Nektarios of Aegina and Pentapolis, the Wonderworker

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"-1st Set

Byzantine Chant Tone 1

Special Melody: O strange wonder

1) O stranger wonder! In these latter times, blazing bright with splendor, the all-wise Nektarios hath shone out upon the world like a most brilliant lamp, while making the faithful shine with the divine Gospel's saving and guiding light. By means of his godly words, his blameless conduct, and the power of love for Thee, and how it lifted a God-pleasing way of life. For this cause, the Holy Spirit man to the heights by grace. Wherefore by his intercessions pillar and ground of truth. And we cry to Christ our Savior glorified him mightily, and he freely doth heal all grant for forgiveness of our sins and Thy peace, which is perfect, Wondrous is Thy love for man, for Thou gavest Thy servant who invoke him with undoubting faith. unto us, Thou Who art more than good. as a comforter in all our griefs.

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