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# SAINT RAPHAEL, BISHOP OF BROOKLYN

Kathisma Hymns following the second reading from the Psalter

Tone 3: "Awed by the beauty of your virginity ..." Galician Melody

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*Gently* ♩ = 66

From your youth you de-nied your-self and took

up your cross;\* ev-er fol-low-ing our Sa-rior, no-thing could

sep-a-rate you from the love of Christ.\*

Hav-ing died to the world, you found a new life

of grace with the Lord.\* Since you have found

(favor with God,)

St. Raphael-Kathisma Hymns after 2nd Psalter Reading 2

fav - or with God,\* we en - treat you to in - ter - cede

with Him for the sal - va - tion of our souls.

Same Melody:

Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and to the Son, and to the

Ho - ly Spi - rit, now and ev - er and

un - to a - ges of a - ges. A - men.

Theotokion:

Awed by the beau - ty of your vir - gin -

i - ty\* and the ex - ceed - ing rad - iance of your

pur - i - ty,\* Gab - ri - el stood a - mazed and cried

to you, O The - o - to - kos:\* What praise may I

of - fer you that is wor - thy of your beau - ty?\*

(By what name...)

St. Raphael-Kathisma Hymns after 2nd Psalter Reading 4

By what name shall I call you?\* I am

lost and be-wild-ered; but

I shall greet you as I was com-mand ed,\*

'Hail, you who are full of grace!'