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Εὐλόγησον, Δέσποτα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένη ἡ Βασιλεία τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Αγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἄμην.)

ΤΑ ΕΙΡΗΝΙΚΑ ἢ Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῆς ἄνωθεν εἰρήνης καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῆς εἰρήνης τοῦ σύμπαντος κόσμου, εὐσταθείας τῶν ἀγίων τοῦ Θεοῦ Ἐκκλησιῶν καὶ τῆς τῶν πάντων ἐνώσεως, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τοῦ ἀγίου οἴκου τούτου, καὶ τῶν μετὰ πίστεως, εὐλαβείας καὶ φόβου Θεοῦ εἰσιόντων ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

Books - Sources

Hieratikon

Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

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Sunday after the Feast

LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

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DEACON

Master, give the blessing.

PRIEST

Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

THE LITANY OF PEACE OR GREAT LITANY

DEACON

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For the peace from above and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For the peace of the whole world, for the stability of the holy churches of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For this holy house and for those who enter it with faith, reverence, and the fear of God, let us pray to the Lord.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὄρθιοδόξων χριστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος), τοῦ τιμίου πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας, παντὸς τοῦ κλήρου καὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ τοῦ εὐσεβοῦς ἡμῶν γένους, τοῦ προέδρου καὶ πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἔξουσίας ἐν τῷ κράτει ἡμῶν, καὶ τοῦ κατὰ ξηρὰν θάλασσαν καὶ ἀέρα φιλοχρίστου ἡμῶν στρατοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ τῆς Ἁγίας τοῦ Χριστοῦ Μεγάλης Ἐκκλησίας, τῆς Ἱερᾶς ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπῆς, [τῆς Ἱερᾶς Μητροπόλεως ταύτης,] τῆς πόλεως καὶ κοινότητος ταύτης, πάσης πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ εὐκρασίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν καρπῶν τῆς γῆς καὶ καιρῶν εἱρηνικῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσούντων, καμόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

·Υπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὄργης, κινδύνου καὶ ὀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἔλέησον.)

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For pious and Orthodox Christians, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For our Archbishop (name), for the honorable presbyterate, for the diaconate in Christ, and for all the clergy and the people, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For our country, the president, all those in public service, and for our armed forces everywhere, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For the Great and Holy Church of Christ, for our Holy Archdiocese, [for this Holy Metropolis,] for this city and parish, for every city and land, and for the faithful who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For favorable weather, for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For those who travel by land, sea, and air, for the sick, the suffering, the captives and for their salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and distress, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Ἄντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ
διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου,
ύπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν
Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ
πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς
καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν
Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΠΡΩΤΟΥ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὗ τὸ κράτος ἀνείκαστον
καὶ ἡ δόξα ἀκατάληπτος, οὗ τὸ ἔλεος ἀμέτρητον καὶ
ἡ φιλανθρωπία ἄφατος· αὐτός, Δέσποτα, κατὰ τὴν
εὐσπλαγχνίαν σου, ἐπίβλεψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἄγιον
οἶκον τοῦτον, καὶ ποίησον μεθ' ἡμῶν καὶ τῶν συνευχομένων
ἡμῖν πλούσια τὰ ἐλέη σου καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

὾τι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ
προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ
Ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄντιφωνον Α'. Ὕχος β'. Ψαλμοὶ 131, 86, 45.

Στίχ. α'. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ Δαυΐδ καὶ
πάσης τῆς πραότητος αὐτοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ,
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Στίχ. β'. Ἰδοὺ ἡκούσαμεν αὐτὴν ἐν
Ἐφραθᾶ, εὕρομεν αὐτὴν ἐν τοῖς πεδίοις τοῦ
δρυμοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ,
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and
protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Commemorating our most holy, pure,
blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and
ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us
commend ourselves and one another and our
whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE FIRST ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, Whose dominion is incomparable and
glory incomprehensible; Whose mercy is immeasurable, and
love for mankind ineffable: Look upon us and upon this holy
house in Your loving-kindness, and grant to us and to those
who pray with us Your abundant mercy and compassion.

PRIEST

For to You belong all glory, honor, and
worship, to the Father and to the Son and to the
Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of
ages.

(Amen.)

CHOIR

First Antiphon. Mode 2. Psalms 131, 86, 45.

Verse 1: Remember David, O Lord, and
all his meekness. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the
Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

Verse 2: Behold, we heard of it in
Ephrathah; we found it in the plains of the
wood. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the
Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

Στίχ. γ'. Δεδοξασμένα ἐλαλήθη περὶ σοῦ, ἡ πόλις τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Στίχ. δ'. Ο Θεὸς ἐν μέσω αὐτῆς καὶ οὐ σαλευθήσεται.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΙΤΗ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΟΥ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου· τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς Ἑκκλησίας σου φύλαξον· ἀγίασον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου· σὺ αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπης ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ.

Verse 3: Glorious things were said concerning you, O city of God. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

Verse 4: God is in her midst; she shall not be shaken. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

Glory. Both now.

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

THE SMALL LITANY

DEACON

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE SECOND ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Protect the fullness of Your Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house. Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and forsake us not who have set our hope in You.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

“Οτι σὸν τὸ κράτος καὶ σοῦ ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Αντίφωνον Β'. Ὁ^ρχος β'. Ψαλμὸς 131.

