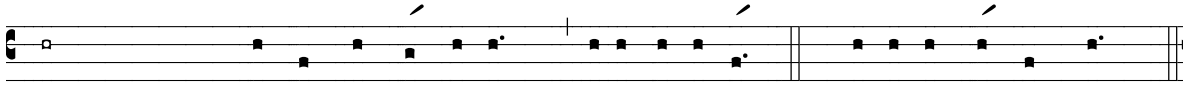
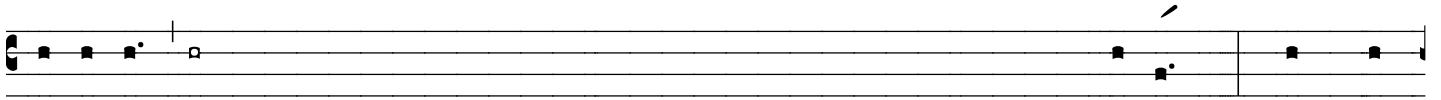


John 17:6-19 (Year B, Easter 7) (NRSV)



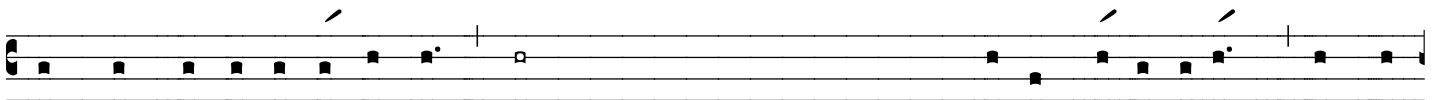
✠ The Holy Gospel of our Lord Je - sus Christ according to John. ✠ *Glory to you, Lord Christ.*



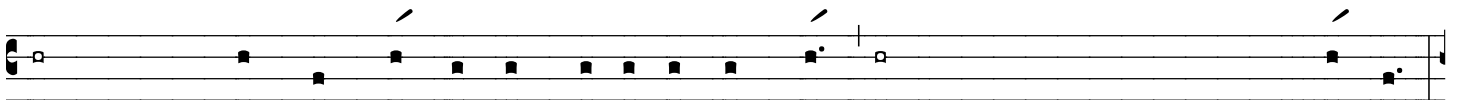
Je-sus said, I have made your name known to those whom you gave me from the world. They were



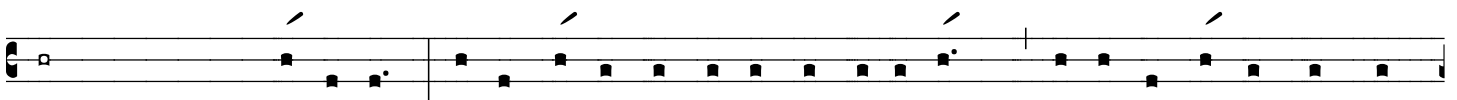
yours, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. **7** Now they know that ev'-ry-thing



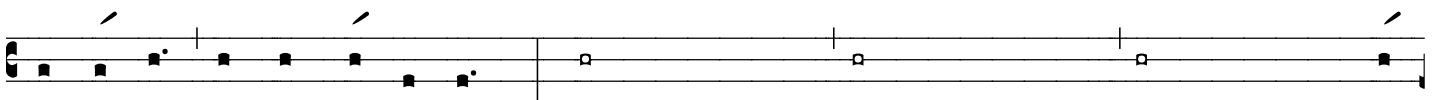
you have giv-en me is from you; **8** for the words that you gave to me I have giv-en to them, and they



have received them and know in truth that I came from you; and they have believed that you sent me.



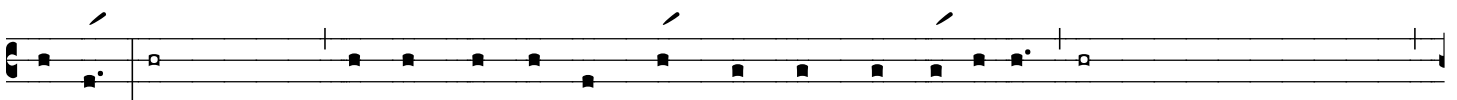
9 I am asking on their be-half; I am not ask-ing on be-half of the world, but on be-half of those whom



