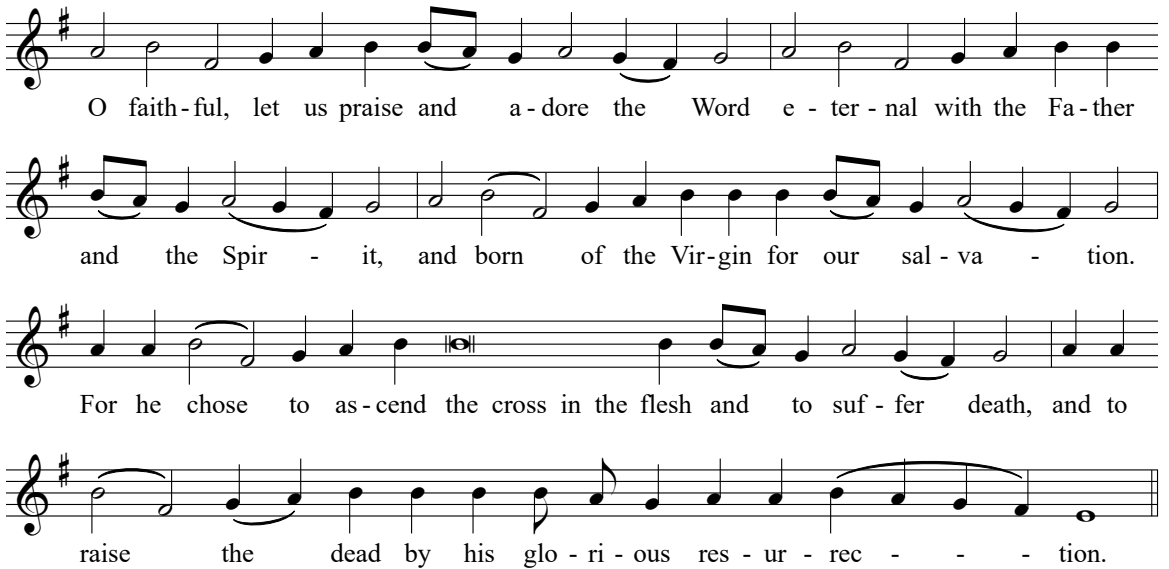


Divine Liturgy, July 20, 2025
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

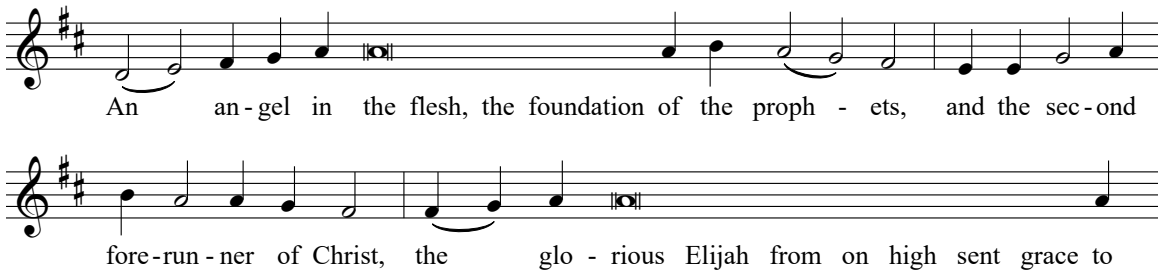
THE HOLY AND GLORIOUS PROPHET ELIJAH the Tishbite, who was a prophet of the Lord in the days of Ahab, the king of Israel and defended the rights of the one God against the unfaithful people with such a strength of spirit that he prefigured not only John the Baptist but even Christ himself. Written prophecies do not remain, but his memory is faithfully kept, especially on Mount Carmel.

Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 5



O faith-ful, let us praise and a-dore the Word e - ter - nal with the Fa - ther
and the Spir - it, and born of the Vir-gin for our sal - va - tion.
For he chose to as-cend the cross in the flesh and to suf - fer death, and to
raise the dead by his glo - ri - ous res - ur - rec - - - tion.

Troparion of the holy prophet Elijah - Tone 4:



An an-gel in the flesh, the foundation of the proph - ets, and the sec-ond
fore-run - ner of Christ, the glo - rious Elijah from on high sent grace to

E - li - sha to cure sick-ness-es and cleanse lep - ers. He like-wise

o - verflows with healing for those who hon - or him.

