

From the Pentecostarion
The Friday after Pentecost

(Sung on Thursday evening)

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Chant Tone/Mode 4
Special Melody: *Unto them that fear thee*

Adapted by Dn. John El Massih

1) Thē All - ho - ly Spir - it, — Who in truth di - vid - eth the
gifts to all hath de - scend - ed up - on thē earth, not
as He had for - mer - ly, shin - ing in the Proph - ets
through the Law's dark shad - ow, but now is giv - en in all truth
to us through Christ's me - di - a - tion for our sakes. Thus
let us pu - ri - fy our hearts with vir - tues and so re -
- ceive His true vis - i - ta - tion and blest de - scent,
be - ing mys - ti - c'ly lit in mind.

The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff. It begins with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a time signature of 4/4. The melody is marked with 'E' (E-flat) and 'Un.' (Unison). The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words underlined. The score ends with a double bar line.

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E Un. E

2) Thine All - ho - ly Spir - it — take not from us; rath - er, O

Friend of man, do Thou grant that we, hav - ing all lived

G E

wor - thi - ly of Thy grace, might here - by in - her - it

full com - mun - ion with Him for ev - er in our soul and heart,

par - tic - i - pat - ing un - ceas - ing - ly in Him while

be - ing hal - lowed tem - ples and bless - ed a - bodes of the

G E

Com - fort - er, O Lord Je - sus, Who art our God,

the di - vine — Sav - ior of our souls.

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E Un. E

3) Thē All - ho - ly Spir - it Who doth ev - er sanc - ti - fy

all that is, let us pi - ous - ly praise in song, while

G E

cry - ing a - loud with faith: Thou Who by the Fa - ther's

good will now hast en - tered the world, de - part Thou not from us

who of - fer wor - ship to Thy Di - vin - i - ty. But

show us forth as tem - ples of Thy good - ness great and un -

G E

-speak - a - ble; and come, sanc - ti - fy all of those

who in faith chant in praise of Thee.