

Vesper Propers, September 6, 2026
Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost

The commemoration of the miracle of the Holy Archangel Michael at Colossae in Chionia. The archangel Michael worked a miracle of conversion and healing in this place, as well as a miracle of preservation of the site from flood. It is remembered each year on this date.

Supplement for The Order of Vespers for Sundays after Pentecost, 2005

Lamplighting Psalms in the Tone of the Week (Tone 6, p. 82), stichera 10-4.

Cantor: (Tone 4) Let the watchman count on daybreak
(on 4) and Israel on the Lord.

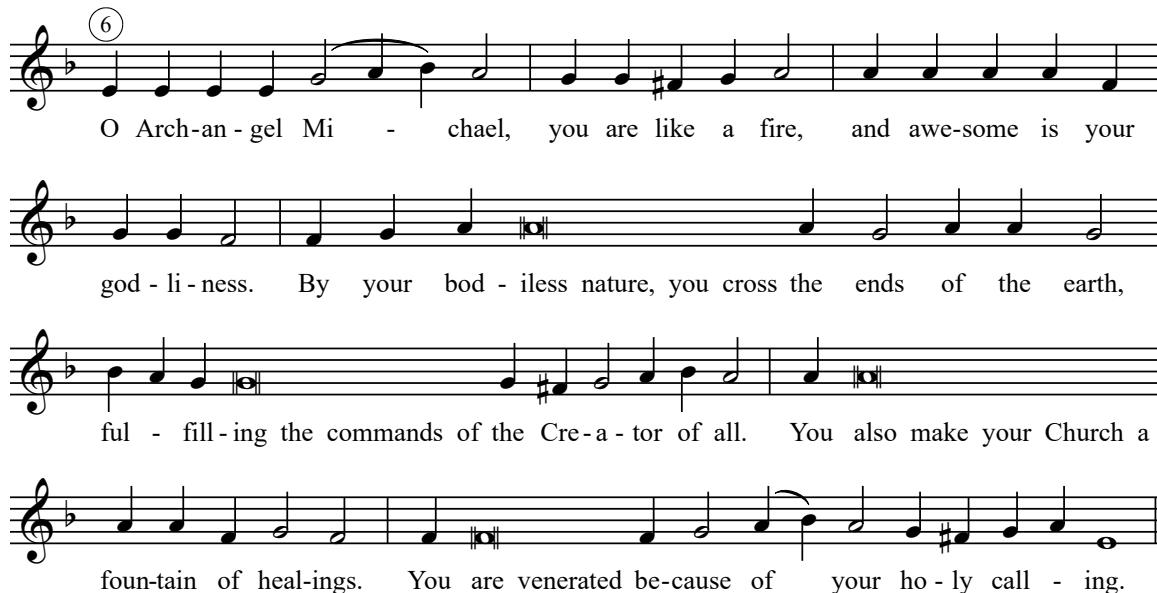
Stichera of the Archangel Michael - Tone 4 samohlasen

O Arch-an-gel Mi - chael, you showed yourself to be the great - est de-fend - er
of the thrice holy Source of Light. To - geth - er with the Pow'rs on high,
you joy - ful - ly call out: Ho - ly are you, O Fa - ther. Ho - ly are you,
O co - e - ter - nal Word. Ho - ly are you, O Ho - ly Spir - it.
You are the one glory, the one kingdom and one na - ture. You are the one
Di - vin - i - ty and Pow'r.

Cantor: Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption,
(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.
(Repeat "O archangel Michael, you showed yourself...")

Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations,
(on 2) acclaim him all you peoples!

