

Stichera on "Lord I have cried"  
Tone 4, Kievan

(3) *Reader:* In the 4th Tone—

For with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is plenteous redemption;

II-chant melody

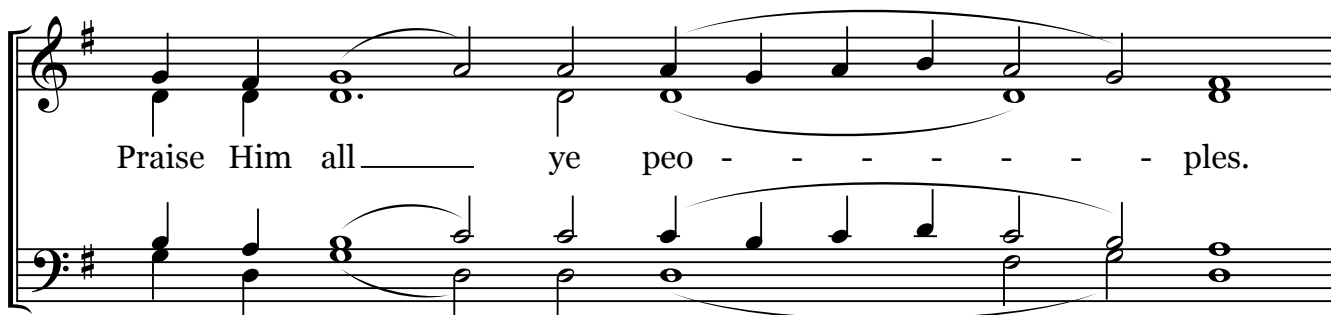
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And He shall redeem Israel out of all his in - iq - - - ui-ties.

Revealed as perfect stones quarried by martyrdom /  
and dressed by torments, O holy ones, /  
ye fashioned yourselves into a temple of the Lord, /  
casting down to the ground the temples and worship of the idols. /  
Wherefore, we call them blessed, //  
as inhabitants of paradise and offerings of the temple of heaven.

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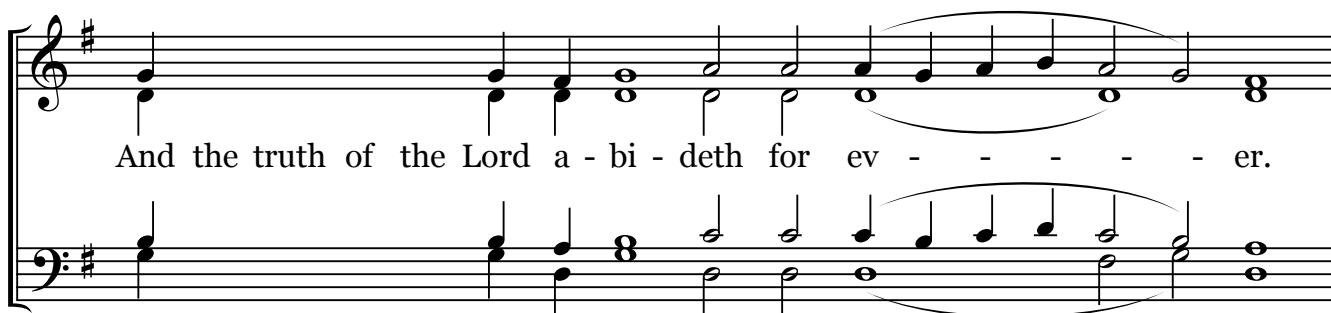
(2) *Reader:* O praise the Lord, all ye nations;



Praise Him all ye peo - - - - - ples.

O ye who have touched the relics /  
of the sacred martyrs Florus and Laurus, /  
draw forth grace and receive enlightenment, gladness and mercy: /  
for from them doth the divine action of healing richly flow! /  
And blessing them as favorites of the Lord, let us earnestly cry out:  
Glory to Thee, O our God!

(1) *Reader:* For He hath made His mercy to prevail over us,



And the truth of the Lord a - bi - deth for ev - - - - - er.

Having been imprisoned in a pit /  
and interred within the earth at the command of the tyrant, /  
by divine utterances and the revelation of the Holy Spirit /  
ye have been shown to us as stars which shine forth portents and wonders, /  
and gifts of healing, O fraternal athletes, //  
fellow citizens with the angels.