

October 13th

St. Jacob of Hamatoura

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried" (2nd set)

Byzantine Chant Tone 4, Fourth Mode
Special melody: *As one valiant*

Chadi Karam

Thy soul tru - ly was pu - ri - fied from the pas - sions through

la - bors, thou be - cam - est a ves - sel for the Ho - ly Spir -

- it; thou wast a - dorned and shon - est forth by the grace of the

priest - hood. And thou didst stand up be - fore the ma - jes - tic

throne of our Lord, O dis - cours - er and close friend to the

An - gels, the right - eous, and to all the Saints and Mar - tyrs, our

in - ter - ces - sor, fa - ther Ja - cob.

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O com - pan - ion of An - gels, O Hier - o - mar - tyr
Ja - cob, thou art tru - ly won - drous a - mongst the val - iant Saints
though thy life is con - cealed from us; but sure - ly in time it will,
with thy vir - tues, shine forth man - i - fest - ly and
bril - liant - ly; for thou, O Fa - ther, like a ra - di - ant
lu - mi - nar - y, shon - est from the val - ley of the right - eous, O
Ja - cob, res - i - dent of Par - a - dise.

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Come and let us now cel - e - brate, O ye faith - ful, and

hon - or with be - fit - ting prais - es our fa - ther Ja - cob,

D **Un.** **E**

who a - mongst all the monks was a beau - ty and or - na - ment,

though for - got - ten for a time, he has re - cent - ly

been re - vealed and didst show us all how the Lord doth en -

G **E**

-cour - age those who love Him by re - veal - ing and con - firm - ing the

grace con - cealed in His Saint's life.