Στίχ. α'. Ὡμοσε^ρ Κύριος τῷ Δαυΐδ
ἀλήθειαν καὶ οὐ μὴ ἀθετήσει αὐτήν.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ
νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἄλληλούϊα.

Στίχ. β'. Ἐκ καρποῦ τῆς κοιλίας σου
θήσομαι ἐπὶ τοῦ θρόνου σου.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ
νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἄλληλούϊα.

Στίχ. γ'. Ἐκεῖ ἔξανατελῶ κέρας τῷ Δαυΐδ,
ἡτοίμασα λύχνον τῷ Χριστῷ μου.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ
νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἄλληλούϊα.

Στίχ. δ'. Ὅτι ἔξελέξατο Κύριος τὴν Σιών,
ἥρετίσατο αὐτὴν εἰς κατοικίαν ἔαντῷ.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ
νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἄλληλούϊα.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν
αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Ο Μονογενὴς Υἱὸς καὶ Λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ,
ἀθάνατος ὑπάρχων καὶ καταδεξάμενος διὰ τὴν
ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν σαρκωθῆναι ἐκ τῆς ἀγίας
Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, ἀτρέπτως

PRIEST

For Yours is the dominion, and Yours
is the kingdom and the power and the glory,
of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy
Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

CHOIR

Second Antiphon. Mode 2. Psalm 131.

Verse 1: *The Lord swore to David this truth, and He shall not reject it.* [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the
dead. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

Verse 2: *I shall set upon your throne one from the fruit of your loins.* [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the
dead. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

Verse 3: *There I shall cause to spring up a horn for David; there I prepared a lamp for my anointed.* [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the
dead. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

Verse 4: *The Lord has chosen Zion; He chose her for His dwelling.* [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the
dead. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. [GOA]

Now and forever and to the ages of ages.
Amen. [GOA]

Only-begotten Son and Logos of God,
being immortal, You condescended for our
salvation to take flesh from the holy Theotokos
and ever-virgin Mary and, without change,

ένανθρωπήσας, σταυρωθείς τε, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός,
θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, εἷς ὁν τῆς Ἁγίας
Τριάδος, συνδοξαζόμενος τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ
Ἄγιῷ Πνεύματι, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΙΓΗ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἄντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ
διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου,
ύπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν
Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ
πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς
καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν
Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΡΙΤΟΥ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ

὾ τὰς κοινὰς ταύτας καὶ συμφώνους ἡμῖν χαρισάμενος
προσευχάς, ὁ καὶ δυσὶ καὶ τρισὶ συμφωνοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῷ ὄνόματί
σου τὰς αἰτήσεις παρέχειν ἐπαγγελάμενος· Αὕτος καὶ νῦν
τῶν δούλων σου τὰ αἰτήματα πρὸς τὸ συμφέρον πλήρωσον,
χορηγῶν ἡμῖν ἐν τῷ παρόντι αἰῶνι τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν τῆς σῆς
ἀληθείας καὶ ἐν τῷ μέλλοντι ζωὴν αἰώνιον χαριζόμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος Θεὸς
ὑπάρχεις καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ
Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

became man. Christ, our God, You were
crucified and conquered death by death. Being
one of the Holy Trinity, glorified with the
Father and the Holy Spirit: Save us. [\[GOA\]](#)

THE SMALL LITANY

DEACON

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to
the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and
protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Commemorating our most holy, pure,
blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and
ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us
commend ourselves and one another and our
whole life to Christ our God.

(*To You, O Lord.*)

PRIEST (*in a low voice*)

THE PRAYER OF THE THIRD ANTIphon

Lord, You have granted us to offer these common
prayers in unison and have promised that when two or three
agree in Your name, You will grant their requests. Fulfill
now, O Lord, the petitions of Your servants as may be of
benefit to them, granting us in the present age the knowledge
of Your truth, and in the age to come eternal life.

PRIEST

For You, O God, are good and love
mankind, and to You we offer glory, to the
Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
now and forever, and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Αντίφωνον Γ'. Ἡχος δ'. Ψαλμοὶ 131, 45, 64.

Στίχ. α'. Ωδε κατοικήσω, ὅτι ἡρετισάμην αὐτήν.

Στίχ. β'. Ἡγίασε τὸ σκήνωμα αὐτοῦ ὁ Υψιστος.

Στίχ. γ'. Ἅγιος ὁ ναός σου, θαυμαστὸς ἐν δικαιοσύνῃ.

Απολυτίκιον τῆς Έορτῆς. Ἡχος δ'.

Ἡ γέννησίς σου Θεοτόκε, χαρὰν ἐμήνυσε πάσῃ τῇ οἰκουμένῃ· ἐκ σοῦ γὰρ ἀνέτειλεν ὁ ἥλιος τῆς δικαιοσύνης, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ λύσας τὴν κατάραν, ἔδωκε τὴν εὐλογίαν· καὶ καταργήσας τὸν θάνατον, ἔδωρήσατο ἡμῖν ζωὴν τὴν αἰώνιον.

