

From the Octoechos

Wednesday Vespers - Tone 4

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Mode 4

Special Melody: As one valiant

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Un.

2) Spread-ing out the net of the Faith in the form of the

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Cross, O Christ, Thy di - vine A - pos - - tles' au -

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-gust twelve - num - bered band caught all the na - tions and

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drew them up to knowl - edge, while dry - ing up

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the whole bit - ter brin - y sea of the pas - - sions; and

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for this cause I be - seech of Thee: Call me up from the

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deep of my trans - gres - sions and in - iq - ui - ties, per -

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-saud - ed by their su - preme - ly well-pleas - ing prayers.

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Un.

-noint - ed thee that thou, as the Bish - op of

My - ra, shouldst a - noint the earth en - tire with the

fra - grance of thy vir - tues and drive a - way

noi - some pas - sions at all times by thy sweet - smell - ing

prayers to God, O most sa - cred one; for this cause we now

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faith - ful - ly ex - tol thee and we hon - or the all -

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- ho - ly day of thy mem - 'ry, O Nich - o - las.

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