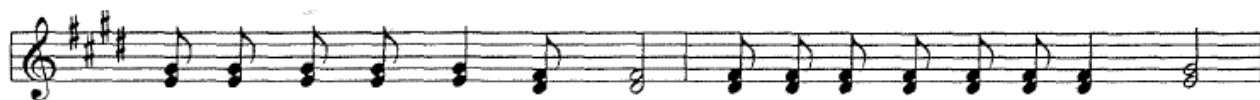


ASCENSION OF OUR LORD

First Antiphon:



All you peo-ples, clap your hands; shout to God with cries of glad - ness!



Through the prayers of the Mo - ther of God* O Sa - vior, save us.



For the Lord, the Most High, the awe-some,* is the great king o - ver all the earth.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.



He brings peo-ple un - der us;* na - tions un - der our feet.

Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.



The Lord mounts his throne a - mid shouts of joy;*



the Lord a - mid trum - pet blasts.

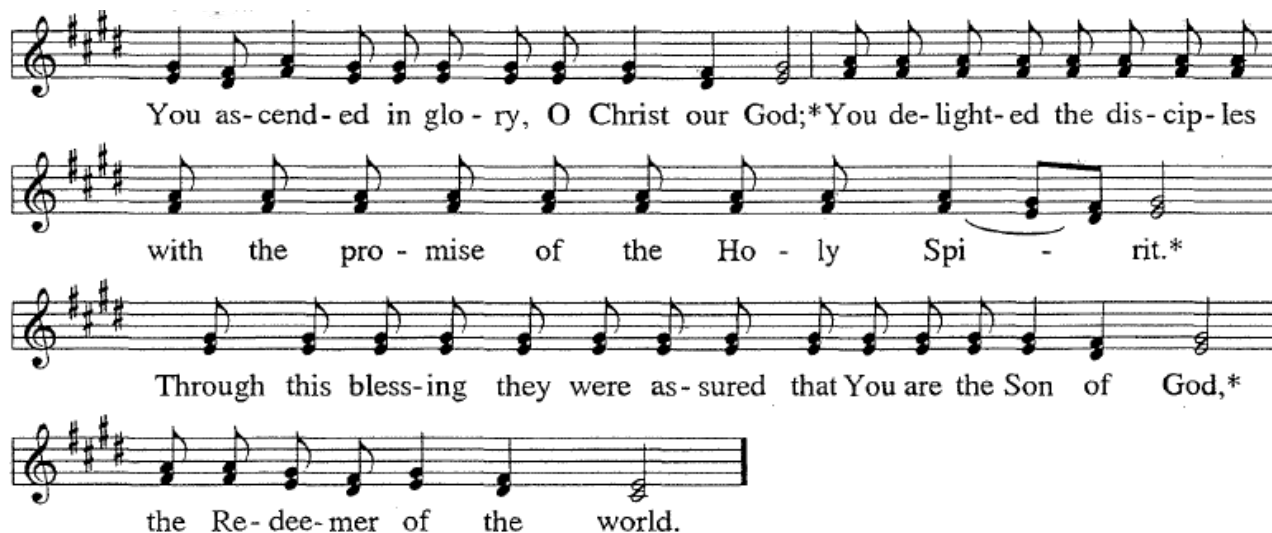
Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

Glory be . . . now and forever . . . Only Begotten Son . . .

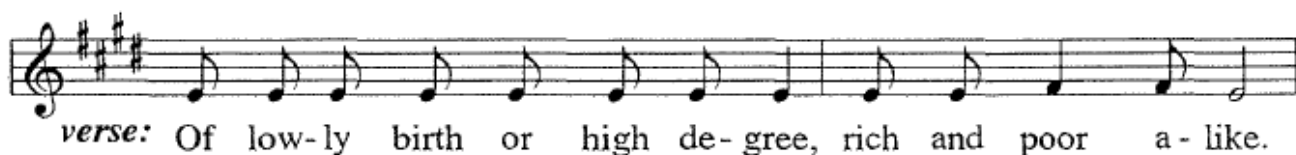
Third Antiphon:



verse: Hear this, all you peo - ples; hear - ken, all who dwell in the world.