ΜΙΚΡΑ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ

Ψαλλομένου δὲ τοῦ Γ' Αντιφώνου (μετὰ τῶν στίχων), ὁ Ιερεὺς καὶ ὁ Διάκονος στάντες ἐμπροσθεν τῆς ἀγίας Τραπέζης προσκυνοῦσι τρίς. Ο Ιερεὺς εἶτα τὸ ιερὸν Εὐαγγέλιον δίδωσι τῷ Διακόνῳ, ὅστις παραλαμβάνων αὐτὸν ἀσπάζεται τὴν χεῖρα τοῦ Ιερέως καὶ, προπορευομένου λαμπαδούχου καὶ ἔξαπτερύγων, περιέρχεται κύκλῳ τὴν ἀγίαν Τράπεζαν, ἐπομένου τοῦ Ιερέως καὶ ποιοῦσιν εἴσοδον (τὴν λεγομένην μικράν). Μὴ ὑπάρχοντος δὲ Διακόνου λαμβάνει τὸ ιερὸν Εὐαγγέλιον ὁ Ιερεὺς πρὸ προσώπου αὐτοῦ. Διασχίσαντες δὲ τὸ βόρειον κλίτος καὶ τὸ κεντρικὸν ἔρχονται εἰς τὸ μέσον τοῦ ναοῦ καὶ σταθέντες κλίνουσι τὰς κεφαλάς, τοῦ Διακόνου εἰπόντος:

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ καταστήσας ἐν οὐρανοῖς τάγματα καὶ στρατιὰς ἀγγέλων καὶ ἀρχαγγέλων εἰς λειτουργίαν τῆς σῆς δόξης, ποίησον σὺν τῇ εἰσόδῳ ἡμῶν εἴσοδον ἀγίων ἀγγέλων γενέσθαι, συλλειτουργούντων ἡμῖν καὶ συνδοξολογούντων τὴν σὴν ἀγαθότητα. Ὄτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ

CHOIR

Third Antiphon. Mode 4. Psalms 131, 45, 64.

Verse 1: Here I shall dwell, for I have chosen her. [SAAS]

Verse 2: The Most High sanctified His tabernacle. [SAAS]

Verse 3: Holy is Your temple, wondrous in righteousness. [SAAS]

Apolytikion of the Feast. Mode 4.

Your Nativity, O Theotokos, imparted joy to the entire earth, for out of you has risen the Sun of Righteousness, Christ our God. He nullified the curse and instead gave His blessing; and causing death to be neutralized, He granted us eternal life. [SD]

THE SMALL ENTRANCE

As the Third Antiphon is being sung (with its verses), the Priest and Deacon bow three times before the holy Table. Then the Priest gives the holy Gospel to the Deacon, who kisses the Priest's hand as he receives it, and then circles the holy Table with the Priest following him. Preceded by altar servers holding candles and fans, they exit through the north door for the so-called Small Entrance. When there is no Deacon, the Priest takes the holy Gospel and holds it up in front of his face. When they reach the center of the church, they stop and bow their heads, and the Deacon says in a low voice:

DEACON (in a low voice)

Let us pray to the Lord. Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE ENTRANCE PRAYER

Master, Lord our God, Who has established the orders and hosts of angels and archangels in heaven to minister to Your glory, grant that holy angels may enter with us, that together we may celebrate and glorify Your goodness. For to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and

καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Εὐλόγησον, δέσποτα, τὴν ἀγίαν εἰσοδον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Εὐλογημένη ἡ εἰσοδος τῶν ἀγίων σου, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἰσοδικόν. *Ὕχος β'.*

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν
Χριστῷ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ
νεκρῶν,

ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἄλληλούϊα.

“Υμνοι μετὰ τὴν Μικρὰν Εἰσοδον

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - -

Απολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

Ὕχος πλ. α'. Αὐτόμελον.

Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον Πατρὶ καὶ
Πνεύματι, τὸν ἐκ Παρθένου τεχθέντα εἰς
σωτηρίαν ἡμῶν, ἀνυμνήσωμεν πιστοὶ καὶ
προσκυνήσωμεν· ὅτι ηύδοκησε σαρκί,
ἀνελθεῖν ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ θάνατον
ὑπομεῖναι, καὶ ἐγεῖραι τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐν τῇ
ἐνδόξῳ ἀναστάσει αὐτοῦ.

Απολυτίκιον τῆς Έορτῆς.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Ὕχος δ'.

Ἡ γέννησίς σου Θεοτόκε, χαρὰν ἐμήνυσε
πάσῃ τῇ οἰκουμένῃ· ἐκ σοῦ γὰρ ἀνέτειλεν ὁ
ἡλιος τῆς δικαιοσύνης, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν,
καὶ λύσας τὴν κατάραν, ἔδωκε τὴν εὐλογίαν·
καὶ καταργήσας τὸν θάνατον, ἔδωρήσατο ἡμῖν
ζωὴν τὴν αἰώνιον.

to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the
ages of ages. Amen.

DEACON (*in a low voice*)

Master, bless the holy entrance.

PRIEST (*in a low voice*)

Blessed be the entrance of Your holy ones always, now
and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise.

CHOIR

Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.

Come, let us worship and bow down
before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, risen
from the dead. [\[GOA\]](#)

We sing to You, Alleluia.

Hymns After the Small Entrance.

CHOIR

From Octoechos - - -

Resurrectional Apolytikion.

Mode pl. 1. Automelon.

Tὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.

