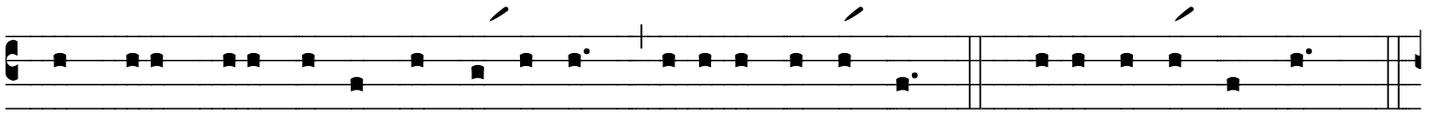
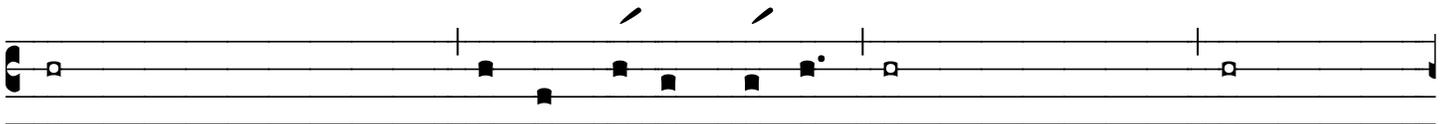


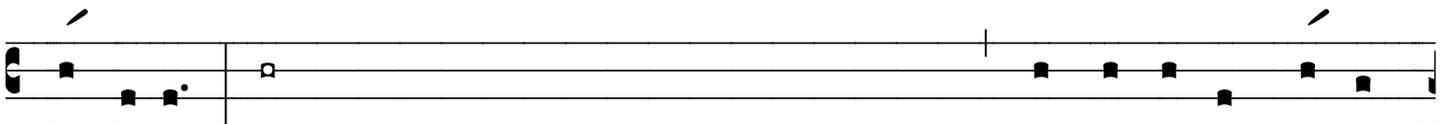
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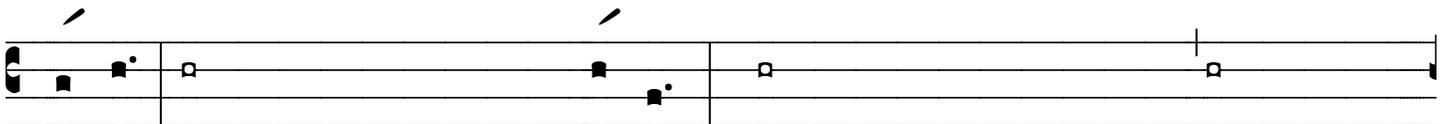
¶ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je-sus Christ according to Mat-thew. ✠ *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*



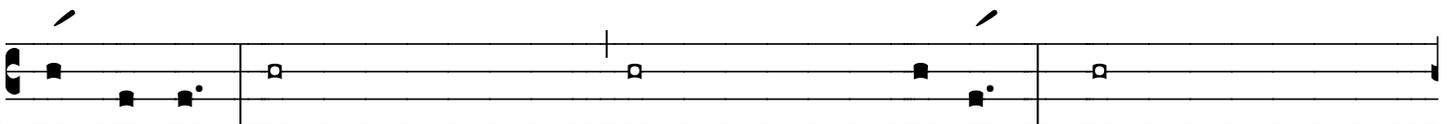
When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the moun-tain; and after he sat down, his disciples



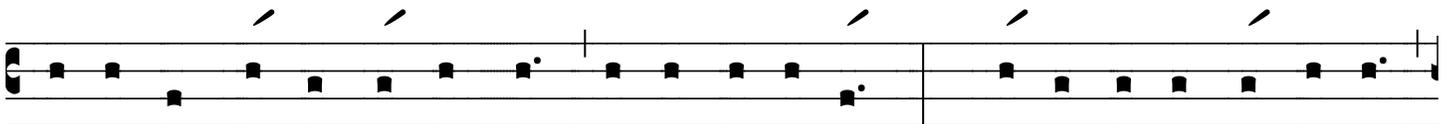
came to him. 2 Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying: 3 “Bles-sed are the poor in



