

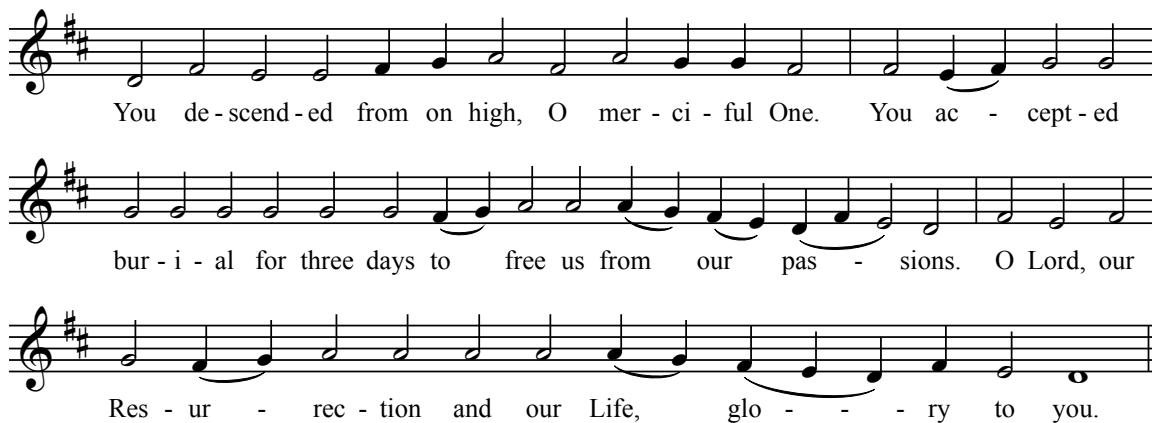
THIRD HOUR PROPER FOR JANUARY 9TH, 2022

SUNDAY AFTER THEOPHANY

¹The holy martyr **Polyeuct**, of Melitene in Armenia, who as a soldier was ordered to sacrifice to the gods by the edict of the Emperor Decius. Instead, he destroyed the images; wherefore he suffered many tortures and at last was beheaded and baptized by the outpouring of his own blood. (230)

Post-festive day of the Theophany

Troparion of the Resurrection - *Tone 8*



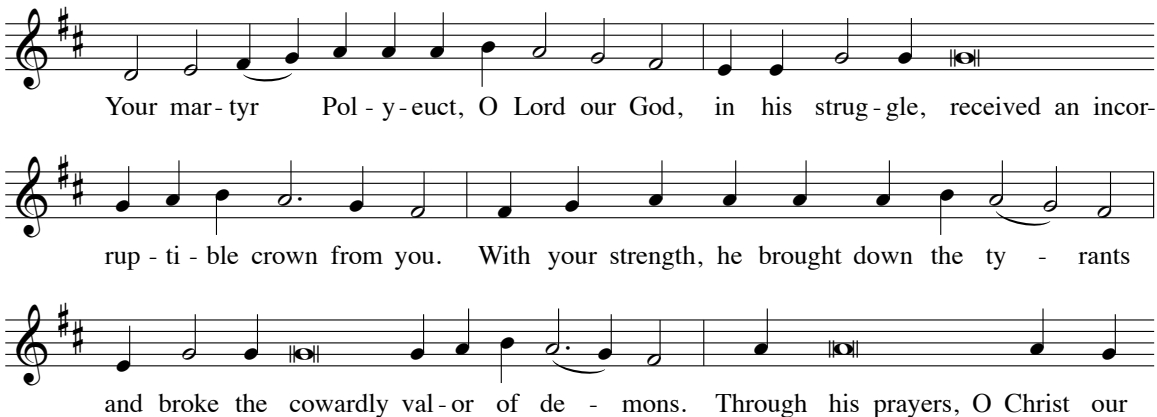
You de-scend-ed from on high, O mer-ci-ful One. You ac-cept-ed
bur-i-al for three days to free us from our pas-sions. O Lord, our
Res-ur-rec-tion and our Life, glo-ry to you.

Cantor (*Tone 4*):



Glo-ry to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir-it.

Troparion of Polyeuct - *Tone 4*



Your mar-tyr Pol-y-euct, O Lord our God, in his strug-gle, received an incor-
rup-ti-ble crown from you. With your strength, he brought down the ty-rants
and broke the cowardly val-or of de-mons. Through his prayers, O Christ our



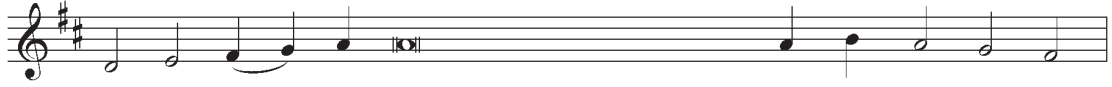
God, save our souls.

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 the Resurrection - Tone 8



Ris - ing from the grave, you raised the dead. You lift - ed up Ad - am,



and Eve rejoices in your res - ur - rec - tion. The whole world cel - ebrates your



resurrec - tion from the dead, O Most Mer - ci - ful One.

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