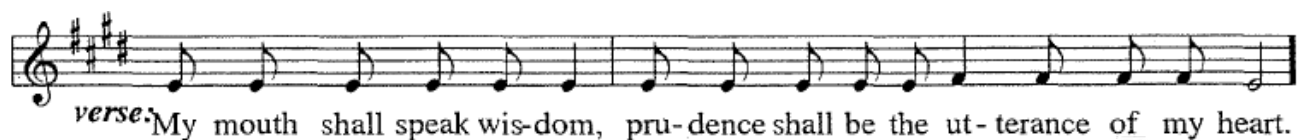
Tropar, tone 4:


You as-cend-ed in glo-ry, O Christ our God;* You de-light-ed the dis-cip-les
with the pro-mise of the Ho-ly Spi-rit.*
Through this bless-ing they were as-sured that You are the Son of God,*
the Re-dee-mer of the world.



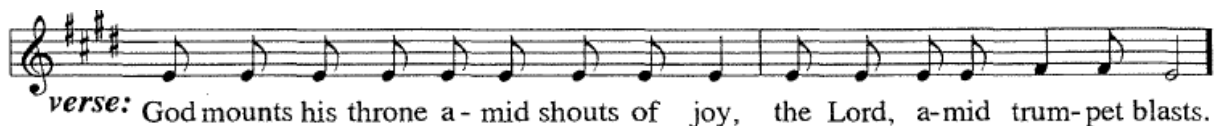
verse: Of low-ly birth or high de-gree, rich and poor a-like.

Tropar, tone 4: You ascended in glory, O Christ our God...



verse: My mouth shall speak wis-dom, pru-dence shall be the ut-terance of my heart.

Tropar, tone 4: You ascended in glory, O Christ our God...

At the Small Entrance:


verse: God mounts his throne a-mid shouts of joy, the Lord, a-mid trum-pet blasts.

Tropar, tone 4: You ascended in glory, O Christ our God...

Glory be . . . (Tone 6)

Glo-ry be to the Fa-ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spi-rit; now and
for e-ver and e-ver. A-men!

Kondak, tone 6:

When you ful-filled the plan of sal - va - tion for us* and un - i - ted all things on earth
to those in hea-ven, O Christ our God,* You as - cend - ed in glo - ry, ne-
ver leav - ing us, but re - main - ing ev - er - pre - sent.*
For You pro - claimed to those who love You:* "I am with you and no one else
has power ov-er you."

Prokimen, tone 7:

Be ex - alt-ed, O God, a - bove the hea - vens; a - bove all the earth be your
glo - ry.

Verse: My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast; I will sing and chant your praise.

Prokimen: Be exalted, O God, above the heavens; above all the earth be your glory.

Alleluia & Verses:

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

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

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

al - le - lu - ia.

Verse: The Lord mounts his throne amid shouts of joy, the Lord amid trumpet blasts.

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

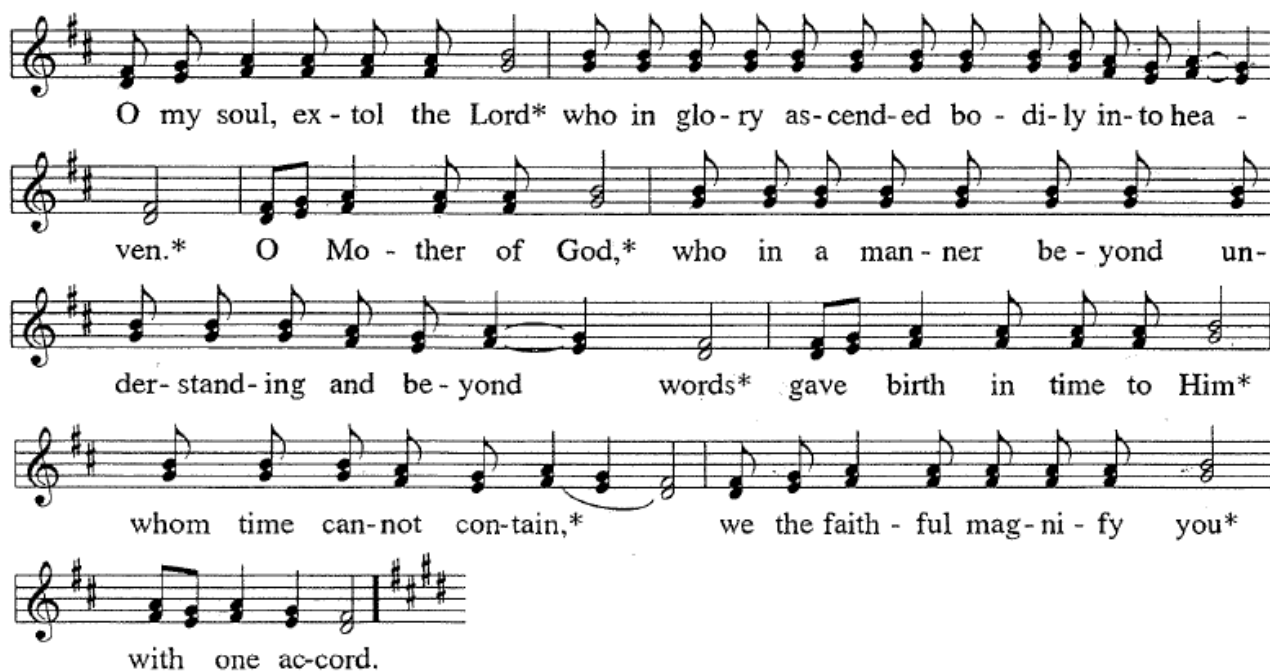
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Verse: All you peoples, clap your hands, shout to God with cries of gladness.

