

Stichera on "Lord, I Call"

Penitential Stichera from the Octoechos - Sunday Evening

Sticheron 1
Tone 2

Common Chant
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

I have sinned against You, O Christ our Sav - - ior,

like the Prod - i - gal Son. Fa - ther, accept me in re - pent - ance! //

Have mer - cy on me, — O God!

Sticheron 2

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

I cry to You, O Christ our Sav - ior, with the voice of

the Pub - li - can: "Be mer - ci - ful to me, as to him, //

and have mercy on me, — O God!"

Sticheron 3

Soprano
Alto

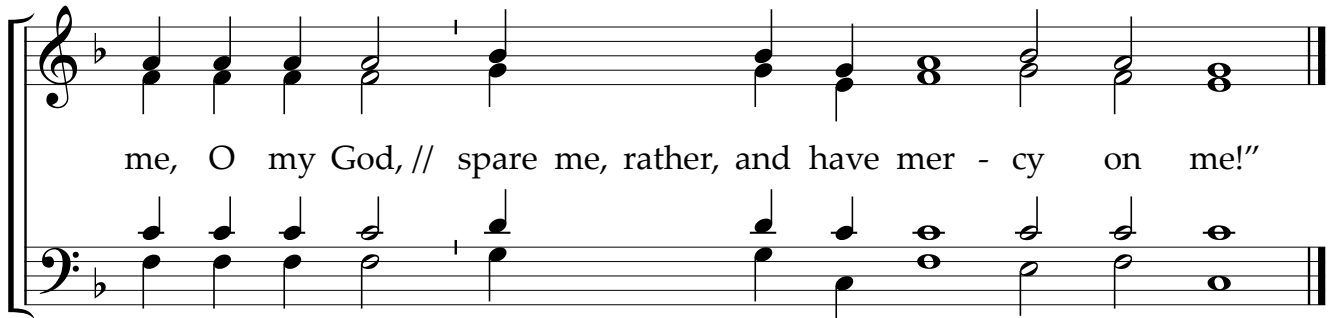
Tenor
Bass

When I think of my detestable and hor - ri - ble deeds, I fly

for refuge to your com - pas - sion, im - i - tat - ing the

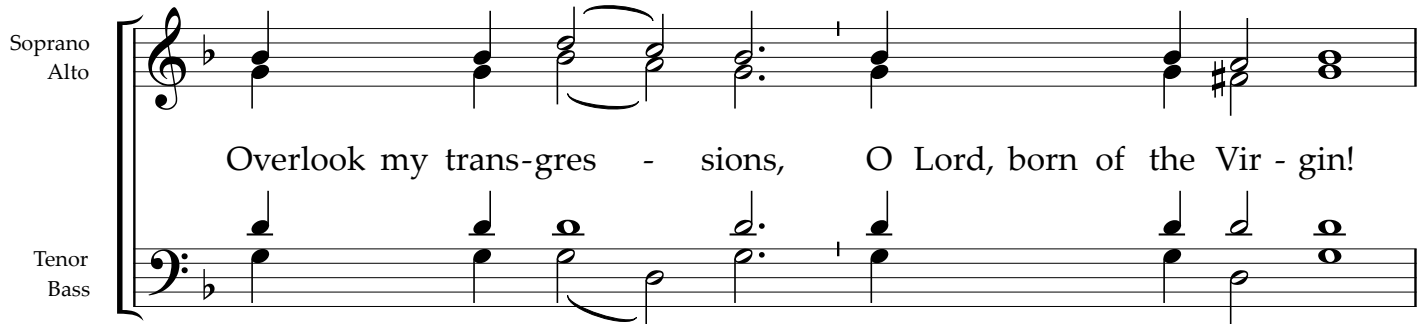
Pub - li - can, the weeping Harlot and the Prod - i - gal Son.

So I fall before You, O mer - ci - ful One: "Be - fore You con-demn



me, O my God, // spare me, rather, and have mer - cy on me!"

