

## Stichera of Lauds.

**Mode 2.** *O House of Ephratha.*

## Sticheron 1

Chromatic

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

Christ from the Virgin Maid... (*see below*)

## Sticheron 2

Chromatic



Praise Him with tuneful cymbals, praise Him with cymbals of jubilation.



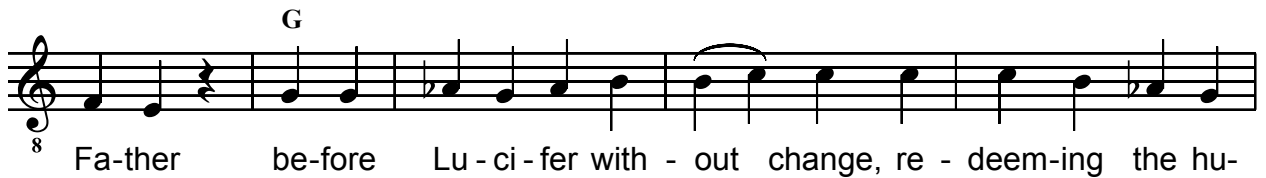
<sup>8</sup> Let ev-ery breath praise the Lord. Christ from the Vir-gin

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<sup>8</sup>Maid is born with - out un - clean-ness the Son, born from the

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<sup>8</sup> Fa-ther be-fore Lu-ci-fer with - out change, re - deem-ing the hu-

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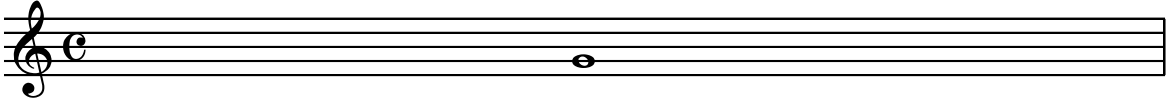


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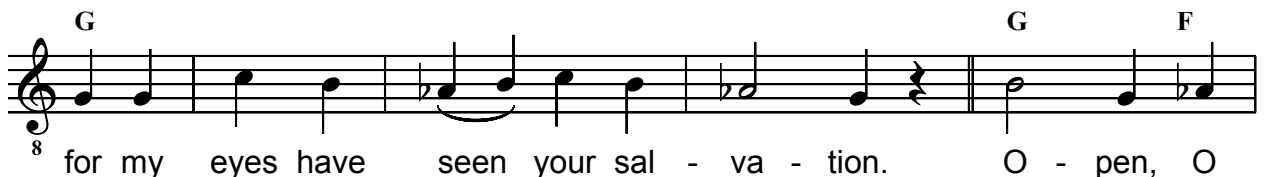
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### Sticheron 3

Chromatic



8 Master, now you are dismissing your servant in peace, according to your word;



<sup>8</sup> for my eyes have seen your sal - va - tion.

O - pen, O

8 heav-en's gates, for Christ is as an in-fant borne by His

8 Vir - gin Moth - er to - day in - to the Tem - ple and

8 brought un - to His Fa - ther God.

#### Sticheron 4

Chromatic

8 A light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glo-ry to your peo-ple

8 Is - ra-el. Sym - e - on the de - vout, re - ceive the Lord of

8 glo-ry as once the Ho - ly Spir-it re - vealed to you, O

8 just one. Be - hold! for He has now ar - rived.