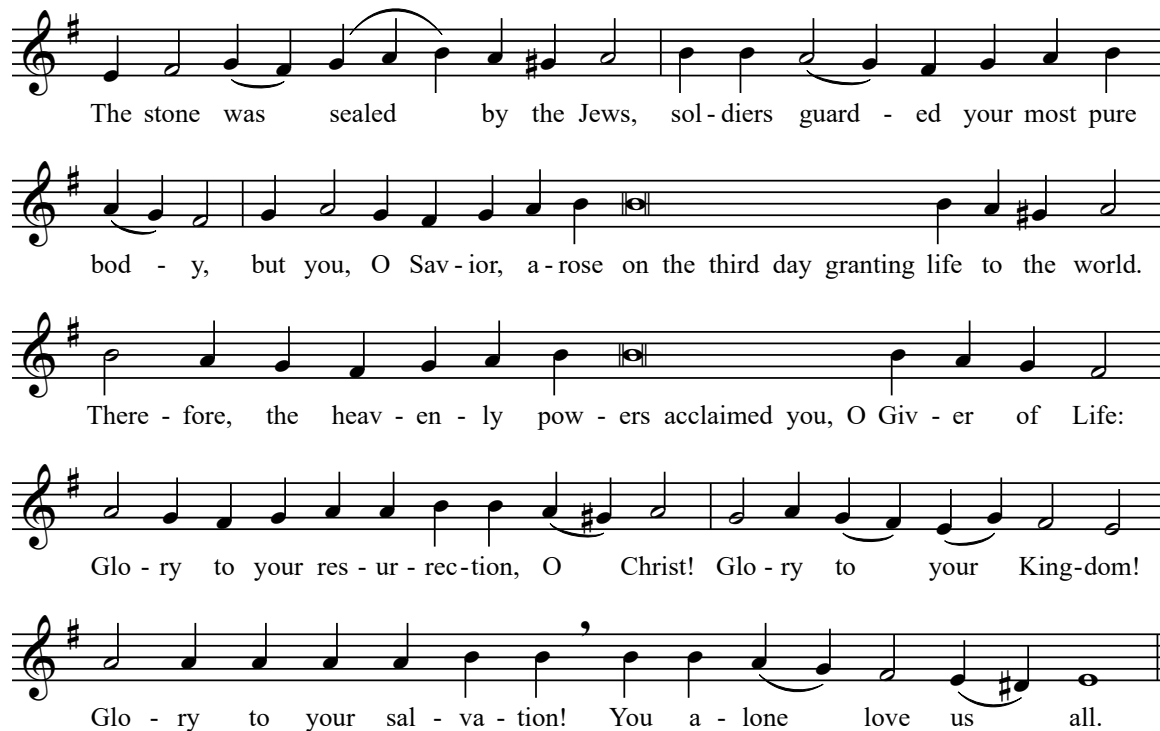


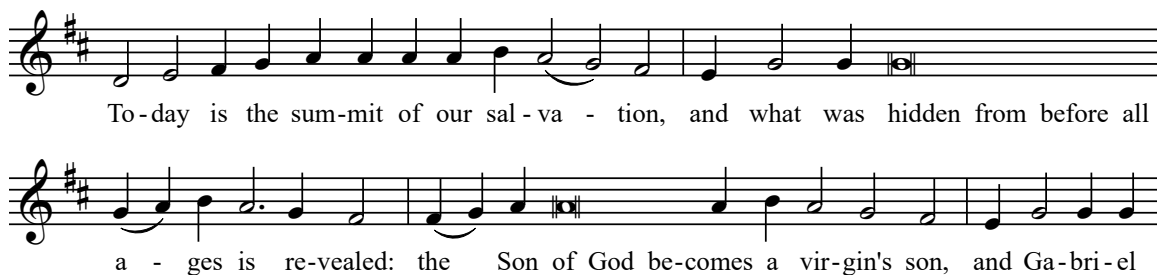
**Divine Liturgy Propers, March 26, 2023**  
**Fifth Sunday of the Great Fast**  
**Leave-taking of the Annunciation; Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel**

**Troparion of the Resurrection - *Tone 1***



The stone was sealed by the Jews, sol-diers guard - ed your most pure  
bod - y, but you, O Sav-ior, a-rose on the third day granting life to the world.  
There - fore, the heav - en - ly pow - ers acclaimed you, O Giv - er of Life:  
Glo - ry to your res - ur - rec-tion, O Christ! Glo - ry to your King-dom!  
Glo - ry to your sal - va - tion! You a - lone love us all.

**Troparion of the Annunciation - *Tone 4:***



To-day is the sum-mit of our sal-va - tion, and what was hidden from before all  
a - ges is re-vealed: the Son of God be-comes a vir-gin's son, and Ga-bri-el

**Troparion of the Synaxis of Gabriel - *Tone 4***



an-noun-ces the good news of grace. There - fore, let us exclaim with him to the



The-o - to - kos: Re-joyce, O Full of Grace, the Lord is with you.