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

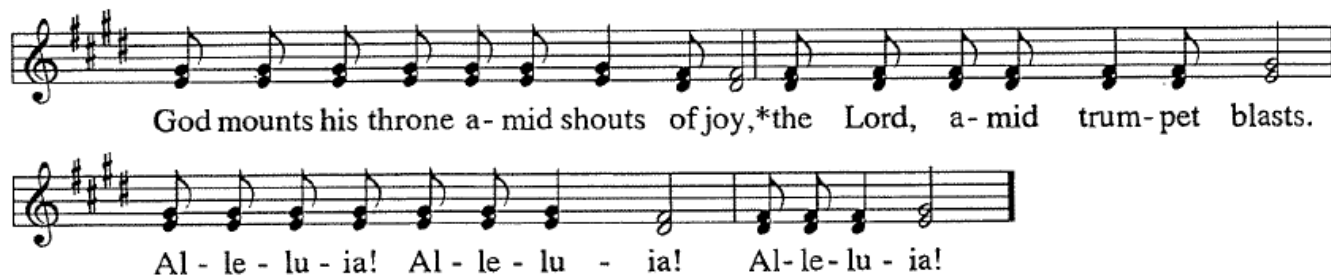
lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

Instead of "It is truly right...":



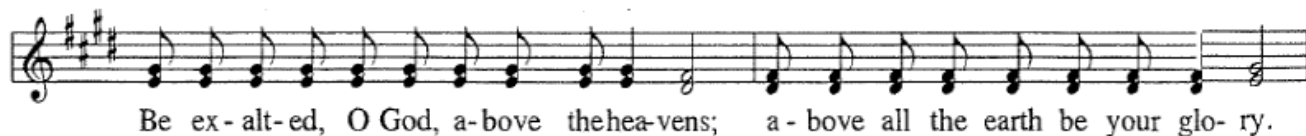
O my soul, ex - tol the Lord* who in glo - ry as - cend - ed bo - di - ly in - to hea -
 ven.* O Mo - ther of God,* who in a man - ner be - yond un -
 der - stand - ing and be - yond words* gave birth in time to Him*
 whom time can - not con - tain,* we the faith - ful mag - ni - fy you*
 with one ac - cord.

Communion Verse:



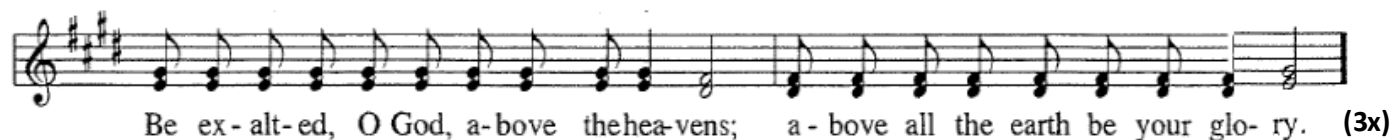
God mounts his throne a - mid shouts of joy,* the Lord, a - mid trum - pet blasts.
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Instead of "We have seen...":



Be ex - alt - ed, O God, a - bove the hea - vens; a - bove all the earth be your glo - ry.

Instead of "May our mouths...":



Be ex - alt - ed, O God, a - bove the hea - vens; a - bove all the earth be your glo - ry. (3x)