

Sticheron 2

8 Praise Him with the sound of trumpet, praise Him with the harp and lyre.

8 When you were un - just - ly ban - ished from your flock, you ex - per - i - enced

8 much dis - tress and ad - ver - si - ty and ex - ile sev - eral times;

8 in which you were grant - ed a death that was bless - ed, fit for a

8 fight - er who was brave; for you de - feat - ed the dev - il and his

8 wiles. The Church is there - fore cel - e - brat - ing your re - turn, Fa - ther

8 Chry - so - stom. She is ev - er a - dorned with gold of the

8 dog - mas you wise - ly taught.