

Alleluia - Tone 1 (Psalm 49:1,5):

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

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**Verse:** The God of gods, the Lord, has spoken and summoned the earth from the rising of the sun to its setting.

**Verse:** Gather before him his righteous ones who have made a covenant with him by sacrifice.

Communion Hymn for Sundays, melody B, page 78

And for the Council Fathers, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 32:1):

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Re - joi - ce in the Lord, you right - eous ones;

praise from the up - right, the up - right is fit - ting.

Refrain

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

October 11, 2009  
SUNDAY OF THE FATHERS  
AT THE SEVENTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

Hymn

melody: Kol slaven nas / How great the glory

1. Come, all you faith - ful, sing praise with glad - ness!  
2. As in the Law the Sab - bath was hon - ored,  
3. The Fa - thers taught that Je - sus our Sav - ior  
4. Give grace, O God, that in our liv - ing

On this glad day our hymns we raise For  
So in the Sev - en Coun - cils we see The  
Was tru - ly God and tru - ly a man; The  
We live these teach - ings out ev - 'ry day, Pro -

those who taught the True Faith with bold - ness;  
teach - ings blest which coun - sel and guide us,  
use of i - cons in our wor - ship  
claim - ing Christ to ev - - 'ry per - son,

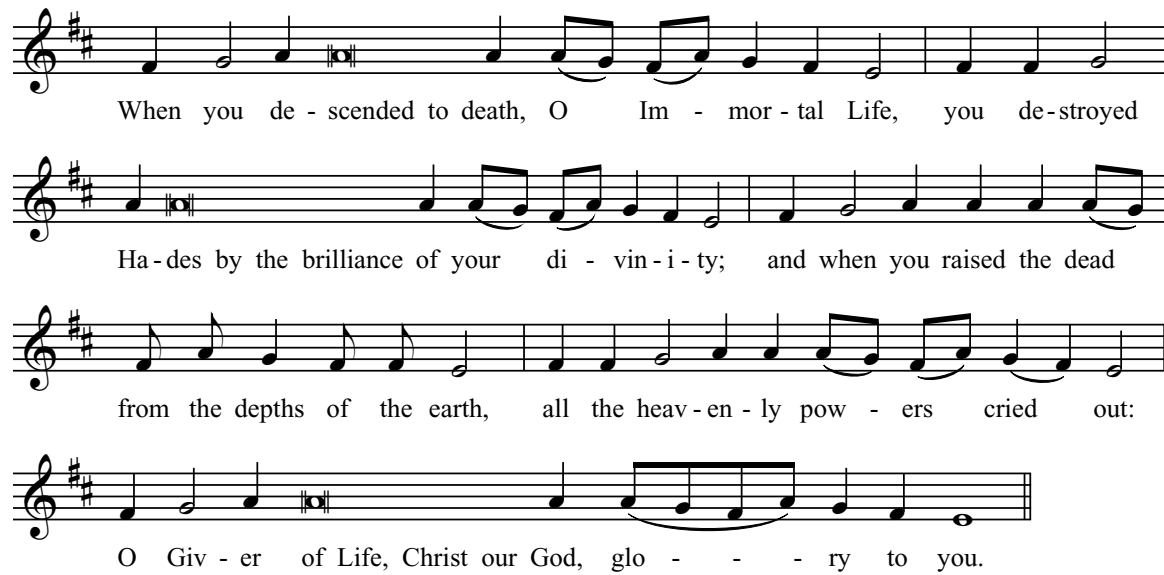
For their strong wit - ness all their days.  
Preach - ing the Ho - ly Trin - i - - - ty!  
Now shows our faith in God's great plan.  
Show - ing Your love in ev - 'ry way.

Refrain

O Fa - ther, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it,

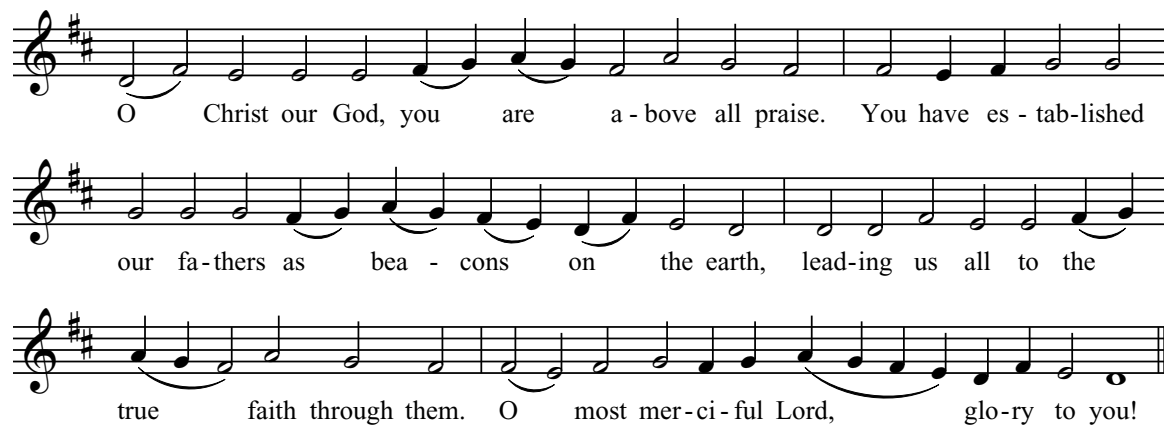
As we were taught, so now do we wor - ship you!

**Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 2**



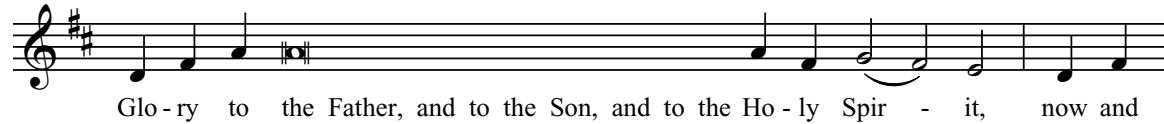
When you de - scended to death, O Im - mor - tal Life, you de-destroyed  
 Ha-des by the brilliance of your di - vin - i - ty; and when you raised the dead  
 from the depths of the earth, all the heav - en - ly pow - ers cried out:  
 O Giv - er of Life, Christ our God, glo - - - ry to you.

**Troparion of the Council Fathers - Tone 8**



O Christ our God, you are a - bove all praise. You have es - tab - lished  
 our fa - thers as bea - cons on the earth, lead - ing us all to the  
 true faith through them. O most mer - ci - ful Lord, glo - ry to you!

*Cantor*

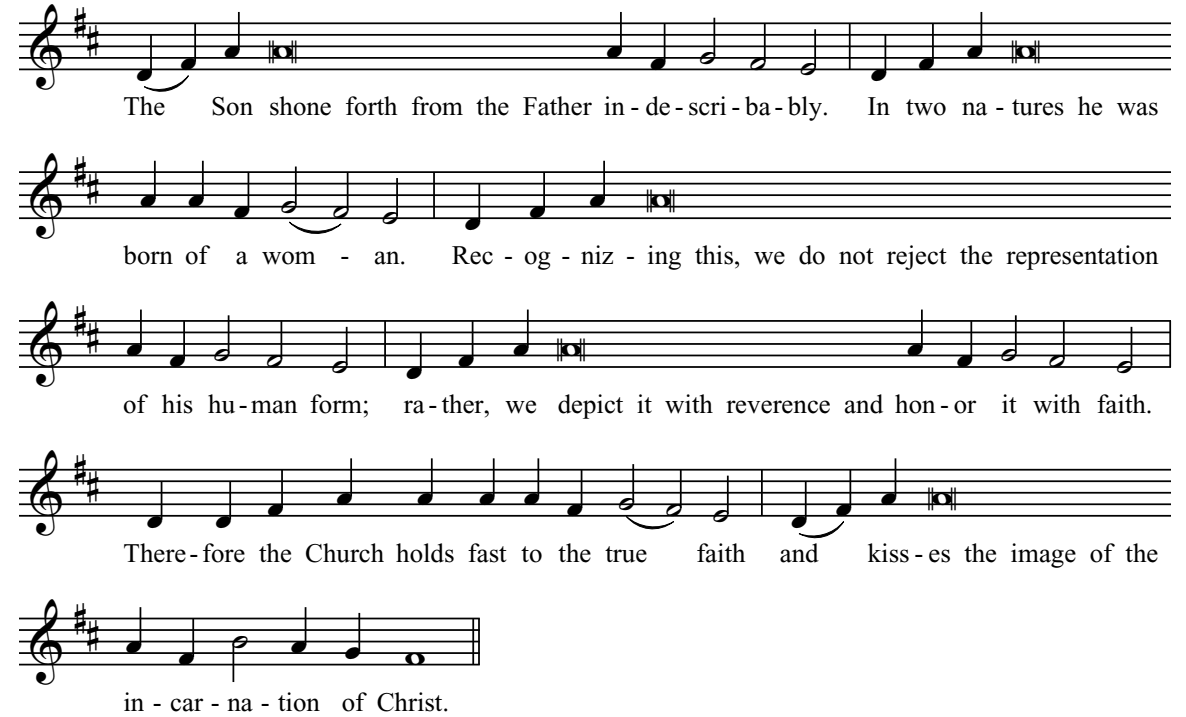


Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it, now and



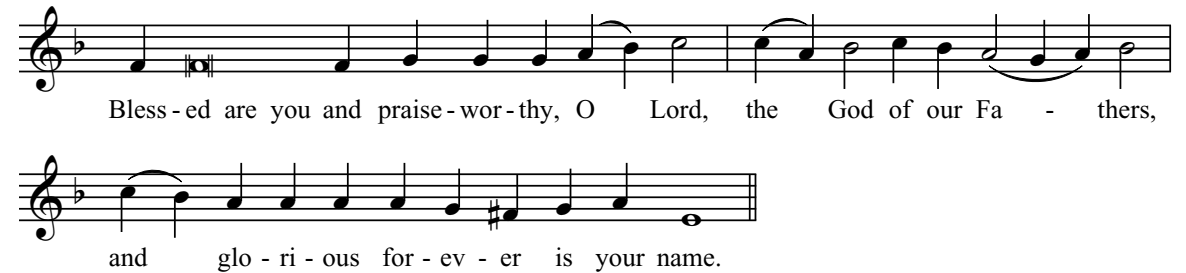
ev - er and for - ev - er. A - - men.

**Kontakion - Tone 6**



The Son shone forth from the Father in - de - scri - ba - bly. In two na - tures he was  
 born of a wom - an. Rec - og - niz - ing this, we do not reject the representation  
 of his hu - man form; ra - ther, we depict it with reverence and hon - or it with faith.  
 There - fore the Church holds fast to the true faith and kiss - es the image of the  
 in - car - na - tion of Christ.

**Prokeimenon - Tone 4 (Daniel 3:26,27):**



Bless - ed are you and praise - wor - thy, O Lord, the God of our Fa - thers,  
 and glo - ri - ous for - ev - er is your name.

**Verse:** For you are just in all that you have done for us.