

August 1st

# The Seven Holy Maccabees, their Teacher Eleazar and their Mother Solomone

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

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

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1) No tyr - an - ny shook the loft - y roof of the Law, which was held



high on sev - en pil - lars; for when the no - ble breth-ren one in mind,



who were faith - ful keep - ers of wise Mos - es' or - a - cles,



had giv - en up their bod - ies to them that cut and



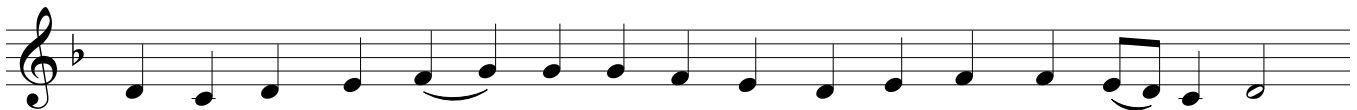
tor - tured them, the youths bare the sense - less rage of their pro - fane



per - se - cu - tor with un - daunt - ed man - li - ness.



2) The god - ly and no - ble sev - en youths tru - ly lift - ed up their



minds a - bove things vis - i - ble as their flesh - ly limbs were hewn a - way.



For they, with their moth - er of di - vine and pi - ous mind,

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