

Stichera on "Lord, I Call"

Repose of St. Tikhon of Moscow - April 7

Tone 1
Sticheron 1

Kievan Chant
arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Thou didst en-dure — great suffering, O Fa-ther Tikh - on:

Detailed description: This system shows the first line of the chant. It features two vocal parts: Soprano/Alto and Tenor/Bass. The Soprano/Alto part is written on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The Tenor/Bass part is written on a bass clef staff with the same key signature. The lyrics are: "Thou didst en-dure — great suffering, O Fa-ther Tikh - on:". The music consists of a series of chords and single notes, with some notes tied across bar lines.

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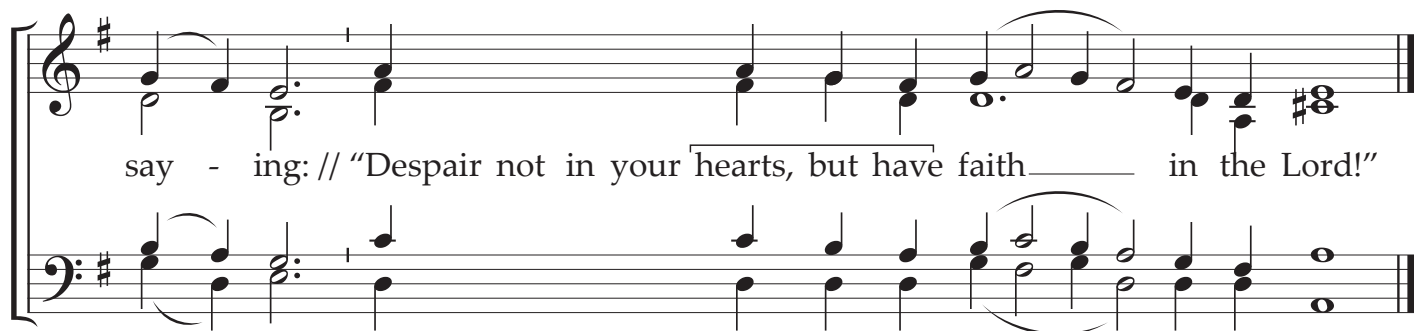
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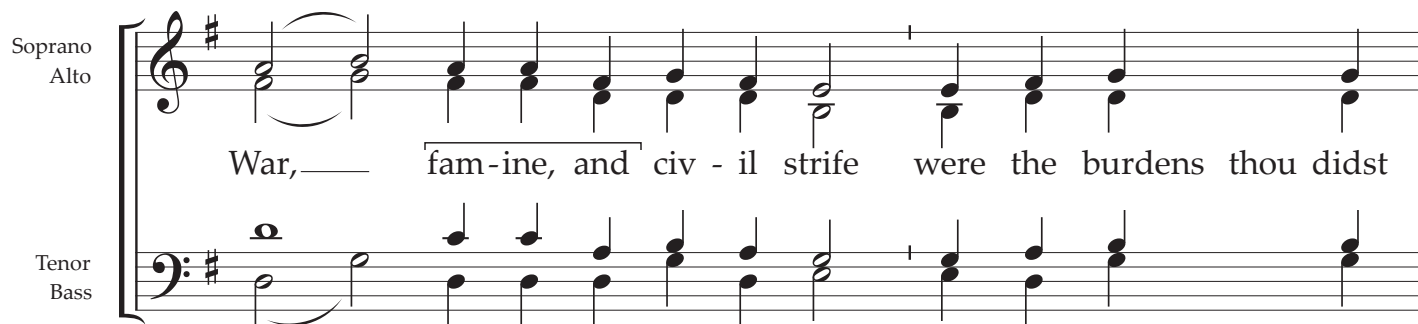
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[say-ing: // "Despair not . . .]



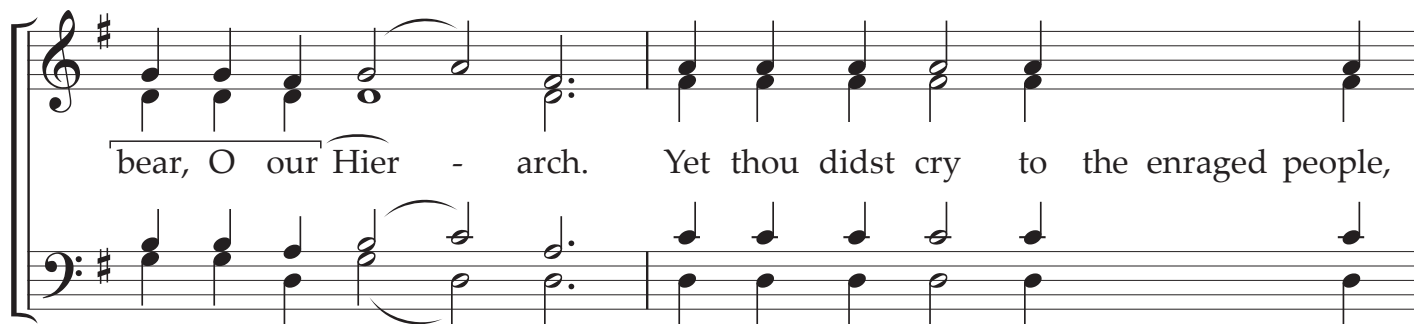
say - ing: // "Despair not in your hearts, but have faith in the Lord!"

