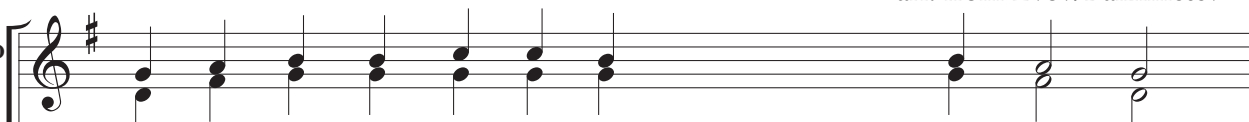


THE PLACING OF THE SASH OF THE MOST-HOLY THEOTOKOS (395-408)

Troparion - Tone 8

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from Lvov/Bakhmetev

Soprano
Alto



Ev - er - Vir - gin The - o - tokos, protectress of man - kind,

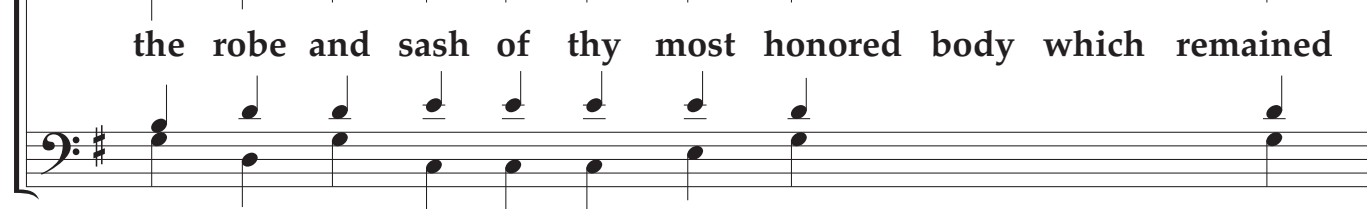
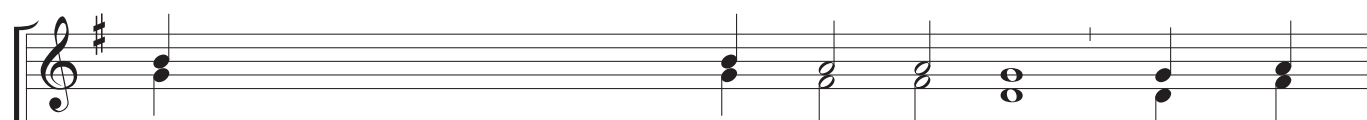
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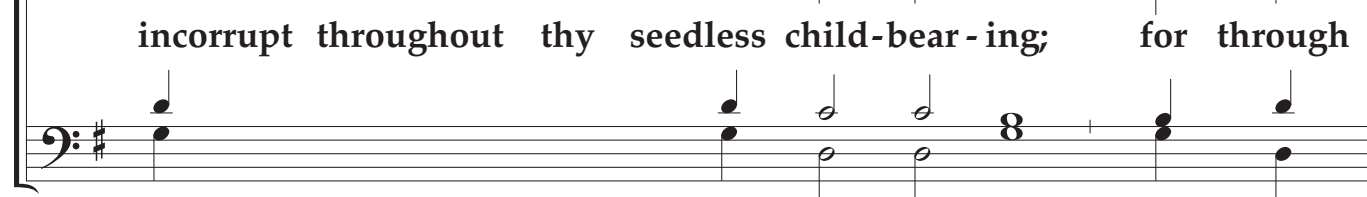

thou hast giv - en thy peo - ple a pow - er - ful leg - a - cy:




the robe and sash of thy most honored body which remained

incorrupt throughout thy seedless child-bear - ing; for through




thee time and na - ture are re - newed! // There - fore we im - plore



thee: "Grant peace to thy people and to our souls great

mer - cy!"