

TROPARION FOR THE PROTECTING VEIL

Tone 4

Greek Chant

The musical notation consists of six staves of music, each starting with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are integrated directly into the music, with each staff numbered from 1 to 6 above it. The music features various note values (quarter, eighth, sixteenth) and rests, with some notes connected by horizontal lines.

1 O - ver - shadowed by thy co - ming, O Mo - ther of God,

2 we the right faith - ful peo - ple cel - e - brate to - day with splen - dor.

3 And gazing at thine all - pre-cious im - mage, we say with com-punc-tion:

4 Cov - er us with thy pre - cious o - mo - pho - ri - on,

5 and save us from all e - vil, as thou en - treat - est thy Son,

6 Christ our God, to save our souls.