

*From the Octoechos*  
**Wednesday Orthros (Matins)**  
**First Exaposteilarion**

Byzantine Mode 2  
Special Melody: *Hearken, ye women*

1) With faith we wor - ship and we hymn the weap-on all - in -  
- vin - ci - ble, the might - y staff of the pure Faith,  
our bless-ed Sav - ior's di - vine Cross; and as is meet, we  
all ac-claim, that might-y re - fuge most se-cure, the guard-ian  
of the Or - tho-dox, the ho - ly boast of all Chris - tians  
and glo - ry of all the Mar - tyrs.

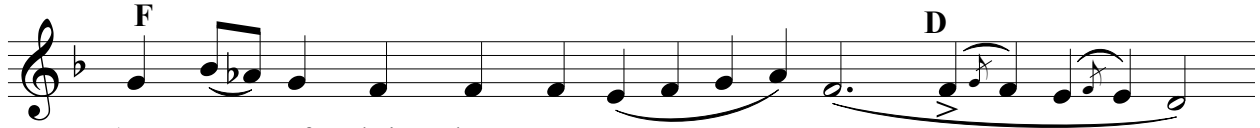
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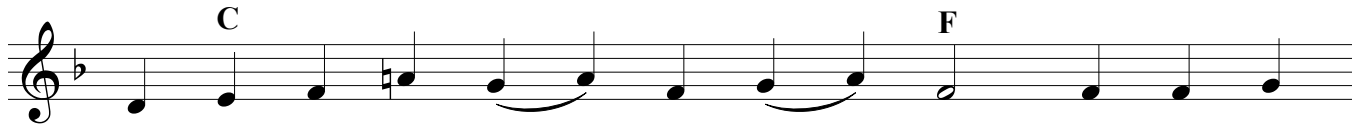
## Second Exaposteilarion & Stavro-Theotokion (of the Cross)

Byzantine Mode 3  
Special Melody: O ye Apostles

Adapted by Dn. John El Massih



2) O Cross of Christ, thou great weap - on \_\_\_\_\_  
3) To them that with heart un - doubt - ing \_\_\_\_\_



of faith - ful Or - tho - dox Chris - tians, the ho - ly  
and in all god - li - ness wor - ship thy Son's blest



vic - t'ry of sov - 'reigns, \_\_\_\_\_ and might - y  
Cross and His Pas - sion, \_\_\_\_\_ grant thou, O



down - fall of de - mons, grant us thy grace and \_\_\_\_\_ pro - tec - tion,  
pure The - o - to - kos, to dwell in Par - a - dise al - ways



who wor - ship thee with \_\_\_\_\_ true long - ing.



and be par - tak - ers \_\_\_\_\_ of glo - ry.