


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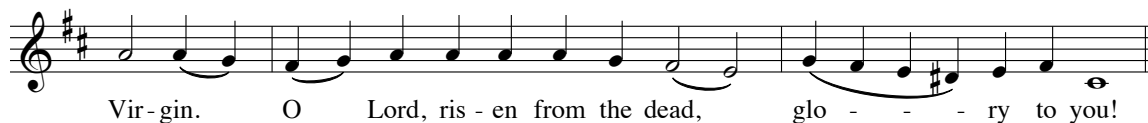
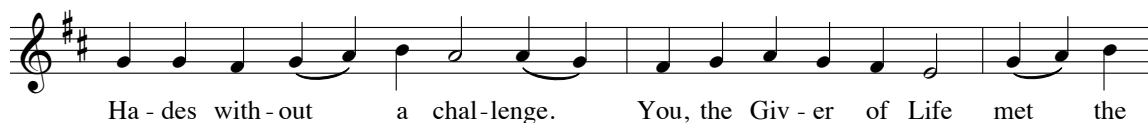
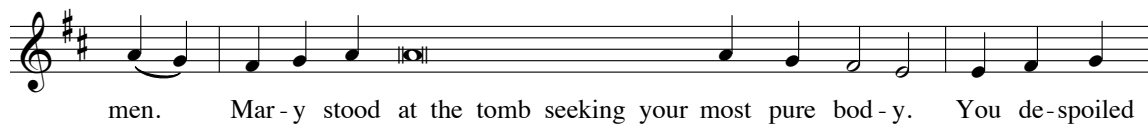
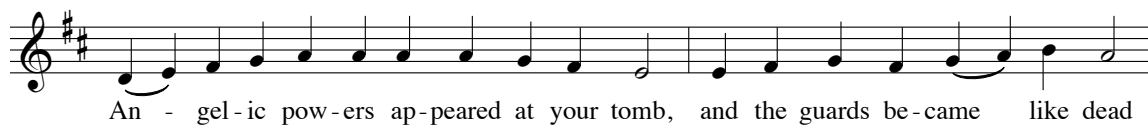
SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

1  **The holy martyr Euphemia the Illustrious** at Chalcedon in Bithynia. It is related that she was handed over to the beasts after various tortures under Diocletian the emperor and Priscus the proconsul. Her passing is kept on Sept. 16; today is the day that her holy relics confirmed the orthodox faith at the Fourth Ecumenical Council in Chalcedon (451)

The passing of Olga, princess of Kiev, baptized Helen, at Kiev in Rus'. She was the grandmother of St. Vladimir, the first of the Rurikids to receive baptism. She prepared the way to Christ for all the peoples of Rus'. (969)

In Benedictine communities: the translation of the relics of our holy father Benedict

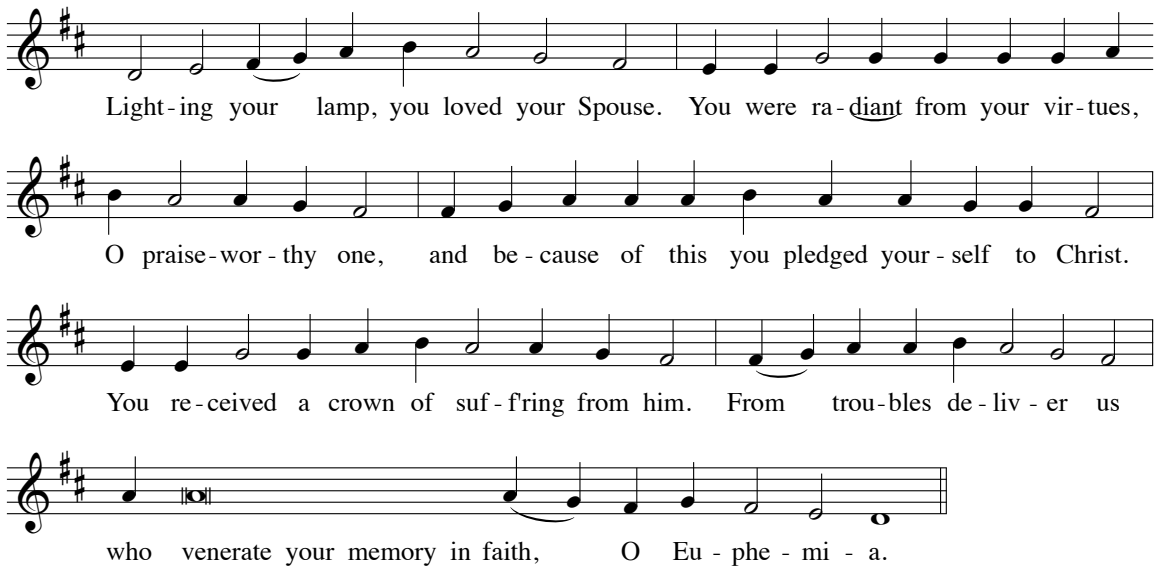
Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 6



