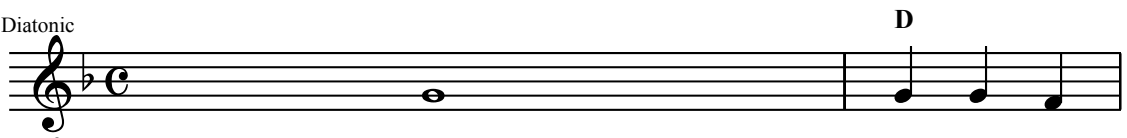


## Stichera of the Praises.

Mode 1. *Pa=D. What a paradoxical.*

### Sticheron 1

Diatonic

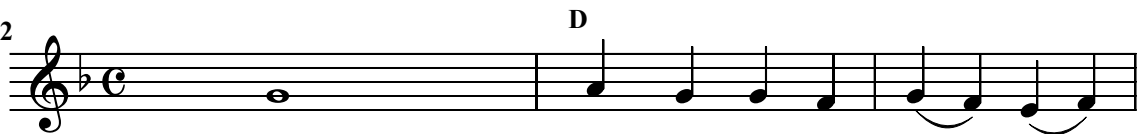


Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him according to the a-



- bun - dance of His great - ness. What a paradoxical... (*see below*)

### Sticheron 2



Praise Him with sound of trumpet, praise Him with the harp and



lyre. What a par-a - dox - i - cal mir - a - cle! That the



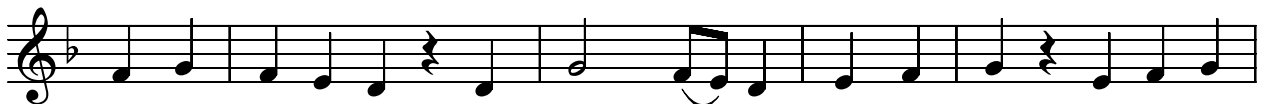
foun-tain of life from a bar-ren wife is born, that grace,



ful-gent, may com - mence to bear its fruit hence - forth. Be



joy - ous, O Jo - a - chim, hav-ing be - come the God - bear-



- er's pro - gen - i - tor! There is no one else like you in gen-er-

8 a-tions of pa - ter - ni - ty, O god-ly one, for the God-re-

8 ceiv-ing Maid-en, the tab-er-nac-le of our God the moun-tain all-

8 ho - ly, un - to us has been be - stowed thru you.

Sticheron 3

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

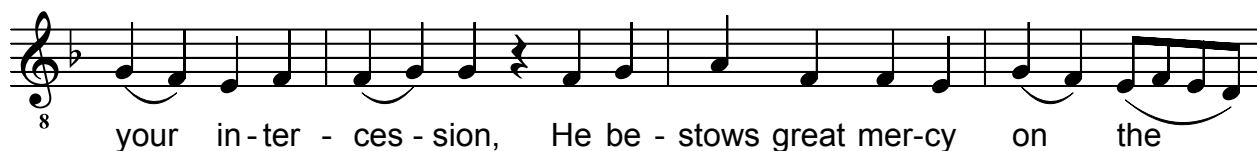
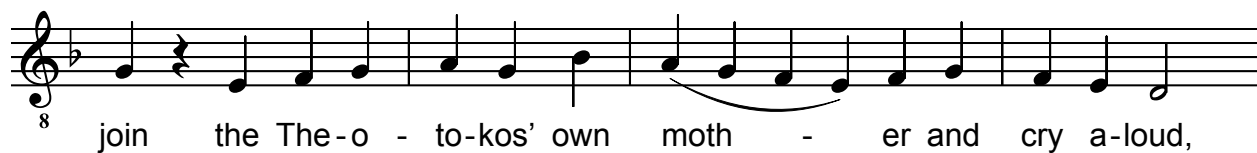
8 flute. What a par-a - dox - i - cal mir - a - cle! The

8 bar-ren one's fruit is brought forth at the com - mand of Him

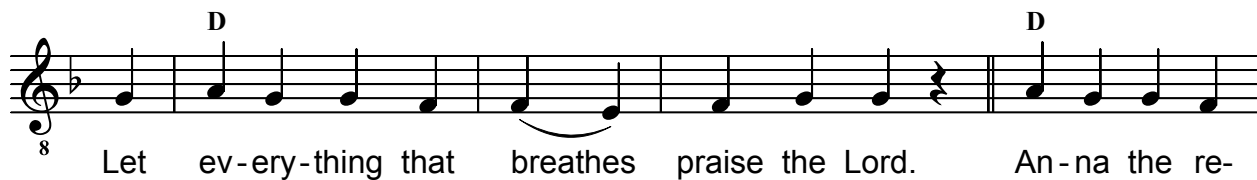
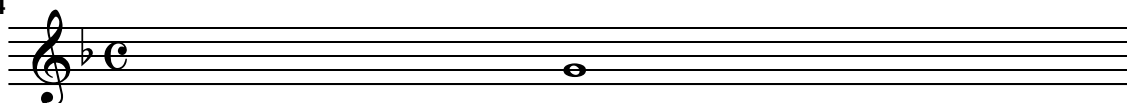
8 who has made all things, and our al - might - y God; and

8 deft - ly He has re - deemed the world-ly realm that was

8 ster - ile of His good things. O moth - ers, in cho-rus



#### Sticheron 4



8 - res-cence di - vine of vir - gin - i - ty. And man - i - fest-

8 - ly the Maid a - wards vir - gin - i - ty's beau - ty to

8 vir-gins all and to those who tru - ly long for the grace of vir-

8 - gin - i - ty, and she free - ly is grant - ing un - to

8 all the faith-ful great mer - cy.

Glory, both now. **Mode pl. 2.** *Pa=D.*

Chromatic D

8 Ne Glo - ry to the Fa - ther

8 and the Son and the Ho - ly Spir-

8 - it.