

Paschal Canon - Ode 4

Heirmos



The in-spired pro-phet Ha - bak-kuk now stands with us in ho - ly vi - gil.

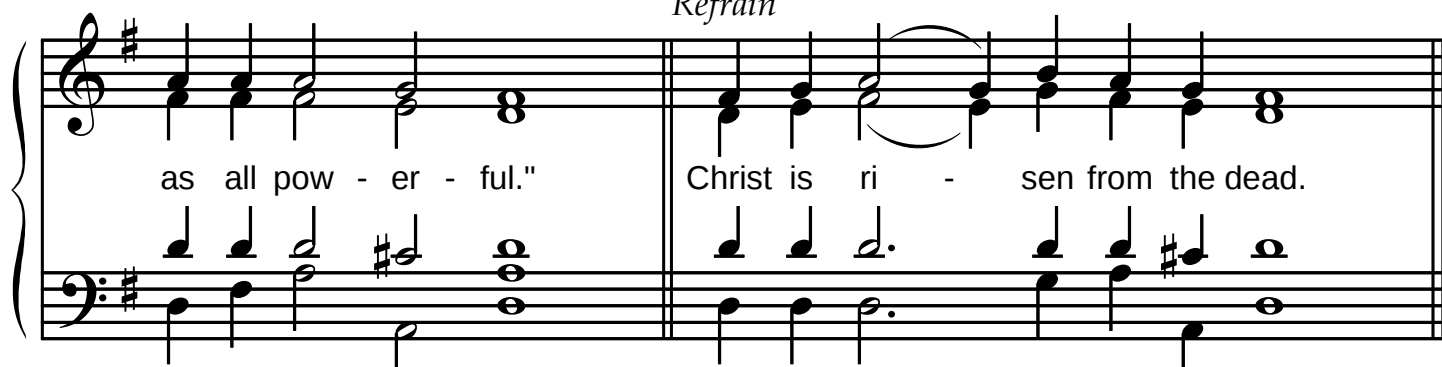


He is like a shin-ing an - gel who cries with a pierc - ing voice:



"To - day salvation has come to the world for Christ is ri - sen

Refrain



as all pow - er - ful." Christ is ri - sen from the dead.

Troparion 1

Christ our Pascha has appeared as a male child,

The first system of musical notation for 'Troparion 1'. It consists of a grand staff with a treble and bass clef, a key signature of one sharp (F#), and a common time signature. The melody is written in the treble clef, and the bass line is in the bass clef. The lyrics are: 'Christ our Pascha has appeared as a male child,'.

the Son that o - pens a vir - gin womb. He is called the Lamb

The second system of musical notation. The melody continues from the first system. The lyrics are: 'the Son that o - pens a vir - gin womb. He is called the Lamb'.

as one des - tined to be our food, un - ble - mished for He has not tast - ed

The third system of musical notation. The melody continues. The lyrics are: 'as one des - tined to be our food, un - ble - mished for He has not tast - ed'.

of de - file ment and per - fect for He is our true God.

The fourth system of musical notation, which is the final system on the page. The melody concludes with a double bar line. The lyrics are: 'of de - file ment and per - fect for He is our true God.'.

*Refrain**Troparion 2*

Christ is ri - sen from the dead. Christ, the crown with which we are blessed,

has ap - peared_ as a year-ling lamb. Free-ly He has gi - ven Him-self

as our clean-sing Pas-chal sac - ri - fice. From the tomb He has shown

forth once a - gain. Our radiant Sun of Right - eous - ness.

Refrain *Troparion 3*

Christ is ri - sen from the dead. Da-vid the an - ces-tor of God,

leaped and danced before the ark_ which pre - fi - gured You.

Now let us the holy peo - ple of God, seeing the ful - fill-ment of all fig - ures,

re - jice_ in_ pi - e - ty, for Christ is ris - en as all pow - er - ful.

Paschal Troparion

Christ is ri - sen from the dead_ tramp - ling down death by death,

and upon those in the tombs be - stow - ing life.

Little Litany or Matins Prayer

Priest: Let us pray to the Lord.

People: Lord, have mercy.

Priest: For You are a good God, and love mankind and unto You we ascribe glory: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages.

People: Amen.

Priest: Christ is Risen! People: Indeed, He is Risen! (x3)