

Stichera at "Lord, I Call"

Afterfeast of the Transfiguration - August 10

Tone 4
Sticheron 1

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Today, like the radiant sun, O Savior, Word of the

Fa - ther, Thou didst shine forth in splendor on Mount Ta - bor,

re - veal - ing to Thy friends that Thou, O Christ, art He,

Who, in Thy compassion, assumed human na - ture.

The musical score is written for four voices: Soprano, Alto, Tenor, and Bass. It is in the key of B-flat major (two flats) and 4/4 time. The melody is primarily homophonic, with the voices moving in parallel motion. The lyrics are in English and are printed below the vocal staves. The score is divided into four systems, each with a vocal staff and a piano accompaniment staff. The piano accompaniment consists of simple chords and single notes, providing a harmonic foundation for the voices. The lyrics are: 'Today, like the radiant sun, O Savior, Word of the Fa - ther, Thou didst shine forth in splendor on Mount Ta - bor, re - veal - ing to Thy friends that Thou, O Christ, art He, Who, in Thy compassion, assumed human na - ture.'

[Therefore, we glorify ...]

Therefore, we glorify Thy loving dispen - sa - tion, //

O Almighty Je - sus, the Sav - ior of our souls.

Sticheron 2

Today the Angels in heaven re - jice with men,

celebrating Thy glo - rious ra - diance, O Christ, and Thine

ap-pear-ance on Mount Ta - bor, where Thou didst stand, O Christ,

[in the presence of ...]

in the presence of Moses and E - li - jah, and Peter, James,

and John, who praised Thee, Who lov - est man - kind, //

O Almighty Je - sus, the Sav - ior of our souls.

Sticheron 3

Let the whole assembly of those in the world and

a - bove the world be moved to praise Christ our God,

[Who has do-min-ion . . .]

Who has do - min - ion over both the liv - ing and the dead,

for when He was transfigured on Mount Ta - bor,

He stood in the presence of the preachers of both the

Law and Grace, // as He was well pleased to

do, the Sav - ior of our souls!