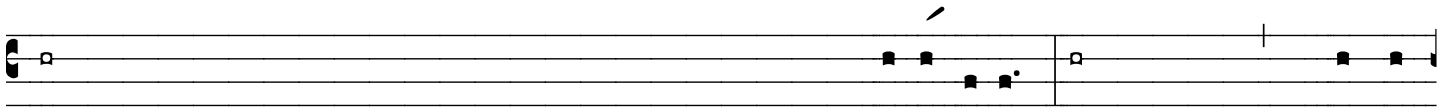


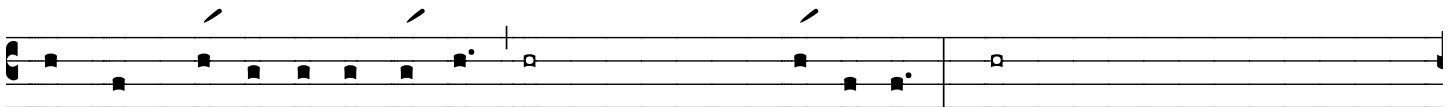
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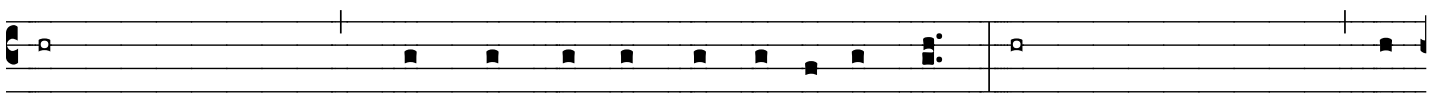
✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je - sus Christ according to John. ✠ *Glo-ry to you, Lord Christ.*



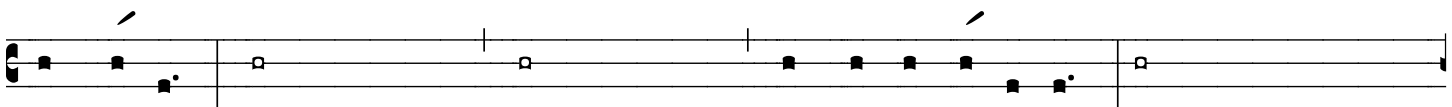
At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Je - ru - sa - lem. It was winter, ²³ and Je -



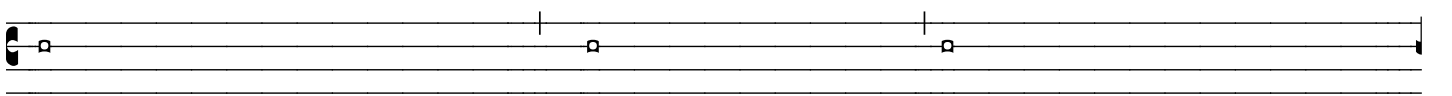
sus was walk - ing in the tem - ple, in the portico of Sol - o - mon. ²⁴ So the Jews gathered around



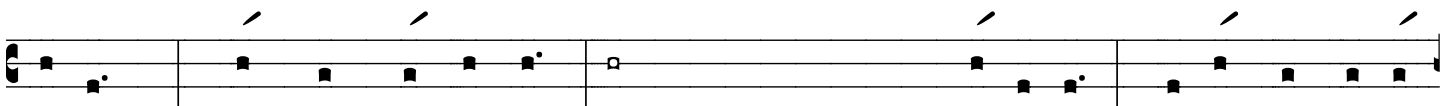
him and said to him, “How long will you keep us in sus - pense? If you are the Messiah, tell



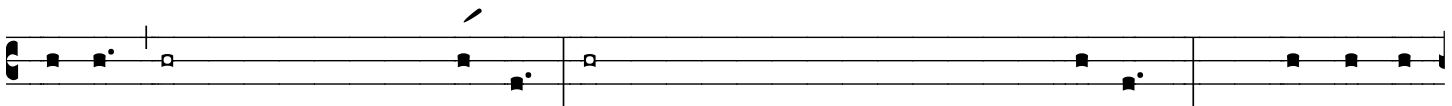
us plain - ly.” ²⁵ Jesus answered, “I have told you, and you do not be - lieve. The works that I do



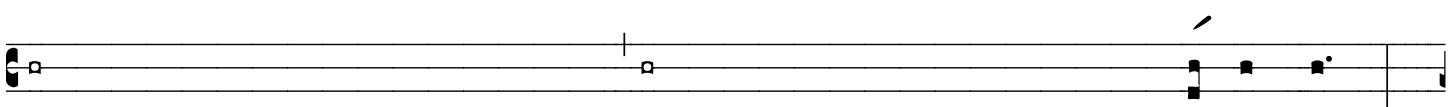
in my Father’s name testify to me; ²⁶ but you do not believe, because you do not belong to



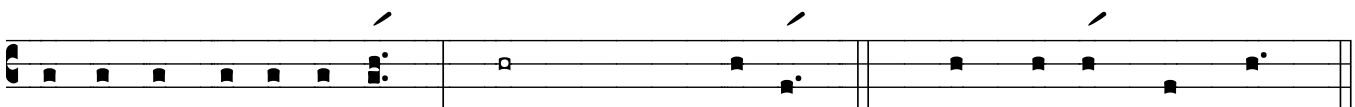
my sheep. ²⁷ My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they fol - low me. ²⁸ I give them e - ter -



nal life, and they will never per - ish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. ²⁹ What my Fa -



ther has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Fa - ther’s hand. ³⁰



The Fa - ther and I are one.” ✠ The Gospel of the Lord. ✠ *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*