

The Hymn to the Theotokos

The Elevation of the Cross - September 14

Russian Imperial Court Chant
arr. from Alexis L'vov
for 3 treble voices

Refrain

Soprano 1
Soprano 2

Alto

Mag - ni - fy, — O my soul, the most pre - cious Cross

Heirmos of the 9th Ode

of the Lord! You are a mystical Paradise, O The - o - to - kos,

who, though un - tilled, have brought forth — Christ; through Him the

life-bearing wood of the Cross was plant-ed on earth. Now at its

El - e - va - tion, // as we bow in worship be - fore it, we

[magnify you.]

mag - ni - fy you.

The image shows a musical score for a court chant. It consists of two staves. The top staff is a treble clef with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It contains four measures of music: a half note chord (F4, A4, C5), a quarter note chord (F4, A4, C5), a quarter note chord (F4, A4, C5), and a whole note chord (F4, A4, C5). The bottom staff is also a treble clef with a key signature of one flat. It contains four measures of music: a quarter note (F4), a quarter note (A4), a quarter note (C5), and a whole note (F4). The lyrics 'mag - ni - fy you.' are written below the top staff, with hyphens under 'ni' and 'fy'.