



THE HOLY MARTYR ΕΠΙΜΑΧΟΣ OF EGYPT

October 31

Apolytikion

Intonation: #10

Fourth Mode
"Be quick to anticipate"

Ὁ μάρτυς σου Κύριε

Allegro ♩=150

Un. G E

Thy Mar - tyr, O Lord, in his cou - ra - geous con - test for Thee

G Un. G

re - ceived as the prize the crowns of in - cor - rup - tion and life from

E G

Thee, our im - mor - tal God. For since he pos - sessed Thy

Un. G

strength, he cast — down the ty - rants and whol - ly de - stroyed the

de - mons' strength - less pre - sump - tion. O Christ God, by his

prayers, save our souls, since Thou art mer - ci - ful.

Pray gently and calmly, sing with understanding and rhythm;

then you will soar like a young eagle high in the heavens.

Psalmody calms the passions and curbs the

uncontrolled impulses in the body.

- Evagrios the Solitary