Cantor

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

Kontakion of the Resurrection - Tone 5

O Sav - ior, you de-scend-ed in - to Ha - des. You crushed its

gates as the Al - might - y. You raised the dead and destroyed the sting

of Death as the Cre - a - tor. You de - liv - ered Ad - am from the curse,

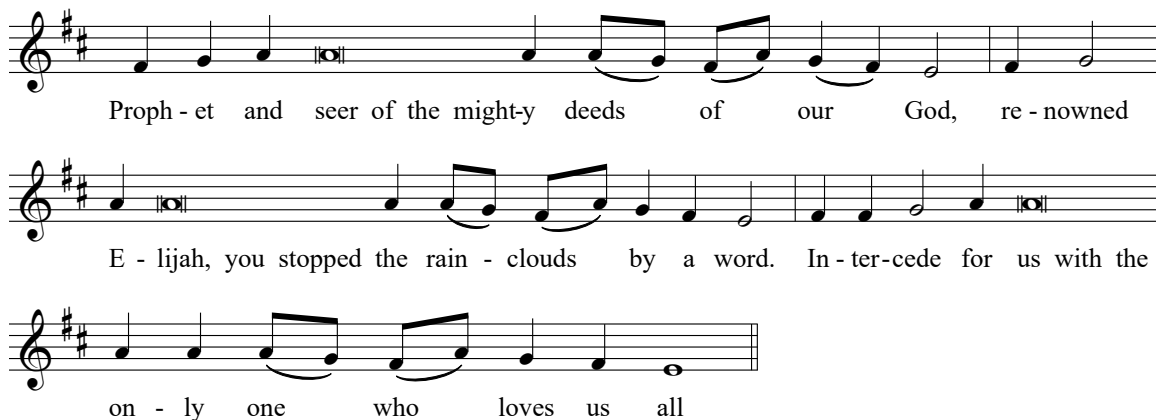
O Lov - er of us all; there-fore, all cry out to you, O Lord,

save us.

Cantor

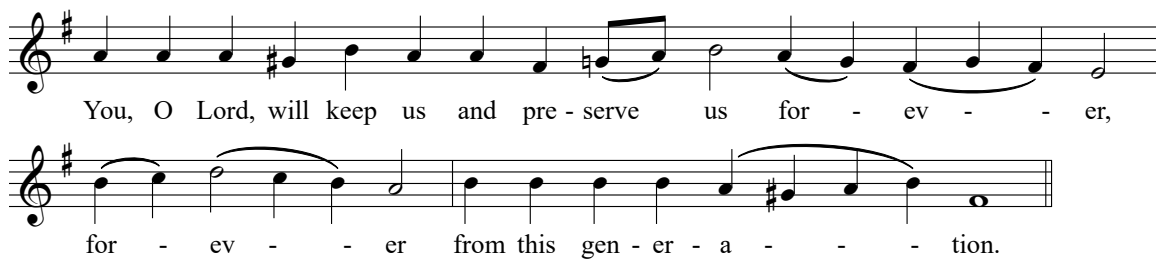
Now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - men.

Kontakion of the holy prophet Elijah - Tone 2:



Proph - et and seer of the might-y deeds of our God, re - nowned
E - lijah, you stopped the rain - clouds by a word. In - ter - cede for us with the
on - ly one who loves us all

Prokeimenon of the Resurrection - Tone 5 (Psalm 11:8,2):

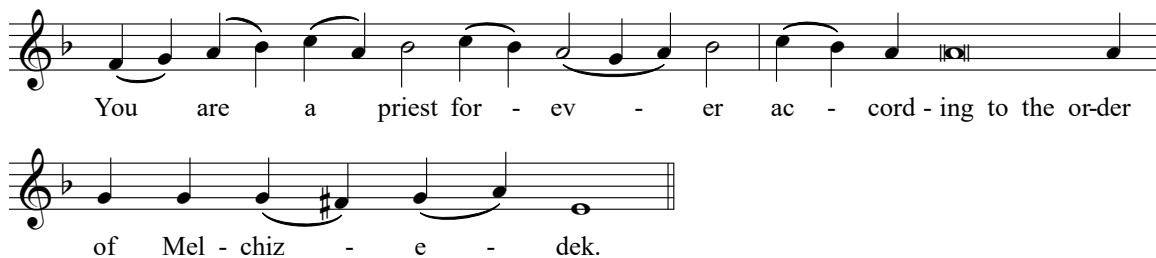


You, O Lord, will keep us and pre - serve us for - ev - - er,
for - ev - - er from this gen - er - a - - - tion.

Verse: Save me, O Lord, for the righteous have vanished.

And immediately after the verse:

Prokeimenon of Elijah - Tone 4 (Psalm 109:4,1):



You are a priest for - ev - - er ac - cord - ing to the or - der
of Mel - chiz - e - - dek.

Alleluia of the Resurrection - Tone 5 (Psalm 88:2,3):



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

Verse: I shall sing forever of your mercies, O Lord;
through all generations my mouth will proclaim your truth.

Verse: For you have said: Mercy is built to last forever.
Your truth is firmly established in heaven.

And immediately after the second verse of the Alleluia:

Alleluia of Elijah - Tone 4 (Psalm 98:6):



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

Verse: Moses and Aaron were among his priests;
Samuel was among those who called upon his name.

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 Prophet Elijah, the Communion Hymn is (Psalm 111:6,7):

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The just man will be re - mem - bered for - e - ver;



e - vil news he will not fear, e - vil news he will not fear, he will not fear.

Refrain



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