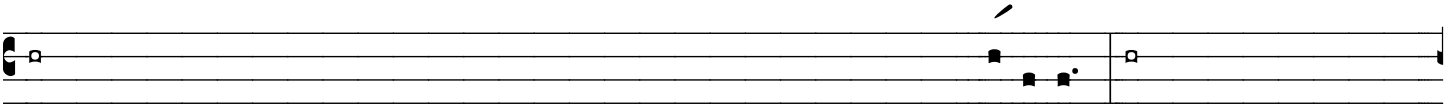
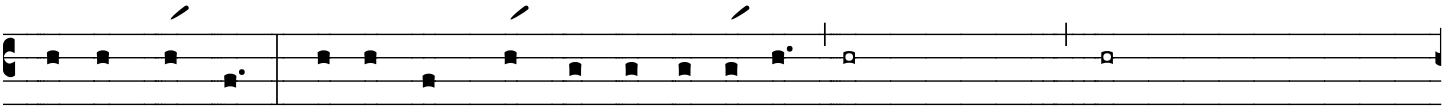
# Mark 9:30-37 (Year B, Proper 20) (NRSV)

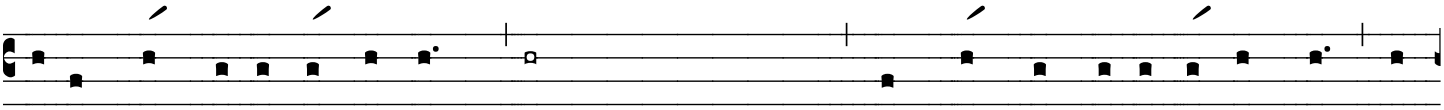
℣. The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je - sus Christ according to Mark. ℟. *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*



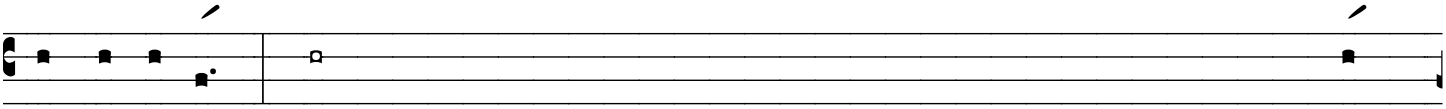
Jesus and his disciples went on from there and passed through Gal-i- lee. He did not want any-



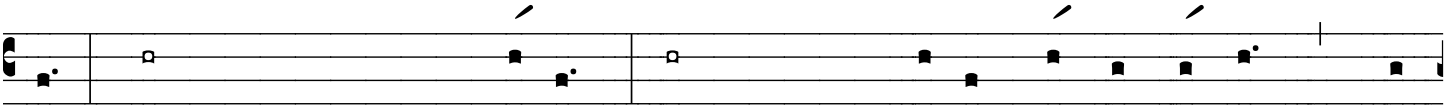
one to know it; 31 for he was teach-ing his dis-ci-ples, saying to them, "The Son of Man is to



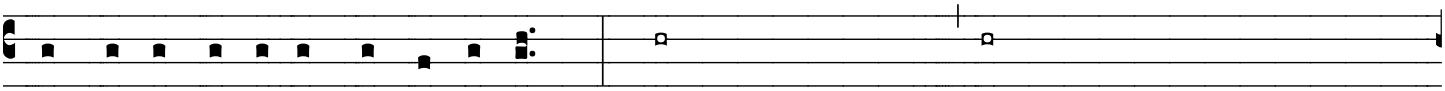
be be-trayed in-to hu-man hands, and they will kill him, and three days af-ter be-ing killed, he



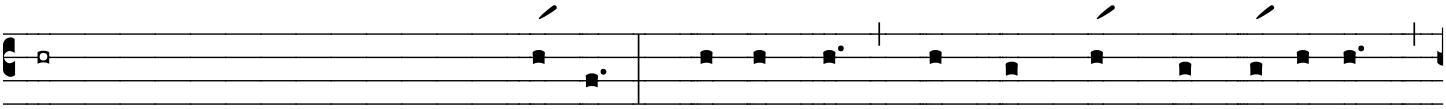
will rise a-gain." 32 But they did not understand what he was saying and were afraid to ask



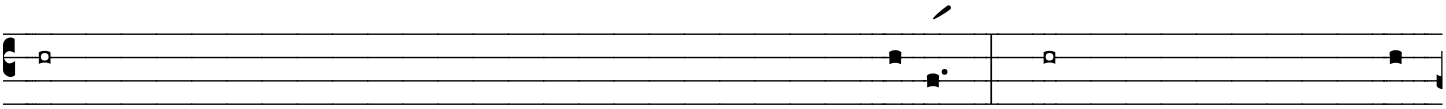
him. 33 Then they came to Cap-er-naum; and when he was in the house he asked them, "What



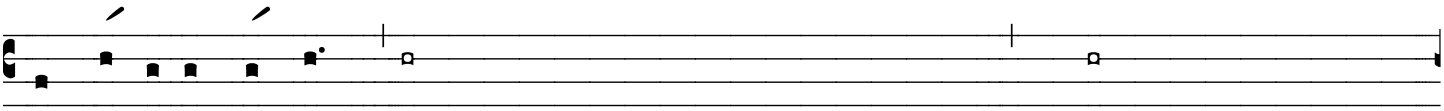
were you ar-gu-ing a-bout on the way?" 34 But they were silent, for on the way they had argued



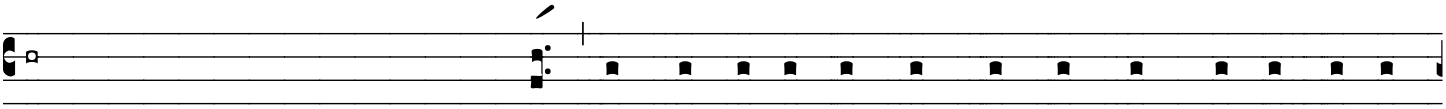
with one another who was the great-est. 35 He sat down, called the twelve, and said to them,



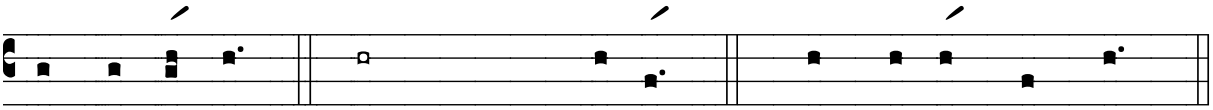
"Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all." 36 Then he took a little child



and put it a-mong them; and taking it in his arms, he said to them, 37 "Whoever welcomes one



such child in my name welcomes me, and who-ev-er wel-comes me wel-comes not me but the



one who sent me." ℣. The Gospel of the Lord. ℟. *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

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