

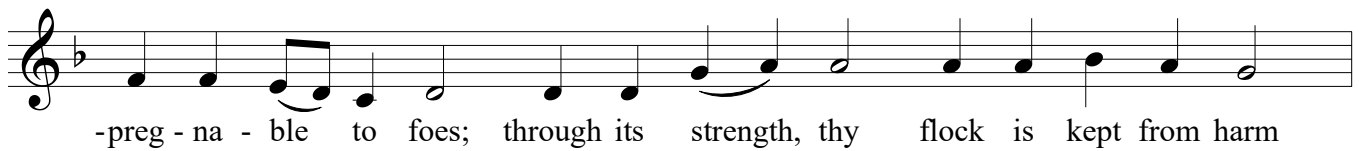
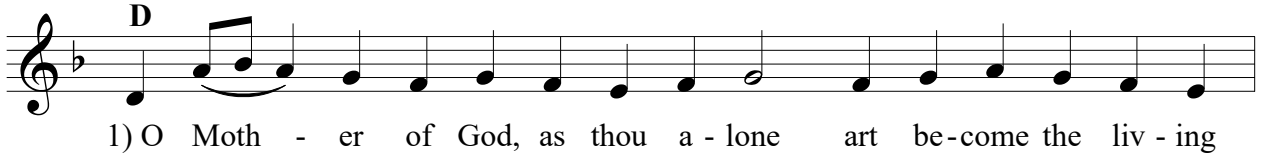
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# The Placing of the Theotokos' Robe in Blachernae

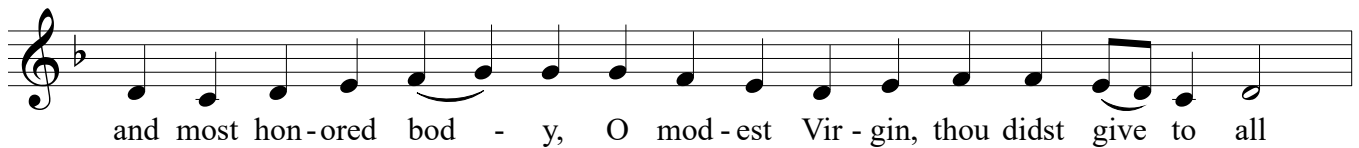
Stichera at the Aposticha at Vespers

Byzantine Chant Tone 1  
Special melody: *O all-lauded Martyrs*

Adapted by Dn. John El Massih



*Verse:* Arise, O Lord, into Thy rest, Thou and the ark of Thy holiness.



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with ev - er - liv - ing riv - ers of grace, O The - o -  
- to - kos all - re - vered. Its en - shrine - ment we now cel - e - brate,  
as we hon - or thee, who thus hast hon - ored\_\_ all.

*Verse:* The rich among the people shall entreat thy countenance.

3) Thy house doth pos - sess thy sa - cred veil as a treas - ur - y of  
ho - li - ness, O La - dy, and dai - ly it doth sanc - ti - fy\_\_ us all,  
who run to its shel - ter and who bless thee as is due;  
for in it do we find\_\_ all the hope and ex - pec -  
- ta - tion of\_\_ our souls; for us all,\_\_ it tru - ly is be - come  
sure pro - tec - tion and our cer - tain source of\_\_ strength.