

December 24th

The Holy Righteous Martyr Eugenia & Her Companions

Stichera on "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Tone 2
Special Melody: *When he took thee*

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1) Guid - ed by the prov - i - dence of God, which fore-knew thee,
2) *When* — thou *didst* be - come the bride of Christ, with a read - y
3) Shin - ing with the Spir - it's ho - ly light, thou dost of - fer



thou, O Eu - gen - ia, left - est the cit - y be - hind,
heart thou *didst* of - fer thy faith - ful ser - vants to Him
as an ob - la - tion a choir of vir - gins to Christ,



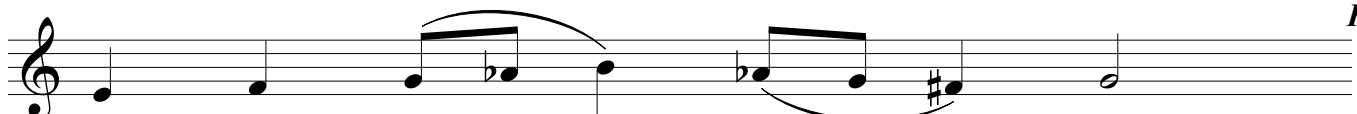
pru - dent - ly a - ban - don - ing all the de -
as a liv - ing dow - ry; for by grace and
hav - ing caught them with the wis - dom of thy



- light of life; and on hear - ing de - light - ful strains
fer - vent — faith they did ea - ger - ly em - u - late
ho - ly words; for in show - ing the road to them



of psalms be - ing chant - ed, thou wast then il - lu - mined with the
thine own stead - fast cour - age; and, O wise Eu - gen - ia, they both
that lead - eth to Heav - en, thou didst move them all to be made



light of knowl - edge of God;
shone forth o - pen - ly,
bright with Mar - tyrs' blood.

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and hav - ing con - ceived fear in thy _____ womb,
prac - ticed in all man - ner of vir - tue,
 Where - fore, as with them thou now danc - est,

thou didst bring forth for thy com - pan - ions
tru - ly be - ing god - ly wise Mar - tyrs
 thou, O laud - ed Mar - tyr, hast found _____ there

the Di - vine and sav - ing Spir - it _____ of the Lord.
who preached right re - li - gion in thē _____ ears of all.
 glad - ness cor - re - spond - ing to thy _____ heart's de - sire.