

Kontakion - Tone 6

Great Earthquake

October 26

Court Chant

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Deliver us all from the terrible trembling of the earth, O Lord, and from

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plagues unbearable on account of our sins. Take pity on the Orthodox people

which Thou hast purchased with Thy blood, O Lord and Mas - ter,

and de - liver not this city unto destruction by dread - ful earth - quake;

English translation by Isaac E. Lambertsen, "The Menaion of the Orthodox Church", Vol II,
St. John of Kronstadt Press, ©1999. The complete service is available for purchase at: sjkp.org

for we know none oth - er God than Thee, and un - to those

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff. The treble staff has a key signature of one flat (B-flat) and a common time signature. The melody is written in a simple, homophonic style with quarter and eighth notes. The bass staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with chords and single notes. The lyrics are placed between the two staves.

who hymn Thee hast Thou ex - claimed: I am with you,

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment. It features a similar homophonic style with a key signature of one flat. The lyrics are placed between the two staves.

and no one shall be a - gainst - - - you.

The third system of music concludes the phrase. It features a key signature of one flat and a common time signature. The melody ends with a fermata over the final note. The lyrics are placed between the two staves.