

## SAINT LEO THE GREAT, POPE OF ROME (461)

## Kontakion - Tone 3

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

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

Seated upon the throne of the priesthood, glo - ri - ous

Le - o, thou didst shut the mouths of the spiritual

li - ons. With divinely in - spired teachings of the

hon-ored Trin - i - ty, thou didst shed the light of the knowledge

of God up - on thy flock. // Therefore, thou art glorified

[ as a divine... ]

as a di - vine in - i - tiate of the grace of God.

The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and consists of two staves. The upper staff is a vocal line in treble clef, and the lower staff is a basso continuo line in bass clef. The lyrics are: "as a di - vine in - i - tiate of the grace of God." The music features a mix of eighth and sixteenth notes, with some phrases marked with a '3' indicating a triplet. The piece concludes with a double bar line.