

WEBINAR 3

PREPARATION FOR GREAT AND HOLY WEEK



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THE SERVICES OF GREAT AND HOLY WEEK

1. Liturgy of the Raising of Lazarus
2. Vigil of Palm Sunday
3. Liturgy of Palm Sunday (The Entrance of the Lord into Jerusalem)
4. Vespers of Palm Sunday (served late Sunday afternoon)
5. Bridegroom Matins of Holy Monday (served Sunday evening)
6. Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts of Holy Monday (served Monday morning)
7. Bridegroom Matins of Holy Tuesday (served Monday evening)
8. Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts of Holy Tuesday (served Tuesday morning)
9. Bridegroom Matins of Holy Wednesday (served Tuesday evening) (Hymn of Kassiane)
10. Liturgy of the Pre-Sanctified Gifts of Holy Wednesday (served Wednesday morning)
11. Matins of the Mystical Supper (served Wednesday evening)
12. Vesperal Liturgy of the Mystical Supper (served Thursday morning)
13. Matins of Holy Friday (12 Gospels) (served Thursday evening)

THE SERVICES OF GREAT AND HOLY WEEK (CONT'D)

14. Royal Hours of Holy Friday (served Friday morning)
15. Vespers of Holy Friday (served Friday afternoon) (Bringing out of the Shroud/Plashchanitsa/Epitaphion)
16. Matins of Holy Saturday (served Friday evening) (Lamentations)
17. Vesperal Liturgy of Holy Saturday (served Saturday morning or afternoon)



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Webinars for Church Musicians for the services of Great Lent and Holy Pascha

[Dr. Vladimir Morosan](#), a member of the OCA [Department of Liturgical Music](#) and noted Orthodox composer, editor, publisher, and choir director, [offered a series of four webinars](#) dealing with the services of Great Lent and Holy Pascha. Each session addresses a particular subtopic.

January 23, 2021

A Choir Director's Preparation for Great Lent and the first week of Lent

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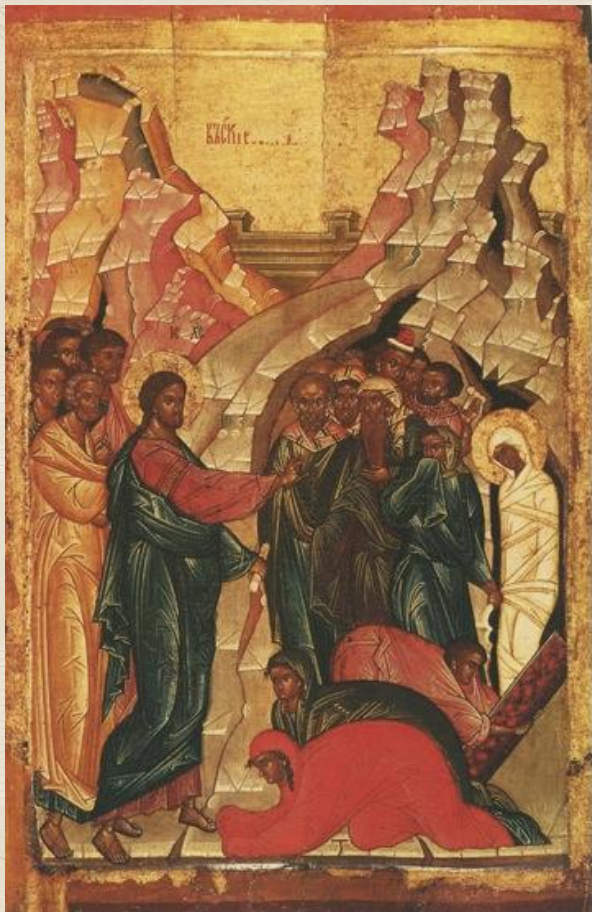
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REJOICE, O BETHANY

