

April 26, 2011
BRIGHT TUESDAY
The Holy Apostle and Evangelist Mark

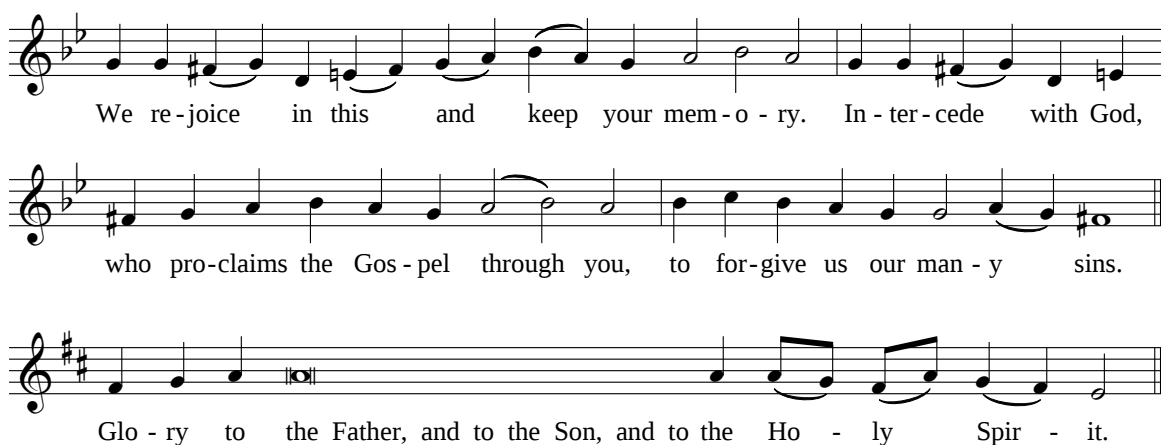
All as on Pascha, except for the troparia, kontakia, prokeimena, alleluia, and Communion Hymns:

Troparion of Pascha - Special Tone 5

Christ is ris - en from the dead! By death he tram - pled Death;
and to those in the tombs he grant - ed life.

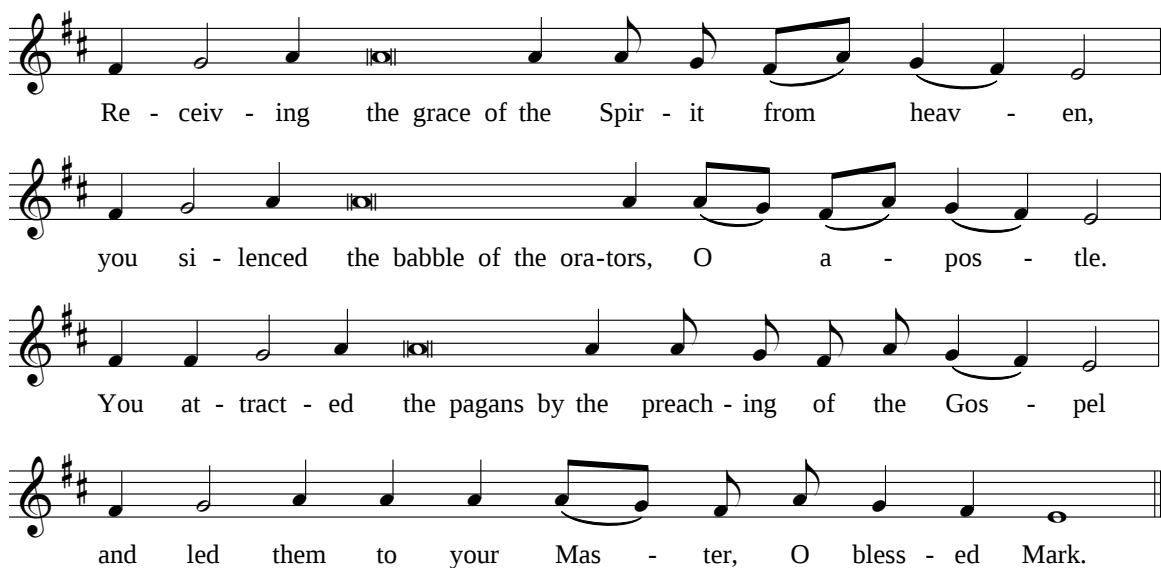
Troparion of the holy apostle and evangelist Mark - Tone 3:

You be - came an a - pos - tle of Christ through the teach - ings of Pe - ter,
and you trav - eled like the sun o - ver for - eign lands. You fa - thered
the Al - ex - an - dri - ans in Christ, O bless - ed saint, and, by you, E - gpt
was set free from her mis - takes. You guide us all like a bea - con, O Mark,
voice of God. You are a pil - lar of the Church by your gos - pel teach - ing.



We re-joice in this and keep your mem-o-ry. In-ter-cede with God,
 who pro-claims the Gos-pel through you, to for-give us our man-y sins.
 Glo-ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir-it.

