

**Vesper Propers for the
SUNDAY OF THE PUBLICAN AND THE PHARISEE**

Supplement for The Order of Vespers for Sundays after Pentecost, 2006

Lamplighting Psalms in the Tone of the Week, stichera 10-4.

Cantor: Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.
(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

Stichera of the Publican and Pharisee - Tone 1 samohlasen

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O faith-ful, let us not pray as the Phar-i-see, for those who exalt themselves
shall be hum - bled. Let us hum-ble our-selves be-fore God, and with the
Pub-li-can let us say: "Lord have mer-cy on me a sin - ner."

Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations; **Psalm 116**
(on 2) acclaim him, all you peoples!
All repeat: "O faithful, let us not pray as the Pharisee..."

Cantor: Strong is the love of the Lord for us;
(on 1) he is faithful forever.

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The Phar-i-see, o-ver-come with his pride, and the Pub-lican, bent down in
re-pent - ance, came be-fore you, the on-ly Lord; the first trusted in himself

and was deprived of your bless - ings; the oth - er spoke but a few words and
 received your blessings in a - bun - dance. Be - hold my tears and strengthen me, O
 Christ our God, for you are in - deed the Lov - er of us all.

Cantor: (Tone 8) Glory...

Doxastikon - Tone 8 samohlasen

O al - might - y Lord, I real - ize the pow - er of tears; they saved Hezekiah from the
 gates of death; by them, the sinful woman was forgiv - en all her sins;
 and through them, the Publican was justified but the Phar - i - see was not.
 Num - ber me with them, O Lord, and have mer - cy on me.

Cantor: (Tone of the Week) Now and ever...

Dogmatikon in the Tone of the Week.

Aposticha

Aposticha in the Tone of the Week, concluding with:

Cantor: (Tone 5) Glory...

Aposticha doxastikon of the Publican and Pharisee - Tone 5 samohlasi

Be - cause of my sins, my eyes are weight - ed down, and I can no longer raise
them up to see the light of heav - en. But grant that I may re - pent like the
Pub - li - can: O Lord, have mer - cy on me.

Cantor: Now and ever...

Aposticha theotokion in the same tone (Tone 5, p. 79).

Troparion and theotokion in the Tone of the Week.