As the Father and Spirit are unoriginate,
* so the Word, who was born from the Virgin
for us. * Let us praise Him, O believers, and
let us worship Him. * For our salvation He was
pleased * to be crucified in the flesh, * and to
undergo death, * and to resurrect the dead, by
His glorious resurrection. [\[GOASD\]](#)

Apolytikion of the Feast.

From Menaion - - -

Mode 4.

Your Nativity, O Theotokos, imparted
joy to the entire earth, for out of you has risen
the Sun of Righteousness, Christ our God.
He nullified the curse and instead gave His
blessing; and causing death to be neutralized,
He granted us eternal life. [\[SD\]](#)

Toū Naoū.

(Τὸ Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ναοῦ.)

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Κοντάκιον.**Ὕχος δ'.**

Ίωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννα ὀνειδισμοῦ ἀτεκνίας,
καὶ Ἄδὰμ καὶ Εὕα, ἐκ τῆς φθορᾶς τοῦ θανάτου,
ἡλευθερώθησαν, Ἀχραντε, ἐν τῇ ἀγίᾳ γεννήσει
σου· αὐτὴν ἑορτάζει καὶ ὁ λαός σου, ἐνοχῆς
τῶν πταισμάτων, λυτρωθεὶς ἐν τῷ κράζειν σοι·
Ἡ στεῖρα τίκτει τὴν Θεοτόκον, καὶ τροφὸν τῆς
ζωῆς ἡμῶν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Ο Θεός ὁ ἄγιος, ὁ ἐν ἀγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, ὁ τρισαγίω
φωνῇ ὑπὸ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ ἀνυμνούμενος καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν
Χερουβεὶμ δοξολογούμενος καὶ ὑπὸ πάσης ἐπουρανίου
δυνάμεως προσκυνούμενος· ὁ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς τὸ
εἶναι παραγαγὸν τὰ σύμπαντα· ὁ κτίσας τὸν ἄνθρωπον
κατ’ εἰκόνα σὴν καὶ ὅμοίωσιν καὶ παντὶ σου χαρίσματι
κατακοσμήσας· ὁ διδοὺς αἴτοῦντι σοφίαν καὶ σύνεσιν καὶ
μὴ παρορῶν ἀμαρτάνοντα, ἀλλὰ θέμενος ἐπὶ σωτηρίᾳ
μετάνοιαν· ὁ καταξιώσας ἡμᾶς τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἀναξίους
δούλους σου καὶ ἐν τῇ ὥρᾳ ταύτῃ στῆναι κατενώπιον τῆς
δόξης τοῦ ἀγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου καὶ τὴν ὄφειλομένην σοι
προσκύνησιν καὶ δοξολογίαν προσάγειν· Αὐτός, Δέσποτα,
πρόσδεξαι καὶ ἐκ στόματος ἡμῶν τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν τὸν
τρισάγιον ὅμνον καὶ ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί
σου. Συγχώρησον ἡμῖν πᾶν πλημμέλημα ἔκουσιόν τε καὶ
ἀκούσιον· ἀγίασον ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς καὶ τὰ σώματα· καὶ δὸς
ἡμῖν ἐν ὁσιότητι λατρεύειν σοι πάσας τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς ζωῆς
ἡμῶν· πρεσβείαις τῆς ἀγίας Θεοτόκου καὶ πάντων τῶν ἀγίων
τῶν ἀπ’ αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων.

Apolytikion of the Parish Church(Apolytikion of the Parish Church.) [GOA]

From Menaion - - -

Kontakion.**Mode 4.**

Both Joachim and Anna from their sterility's stigma, and Adam and Eve from their mortality's ruin have been set free, O immaculate Maid, by your holy nativity. For this do your people hold celebration, redeemed from the guilt of transgression as they cry to you, "The barren one bears the Theotokos, the nourisher of our Life." [GKD]

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE TRISAGION HYMN

O Holy God, Who is resting among the holy ones, praised by the Seraphim with the thrice-holy voice, glorified by the Cherubim, and worshiped by every celestial power, You have brought all things into being out of nothing. You have created man according to Your image and likeness and adorned him with all the gifts of Your grace. You give wisdom and understanding to the one who asks, and You overlook not the sinner, but have set repentance as the way of salvation. You have granted us, Your humble and unworthy servants, to stand even at this hour before the glory of Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to offer to You due worship and praise. Master, accept the Trisagion Hymn also from the lips of us sinners, and visit us in Your goodness. Forgive all our voluntary and involuntary transgressions, sanctify our souls and bodies, and grant that we may worship You in holiness all the days of our lives, through the intercessions of the holy Theotokos and of all the saints who have pleased You throughout the ages.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

“Οτι ἅγιος εῖ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἅγιῷ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεί...

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

...καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰώνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄμήν.

Ο ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΣ ΥΜΝΟΣ

Ἄγιος ὁ Θεός, ἄγιος Ἰσχυρός, ἄγιος Αθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (ἐκ γ')

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἅγιῳ Πνεύματι.
Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰώνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμήν.

Ἄγιος Αθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Δύναμις.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Κέλευσον, δέσποτα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εὐλόγησον, δέσποτα, τὴν ἄνω καθέδραν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένος εῖ, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου δόξης τῆς βασιλείας σου,
ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τῶν Χερουβείμ, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰώνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δύναμις.

