February 27th
Venerable Prokopios the Confessor of Decapolis
Stichera on Lord I have cried

Byzantine Mode 4
Special Melody: As one valiant

Adapted by Rassem El Massih

1) Be-ing made, O Pro-ko-pi-os, in the im-age of

2) To thy for-mer as-cet-ic feats, in the god-li-ness

3) For con-vict-ing the im-pious who in wick-ed un-

4) Scourging and through all forms of punish-ments

God Him-self and that an- cient like-ness of
of thy mind thou didst add thy strug-gles in
god-li-ness set at nought the dread In-car-

our first fash-ion-ing, with zeal thou strov-est in
con-test af-ter-wards; and through them both, thou wast
na-tion of the Word, thou wast made per-fect through

pi-er-ty of thought and in chas-ti-ty
pleas-ing to thy Mak-er, Who doth de-mand

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to preserve the dignity of that image through nought from us save purity and nobility while in prisons and in bonds, through which thou didst con-

pu - ri - ty of thy sov' reign mind, through ab - stain - ing from of the soul; and in wor - thi - ly glo - ri - fy - ing His - firm the truth. Hence, O right-eous one, thou be - cam - est an

pas - sions, through ob - serv - ing Christ's com - mand - ments, O all - ad - vent in the flesh, thou didst re - vere the ho - ly heir of joy un - told, il - lu - mi - na - tion ev - er -

-bless - ed, in true re - li - gion and up - right faith. i - con that doth por - tray His hu - man - i - ty. -last - ing, and of the King - dom of Je - sus Christ.