

FIRST & THIRD HOUR PROPERs FOR JANUARY 21ST, 2024

SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE

¹**Our venerable father Maximus the Confessor**, noted theologian and writer who resigned his post as secretary to the Emperor Heraclius and entered the monastery of Chrysopolis, of which he eventually became hegumen. He headed the opposition to the Monothelite heresy. For this he was banished, imprisoned, and lost his tongue and right hand. (662)

The holy martyr Neophyte, of Nicaea in Bithynia, martyr, who died at the age of fifteen in the reign of Diocletian. (4th century)

The holy martyrs Eugene, Candidus, Valeran, and Aquila.

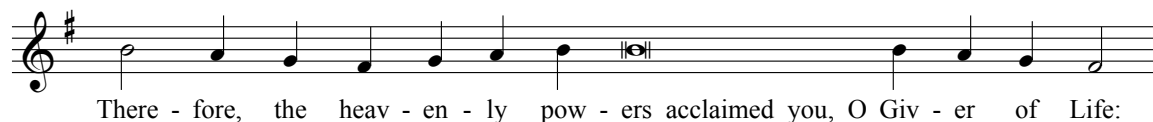
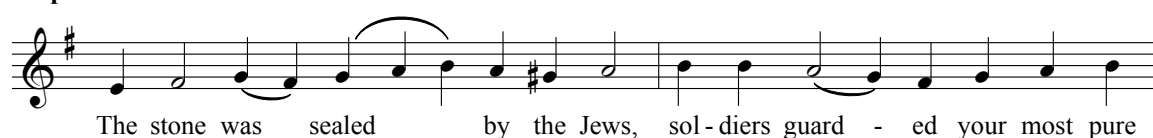
The holy virgin martyr Agnes of Rome, who, while still a maiden, bore the highest testimony of the faith in Rome and consecrated the label of chastity by her martyrdom. She conquered both her youth and the tyrant, received the fullest admiration among the nations and gained even greater glory with God. On this day is celebrated the burial of her body. (3rd/4th century)

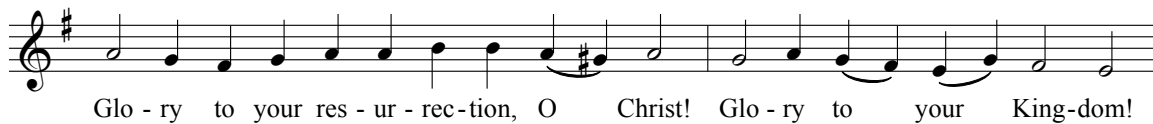
FIRST HOUR

Cantor (*Tone 1*):



Troparion of the Resurrection - *Tone 1*

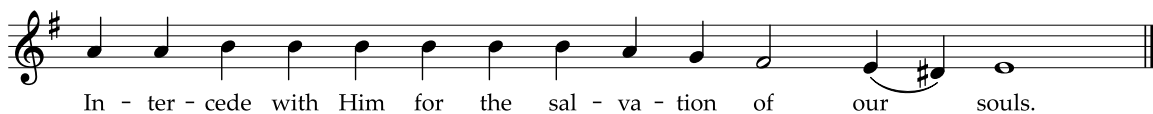
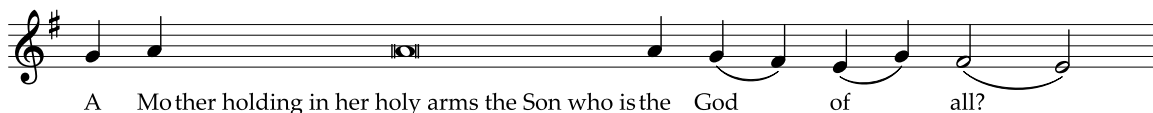
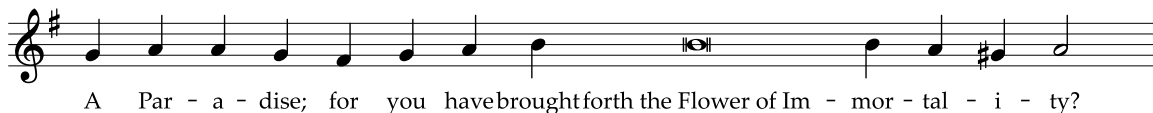
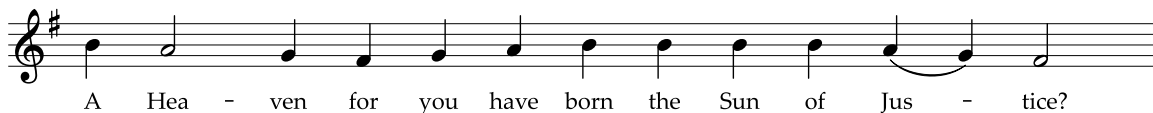




Cantor (Tone 1):



Theotokion of First Hour – Tone 1:



First Hour continues with "Guide my footsteps according to your promise..." on p. 7

Kontakion of the Publican and the Pharisee - *Tone 3*

Let us of - fer the Lord sighs like the pub - li - can. As sin - ners,
let us fall before him, our Mas - ter; for he wills the sal - va - tion of
ev - 'ry - one. He grants for - give - ness to all who re - pent
for, while re - main - ing God, co - eternal with the Fa - ther, he took
flesh for our sake.

