

# The Prokeimenon

Psalm 110 - Tone 4

Priest: Wisdom. Let us attend. The Prokeimenon in the 4th Tone. Out of the womb, before the morning star have I begotten Thee: The Lord has sworn and will not change His mind.

Out of the womb, before the morning star have I begotten Thee:

The first line of musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The melody is written on the treble staff, and the bass line is on the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staves.

The Lord has sworn and will not change His mind.

The second line of musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The melody is written on the treble staff, and the bass line is on the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staves. A second ending bracket is shown above the treble staff.

Priest: The Lord said to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand, until I make thine enemies thy footstool."

Choir: Repeat Prokeimenon (above)

Priest: Out of the womb before the morning star have I begotten Thee...

Choir: Finish Prokeimenon (above)

Priest: Let us pray to the Lord.

Lord have mer - cy A - men

The third line of musical notation is in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of two staves. The melody is written on the treble staff, and the bass line is on the bass staff. The lyrics are written below the staves. A third ending bracket is shown above the treble staff.

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Priest: Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

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Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

Priest: Praise God in His sanctuary. Praise Him in His mighty firmament.

Choir: Repeat Prokeimenon (above)

Priest: Let everything that has breath...

Choir: Finish Prokeimenon (above)

Priest: That we may be accounted worthy to hear the Holy Gospel let us pray to the Lord.

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Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy.

Priest: Wisdom. Let us attend. Let us listen to the Holy Gospel. Peace be unto all.

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And to Thy spirit.

Priest: The reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Matthew.

Choir: Sing "*Glory to Thee...*" (below) before and after the Gospel.

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Glory to Thee O Lord... glory to Thee.

