Polyeleos

Psalm 135

First, plagal fourth, plagal second, grave,
and first modes in triple meter

adapted by Hieromonk Seraphim (Dedes) and
Hiermonk Ephraim from the Athonite melody as written
by Hieromonk Gregory of Simonos Petras Monastery

Duration: 9:00

Intonation: #1

Allegro ♩=150 **First Mode** Ἐξομολογεῖσθε

1

O give thanks— un - to the Lord,— for He— is

good.___ Al - le - lu - i - a. For His

mer - cy en - dur - - - eth for - ev - er. Al - le -

lu - i - a.

2 O give thanks__ un - to__ the God__ of gods.___

Al - le - lu - i - a.   For His mer-cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

3 O give thanks__ un - to__ the Lord__ of lords.___

Al - le - lu - i - a.   For__ His mer-cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

4

C   D   G
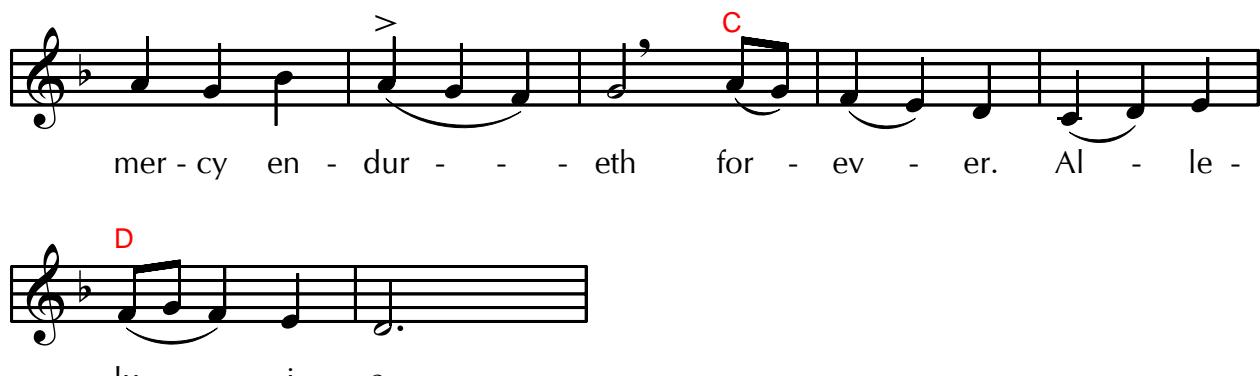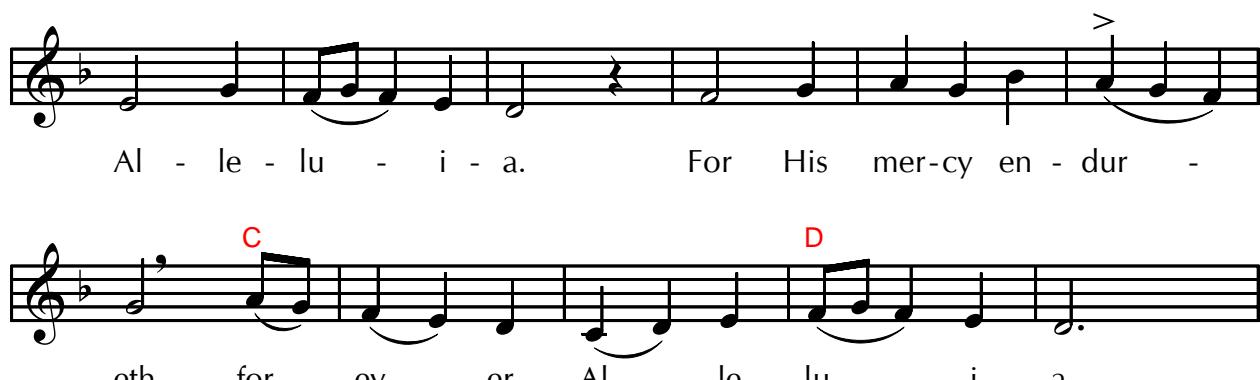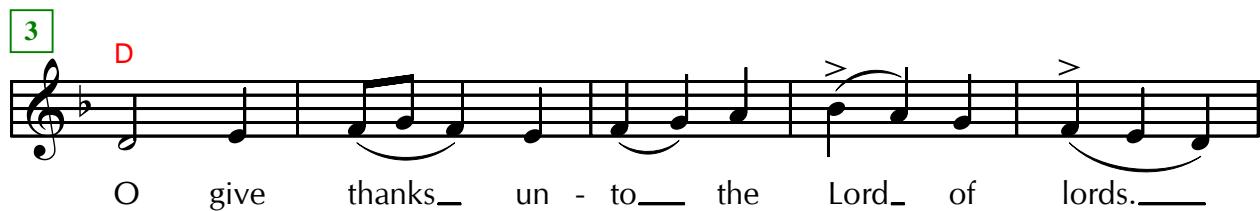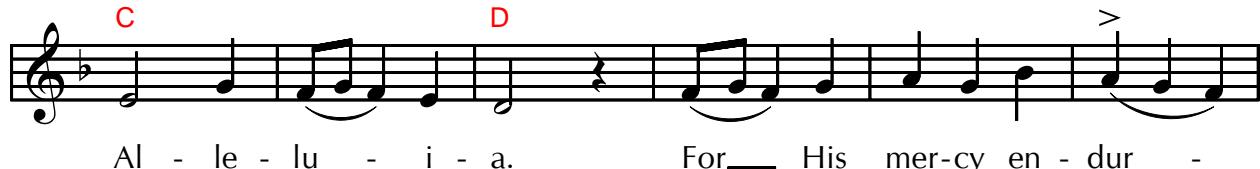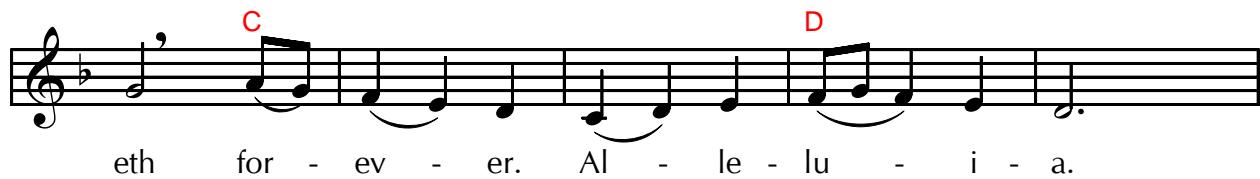
To   Him Who a - lone hath   wrought____   great____

