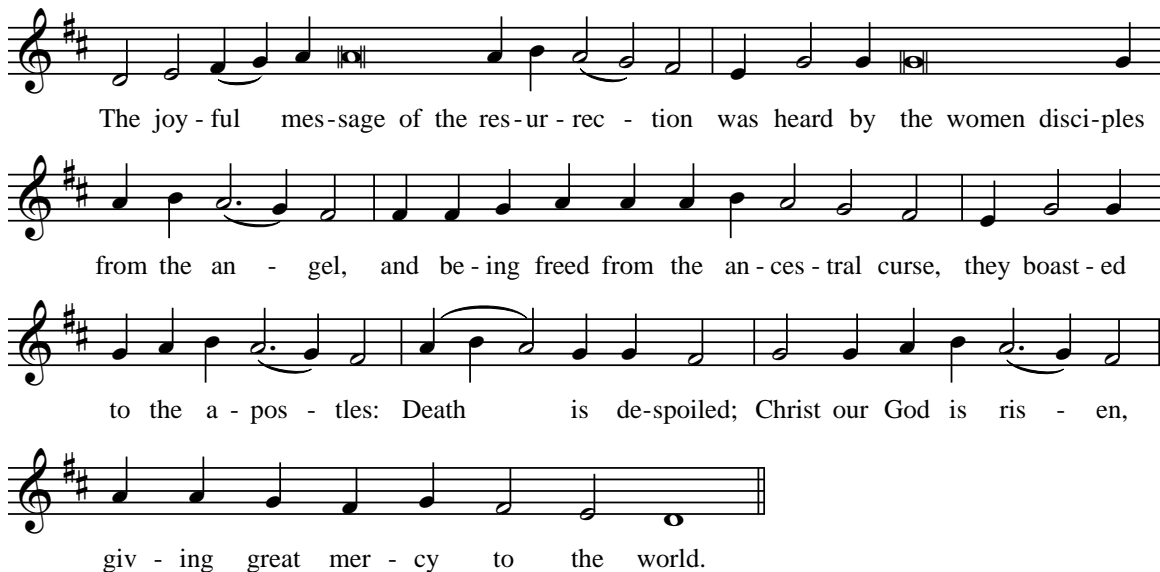


Divine Liturgy Propers, October 9, 2016
TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

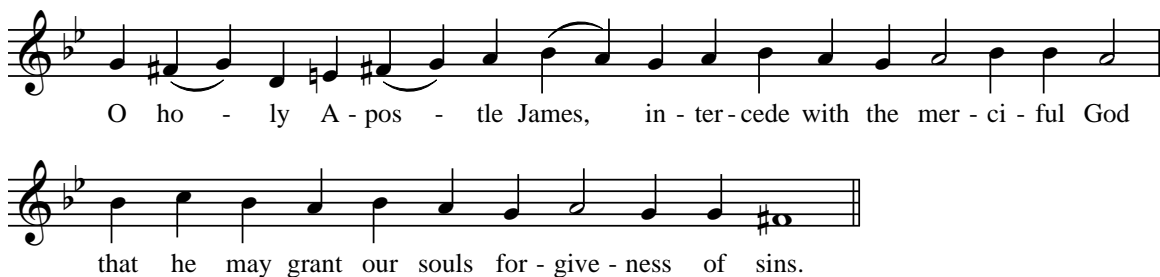
The holy apostle James Alpheus was one of the Twelve, a witness of the true words and miracles of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, a witness of his passion, resurrection, and ascension. After the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost, it fell to James to preach the Gospel in Eleutheropolis and the surrounding area. He suffered in Egypt in the town of Ostracina, being crucified by the pagans.

Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 4



The joy - ful mes - sage of the res - ur - rec - tion was heard by the women disci - ples
from the an - gel, and be - ing freed from the an - ces - tral curse, they boast - ed
to the a - pos - tles: Death is de - spoiled; Christ our God is ris - en,
giv - ing great mer - cy to the world.

Troparion of the holy apostle James Alpheus - Tone 3



O ho - ly A - pos - tle James, in - ter - cede with the mer - ci - ful God
that he may grant our souls for - give - ness of sins.

Cantor



Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it.

Kontakion of the Resurrection - Tone 4



O my Sav-ior and Re - deem - er, as God, you raised from the grave all those



who were in chains and de-destroyed the gates of Ha - des, and, as Lord, you



a - rose on the third day.

Cantor



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

Kontakion of the holy apostle James Alpheus - Tone 2



Let us ex - tol James with prais - es as a her - ald of God, for he



im - planted the true faith deep-ly in the souls of all. Now he stands be - fore the



throne of the Mas - ter and re - joic - es in the com - pa - ny of an - gels,



pray - ing for all of us un - ceas - ing - ly.

Note: the second kontakion (of the apostle) is optional. If it is omitted, sing the Kontakion of the Resurrection after "Glory... now and ever..." in Tone 4:

Cantor

Glo-ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir - it, now and ever
and for - ev - er. A - men.

Prokeimenon of the Resurrection - Tone 4 (Psalm 103:24,1):

How man - y are your works, O Lord. In wis - dom you have made them all.
In wis - dom you have made them all.

Verse: Bless the Lord, my soul. Lord my God, how great you are.
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 the Resurrection - Tone 4 (Psalm 44:5,8):



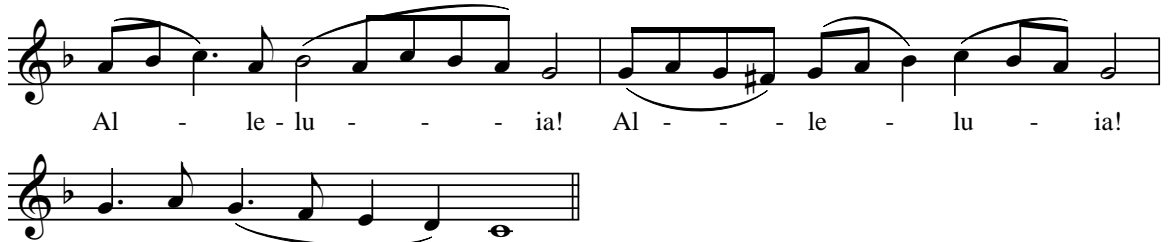
Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - - - ia.

Verse: Go forth; triumph and reign for the sake of truth and meekness and justice.

Verse: You love justice and hate wickedness.

and then immediately:

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



Al - le - lu - - - ia! Al - - - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - - - ia!

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

Communion Hymns:

For Sunday, the usual Communion Hymn is (Psalm 148:1): (music found on pages 78-81)

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise him in the highest. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

And for an Apostle, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 18:5):

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Through all the earth their voice re - sounds; their mes - sage rea - ches

Refrain

to the ends of the world. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!