Ἄγιος ὁ Θεός, ἄγιος Ἰσχυρός, ἄγιος Αθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

PRIEST

For You, our God, are holy, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever,

DEACON

And to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

THE TRISAGION HYMN

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal,
have mercy on us. (3) [GOA]

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit. Now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

DEACON

Dynamis.

DEACON (*in a low voice*)

Command, Master.

PRIEST

Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord.

DEACON

Master, bless the throne on high.

PRIEST

Blessed are You upon the throne of the glory of Your kingdom, enthroned upon the Cherubim always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

CHOIR

Dynamis.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal,
have mercy on us. [GOA]

Τὰ Αναγνώσματα

‘Ο Απόστολος

Κυριακή πρὸ τῆς Ὑπψώσεως.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Προκείμενον. Ἡχος πλ. β'. Ψαλμὸς 27.

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

Στίχ. Πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, κεκράξομαι, ὁ Θεός
μου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Πρὸς Γαλάτας Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ
ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Γα 6:11-18

Ἄδελφοί, ἵδετε πηλίκοις ὑμῖν γράμμασιν
ἔγραψα τῇ ἐμῇ χειρί. Ὅσοι θέλουσιν
εὐπροσωπῆσαι ἐν σαρκὶ, οὗτοι ἀναγκάζουσιν
ὑμᾶς περιτέμνεσθαι, μόνον ἵνα μὴ τῷ
σταυρῷ τοῦ Χριστοῦ διώκωνται· οὐδὲ γὰρ οἱ
περιτεμόμενοι αὐτοὶ νόμον φυλάσσουσιν,
ἀλλὰ θέλουσιν ὑμᾶς περιτέμνεσθαι ἵνα ἐν
τῇ ὑμετέρᾳ σαρκὶ καυχήσωνται. Ἐμοὶ δὲ μὴ
γένοιτο καυχᾶσθαι εἰ μὴ ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ τοῦ
Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, δι’ οὗ ἐμοὶ
κόσμος ἐσταύρωται κάγὼ τῷ κόσμῳ. Ἐν γὰρ
Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ οὕτε περιτομή τι ἴσχύει οὕτε
ἀκροβυστία, ἀλλὰ καὶ κτίσις. Καὶ ὅσοι τῷ
κανόνι τούτῳ στοιχήσουσιν, εἰρήνη ἐπ’ αὐτοὺς
καὶ ἔλεος, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν Ἰσραὴλ τοῦ Θεοῦ. Τοῦ

The Readings

The Epistle

Sunday Before the Elevation of the Cross

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

READER

Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 2. Psalm 27.

O Lord, save Your people, and bless Your
inheritance. [SAAS]

Verse: To You, O Lord, I cry; O my God.

[SAAS]

DEACON

Wisdom.

READER

The reading is from Paul's Letter to the
Galatians.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

READER

Gal. 6:11-18

Brethren, see with what large letters I
am writing to you with my own hand. It is
those who want to make a good showing
in the flesh that would compel you to be
circumcised, and only in order that they may
not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. For
even those who receive circumcision do not
themselves keep the law, but they desire to
have you circumcised that they may glory
in your flesh. But far be it from me to glory
except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ,
by which the world has been crucified to me,
and I to the world. For neither circumcision
counts for anything, nor uncircumcision, but
a new creation. Peace and mercy be upon all

λοιποῦ κόπους μοι μηδεὶς παρεχέτω· ἐγὼ γὰρ τὰ στύγματα τοῦ Κυρίου Ἰησοῦ ἐν τῷ σώματί μου βαστάζω. Ἡ χάρις τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματος ὑμῶν, ἀδελφοί· ἀμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ ἀναγνόντι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα.

(Ψάλλεται Ἄλληλούϊα τρίς. Οἱ στίχοι εὑρίσκονται εἰς τὸ Liturgy - Variable Parts τῆς ημέρας.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

"Ἐλλαμψον ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, φιλάνθρωπε Δέσποτα, τὸ τῆς σῆς θεογνωσίας ἀκήρατον φῶς καὶ τοὺς τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν διάνοιξον ὁφθαλμούς εἰς τὴν τῶν εὐαγγελικῶν σου κηρυγμάτων κατανόησιν. "Ἐνθες ἡμῖν καὶ τὸν τῶν μακαρίων σου ἐντολῶν φόβον, ἵνα, τὰς σαρκικὰς ἐπιθυμίας πάσας καταπατήσαντες, πνευματικὴν πολιτείαν μετέλθωμεν, πάντα τὰ πρὸς εὐαρέστησιν τὴν σὴν καὶ φρονοῦντες καὶ πράττοντες. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ φωτισμὸς τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

Κυριακὴ πρὸ τῆς Ὑψώσεως,

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἀγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

who walk by this rule, upon the Israel of God. Henceforth let no man trouble me; for I bear on my body the marks of Jesus. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your spirit, brethren. Amen. [RSV]

PRIEST

Peace be with you the reader.