D   C   D

won - ders. Al - le - lu   -   i - a.   For   His   mer-cy en -

>   C   D

dur   -   eth   for - ev   -   er.   Al - le - lu   -   i - a.

5

C   D   G   D

To   Him   that   made   the   heav-ens with   un - der - stand - ing.

C   D   >

Al - le - lu   -   i - a.   For____ His   mer-cy en - dur   -

C   D

eth   for - ev   -   er.   Al   -   le - lu   -   i   -   a.

6

C   D   G

To   Him that es - tab   -   lished the   earth   up - on   the

D   C   D

wa - ters. Al - le - lu   -   i - a.   For____ His   mer-cy en -

dur - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

Plagal Fourth Mode

7

To Him Who a - lone hath made great___ lights.___

Al - le - lu - i - a. For_____ His_____

mer - cy en - dur - - - eth for - ev - er.

Al - le - lu - i - a.

8

The sun for do - min - ion of the day.___ Al - le -

lu - i - a. For____ His____ mer - cy en -

dur - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

9

The moon___ and the stars___ for do - min - ion

of the night.___ Al - le - lu - i - a.

For___ His___ mer - - cy en - dur - - -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

10

To Him that smote E - gypt with___ their

first - - - born.___ Al - le - lu - i - a.

For___ His mer - - - cy en - dur - - eth for -

ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

11

And led forth___ Is - ra - el out of the midst of them.___

Al - le - lu - i - a. For___ His mer - cy en -

dur - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

12

With a strong___ hand and a loft - y arm.___ Al - le -

lu - i - a. For___ His mer - cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

