

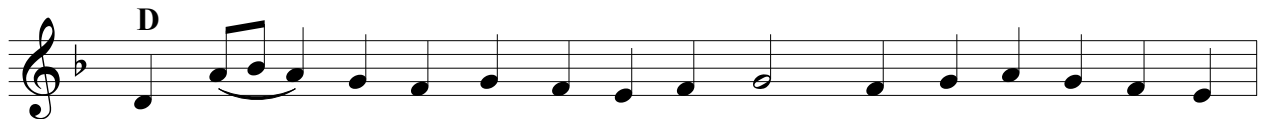
May 12th

# Germanos, Patriarch of Constantinople

## Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

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

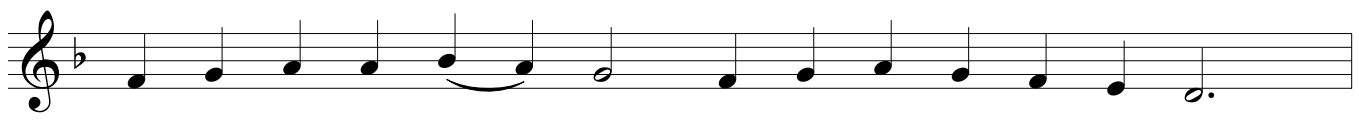
Adapted by Dn. John El Massih



1) Thou might - i - ly threw - est to the ground wretch - ed Le - o's sav - age



pride, O great Ger - man - os, for it was filled with all im - pi - e - ty;



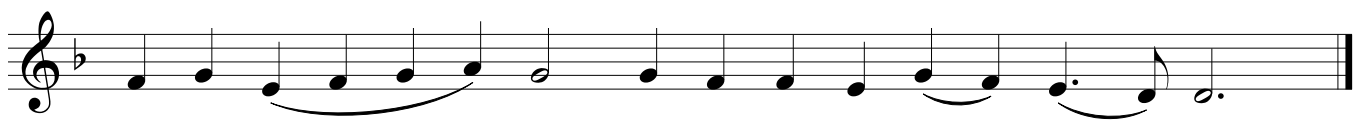
he de - nied the wor - ship of the sa - cred im - ag - es



of Christ and all the Saints;\_ and al - though he was con -



- vict - ed by\_ thy words, O re - veal - er of the things of God,



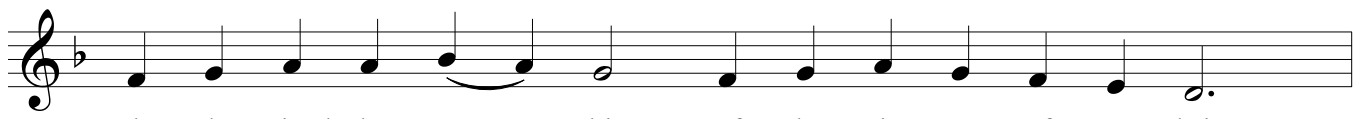
be - ing fool - ish, he a - bode in fool - ish - ness.



2) That li - on, that ā - the - ist and beast, that pre - cur - sor of thē

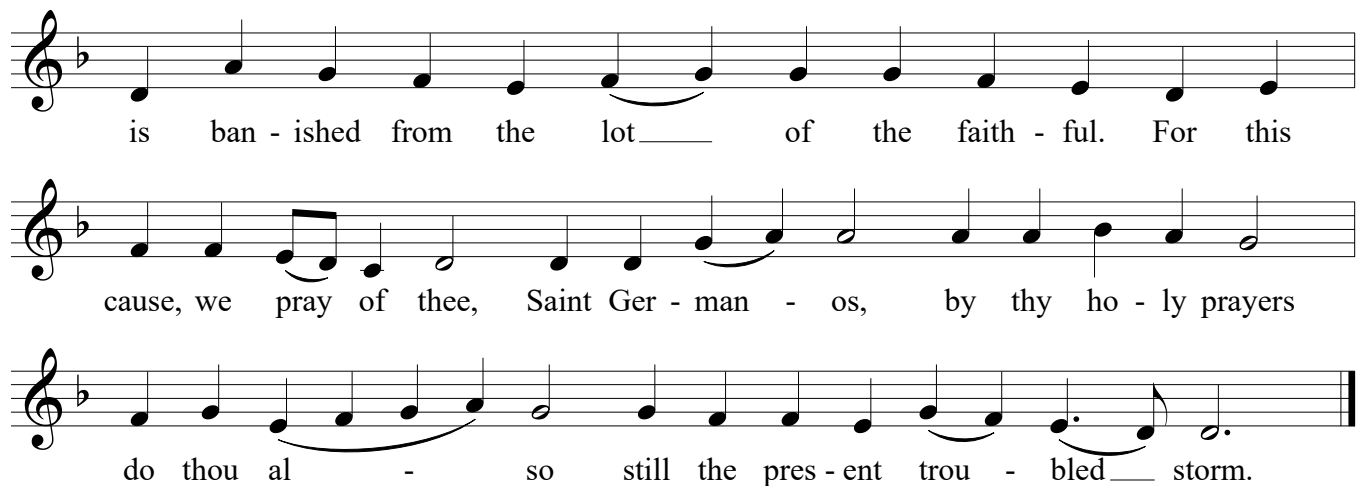


An - ti - christ, the mis - 'ra - ble Le - o, who was hate - ful un - to God,



who de - spised the wor - ship of thē i - con of our Christ,

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is ban - ished from the lot of the faith - ful. For this  
cause, we pray of thee, Saint Ger - man - os, by thy ho - ly prayers  
do thou al - so still the pres - ent trou - bled storm.



3) Most cer - tain - ly hast thou now ob - tained the de - sire that thou didst



yearn for from a - far, blest Ger - man - os, who didst teach the things of God;




for with ho - ly bold - ness and with priest - ly maj - es - ty



art thou gone to thy Mas - ter and, stand - ing in His



pres - ence, thou hast joy, be - ing de - i - fied ē - ter - nal - ly,



as thou ask - est that the world be grant - ed peace.