Pentecostarion

Wednesday After Pentecost
Stichera at the Aposticha at Vespers

Byzantine Mode 4
Special Melody: As one valiant

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1) Co-e-ter-nal and one in pow'r, co-be-gin-ning-less,

one in throne, one in na-ture both with the Fa-ther and the Word, the Ho-ly Spir-it, Who

with Them made all things, God in all ways good,

hav-ing u-ni-ver-sal sway, made the Word's own dis-ci-ples wise when He dwelt in them, that in all kinds of
tongues they might de-clare un-to the na-tions God's great

won-ders and doc-trines touch-ing the Trin-i-ty.

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Verse: Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

2) When Thy blessed initiates in the Spirit with lofty words taught of things divine with the speech of sundry tongues, those of all nations there gathered, who were blind with the drunkenness of the deepest ignorance, called them drunken who yet drove out all the drunkenness of delusion, O God-man; as for us, who by their means have come to know Thee, we being saved teach of Thee as God.
Verse: Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

3) Spring eternal that ceaselessly pour est out an unspeakable river of all goodness and

Who dost overflow with living water that

Thou by nature ever dost pour abroad:

Water with its streams my soul, from the furnace of passions' flames do Thou rescue me, and deliver me from the conflagration of those dreadful inqui-

si - tions and from the fire of that punish - ment.