Plagal Second Mode

13

To　　Him＿＿＿　　that　　di - vid - ed　the　　Red＿＿＿

Sea＿＿＿　　in - to　　parts.＿＿　　Al - le - lu - i -

a.　　For＿ His　mer - - - cy　en - dur - eth　for -

ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

14

And　led　Is - ra - el　through　the　midst_　there - of.＿＿

Al - le - lu - i - a.　　For＿ His　mer - cy　en -

dur - eth　for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

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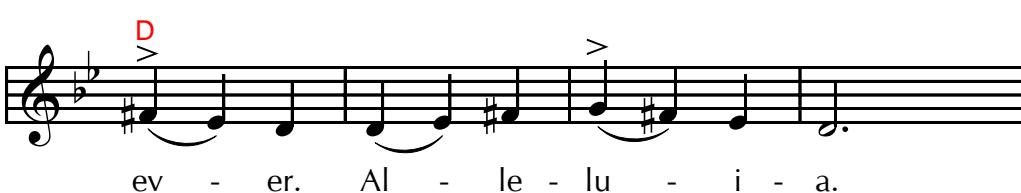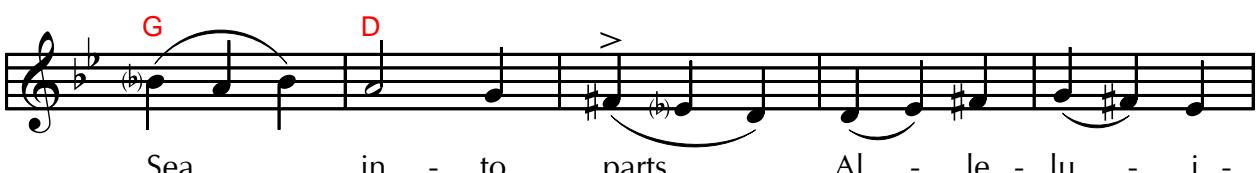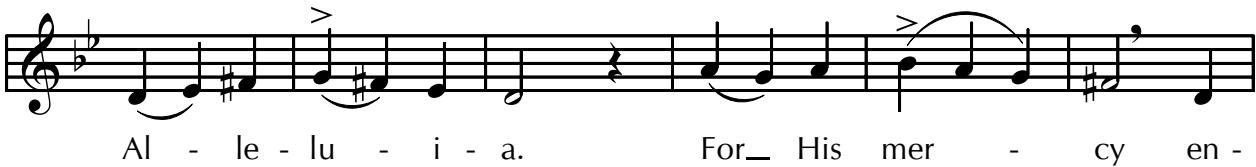
And o - ver - threw＿＿ Phar - aoh and his host

in＿＿ the Red＿＿ Sea.＿＿ Al - le - lu - i -

a. For＿ His mer - - - cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

16

To Him that led＿＿ His peo - ple through＿ the

wil - der - ness.＿＿ Al - le - lu - i - a.

For＿ His mer - - - cy en - dur - - eth for -

ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

Grave Mode

17

To Him that smote____ great____ kings.____ Al - le -
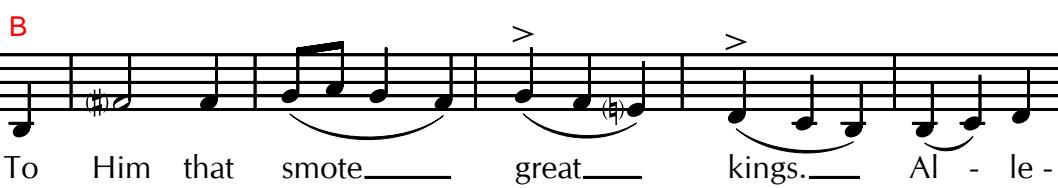
lu - i - a. For____ His mer - cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

18

And slew____ might - y kings.____ Al - le -

lu - i - a. For____ His mer - cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

19

Se - - on, king of the Am - o - rites.____

Al - le - lu - i - a.   For__ His mer-cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

20

And Og, king of the land_ of Ba - san. Al - le -

lu - i - a. For__ His mer - cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

21

And gave their land__ for an__ in - her - i - tance.__

Al - le - lu - i - a. For__ His mer-cy en - dur -

eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

22

An in - her - i - tance for Is - ra - el___ His ser -

vant.___ Al - le - lu - i - a. For___ His mer-cy en -

dur - eth for - ev - er. Al - le - lu - i - a.

First Mode

23

For___ in our hu - mil - i - a - tion the Lord re -

mem - bered us.___ Al - le - lu - i - a.

For___ His mer - cy en - dur - - eth for - ev - er.

Al - le - lu - i - a.

24

And   re - deemed   us   from____ our   en - e - mies.____

Al - le - lu - i - a.   For____ His   mer-cy en - dur -

eth   for - ev - er.   Al - le - lu - i - a.

25

He   that   giv - eth   food   to   all_____   flesh.____   Al - le -

lu - i - a.   For____ His   mer - cy en - dur -

eth   for - ev - er.   Al - le - lu - i - a.

26

O   give   thanks_ un - to__   the   God_ of   heav - en. Al - le -

lu - i - a.   For____ His   mer - cy en - dur -

eth   for - ev - er.   Al - le - lu - i - a.
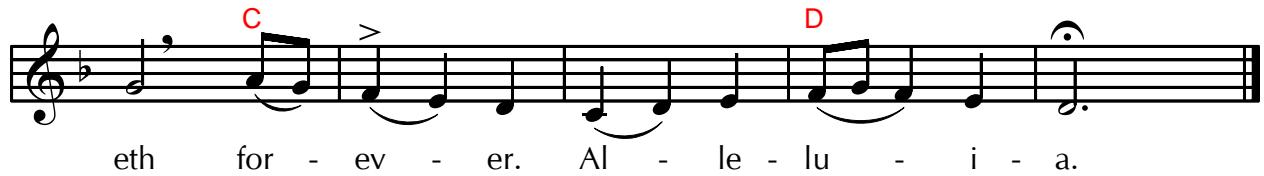
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