The Appearance of the Icon of the Theotokos of Kazan

July 8

Apolytikion

Intonation: #10

Fourth Mode

Allegro \( \text{-} \frac{1}{4} \)

O fervent intercessor, Mother of the Lord Most High,

thou prayest for all to thy Son, Christ our God, and thou

causest all to be saved who have recourse to thy powerful protection.

O Sov’reign Lady and Queen,
help and de-fend all of us who in troubles and tri-
als, in pain and bur-dened with man-y sins, stand be-
fore thy
most pure i-con in thy pres-en-ce, and pray to thee with com-
punc-tion of soul, con-tri-tion of heart, and with tears, and who
have un-flag-ging hope in thee. Grant to all what is good for
us, de-liv-er-ance from all e-vil, and save us
all, O Vir-gin The-o-to-kos, for thou art a di-
vine pro-tec-tion to thy ser-vants.