

8 Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him according to the a-

8 bun-dance of His great-ness. You shone with the Spir-it's rays, be-

8 com-ing ra-di-ant as the sun, O all - ho - ly and bless-ed one. With

8 knowl - edge of God you shined light in - to the whole world,


8 and dis-pelled the dark - ness of pol - y - the-is - m there - by, A - pos-tle

8 Mat - thew, all - wise E - van - ge - list. And there - fore we ob -

8 serve this day of your most - hon - ored me - mo - ri - al with a ra - di - ant

8 fes - ti - val, by which we may be sanc - ti - fied.

# Sticheron 2

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


8    You shone with the Spir-it's rays, be - com-ing ra - di - ant as the

8  sun, O all - ho - ly and bless - ed one. With knowl - edge of

8  God you shined light in - to the whole world, and dis - pelled the

8  dark - ness of pol - y - the - is - m there - by,  A - pos - tle Mat - thew, all -

8  wise E - van - ge - list.  And there - fore we ob - serve this day of your most -

8   hon - ored me - mo - ri - al with a ra - di - ant fes - ti - val, by which

8  we may be sanc - ti - fied.

# Sticheron 3

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

8  E D E  
Sit-ting in the up - per room and in the height of the knowl-edge of

8  God, you re - ceived the en - light - en - ment of the Spir - it,

8  which ap-peared to you as tongues of fire. With your tongue on

8  fire, you man - i - fest - ly burned a - way the false re-

8  E D  
li - gion of pol - y - the - is - m. O Mat-thew, we all hon - or

8  E  
you as an A - pos-tle who spoke of God, and to - day we ob - serve the

8  feast of your ho - ly me - mo - ri - al.

# Sticheron 4



Praise Him with resounding cymbals, praise Him with triumphant cymbals.