CHOIR

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

(*Alleluia is sung thrice. Verses may be found in the Liturgy - Variable Parts of the day.*)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

Shine in our hearts, O Master Who loves mankind, the pure light of Your divine knowledge, and open the eyes of our mind that we may comprehend the proclamations of Your Gospels. Instill in us also reverence for Your blessed commandments so that, having trampled down all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing all those things that are pleasing to You. For You, Christ our God, are the illumination of our souls and bodies, and to You we offer up glory, together with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

The Gospel

Sunday Before the Elevation of the Cross

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(*And with your spirit.*)

DEACON

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Iωα 3:13-17

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος· καὶ οὐδεὶς ἀναβέβηκεν εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν εἰ μὴ ὁ ἐκ τοῦ οὐρανοῦ καταβάς, ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ὁ ὃν ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ. καὶ καθὼς Μωϋσῆς ὑψώσε τὸν ὄφιν ἐν τῇ ἐρήμῳ, οὕτως ὑψωθῆναι δεῖ τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ ἀπόληται ἀλλ’ ἔχῃ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Οὕτω γὰρ ἡγάπησεν ὁ Θεὸς τὸν κόσμον, ὥστε τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ ἔδωκεν, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ ἀπόληται ἀλλ’ ἔχῃ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. οὐ γὰρ ἀπέστειλεν ὁ Θεὸς τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἵνα κρίνῃ τὸν κόσμον, ἀλλ’ ἵνα σωθῇ ὁ κόσμος δι’ αὐτοῦ.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ εὐαγγελιζομένῳ καὶ παντὶ τῷ λαῷ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

ΤΟ ΚΗΡΥΓΜΑ

(Κατὰ τὴν ἀρχαιοτάτην παράδοσιν, τὸ κήρυγμα τοῦ θείου λόγου ἐγίνετο εὐθὺς μετὰ τὰ ἀναγνώσματα.)

(Παραλείπονται ἡ ἐκτενής, ἡ δέησις ὑπέρ τῶν κατηχουμένων, καὶ ἡ α' εὐχὴ τῶν πιστῶν.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

EYXH ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Β'

Πάλιν καὶ πολλάκις σοὶ προσπίπτομεν καὶ σοῦ δεόμεθα, ἀγαθὲ καὶ φιλάνθρωπε, ὅπως, ἐπιβλέψας ἐπὶ τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, καθαρίστης ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς καὶ τὰ σώματα ἀπὸ παντὸς μολυσμοῦ σαρκός καὶ πνεύματος καὶ δῷης ἡμῶν ἀνένοχον καὶ ἀκατάκριτον τὴν παράστασιν τοῦ ἀγίου σου

PRIEST

Let us be attentive.

(Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.)

DEACON

Jn. 3:13-17

The Lord said, "No one has ascended into heaven but he who descended from heaven, the Son of man. And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God sent the Son into the world, not to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him." [RSV]

PRIEST

Peace be with you.

CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

THE SERMON

(According to ancient tradition, the sermon was delivered following the readings.)

(The litanies of Supplication and for the Catechumens and the First Prayer of the Faithful have been omitted.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE SECOND PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Again and countless times we fall down before You, and we implore You, O Good One, Who loves mankind: That You, having regarded our prayer, may cleanse our souls and bodies from every defilement of flesh and spirit, and grant to us to stand before Your holy Altar of sacrifice,

θυσιαστηρίου. Χάρισαι δέ, ὁ Θεός, καὶ τοῖς συνευχομένοις ἡμῖν προκοπὴν βίου καὶ πίστεως καὶ συνέσεως πνευματικῆς· δὸς αὐτοῖς πάντοτε, μετὰ φόβου καὶ ἀγάπης λατρεύειν σοι, ἀνενόχως καὶ ἀκατακρίτως μετέχειν τῶν ἀγίων σου μυστηρίων καὶ τῆς ἐπουρανίου σου βασιλείας ἀξιωθῆναι.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὄπως ὑπό τοῦ κράτους σου πάντοτε φυλαττόμενοι, σοὶ δόξαν ἀναπέμπωμεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἅγιῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Τὸ Χερουβικόν.

Οἱ τὰ Χερουβεῖμ μυστικῶς εἰκονίζοντες καὶ τῇ ζωοποιῷ Τριάδι τὸν τρισάγιον ὑμνον προσάδοντες, πᾶσαν νῦν βιοτικὴν ἀποθώμεθα μέριμναν. Ὡς τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὅλων ὑποδεξόμενοι.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΧΕΡΟΥΒΙΚΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Οὐδεὶς ἄξιος τῶν συνδεδεμένων ταῖς σαρκικαῖς ἐπιθυμίαις καὶ ἡδοναῖς προσέρχεσθαι ἢ προσεγγίζειν ἢ λειτουργεῖν σοι, βασιλεῦ τῆς δόξης· τὸ γὰρ διακονεῖν σοι μέγα καὶ φοβερὸν καὶ αὐταῖς ταῖς ἐπουρανίαις δυνάμεσιν. Άλλ' ὅμως διὰ τὴν ἄφατον καὶ ἀμέτρητόν σου φιλανθρωπίαν ἀτρέπτως καὶ ἀναλλοιώτως γέγονας ἄνθρωπος καὶ ἀρχιερεὺς ἡμῶν ἔχρημάτισας καὶ τῆς λειτουργικῆς ταύτης καὶ ἀναιμάτου θυσίας τὴν ιερουργίαν παρέδωκας ἡμῖν ὡς Δεσπότης τῶν ἀπάντων. Σὺ γὰρ μόνος, Κύριε ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, δεσπόζεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων καὶ τῶν ἐπιγείων, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου Χερουβικοῦ ἐποχούμενος, ὁ τῶν Σεραφείμ Κύριος καὶ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραήλ, ὁ μόνος ἄγιος καὶ ἐν ἀγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος. Σὲ τοίνυν δυσωπῶ τὸν μόνον ἀγαθὸν καὶ εύήκοον· ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὸν ἀμαρτωλὸν καὶ ἀχρεῖον δοῦλὸν σου καὶ καθάρισόν μου τὴν ψυχὴν καὶ τὴν καρδίαν ἀπὸ συνειδήσεως πονηρᾶς· καὶ ικάνωσόν με τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ ἀγίου σου Πνεύματος, ἐνδεδυμένον τὴν τῆς ιερατείας χάριν, παραστῆναι τῇ ἀγίᾳ σου ταύτῃ τραπέζῃ καὶ ιερουργῆσαι τὸ

