Vespers Propers on the Evening of Cheesefare Sunday (Sunday of Forgiveness) February 10, 2013

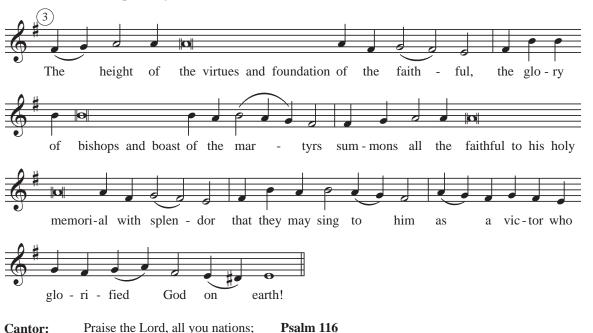
The holy martyr Blaise, bishop of Sebaste, who suffered martyrdom at Sebaste in the power-struggle between Licinius and the Emperor Constantine. (316)

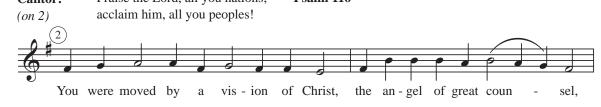
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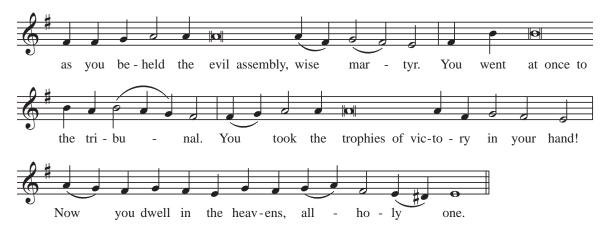
Psalm 140 and Stichera of Forgiveness in the tone of the week (Tone 4, p. 36) Stichera of Cheesefare Sunday (Sunday of Forgiveness), p. 56

Cantor: (Tone 1) Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption. (on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

Stichera of the Bishop-Martyr Blaise - Tone 1 samohlasen



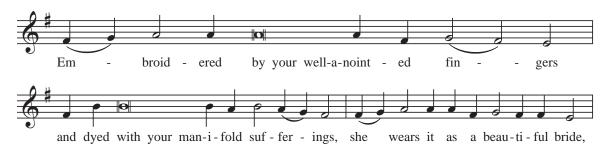




Cantor: Strong is the love of the Lord for us; (on 1) he is faithful forever.



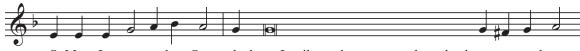
With the drops of your blood, mar-tyr Blaise, you wove a beau-ti-ful robe for the church.



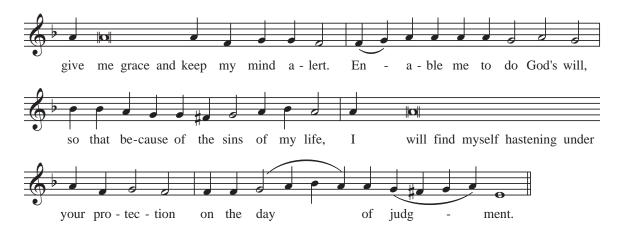


Cantor: (*Tone 4*) Glory...now and ever...

Theotokion - *Tone 4 samohlasen*



O Most Im-mac-u-late One, wheth-er I sail on the sea, travel on land, or rest at home,



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Prokeimenon for Cheesefare Sunday, p.10

Aposticha of Cheesefare Sunday, p. 59