First Hour continues with "Lord, have mercy..." (40 times) on p. 8

THIRD HOUR

Cantor (*Tone 1*):

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

Troparion of the Resurrection - *Tone 1*

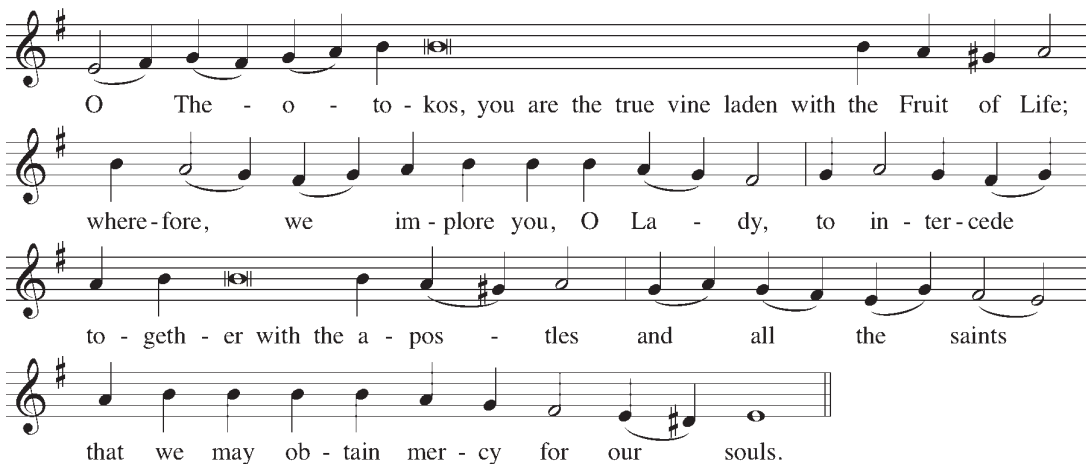
The stone was sealed by the Jews, sol - diers guard - ed your most pure
bod - y, but you, O Sav - ior, a - rose on the third day granting life to the world.
There - fore, the heav - en - ly pow - ers acclaimed you, O Giv - er of Life:



Cantor (Tone 1):

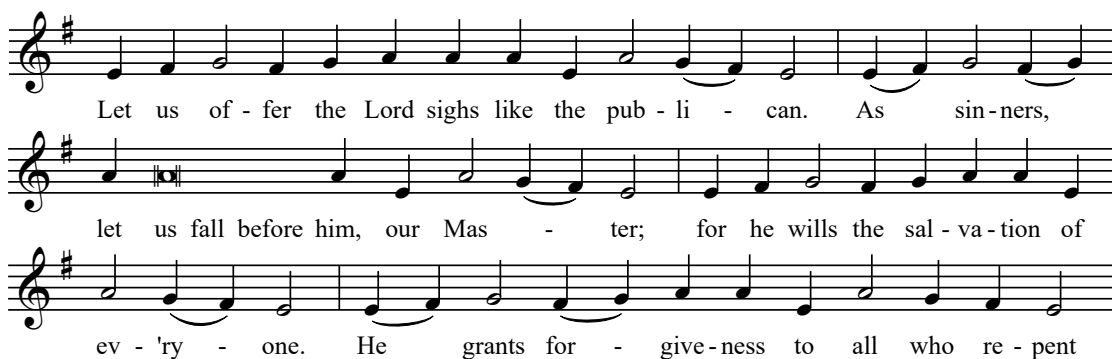


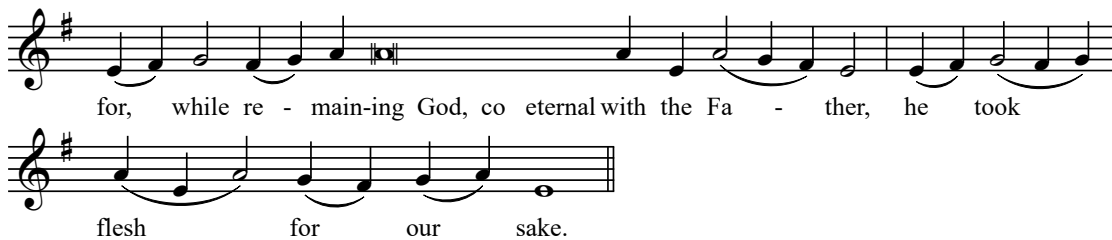
Theotokion of Third Hour – Tone 1:



Third Hour continues with "May the Lord God be blessed..." on p. 16

Kontakion of the Publican and the Pharisee - Tone 3





Third Hour continues with "Lord, have mercy..." (40 times) on p. 16

¹ Format 23: Sundays During the Triodion