free of guilt and condemnation. Grant also, O God, to those who pray with us, progress in life, faith, and spiritual understanding. Grant that they always worship You with awe and love, partake of Your Holy Mysteries without guilt or condemnation, and be deemed worthy of Your celestial Kingdom.

PRIEST

That, ever guarded by Your might, we may ascribe glory to You, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

THE GREAT ENTRANCE

CHOIR

The Cherubic Hymn.

Let us, who mystically represent the Cherubim and who sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-creating Trinity, now lay aside every worldly care. So that we may receive the King of all. [GOA]

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE CHERUBIC HYMN

No one bound by carnal desires and pleasures is worthy to approach, draw near, or minister to You, the King of Glory. For to serve You is great and awesome even for the heavenly powers. Yet, because of Your ineffable and immeasurable love for mankind, You impossibly and immutably became man. You, as the Master of all, became our high priest and delivered unto us the sacred service of this liturgical sacrifice without the shedding of blood. Indeed, Lord our God, You alone reign over the celestial and the terrestrial; borne aloft on the cherubic throne, Lord of the Seraphim and King of Israel, the only holy and resting among the holy ones. I now beseech You, Who alone are good and inclined to hear: Look down upon me, Your sinful and unprofitable servant, and cleanse my soul and heart of a wicked conscience; and enable me, by the power of Your Holy Spirit, clothed with the grace of the priesthood, to stand before Your holy Table and celebrate the Mystery of Your holy and pure Body and Your precious Blood. I come before

ἄγιον καὶ ὄχραντόν σου Σῶμα καὶ τὸ τίμιον Αἷμα. Σοὶ γὰρ προσέρχομαι κλίνας τὸν ἔμαυτοῦ αὐχένα καὶ δέομαί σου· μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, μηδὲ ἀποδοκιμάσῃς με ἐκ παίδων σου, ἀλλ' ἀξίωσον προσενεχθῆναι σοι ὑπ' ἐμοῦ τοῦ ἀμαρτωλοῦ καὶ ἀναξίου δούλου σου τὰ δῶρα ταῦτα. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ προσφέρων καὶ προσφερόμενος καὶ προσδεχόμενος καὶ διαδιδόμενος, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίᾳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμήν.

Οἱ τὰ Χερούβειμ μυστικῶς εἰκονίζοντες καὶ τῇ ζωοποιῷ Τριάδι τὸν τρισάγιον ὅμονον προσάδοντες, πᾶσαν νῦν βιοτικὴν ἀποθώμεθα μέριμναν. * Ως τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὅλων ὑποδεξόμενοι. Ταῖς ἀγγελικαῖς ἀοράτως δορυφορούμενον τάξειν. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.
Ἀλληλούϊα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων ὑμῶν μνησθείη Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ αὐτοῦ, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄμήν.

Ταῖς ἀγγελικαῖς ἀοράτως δορυφορούμενον τάξειν. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

ΤΑ ΠΛΗΡΩΤΙΚΑ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προτεθέντων τιμίων δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τοῦ ἀγίου οἴκου τούτου, καὶ τῶν μετὰ πίστεως, εὐλαβείας καὶ φόβου Θεοῦ εἰσιόντων ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

You with my head bowed, and I implore You: Turn not Your face away from me, nor reject me from among Your children, but make me, Your sinful and unworthy servant, worthy to offer these gifts to You. For You are the One Who both offers and is offered, the One Who is received and is distributed, O Christ our God, and to You we offer up glory, with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-holy and good and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Let us, who mystically represent the Cherubim and who sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-creating Trinity, now lay aside every worldly care. * So that we may receive the King of all. Who is invisibly escorted by the angelic hosts. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

DEACON

May the Lord God remember all of you in His Kingdom always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

Who is invisibly escorted by the angelic hosts. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. [\[GOA\]](#)

THE LITANY OF COMPLETION

DEACON

Let us complete our prayer to the Lord.

CHOIR

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For the precious Gifts here presented, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For this holy house and for those who enter it with faith, reverence, and the fear of God, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Ύπέρ τοῦ ρύσθηναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὄργης, κινδύνου καὶ ὀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἄντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν τελείαν, ἀγίαν, εἰρηνικὴν καὶ ἀναμάρτητον, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Ἄγγελον εἰρήνης, πιστὸν ὁδηγόν, φύλακα τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Συγγνώμην καὶ ἄφεσιν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ τῶν πλημμελημάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετανοίᾳ ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Χριστιανὰ τὰ τέλη τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, ἀνώδυνα, ἀνεπαίσχυντα, εἰρηνικά, καὶ καλὴν ἀπολογίαν τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and distress, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

That the whole day may be perfect, holy, peaceful, and sinless, let us ask the Lord.