Kontakion of the holy apostle and evangelist Mark - Tone 4:



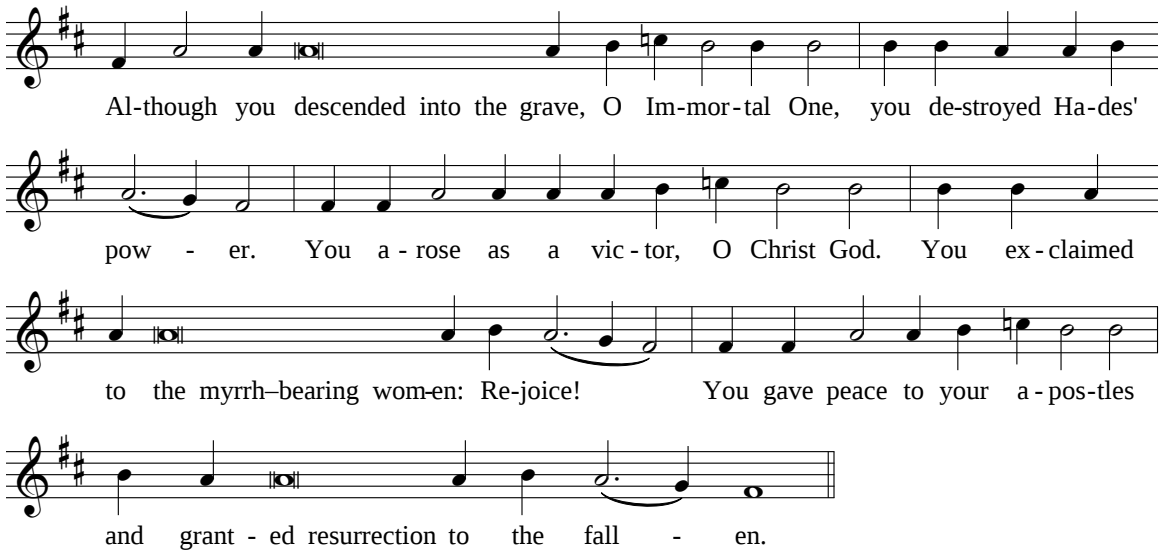
Re- ceiv - ing the grace of the Spir - it from heav - en,
 you si - lenced the babble of the ora-tors, O a - pos - tle.
 You at - tract - ed the pagans by the preach - ing of the Gos - pel
 and led them to your Mas - ter, O bless - ed Mark.

Cantor



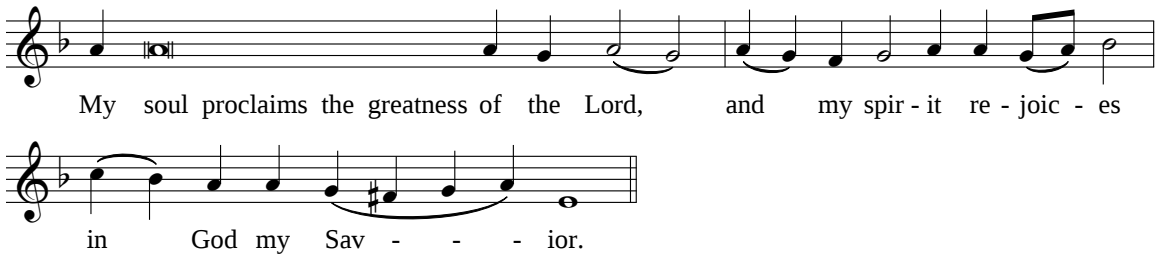
Now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - men.

Kontakion of Pascha - Tone 8:



Al-though you descended into the grave, O Im-mor-tal One, you de-destroyed Ha-des'
pow - er. You a - rose as a vic - tor, O Christ God. You ex - claimed
to the myrrh-bearing wom-en: Re-joice! You gave peace to your a - pos-tles
and grant - ed resurrection to the fall - en.

Prokeimenon of Bright Tuesday - Tone 3 (Luke 1:46-48):



My soul proclaims the greatness of the Lord, and my spir - it re - joic - es
in God my Sav - - - ior.

Verse: For he has looked with favor on the humility of his servant;
from this day forward, all generations will call me blessed.
and then immediately:

Prokeimenon of an apostle - Tone 8 (Psalm 18:5,2):



Through all the earth their voice re - sounds; their mes-sage reach - es
to the ends of the world.

Alleluia of Bright Tuesday - Tone 8 (Psalm 131:8,11)



Verse: Go up, Lord, to your rest, you and your holy ark.

Verse: The Lord swore a true oath to David; he will not go back on his word.

and then immediately:

Alleluia of an apostle - Tone 1 (Psalm 88:6,8):



Verse: The heavens declare your wonders, O Lord, and your truth in the assembly of the holy.

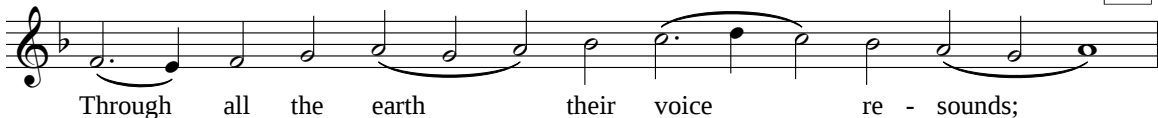
[**Verse:** God is glorified in the council of the holy, great and awesome above all who surround him.]

Communion Hymn of Pascha (*music on pages 168-169*)

Receive the body of Christ; drink the source of immortality. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Communion Hymn for an apostle (Psalm 18:5):

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Refrain