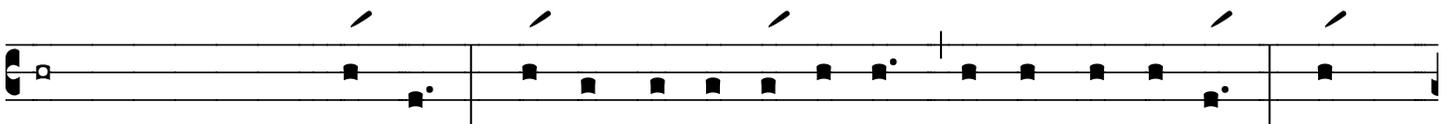
spir- it, for theirs is the kingdom of hea-ven. 4 “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be



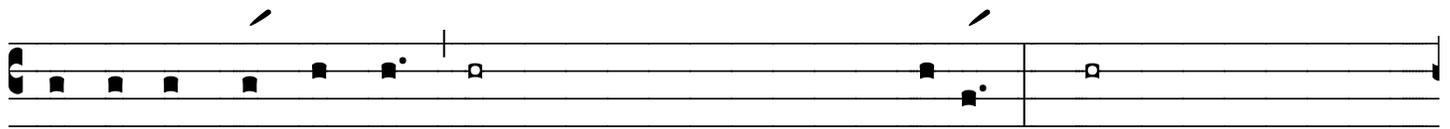
com-fort-ed. 5 “Bles-sed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. 6 “Blessed are those who



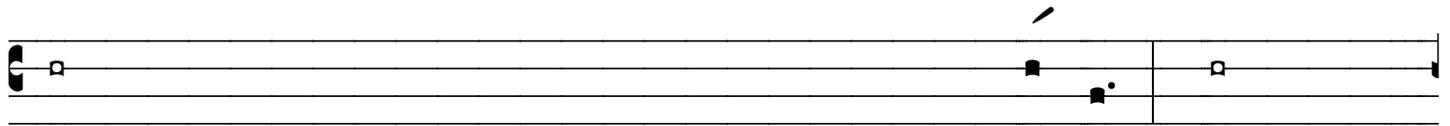
hun-ger and thirst for right-eous-ness, for they will be filled. 7 “Bles-sed are the mer - ci - ful,



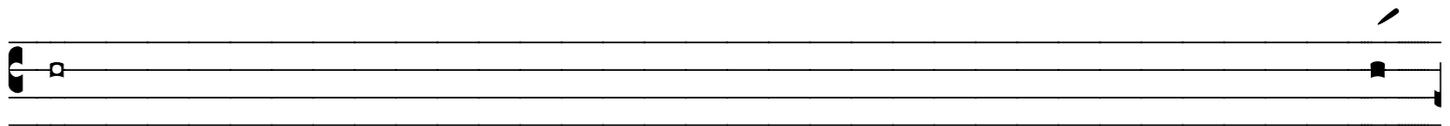
for they will receive mer-cy. 8 “Bles-sed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. 9 “Bles-



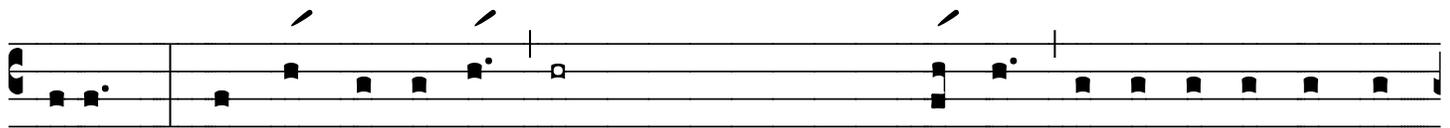
sed are the peace-mak-ers, for they will be called children of God. ¹⁰ “Blessed are those who



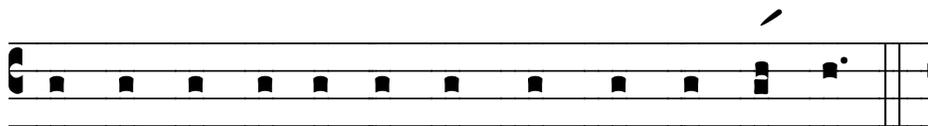
are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of hea-ven. ¹¹ “Blessed are you



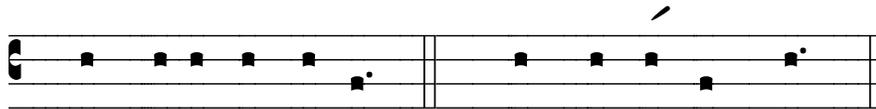
when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my



ac-count. ¹² Re-joice and be glad, for your reward is great in hea-ven, for in the same way they



per - se - cut - ed the pro - phets who were be - fore you.



✠ The Gospel of the Lord. ✠ *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*