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Prokeimenon for the Third Sunday, p.10.

Aposticha of the Third Sunday, p. 75.

Vespers Propers on the Evening of the  
Third Sunday of the Great Fast  
March 20, 2022

**Our venerable father and confessor James, bishop of Catania**, who died in the Iconoclastic persecutions. (8th century)

**Supplement for The Order of Vespers on Sunday Evening for the Sunday of Forgiveness (Cheesefare Sunday) and the Sundays of the Great Fast.**

*Psalm 140 and Stichera of Forgiveness in the tone of the week (Tone 2, p. 26)*

*Stichera of the Third Sunday of the Fast, p. 72. Then:*

(on 3) Tone 4 samohlasen

Cantor

Be-cause with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemp-tion, Is - ra - el

indeed he will re-deem from all its in - i - qui - ty.

**Stichera of our venerable father James of Catania - Tone 4 samohlasen**

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You desired a good re-pu - ta - tion which is eternal and does not pass a-way.

You dis-dained glo - ry which is tem - porary and per - ish - a - ble. You fol-lowed

af - ter the Lord who was cru - ci - fied and brought your flesh into submis-sion

by fast - ing. There-fore we ce - le - brate your mem - o - ry, O James.

Cantor *(on 2)*