Sung by

The Boston Byzantine Choir

Charles R. Marge, conductor

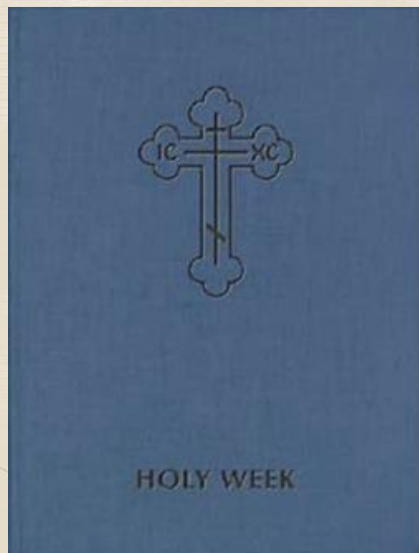
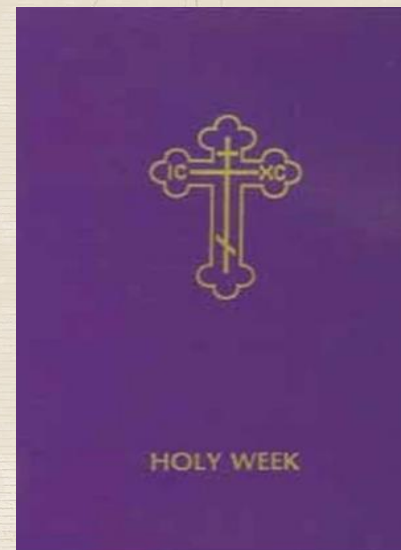
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jrKskcY2bUw>

HOLY WEEK, VOLUME 1

Arranged and edited by David Drillock and others

St. Vladimir's Seminary Press, 1980

<https://svspress.com/holy-week-vol-i-hardcover/>



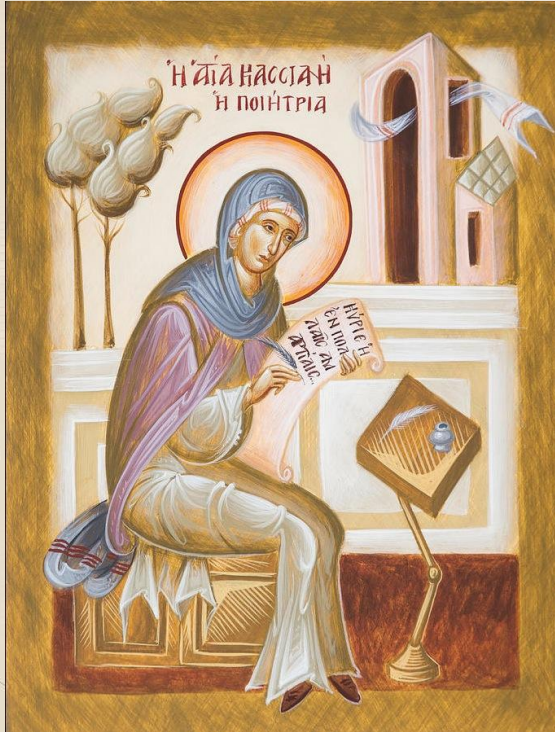
HOLY WEEK, VOLUME 3

Arranged and edited by David Drillock and John H. Erickson

St. Vladimir's Seminary Press, 2005

<https://www.amazon.com/Holy-Week-Vol-3-David-Drillock/dp/0881410233>

ST KASSIANE THE HYMNOGRAPHER



3 Links to “The Hymn of Kassiane” Sung at Matins of Holy Wednesday

1. Byzantine Chant by Symeon Froyshov
Published by PSALM Music Press (seraphim6.com)
Sung by Archangel Voices
<https://youtu.be/ZXC2Lfub1LY>
2. Arrangement of Old Bulgarian Chant melody by Fr. Stephan Meholick
Sung by the women of St. Tikhon’s Seminary Choir
<https://youtu.be/aSXjkDyZtsY>
3. Byzantine Chant by Basil Kazan
Sung by Margo and David Sinkevitch
https://youtu.be/K24uYcbLA_U

TROPARION OF HOLY THURSDAY

TRIOIDION

When the Glorious Disciples
TROPARION FOR HOLY THURSDAY and FIRDAY

Kievian Chant, Tone 8
Arr. V. Morosan (2003)

Slowly and sweetly, $\text{♩} = 50$

Soprano
Alto
Tenor
Bass

Al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia, al - le - lu - ia.

