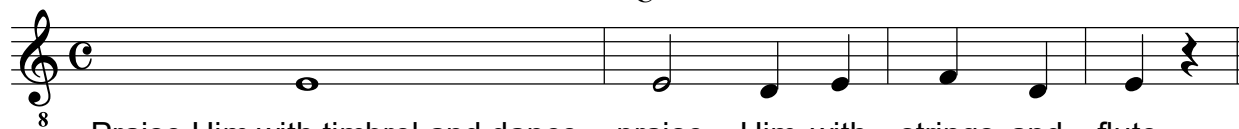


## Sticheron 2. Mode pl. 4. *Ni=C. What a paradoxal.*

Diatonic

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Praise Him with timbrel and dance, praise Him with strings and flute.

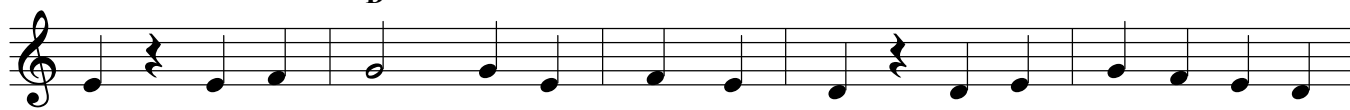
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Such was the hard-ness of He-rod's heart! For while dis-hon-or-ing

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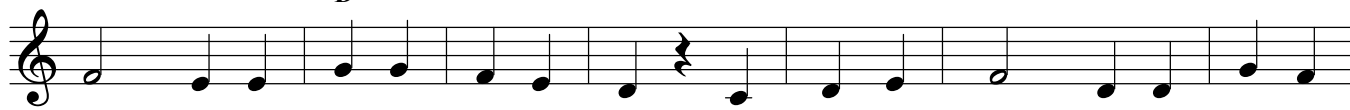
God by re-fus-ing to keep the Law, he de-ceit-ful-ly pre-

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-tends that he hon-ors the oaths he makes; and he adds

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mur-der to his a-dul-ter-y, and then he feigns a de-ject-ed

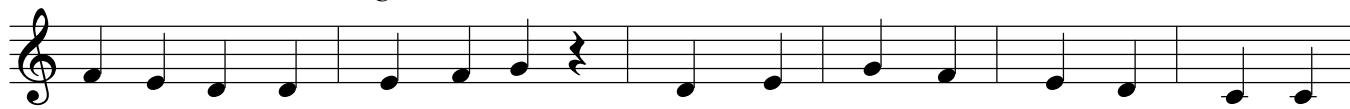
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coun-te-nance. Oh, the in-ef-fa-ble ten-der mer-cy

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You, O Mas-ter, have for us! There-fore save our souls, O Christ a-



-lone com-pas-sion-ate.