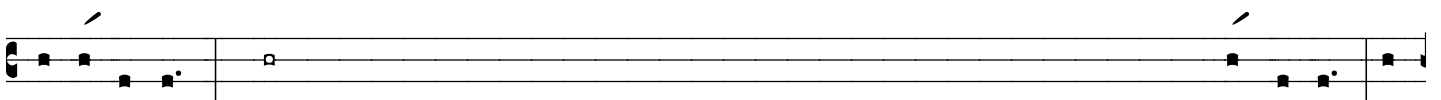
you gave me, be-cause they are yours. **10** All mine are yours, and yours are mine; and I have been glo -



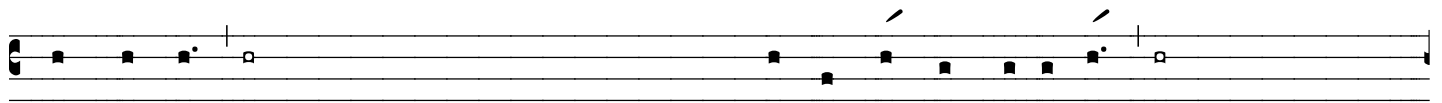
ri-fied in them. **11** And now I am no lon-ger in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming



to you. Holy Father, pro-tect them in your name that you have giv-en me, so that they may be one,



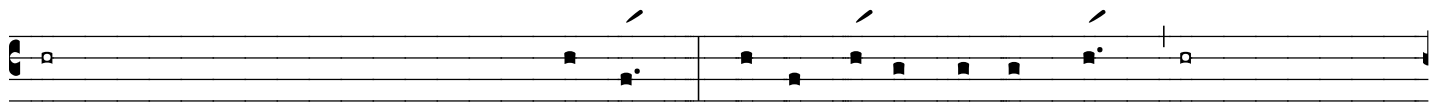
as we are one. **12** While I was with them, I protected them in your name that you have giv-en me. I



guard-ed them, and not one of them was lost except the one des-tined to be lost, so that the scripture



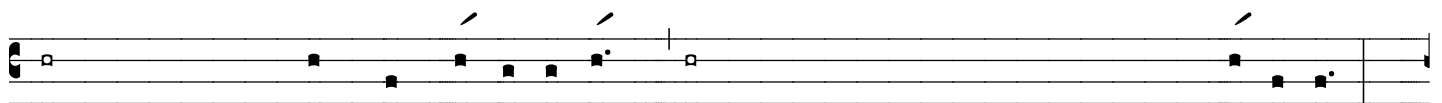
might be ful-filled. **13** But now I am com-ing to you, and I speak these things in the world so that they



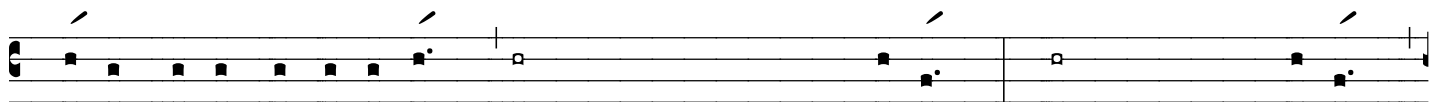
may have my joy made complete in them-selves. **14** I have giv-en them your word, and the world has



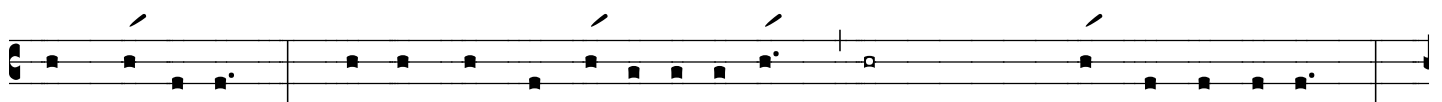
hated them because they do not be-long to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. **15** I am



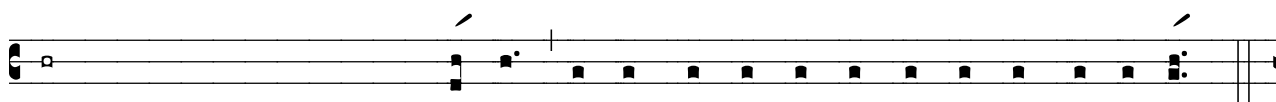
not asking you to take them out of the world, but I ask you to protect them from the e - vil one. **16**



They do not be-long to the world, just as I do not belong to the world. **17** Sanctify them in the truth;



your word is truth. **18** As you have sent me in-to the world, so I have sent them in - to the world. **19**



And for their sakes I sanctify my-self, so that they al - so may be sanc-ti - fied in truth.



∇ The Gospel of the Lord. ✠ Praise to you, Lord Christ.