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**Vespers Propers on the Evening of the  
Second Sunday of the Great Fast  
March 4, 2012**

**The holy martyr Conon**, who was a gardener during the reign of the emperor Decian. He was ordered to run in front of a chariot after having his feet pierced with nails. He sank down to his knees and surrendered his spirit in prayer. (251)

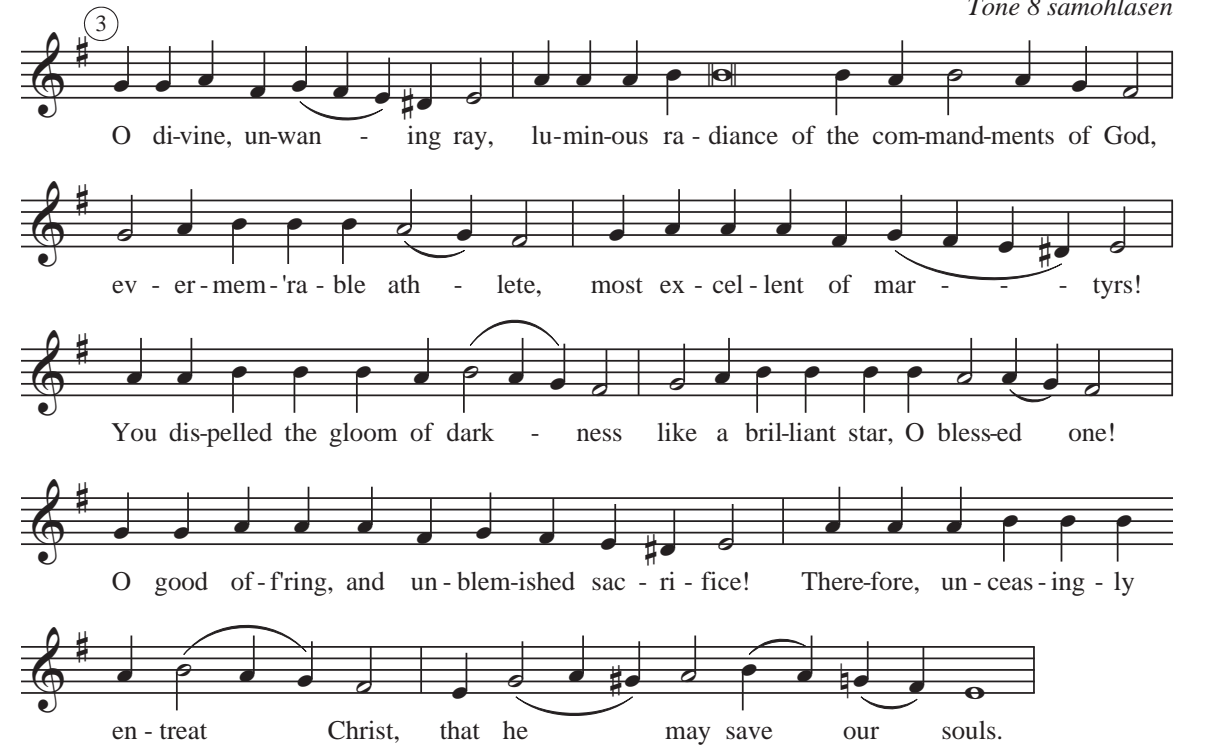
Supplement for **The Order of Vespers on Sunday Afternoons in the Great Fast.**

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**Cantor:** (Tone 8) Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption,  
(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

*Tone 8 samohlasen*



**Cantor:** Praise the Lord, all you nations, Psalm 116  
(on 2) acclaim him all you peoples!

②  
You pro - claim the truth! Show-ing your-self to be a sword-wielding opponent  
of un-god-li - ness, you brought down the en - e - my by the suf-fer-ing  
your head en - dured, O all-wise mar - tyr, and you clear-ly proclaimed the  
com-mand of God, say - ing good things to the un-learn-ed peo - ple.  
O Co-non, dweller with the mar - tyr: en - treat the Redeemer that he deliver  
from pas - sions your ser-vants who praise you.

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

①  
O won-drous trans-for-ma - - - tion which the Lord of our fathers made  
up - on you by the right hand of the Most High, O most glo-rious

ath - - - lete! You were re-vealed as a fruit blossoming forth from the root of  
un - be - lief, O most bless - ed and all-praised Co - non. Hav - ing  
Christ as your most ex-cel-lent Lead - - - er, you mightily o-ver - threw  
the hordes of the de - mons.

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

**Theotokion - Tone 8 samohlasen**

Re-joice, bearer of the di-vine light, most bright star, taberna-cle of  
ho - li - ness. From your all - pure womb, light shone forth up - on us,  
il - lu-min-ing the ends of the earth and en-light-en-ing them with his grace.  
Re - joice, all-pure Lady, origin of sal-va - tion! Re-joice, good news and awe-some