

Stichera at "Lord, I Call"

St Gregory the Decapolite - November 20

Tone 1

Verse 3

Model Melody: "Joy of the Heavenly Hosts"

Sedmiezersk Hermitage Melody

Reader: For with the Lord there is mercy and with Him is plenteous redemption...

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

And He will deliver Israel from all his in - i - qui - ties.

Sticheron 3

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Dwel-ling in the heavenly tabernacles in joy, O Fa - - - ther,

and standing with the angels in boldness before the throne—

of the Lord,— en - treat Him that those who celebrate your

com - mem - o - ra - tion on earth // may be de - livered from

er - rors and pas - - - sions.

Verse 2

Reader: Praise the Lord, all nations!

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Praise Him, all peo - - - ples!

Sticheron 2

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Re - mov - ing the thorns of passions with the sickle of

prayers, O Fa - ther Greg - - - o - ry, and re - new - ing the

earth of your soul with the plow of ab - - - sti - nence,

you plant - ed therein the seeds of pi - - - e - ty, /

through which you are sprouting forth to us fruits of heal - ing.

Verse 1

Reader: For His mercy is confirmed on us...

Soprano Alto
Tenor Bass

And the truth of the Lord endures for - ev - - - er.

Sticheron 1

Soprano Alto
Tenor Bass

We call you a vessel of vir - - - - tues,

O ho - ly Fa - ther Greg - - o - ry, as you

are a friend of silence, a keeper of vig - - - il,

a pillar of chastity and mod - er - a - - - tion,

a sa - cred abode of prayer, a treasury of won - - - ders, //

and an in - ter - cessor for those who hon - or you.