Cantor (Tone 4):



Troparion of the holy martyr Euphemia - Tone 4



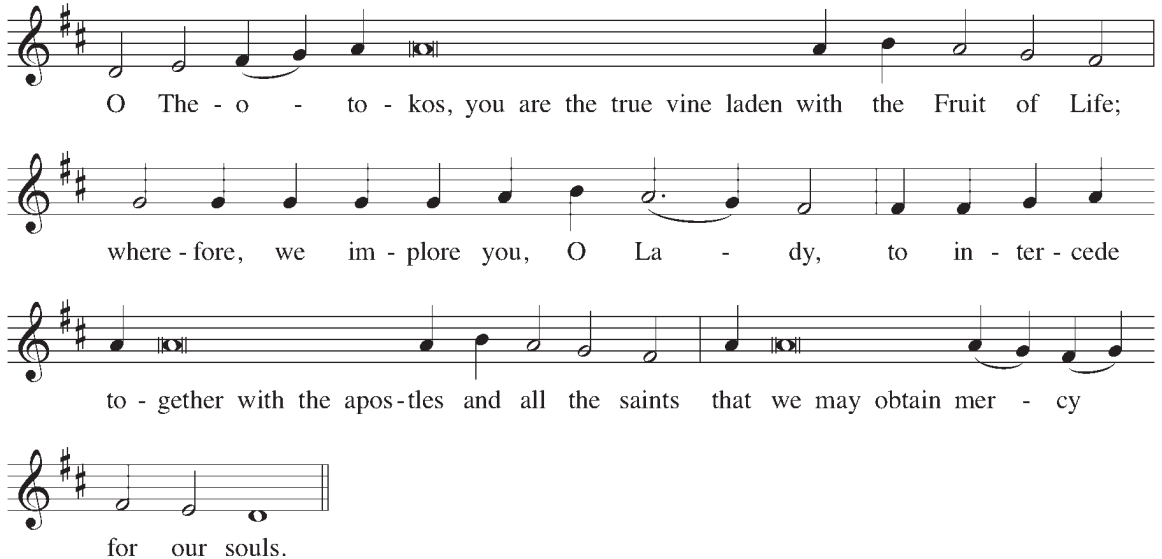
Light-ing your lamp, you loved your Spouse. You were ra-diant from your vir-tues,
O praise-wor- thy one, and be- cause of this you pledged your- self to Christ.
You re-ceived a crown of suf- fring from him. From trou- bles de- liv- er us
who venerate your memory in faith, O Eu- phe- mi- a.

Cantor (Tone 4):



Now and ev- er and for- ev- er. A - men.

Theotokion of Third Hour – Tone 4:



O The- o - to - kos, you are the true vine laden with the Fruit of Life;
where- fore, we im- plore you, O La - dy, to in - ter - cede
to - gether with the apos- tles and all the saints that we may obtain mer - cy
for our souls.

Third Hour continues with "May the Lord God be blessed..." on p. 9

Kontakion of Euphemia - Tone 6

You took part in the struggle with great val - or, de-fend-ing faith in Christ your
be-lov-ed Sav - ior. Through the pow-erful intercession of the The-o - to - kos,
in - ter - cede with Christ that he may wipe out all false teach - ings
and hu-mil-liate the pride of the en - e - my. From the six hun-dred and thirty Fathers
of the Coun - cil, you have re-ceived the definition of the faith and pre-served it
faith - ful - ly, O Eu - phe - mia, wor-thy of all praise.

Third Hour continues with "Lord, have mercy..." (40 times) on p. 11

¹ Format 14: Sunday with an Ordinary Saint