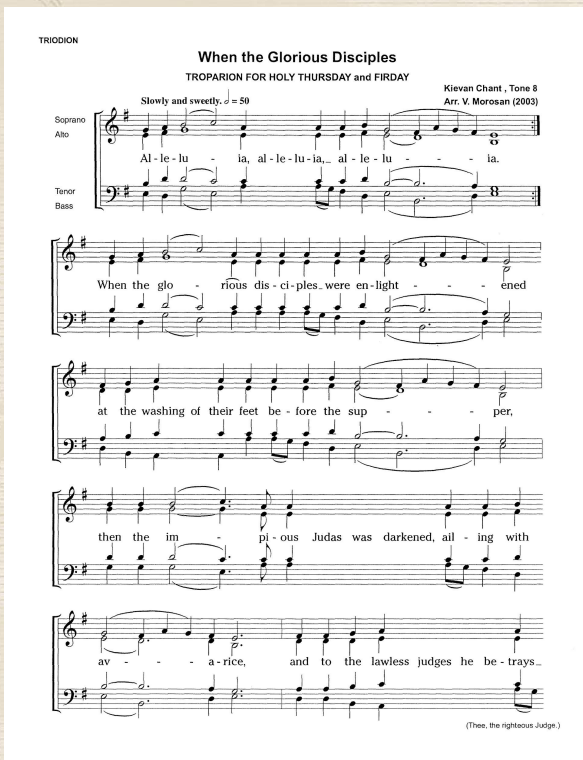
When the glo - rious dis - ci - ples, were en - light - ened

at the washing of their feet be - fore the sup - per,

then the im - pi - ous Judas was darkened, all - ing with

av - a - rice, and to the lawless judges he be - trays.

(Thee, the righteous Judge.)



Sung by Archangel Voices

Links to Bonus Track from the album *Lamentations*

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FPlywi4urAEwBCa5sVoL7v1FyCY1okwL/view?usp=sharing>

http://www.archangelvoices.com/multimedia/clips/AV_BONUS_TRACK_When_the_Glorious.mp3

ANTIPHON 15

TODAY HE WHO HUNG THE EARTH UPON THE WATERS

Chanted by +Archbishop JOB (Osacky)



<https://opuspublicum.com/today-he-who-hung-the-earth-on-the-waters-is-hung-on-the-tree/>

LAMENTATIONS – ARCHANGEL VOICES



Kontakion of Holy Thursday

— Obikhod Tone 8, as harmonized by Alexander Kastalsky in
*A Manual for the Expressive Singing of Stichera with the Help of
Alternative Harmonizations*

<https://youtu.be/0-SWxAaJTRg>



The Wise Thief

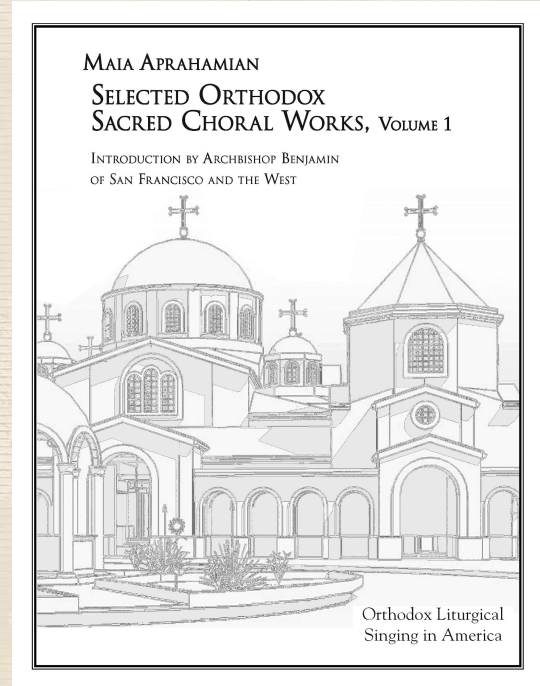
—by Maia Aprahamian (1935-2011)

Sung by Archangel Voices on the album *Lamentations*

<https://youtu.be/bY-Knnpnliv0>

Available from Orthodox Music Press

http://www.musicarussica.com/sheet_music_pieces/omp-ma-v1



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