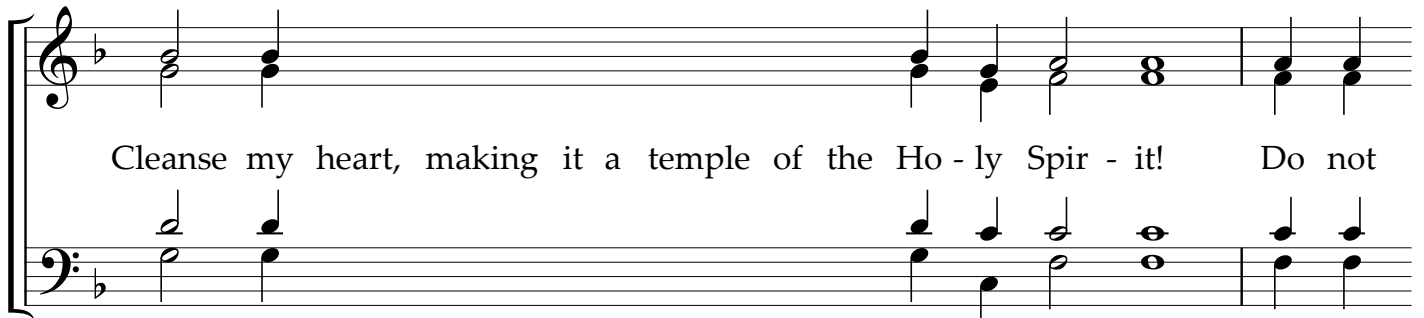
Sticheron 4



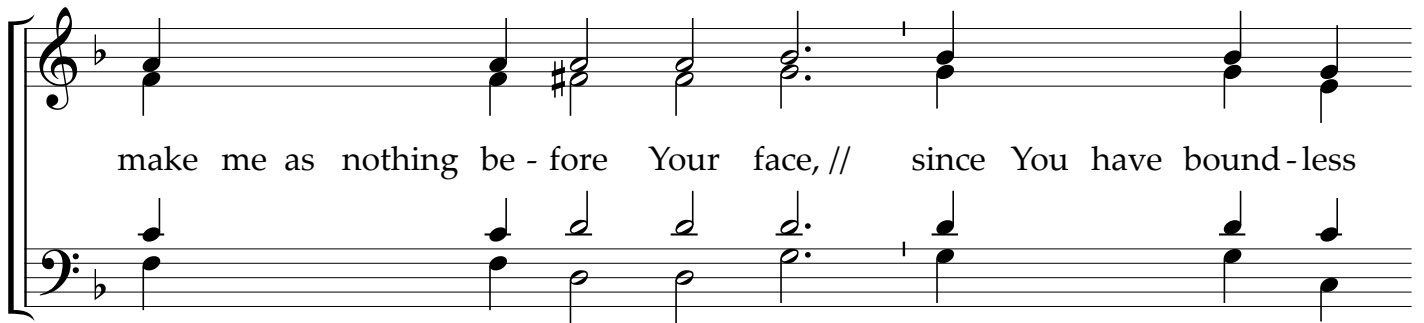
Soprano
Alto

Tenor
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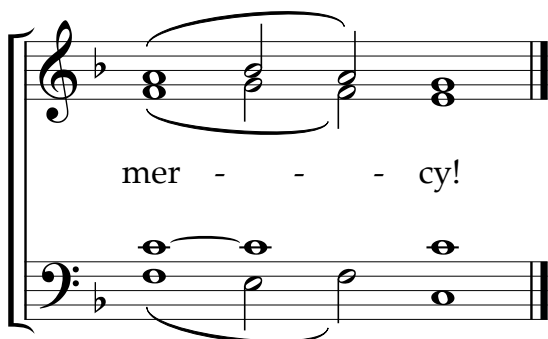
Overlook my trans-gres - sions, O Lord, born of the Vir - gin!



Cleanse my heart, making it a temple of the Ho - ly Spir - it! Do not



make me as nothing be - fore Your face, // since You have bound - less



mer - - - cy!