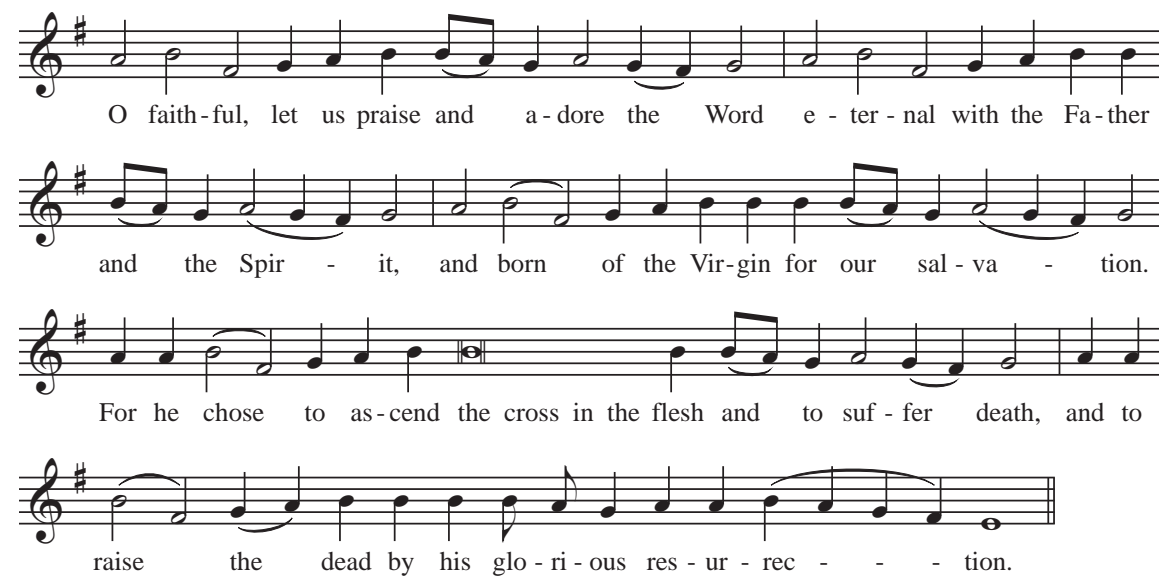


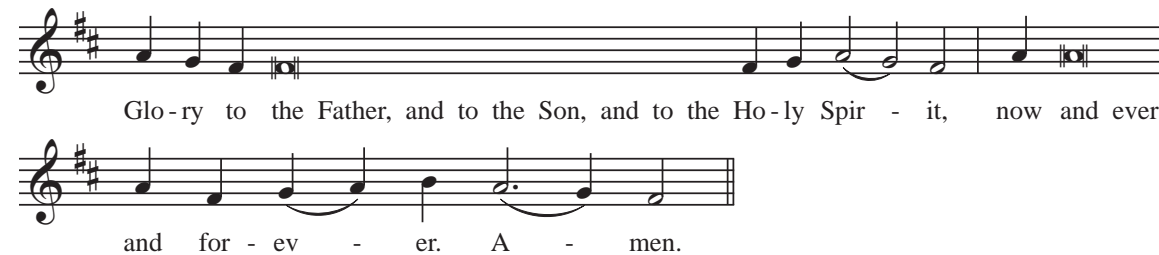
Divine Liturgy, February 25, 2018  
SECOND SUNDAY OF THE GREAT FAST

**Troparion of the Resurrection - Tone 5**



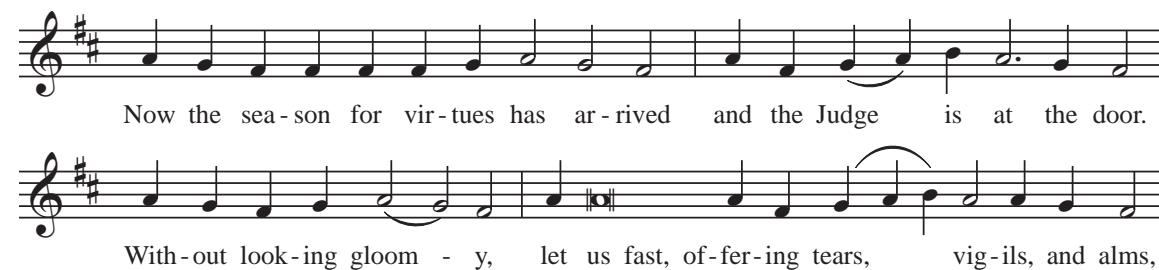
O faith-ful, let us praise and a-dore the Word e - ter - nal with the Fa-ther  
and the Spir - it, and born of the Vir-gin for our sal - va - tion.  
For he chose to as-cend the cross in the flesh and to suf - fer death, and to  
raise the dead by his glo - ri - ous res - ur - rec - - - tion.

*Cantor*



Glo-ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho-ly Spir - it, now and ever  
and for - ev - er. A - men.

**Kontakion of the Second Sunday of the Great Fast - Tone 4**



Now the sea-son for vir-tues has ar-rived and the Judge is at the door.  
With-out look-ing gloom - y, let us fast, of-fer-ing tears, vig-ils, and alms,

and let us ex-claim: Our sins ex-ceed the grains of sand by the sea.

But for-give us all, O Cre - a - tor of All, that we may re-ceive the

in - cor - rup - ti - ble crown.

**Prokeimenon of the Second Sunday of the Great Fast - Tone 5 (Psalm 11:8,2):**

You, O Lord, will keep us and pre-serve us for - ev - - er,

for - ev - er from this gen - er - a - - - tion.

*Verse:* Save me, O Lord, for the righteous have vanished.

**Alleluia of the Resurrection - Tone 5 (Psalm 88:2,3):**

Al - - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

*Verse:* I shall sing forever of your mercies, O Lord;  
through all generations my mouth will proclaim your truth.

*Verse:* For you have said: Mercy is built to last forever.  
Your truth is firmly established in heaven.

*Instead of "It is truly proper . . .":*

**Magnificatio:** (*music found on pages 98 / 102*)

In you, O Woman Full of Grace, all creation rejoices: the angels in their ranks and the human race. Sanctified Temple and Rational Paradise, Boast of Virgins from whom our God took flesh and became a child while remaining God from before all time. He made your womb a throne, setting it apart, a room more spacious than the heavens. In you, O Woman Full of Grace, all creation rejoices. Glory to you!

**Communion Hymn for Sundays (Psalm 148:1):**

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Praise the Lord, praise the Lord from the heav - ens, praise him in the

*Refrain*  
high - est, praise him in the high - est. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!

Al - le - lu - ia!