

# Stichera at "Lord, I Call"

*Holy Apostles and Deacons Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon, and Parmenas - July 28*

Tone 1  
Sticheron 1

Russian Imperial Court Chant  
arr. from L'vov/Bakhmetev

Soprano  
Alto

Tenor  
Bass

By a choice de - ter - mined by God, you were honored by

being preferred to serve the needs of the saints. You were full of

divine wisdom, illu - mi - na - tion, and grace. Now, O glorious ones,

you ev - er dwell in the heav - ens, // rejoicing with the An - gels.

Sticheron 2

By the grace of the Spirit, you were revealed to the world

as bright lamps, shining richly with the light of knowledge,

ending the darkness of wickedness. You have been translated,

O Apostles, // and now make your dwelling near the Unap -

proachable Light.

## Sticheron 3

Let us praise the most holy Nícanor, Parménas and Tí - mon,

and with them let us honor the divine Pró - cho - rus, for these men

ful-filled the com-mands of the Word! They en - rich —

those who doubt, // and are most ardent inter-ces - sors with our God