

# Doxastichon at the Aposticha

St. John of Rila - August 18

vs. Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit:

Russian Imperial Court Chant

arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Tone 4

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

You cho-sen flock of Christ, you assemblies of the faith-ful,

you new - ly consecrated peo - ple: come, let us all hasten to the

honored me-mo - ri - al of our ven'nable fa - ther John,

who shone forth in heart and has come to us. For, behold, his

[ sacred body lies be-fore us, ]

sacred body lies be-fore us, an hon'orable con-fir-ma - tion

of our Faith, a true adornment of the ho - ly ones. Let the

assemblies of the heretics be put to shame, who believe not in the

resur-rec - tion! For, behold, even after death he

he preserves his coun - te-nance; he enables the lame to walk and

[ the blind to see, ]

the blind to see, and em-pow-ers the par - a-lyzed; and he

strengthens our pious Orthodox hierarchs against all her - e - sies;

and, standing in spirit before the throne of the Mas - ter, //

he prays that our souls may be saved.