



# THE HOLY MARTYR BASSA AND HER SONS THEOGNIUS, AGAPIUS, AND PISTUS

August 21

Apolytikion

Fourth Mode

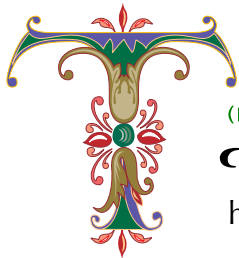
*"Be quick to anticipate"*

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Intonation: #10

Ἦχος Δ

Οἱ Μάρτυρές σου Κύριε


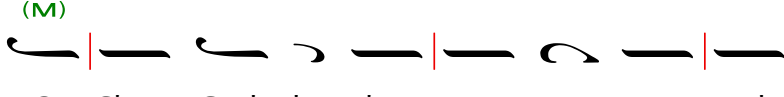



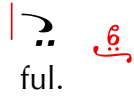
(M) (Δ) (B)  
hy Mar - tyrs, O Lord, in their cou - ra - geous con - test for Thee

(Δ) (M) (Δ)  
re - ceived as the prize the crowns of in - cor - rup - tion and life

(B) (Δ) (M) (Δ)  
from Thee, our im - mor - tal God. For since they pos - sessed Thy strength, they cast

4 (B) (Δ)  
down the ty - rants and whol - ly de - stroyed the de - mons' strength - less pre - sump -




  
 tion. O Christ God, by their prayers, save our souls, since Thou art mer - ci -


  
 ful.

Those who chant should offer  
 their psalmodies with great care to God,  
 Who looks into the hidden recesses of the heart,  
 i.e., into the psalmody and prayer that are  
 done mentally in the heart rather  
 than uttered in external cries.

- Canon LXXV of the Sixth Ecumenical Synod