

**01/13 After Theophany,
Martyrs Hermylus & Stratonicus**

*Stichera of the Feast
on “Lord, I have cried” in the 2nd tone*

6 The **Efful**_gence of the **Father’s glo**_ry_ / hath
appeared in the streams of the **Jor**_dan, // washing
away through baptism the **de**filement of our
souls_._._.

5 **Receive**_ as a servant the **Deli**_ver-er of the
world_, / O **prophet** John, / *and baptize* the **Creator**,
// unto the **restoration** of men_._._.

4 **Enlight**_enment doth come_! / **Deli**-ver-ance
hath appeared / in *the streams* of the **Jordan**! / Let
us go down to be **pu**-ri-fied // and to hymn *the Lover*
of mankind_._._!

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*On “Lord, I have cried”
“Glory” in the 8th tone*

*The **hand** of the Baptist **trem**_bled / when
touched *Thine* **all-pure**_ head, / the River **Jor**_dan
turned_ back, / not daring to **mi**-nis-ter unto
Thee; / for if it was in awe of **Jo**-shu-a son of Nun, /
how could it not have been **stri**_._._cken with awe /
by its own Cre-**a**_tor? / O our Savior who **a-lone**
lovest mankind, / Thou hast fulfilled **all** Thy *dis-pen*-
sa_tion, / that thou mayest **save** *the* world // by
Thine e-**pi**-pha-ny.*

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“Both now” on the Aposticha in the 8th tone

*The **armies** of the angels were **filled** with awe /
by what they saw today in *the **Jor**__._dan*, / when
Thou didst stand naked in the **waters**, O **Sa**_vior, /
bowing Thy pure head to be **baptized** *by* John. / For
when Thou didst beggar Thyself of *Thine* **own**__._
will, / the **world**__._ was en-riched. // Glory be to
Thee, O Lord.*

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Troparion of the martyrs in the 4th tone

In their **sufferings**, O Lord, / Thy martyrs
received imperishable crowns from **Thee**, our God; /
for, **possessed** of Thy might, / they set at naught the
tyrants and crushed the feeble audacity of the
demons. // By their supplications **save** Thou our
souls.