

ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM, ARCHBISHOP OF CONSTANTINOPLE (407)

Troparion - Tone 8

Kievan Caves Monastery Chant

Soprano
Alto

Grace shin - ing forth from your lips like a bea - con

Tenor
Bass

has en - light - ened the u - ni - verse. It has shown to the

world the riches of pov - er - ty; it has re - vealed to us the

heights of hu - mil - i - ty. Teach - ing us by your words, O

Fa - ther John Chrys - os - tom, // in - ter - cede be - fore the Word,

[Christ our God...]

Christ our God, to save our _____ souls!

The image shows a musical score for a troparion. It consists of two staves, a treble staff and a bass staff, both in the key of D major (indicated by a sharp sign on the F line). The melody is written in a simple, homophonic style. The lyrics are 'Christ our God, to save our _____ souls!'. The word 'our' is followed by a long horizontal line, indicating a melisma. The music is written in a style that is common for church chant notation, with notes placed on the lines of the staff and stems pointing down to the lyrics. The piece ends with a double bar line.