Sticheron 2

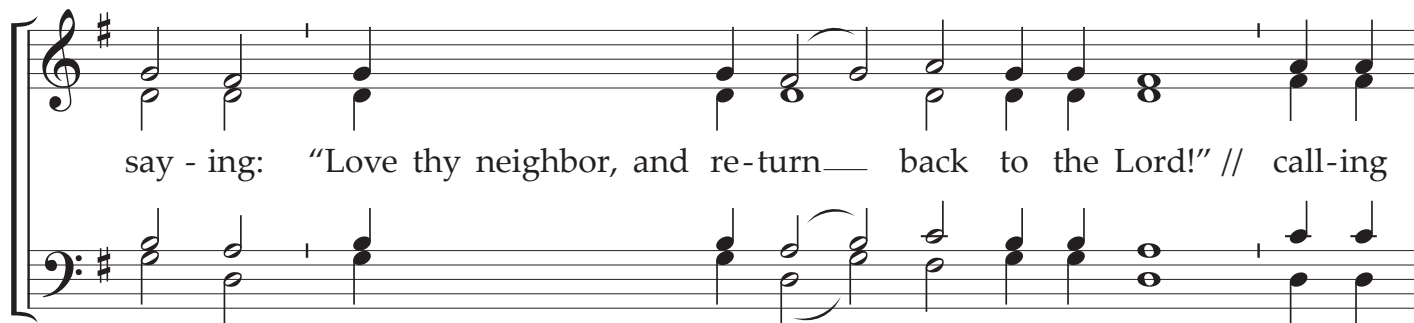


Soprano
Alto
Tenor
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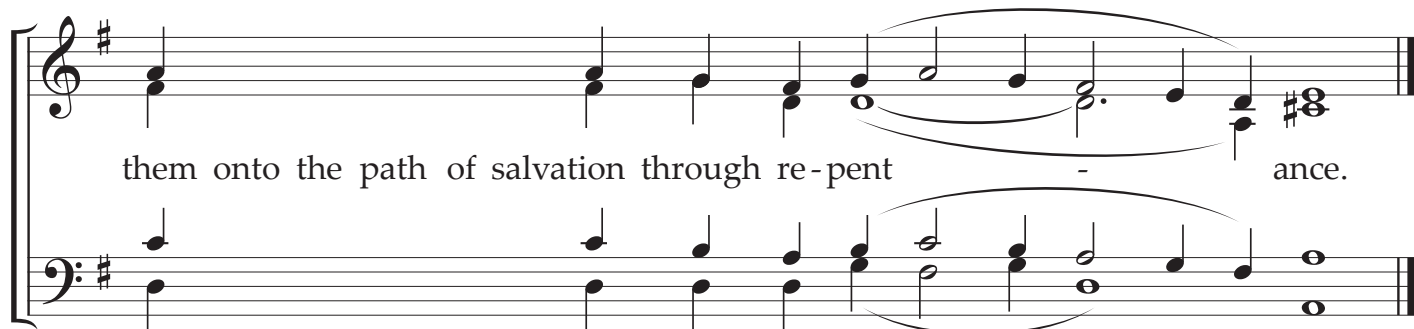
War, fam-ine, and civ - il strife were the burdens thou didst



bear, O our Hier - arch. Yet thou didst cry to the enraged people,



say - ing: "Love thy neighbor, and re-turn back to the Lord!" // call-ing



them onto the path of salvation through re-pent - ance.

Sticheron 3

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Thy life — was illumined by the light of thy great — deeds,

which en-light-ened all the faith - ful, and de-destroyed the darkness of

earth-ly pas - sions; for thou didst ap - pear as the ra - diant sun,

O most bless - ed Hi - er - arch Tikh - on. And now thou abidest in the

heav - en - ly man - sions where the ever - last - ing Light shines in

[glory / through the ...]

glo - ry through the presence of the Son and the grace of the Ho - ly

Spir - it. There - fore, with cease-less hon - or and praise, // we

venerate thy ho - ly and ra - diant mem - o - ry.

