - - - nal and



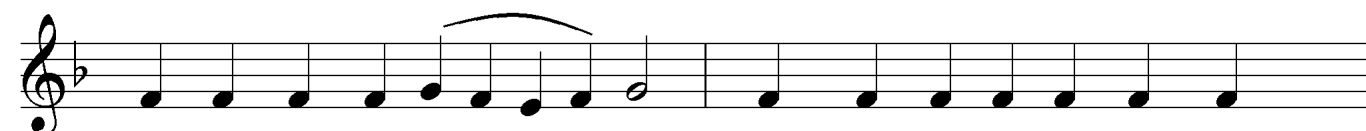
can - not pass a - way, you scorned the



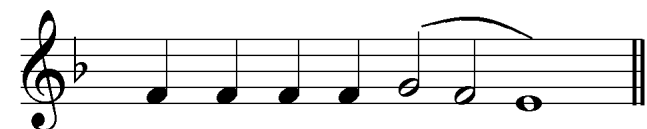
glo - ry which is tran - si - to - ry and per - - ish - a - ble; and tak - ing



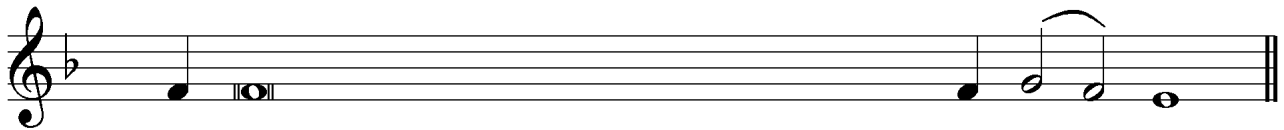
up the Cross you fol - lowed the Cru - ci - - - fied and sub - dued the



flesh by tasks of fast - - - - - ing. There - fore we cel - e - brate your



mem - o - ry, O James.



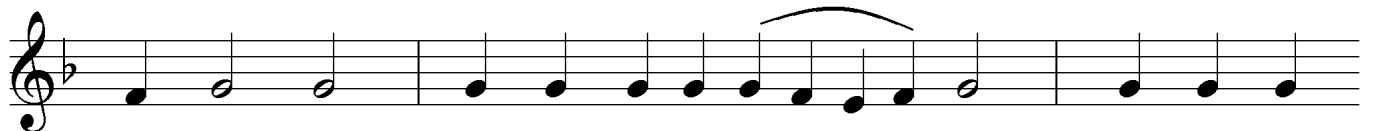
(I) Praise the Lord, all you na - tions; praise him, all you peo - - ples.



Cru - ci - fied to the world and to the pas - - sions, O fa - ther James,



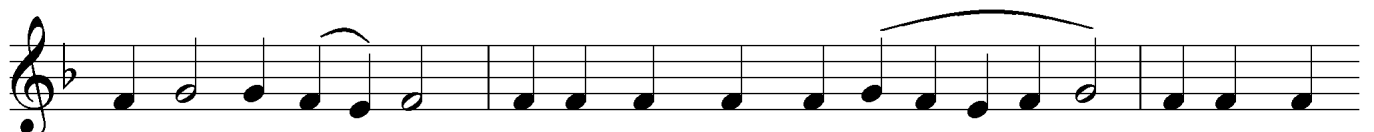
you pre - served your soul un - de - filed and



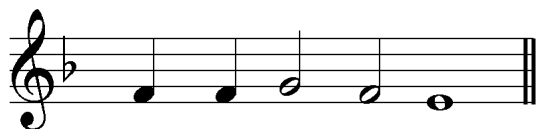
un - blem - ished, un - taint - ed by base traits, tak - ing wing



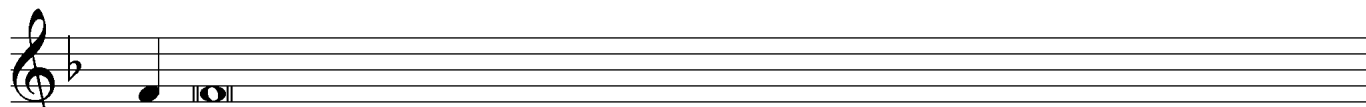
to the heav - ens in mys - tic vis - - sions. There you set forth your life,



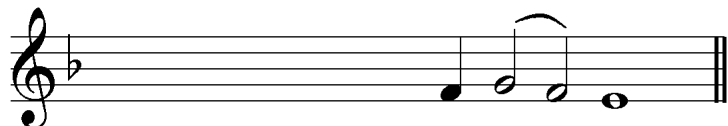
O ven - er - a - - - ble, as a true friend of Christ, as a most



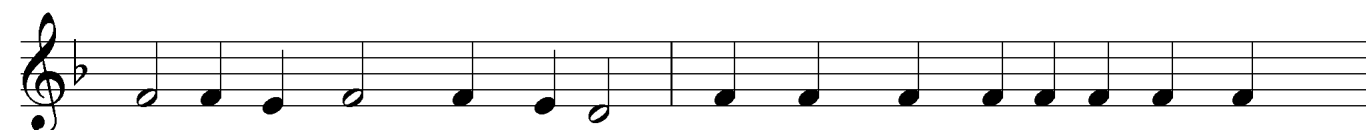
faith - ful fol - low - er.



(II) For his mer - cy has been might - y to - wards us; and the truth of the



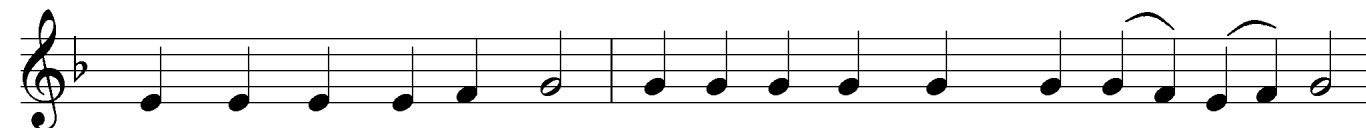
Lord en - dures to the ag - - - es.



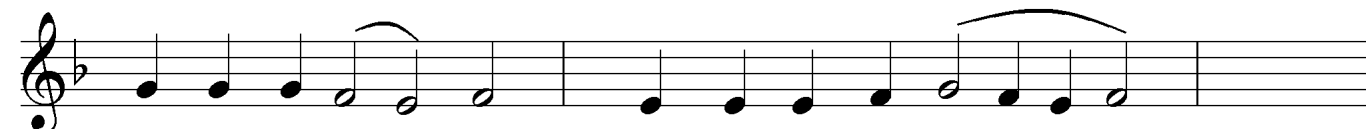
Ev - er re - mem - bered by all, you were shown to be in - no - cent,



guile - less, mer - ci - ful and full of broth - er - ly love,



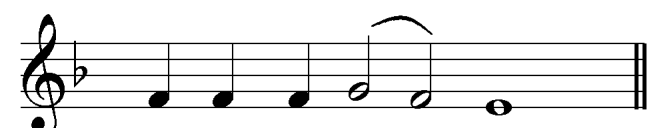
hum - ble mind - ed and meek, full of love, a - dorned with alms - giv - - ing,



gift - ed with pa - - - tience, clothed in faith and hope,



or - na - ment - ed with prayer, and shin - ing sa - cred - ly



with di - vine splen - dours.

