The Second Sunday of the Fast:  
Saint Gregory Palamas  
Archbishop of Thessalonica

Apolytikion

Plagal Fourth Mode

Orthodoxia oJ fwsθhν

Orqodoxiva οJ fwsthvρ

Intonation: #25

The fight of Orthodoxy, pillar and teacher of the Church, adornment of monastics, invincible champion of the theologians, O Gregory thou wonder-work, boast of Thessalonica, herald of grace: ever pray that our...
souls be saved.
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Kontakion

Plagal Fourth Mode
"To Thee, the Champion Leader"

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With one accord, we praise thee as the sacred and divine vessel of wisdom and clear trumpet of theology,
O our righteous Father Gregory of divine speech.

As a mind that standeth now before the Primal Mind,

thou ever guide a-right and lead our mind to Him, that we all may_

cry: Re-joice, O herald of grace di-vine.

While your tongue sings,
let your mind search out the meaning of the words,
so that you might sing in spirit and sing also in understanding.

- St. Basil the Great