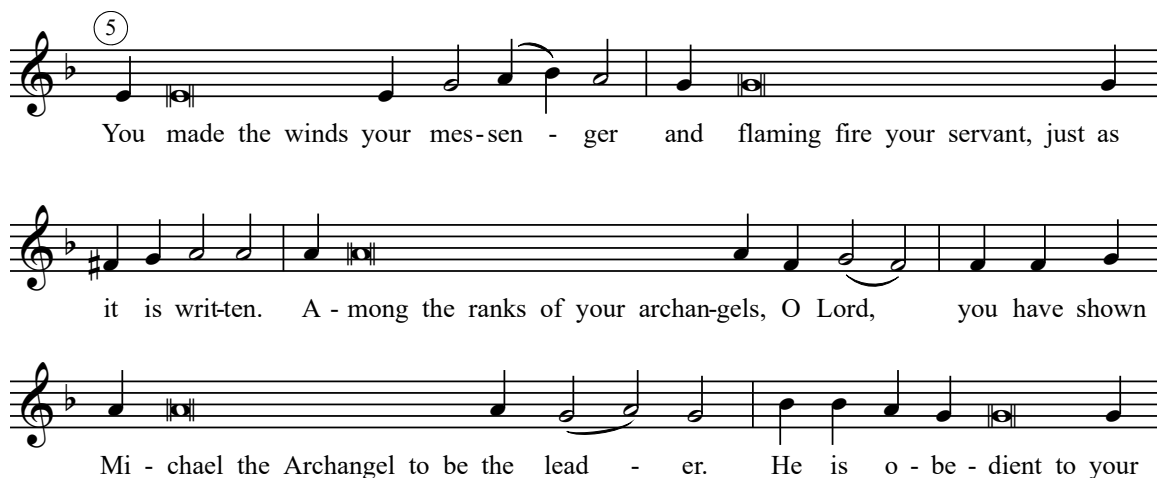
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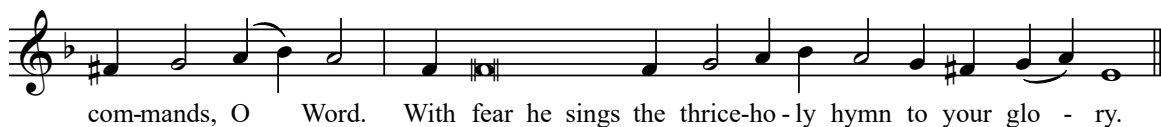
O Arch-an - gel Mi - chael, you are like a fire, and awe-some is your
god - li - ness. By your bod - iless nature, you cross the ends of the earth,
ful - fill - ing the commands of the Cre - a - tor of all. You also make your Church a
foun - tain of heal - ings. You are venerated be - cause of your ho - ly call - ing.

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

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You made the winds your mes - sen - ger and flaming fire your servant, just as
it is writ - ten. A - mong the ranks of your archan - gels, O Lord, you have shown
Mi - chael the Archangel to be the lead - er. He is o - be - dient to your



Cantor: (Tone 6) Glory...

Doxastikon of the Archangel Michael - Tone 6 samohlasen

Re - joice with us, all you leaders of the an-gels; for the great Archangel, your

cap-tain and our guard - i - an, ap-pears to day in his ho - ly church.

He won-drously watches over us and truly sanc-ti - fies this place. There-fore, dai-ly

sing - ing his praise, let us cry out to him: Keep us safe

by the protec-tion of your wings, O great Arch - an-gel Mi - chael.

Cantor: (Tone 6) Now and ever...

Dogmatikon in the Tone of the Week (Tone 6, page 87)

Aposticha

Aposticha in the Tone of the Week (Tone 6, page 88), concluding with:

Cantor: (Tone 8) Glory...now and ever...

Aposticha doxastikon of the Archangel Michael - Tone 8 samohlasen



O Arch-an-gel, since you are a sol - dier and lead-er of the heav-en - ly hosts
and the cap - tain of the angels, O glo - rious one, de - liv - er from ev - 'ry
wor - ry and care, from ill - ness - es and bit - ter sins, those who
faith - fully extol and be-seech you. You see the Lord who is Spir - it;
you are il - lu - mined by the unapproachable light of the Mas-ter's glo - ry.
For he, out of love for all peo - ple, be-came incarnate of the Vir - gin
for our sake. By this, he wished to save the hu - man race.

Troparia in the Tone of the week (Tone 5, p. 91).