

Stichera on "Lord, I Call"

Penitential Stichera from the Octoechos - Sunday Evening

Sticheron 1
Tone 7

Common Chant
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano Alto

Tenor Bass

Like the Prod - i - gal I come and fall be - fore You, O Lord:

Detailed description: This system shows the first line of music for Sticheron 1. It features two vocal staves: Soprano/Alto (treble clef) and Tenor/Bass (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The Soprano/Alto part consists of a series of chords and single notes, while the Tenor/Bass part provides a harmonic accompaniment with similar rhythmic patterns. The lyrics are: "Like the Prod - i - gal I come and fall be - fore You, O Lord:"

ac - cept me as one of Your hired ser - vants, // and have mercy

Detailed description: This system shows the second line of music. The Soprano/Alto part continues with chords and notes, and the Tenor/Bass part provides accompaniment. The lyrics are: "ac - cept me as one of Your hired ser - vants, // and have mercy".

on me, O com - pas - sion - ate One!

Detailed description: This system shows the third line of music, ending with a double bar line. The Soprano/Alto part concludes with a final chord, and the Tenor/Bass part provides accompaniment. The lyrics are: "on me, O com - pas - sion - ate One!".

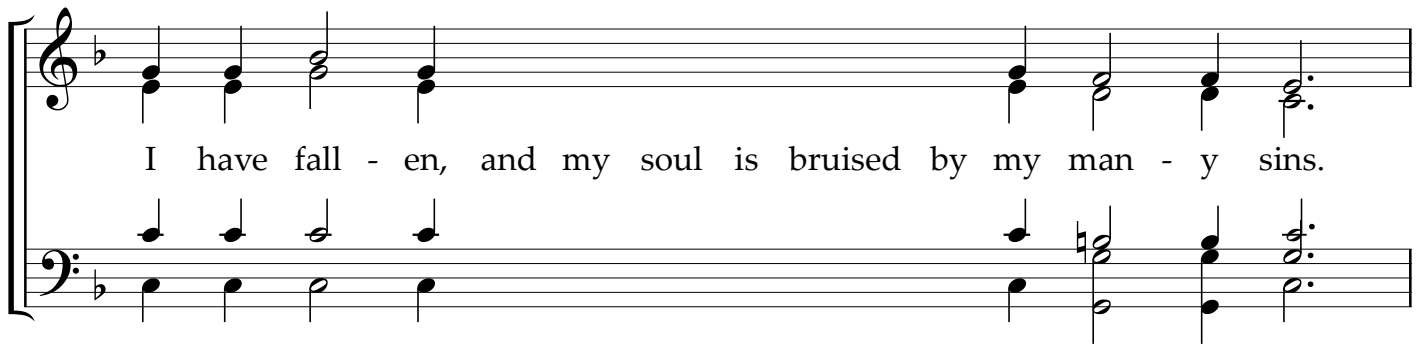
Sticheron 2

Soprano Alto

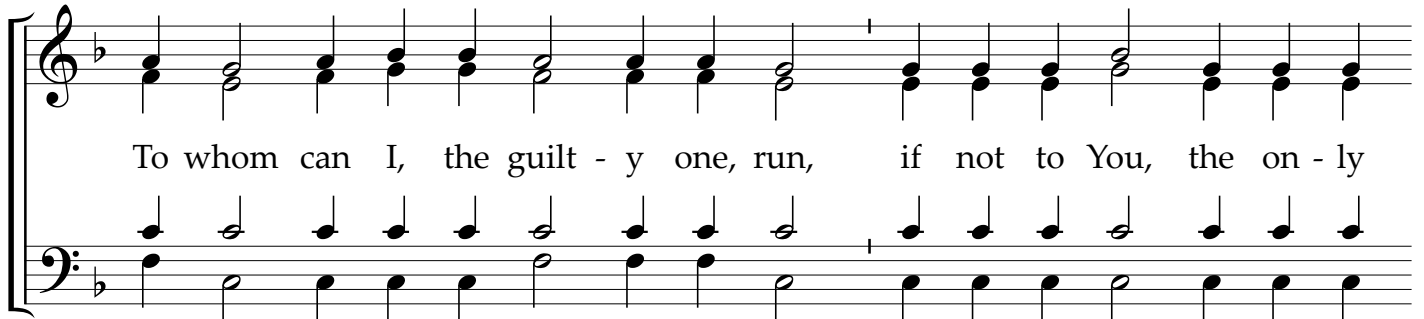
Tenor Bass

Like the man who fell among thieves and was wound - ed,

Detailed description: This system shows the first line of music for Sticheron 2. It features two vocal staves: Soprano/Alto (treble clef) and Tenor/Bass (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The Soprano/Alto part consists of a series of chords and single notes, while the Tenor/Bass part provides a harmonic accompaniment with similar rhythmic patterns. The lyrics are: "Like the man who fell among thieves and was wound - ed,"



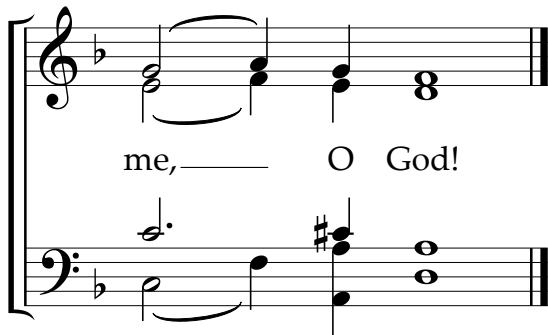
I have fall - en, and my soul is bruised by my man - y sins.



To whom can I, the guilt - y one, run, if not to You, the on - ly



merciful Phy - si - cian of our souls? // Pour out Your great mer - cy on



me, — O God!

Sticheron 3



Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

O Sav - ior, sin - ner that I am, do not cut me

down like the barren fig tree! But grant me for-give-ness all

the year long, wa-tering my soul with tears of re-pent-ance, //

that I may bring forth acts of mer-cy as fruit— for You!

Sticheron 4

Soprano
Alto

Tenor
Bass

Since You are the Sun of right-eous-ness, en-light-en and guide the

hearts of those who cry out to You: // "O Lord, glo-ry to You!"