

REPOSE OF SAINT JACOB (NESVETOV), ENLIGHTENER OF THE PEOPLES OF ALASKA (1864)

Troparion - Tone 4

As sung on the
Kuskokwim River of Alaska

Soprano
Alto

O right - eous Fa - ther Ja - cob, a - dorn - ment of Atka

Tenor
Bass

and the Yu - kon Del - ta; thou didst offer thyself as a liv - ing sac - ri - fice

to bring light to a search - ing peo - ple. Offspring of Russian A -

mer - i - ca, flow - er of broth - er - ly u - ni - ty, healer of sickness

and ter - ror of de - mons: Ho - ly Fa - ther Ja - cob, //

[pray to Christ...]

26 July [St. Jacob of AK] - Troparion [Kuskokwim Chant]

prayer to Christ God that our souls may be saved.

The musical score consists of two staves. The upper staff is in G minor (one flat) and features a vocal line with a melodic contour that rises and then falls. The lower staff is a basso continuo line, primarily consisting of chords and single notes that support the vocal melody. The lyrics are written below the vocal staff.