

# Stichera at the Litya

*Holy New Martyrs of Alaska: Hieromonk Juvenaly and Peter the Aleut - September 24*

Sticheron 1  
Tone 2

Common Chant  
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

Come all Orthodox believers of A - mer - i - ca, let us

Detailed description: This system shows the first line of the chant. It features two vocal staves: Soprano/Alto (treble clef) and Tenor/Bass (bass clef). The key signature has one flat (B-flat). The melody is primarily homophonic, with chords moving in parallel motion. The lyrics are: "Come all Orthodox believers of A - mer - i - ca, let us".

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fought the good fight and re-ceived their crowns, // they stand before the

Lord and in - ter - cede for our souls.

Sticheron 2  
Tone 6

Soprano  
Alto

Come, all Orthodox believers of A - mer - i - ca, let us follow

Tenor  
Bass

our Apostolic Father In - no - cent! He was deemed worthy of

e - ter - nal joy, for he courageously preached the True Faith

in the North - ern lands. By enduring material poverty, he was

granted spiritual rich - es; by using worldly knowledge to promote

the know - ledge of God, he enlightened those who sat in dark - ness.

Celebrating his memory, let us implore Christ our God // to account us

worthy to continue his work in A - mer - i - ca!

Sticheron 3  
Tone 8

Soprano  
Alto

O as - cet - ic of New Val-aam, your brethren were dear — to

Tenor  
Bass

you, for you dwelt with them in your na - tive Val-aam. Yet a hundred-

fold more desired were your bod - i - less friends, who transported your

soul to divine vi - - - sion, and with whom — you now —

dwell. Rejoice, O Father, for us who glorify your mem - o - ry,

invisibly instructing us in profitable re-pent - ance! O fruit-ful

shoot of the Rus - sian land; upbringing of Ladoga's wa - ters;

churchly blessing of Alaska and the A - leu - tian Isles; good hope

of A - mer - i - ca; grace-bearing witness of the Or - tho-dox faith:

God-pleasing Herman, obtain for us the peace of God that surpasses

ev - ery mind // and great mer - cy!

*vs.* Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now, and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Tone 8

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

As the on - ly hope of Christians and inter - ces - sor be - fore God,

O Sover-eign La - dy, // with all the Saints of Alaska, pray to Your

Son for us!