**Troparion of the Synaxis of Gabriel - Tone 4**



Lead-ers of the heav-en - ly ar - mies, al-though we are unworthy, we al-ways



be-seech you to for-ti - fy us by your pray'rs and to shel-ter us beneath



the wings of your sub-lime glo - ry. Watch over us who bow to you and cry out



fer-vent-ly: De-liv - er us from dan - ger, for you are the com-mand - ers



of the pow - ers on high.

*Cantor*

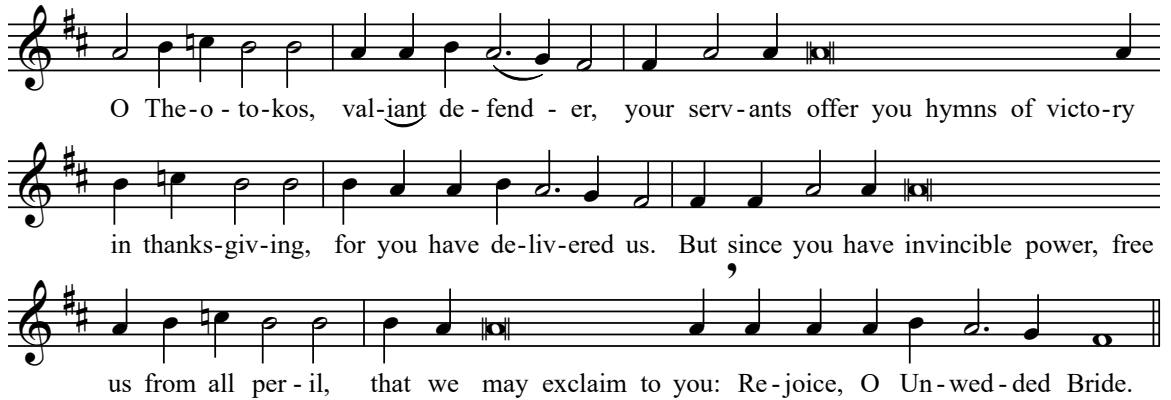


Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it.



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

**Kontakion of the Annunciation - Tone 8**



O The-o - to-kos, val-iant de - fend - er, your serv-ants offer you hymns of victo-ry  
in thanks-giv-ing, for you have de-liv-ered us. But since you have invincible power, free  
us from all per-il, that we may exclaim to you: Re-joice, O Un-wed-ded Bride.

**Prokeimenon of the Resurrection - Tone 1 (Psalm 32: 22, 1):**



May your mer - cy, O Lord, be up - on us, may your mer - cy  
be up - on us who have placed our hope in you.

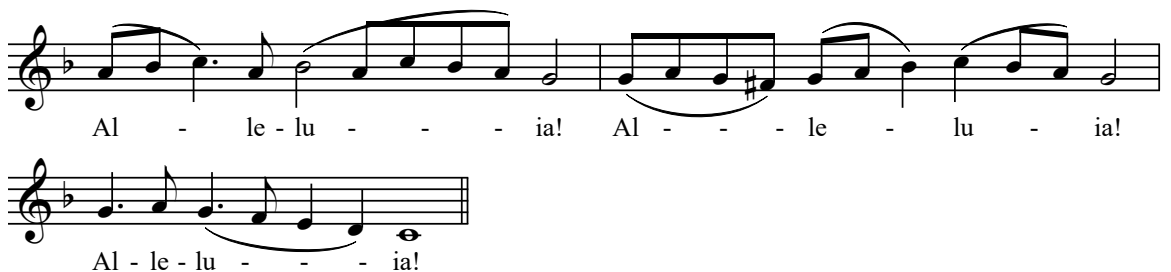
*Verse:* Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous ones; praise from the upright is fitting.  
*and then immediately after the verse:*

**Prokeimenon of the Annunciation - Tone 4 (Psalm 95:2):**



Day af-ter day an-ounce the good news of our God's sal - va - tion.

**Alleluia of the Resurrection - Tone 1 (Psalm 17: 48, 51):**



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

**Verse:** God grants me vindication and subdues peoples under me.

**Verse:** He has given great victories to his king and has shown love for David, his anointed, and his descendants forever.

*Additional verses for the Annunciation (Psalm 71:6,17):*

**Verse:** He will descend like rain on the meadows, like raindrops on the earth.

[**Verse:** May his name be blessed forever, more enduring than the sun.]

*Instead of "It is truly proper . . .":*

**Magnification:** *(music found on pages 98 / 102)*

In you, O Woman Full of Grace, all creation rejoices: the angels in their ranks and the human race. Sanctified Temple and Rational Paradise, Boast of Virgins from whom our God took flesh and became a child while remaining God from before all time. He made your womb a throne, setting it apart, a room more spacious than the heavens. In you, O Woman Full of Grace, all creation rejoices. Glory to you!

**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 the leave-taking, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 131:13):*

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The Lord has cho - sen Zi - on; he pre - fers her for his dwell - ing.

*Refrain*

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