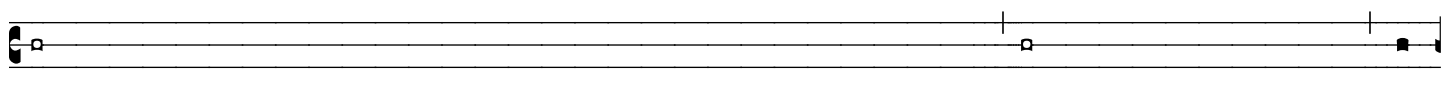


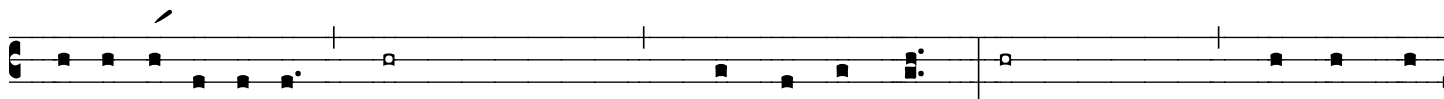
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∇ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je - sus Christ ac-cord-ing to Mat-thew. ⚡ *Glo-ry to you, Lord Christ.*



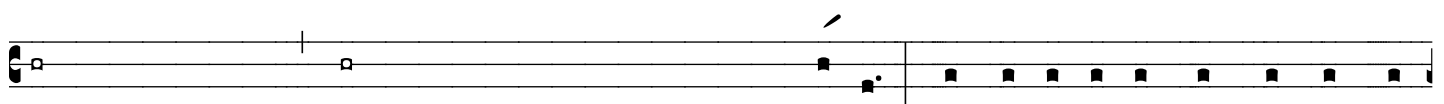
Then the mother of the sons of Zebedee came to Jesus with her sons, and kneeling before him, she



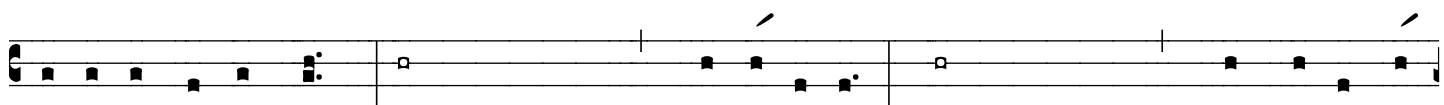
asked a fa-vor of him. ²¹ And he said to her, “What do you want?” She said to him, “De-clare that



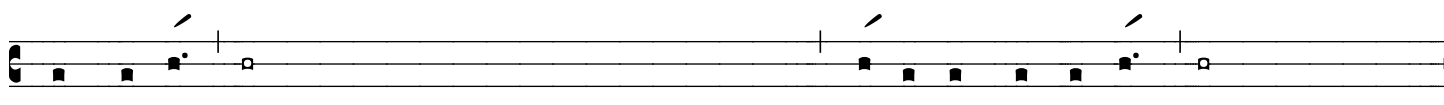
these two sons of mine will sit, one at your right hand and one at your left, in your king-dom.” ²²



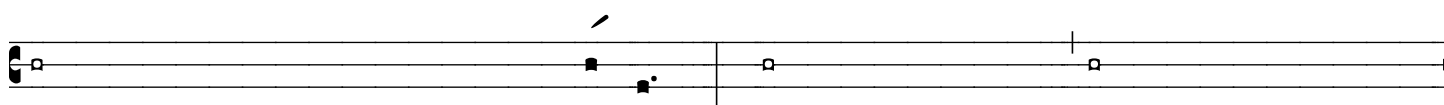
But Jesus answered, “You do not know what you are ask-ing. Are you a-ble to drink the cup that



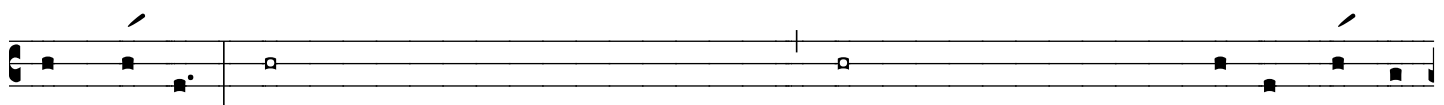
I am a-bout to drink?” They said to him, “We are a-ble.” ²³ He said to them, “You will in-deed



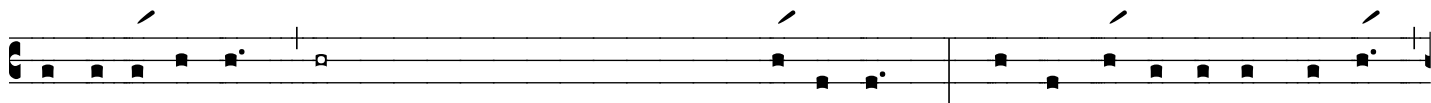
drink my cup, but to sit at my right hand and at my left, this is not mine to grant, but it is for those



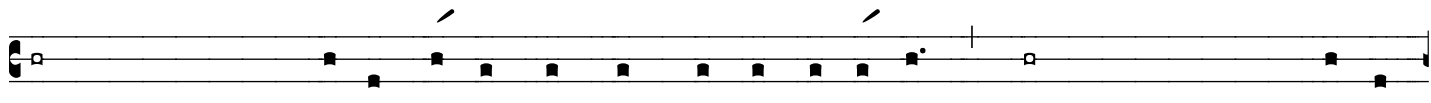
for whom it has been prepared by my Fa - ther.” ²⁴ When the ten heard it, they were angry with the



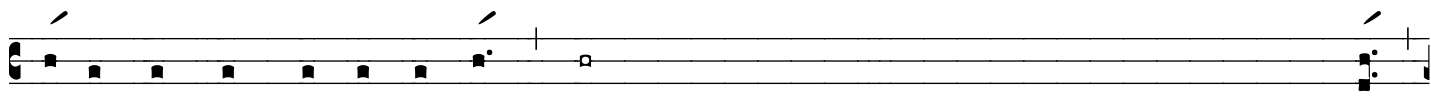
two broth-ers. ²⁵ But Jesus called them to him and said, “You know that the rulers of the Gen-tiles



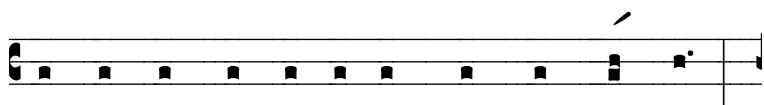
lord it o - ver them, and their great ones are tyrants o - ver them. 26 It will not be so a-mong you;



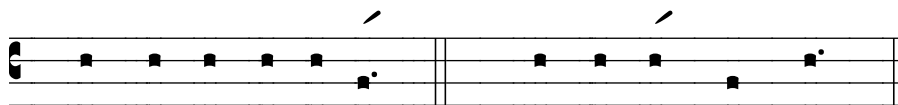
but whoever wishes to be great a-mong you must be your ser-vant, 27 and whoever wishes to be



first a-mong you must be your slave; 28 just as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve,



and to give his life a ran - som for man - y.”



✠ The Gos-pel of the Lord. ✠ *Praise to you, Lord Christ.*

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