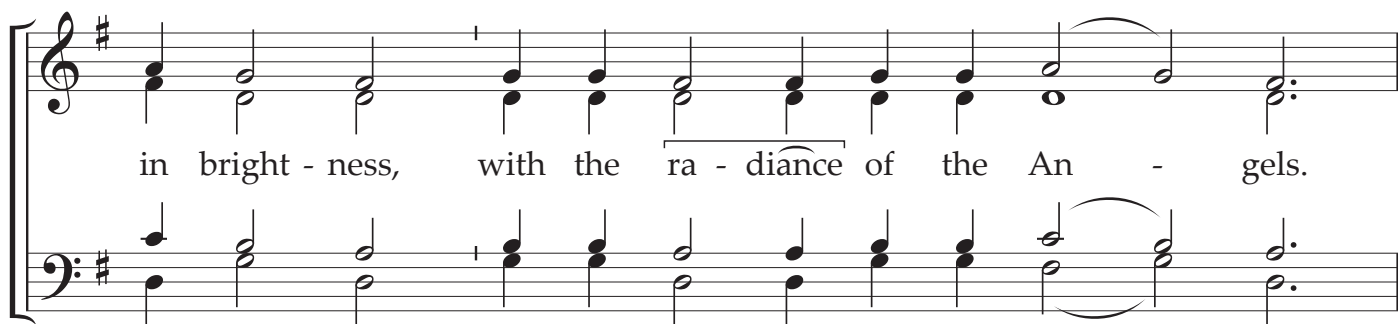
Sticheron 4

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Alto
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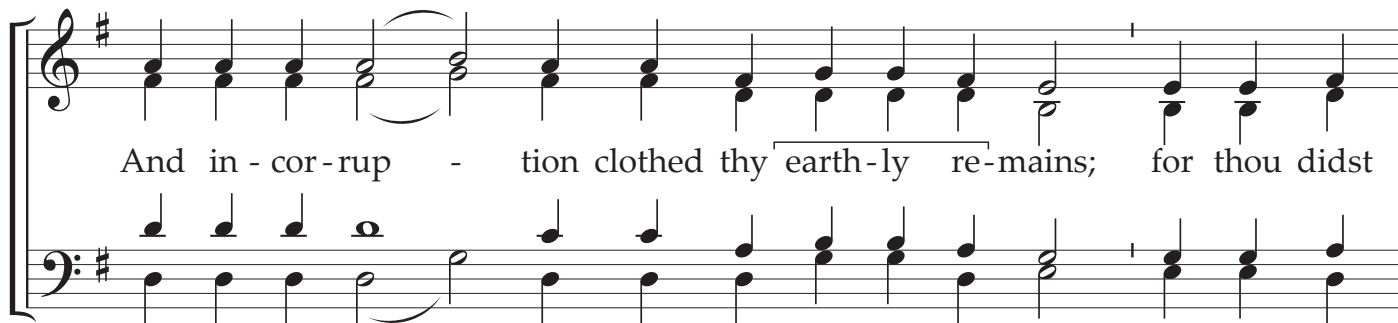
Thy thoughts — were al - ways turned to God and were

filled with faith and love. There - fore, O Glorious One, thou didst appear

[in brightness / with the ...]



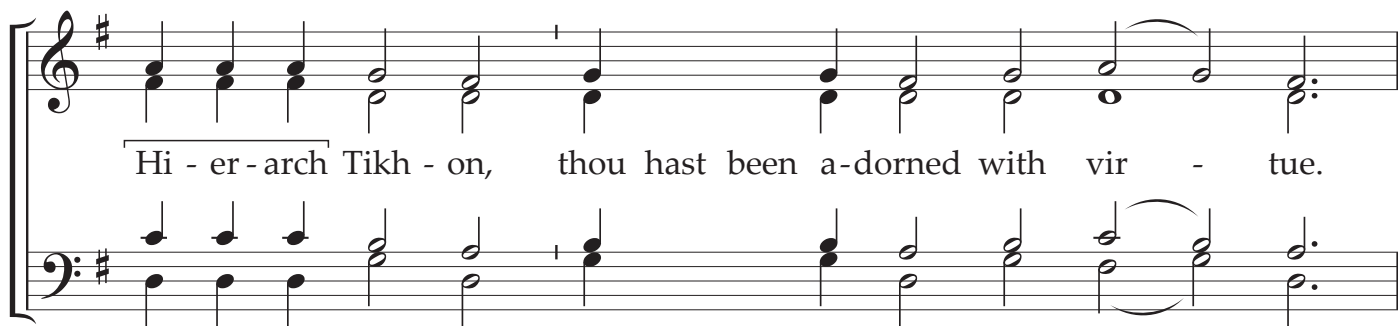
in bright - ness, with the ra - diance of the An - gels.



And in - cor - rup - tion clothed thy earth - ly re - mains; for thou didst



live a life devoid of pas - sions. There - fore, O godly - wise



Hi - er - arch Tikh - on, thou hast been a - dorned with vir - tue.



O Lamp — of the di - vine — Light, // ceaselessly pray for us who

[lovingly honor thy memory.]

lovingly hon - or thy mem - o - ry!