

January 25th

Our Father Among the Saints Gregory the Theologian

2nd Set of Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Tone 2
Special Melody: *With what fair crowns*

Arranged by Basil Crow

1) Come and with hymns and with sa - - -

- cred songs let us laud the di - vine

The - o - lo - gian, that un-sleep-ing eye of the grace

of God, the great re - sound - ing of all

the Church, the mar - vel - lous boast of Or - -

- tho - dox - y; the Spir - it's su-preme-ly wise and

sweet - ly speak - ing mouth; the shin - ing

and guid-ing lu - mi - nar - y of the world

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 re-vealed the - ol - o - gy's foun - tain, ev - er-flow - ing



 riv - - - er of the god - ly doc - trines of truth,



 the source ev - er gush - - - ing forth with



 streams of am - bro - sia sprung from God.



 2) With great spir - it - ual love on



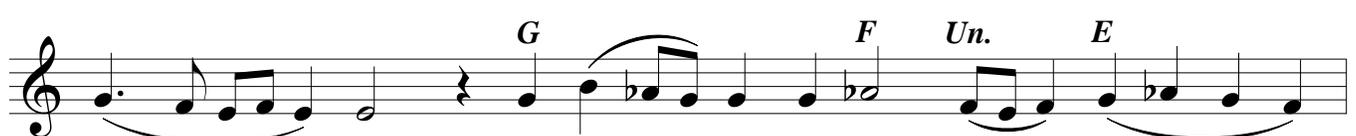
 this day, let us hymn the wise hier - - -



 -arch with prais - es, that peer of A - pos - tles in way



 of life, the val - iant cham - pion of pi - - -



 - e - - - ty, that great swell - ing de - luge of

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Un. di - vine speech the sweet and de-light-ful riv - er
G
F of di - vine teach - ings the firm - ness
G of loft - y el - o - quence and rhet - o - ric,
F
G those lips that thun - dered from Heav - en, and the tongue that
E *Un.* *F* *G*
breathed fire, the deep treas - ur - y of wis - dom,
G *F* *G*
the preach - er of God the Word, and
Un. *G*
glo - ry of all the faith - ful.
Un. *G* *Un.* *E*
3) As it is meet, let us all
G *Un.* *E*
ex - tol with our hymns th au - gust

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Un. *G* *G* *Un.* *E*

The - o - lo - gian, he who stood as guard of the flock

F *G* *Un.* *E*

of Christ, the all-wise hunter of sav -

G *F* *Un.* *E*

- age wolves, up - root - er of base - born tares

Un. *G*

of false - hood, the great - ly mar - vel - lous sow - er

F

of cor - rect doc - trines, the might - y

G *F*

scourge and pur - su - er of the her - e - tics,

G *E* *Un.* *F* *G*

him that by vig - i - lance in God hath in - creased the

E *Un.*

tal - - - ents that were giv - en him by Christ God,

G *F* *G*

en - light - en - ing all the world with

Un. *G*

teach - ings of god - ly ra - - - di - - - ance.

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