

Fifth Sunday of the Great Fast (St Mary of Egypt)

Troparion for St Mary, Tone 8



In - you, O Moth - er, was pre - served un - im - paired that which is



ac - cord - ing to God's im - age; for you took up the Cross and



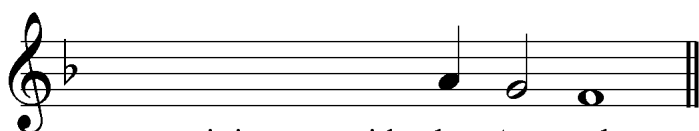
fol - lowed Christ, and by your deeds you have taught us to de - spise



the flesh, for it pass - es a - way, but to care for the soul which is a



thing im - mor - tal. And there - fore your spir - it, ho - ly Mar - y,

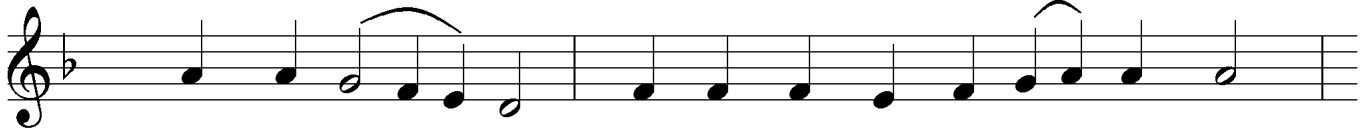


re - joic - es with the An - gels.

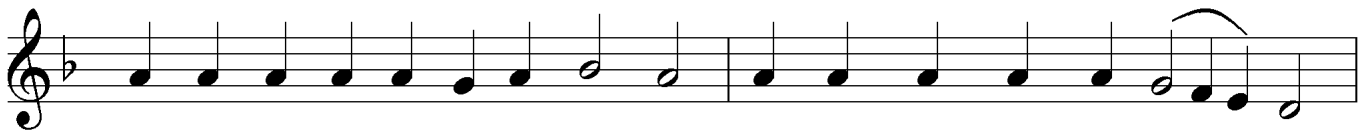
Kontakion for St Mary, Tone 3



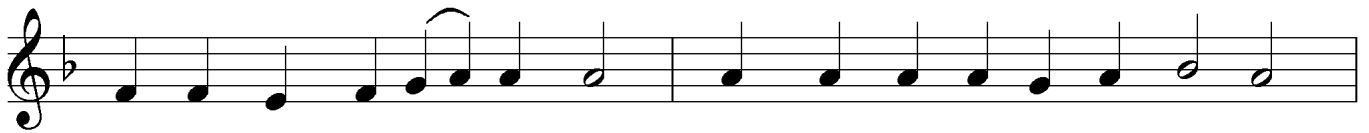
Once you were de - spoiled with eve - ry im - pur - - i - ty, but to - day



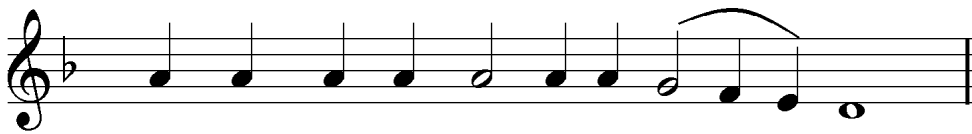
through re - pent - - - ance you have be - come the bride of Christ.



De - sir - ing the life of the An - gels, you have cast down the de - - - mons



with the weap - on of the Cross: there - fore, O glo - ri - ous Mar - y,



you were made a bride of the King - - - - dom.