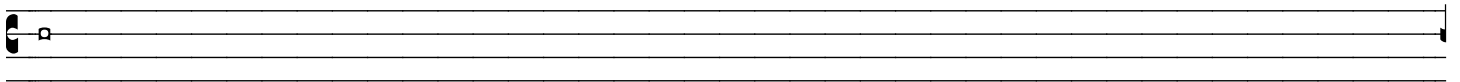


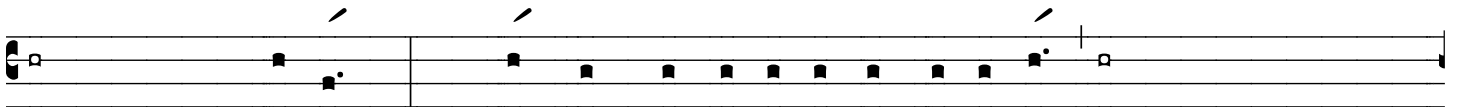
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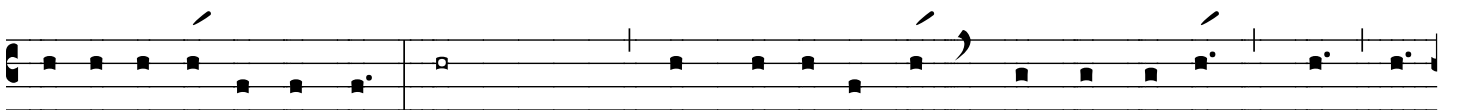
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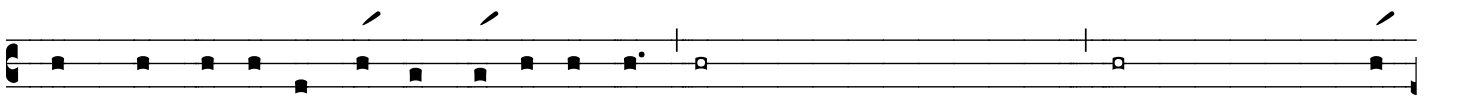
Jesus told this parable to some who trusted in themselves that they were righteous and regard-



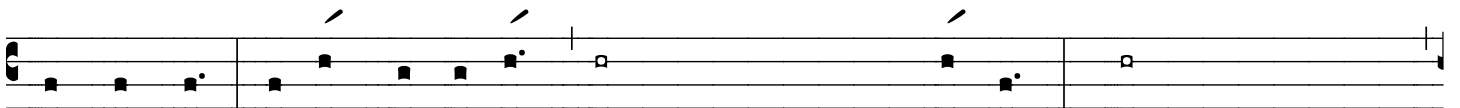
ed others with con-tempt: **10** “Two men went up to the tem-ple to pray, one a Pharisee and the



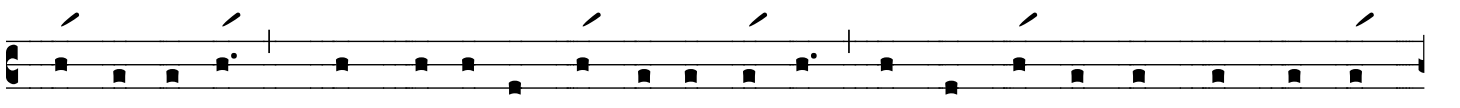
oth-er a tax col-lect-or. **11** The Pharisee, stand-ing by him-self, was pray-ing thus, ‘God, I



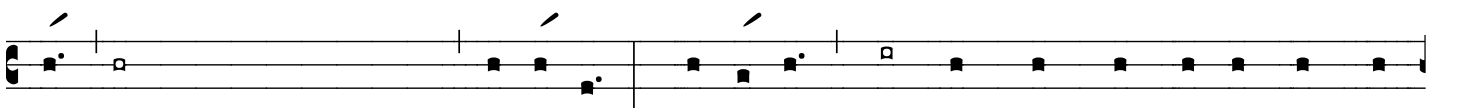
thank you that I am not like oth-er peo-ple: thieves, rogues, adulterers, or even like this tax



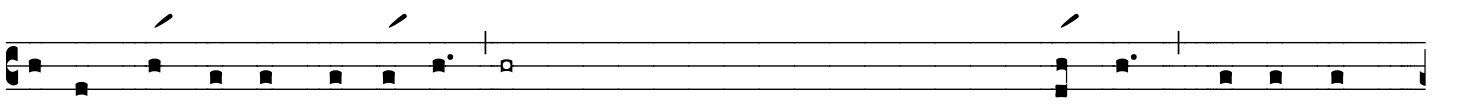
col - lect - or. **12** I fast twice a week; I give a tenth of all my in-come.’ **13** But the tax collector,



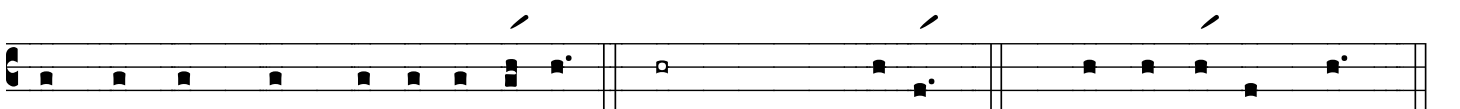
stand-ing far off, would not e-ven look up to heav-en, but was beat-ing his breast and say -



ing, ‘God, be merciful to me, a sin-ner!’ **14** I tell you, this man went down to his home jus -



ti-fied rath-er than the oth-er; for all who exalt themselves will be hum-bled, but all who



hum-ble them-selves will be ex-alt-ed.” ☩ The Gospel of the Lord. ☩ *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*