CHOIR

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

For an angel of peace, a faithful guide, a guardian of our souls and bodies, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

For pardon and remission of our sins and transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

For that which is good and beneficial for our souls, and for peace for the world, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

That we may complete the remaining time of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

And let us ask for a Christian end to our life, peaceful, without shame and suffering, and for a good defense before the awesome judgment seat of Christ.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and

Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἐξαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΠΡΟΣΚΟΜΙΔΗΣ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ, ὁ μόνος ἄγιος, ὁ δεχόμενος θυσίαν αἰνέσεως παρὰ τῶν ἐπικαλουμένων σε ἐν ὅλῃ καρδίᾳ, πρόσδεξαι καὶ ἡμῶν τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν τὴν δέησιν καὶ προσάγαγε τῷ ἀγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ· καὶ ικάνωσον ἡμᾶς προσενεγκεῖν σοι δῶρά τε καὶ θυσίας πνευματικάς ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων. Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς εύρειν χάριν ἐνώπιον σου, τοῦ γενέσθαι σοι εὐπρόσδεκτον τὴν θυσίαν ἡμῶν καὶ ἐπισκηνῶσαι τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς χάριτός σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Διὰ τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ Παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ κοὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄμην.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἀγαπήσωμεν ἀλλήλους, ἵνα ἐν ὁμονοίᾳ ὁμολογήσωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Πατέρα, Υἱὸν καὶ ἄγιον Πνεῦμα, Τριάδα ὁμοούσιον καὶ ἀχώριστον.

"Ἡ, ἐν συλλειτούργῳ, τὸ ἔξῆς·

ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Lord God Almighty, You alone are holy. You accept the sacrifice of praise from those who call upon You with their whole heart, even so, accept from us sinners our supplication, and bring it to Your holy Altar of sacrifice. Enable us to offer You gifts and spiritual sacrifices for our own sins and the failings of Your people. Deem us worthy to find grace in Your sight, that our sacrifice may be well pleasing to You, and that the good Spirit of Your grace may rest upon us and upon these gifts presented and upon all Your people.

PRIEST

Through the mercies of Your only-begotten Son, with Whom You are blessed, together with Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

DEACON

Let us love one another, that with oneness of mind we may confess:

CHOIR

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: Trinity, one in essence and undivided. [GOA]

Or, for concelebrations:

Άγαπήσω σε, Κύριε, ἡ ἰσχύς μου. Κύριος στερέωμά μου καὶ καταφυγή μου καὶ ῥύστης μου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς θύρας, τὰς θύρας· ἐν σοφίᾳ πρόσχωμεν.

ΛΑΟΣ

Πιστεύω εἰς ἓνα Θεόν, Πατέρα, Παντοκράτορα, ποιητὴν οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς, ὁρατῶν τε πάντων καὶ ἀοράτων. Καὶ εἰς ἓνα Κύριον Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν, τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ, τὸν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα πρὸ πάντων τῶν αἰώνων· φῶς ἐκ φωτός, Θεὸν ἀληθινὸν ἐκ Θεοῦ ἀληθινοῦ, γεννηθέντα οὐ ποιηθέντα, ὄμοούσιον τῷ Πατρί, δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα ἐγένετο. Τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἀνθρώπους καὶ διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν κατελθόντα ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σαρκωθέντα ἐκ Πνεύματος ἀγίου καὶ Μαρίας τῆς Παρθένου καὶ ἐνανθρωπήσαντα. Σταυρωθέντα τε ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου, καὶ παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα. Καὶ ἀναστάντα τῇ τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ, κατὰ τὰς Γραφάς. Καὶ ἀνελθόντα εἰς τοὺς οὐρανοὺς καὶ καθεζόμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τοῦ Πατρός. Καὶ πάλιν ἐρχόμενον μετὰ δόξης κρῖναι ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, οὗ τῆς βασιλείας οὐκ ἔσται τέλος. Καὶ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον, τὸ Κύριον, τὸ ζωοποιόν, τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον, τὸ σὸν Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ συμπροσκυνούμενον καὶ συνδοξαζόμενον, τὸ λαλῆσαν διὰ τῶν προφητῶν. Εἰς μίαν, ἀγίαν, καθολικὴν καὶ ἀποστολικὴν Ἑκκλησίαν. Ὁμολογῶ ἐν βάπτισμα εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν. Προσδοκῶ ἀνάστασιν νεκρῶν. Καὶ ζωὴν τοῦ μέλλοντος αἰῶνος.

I will love You, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my foundation, my refuge, my deliverer. [SAAS]

DEACON

The doors! The doors! In wisdom, let us be attentive!

PEOPLE

THE SYMBOL OF OUR FAITH

I believe in one God, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all ages; Light of Light, true God of true God, begotten, not created, of one essence with the Father, through Whom all things were made. Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became man. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered and was buried; And He rose on the third day, according to the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father; And He will come again with glory to judge the living and the dead. His kingdom shall have no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Creator of life, Who proceeds from the Father, Who together with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, Who spoke through the prophets. In one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the age to come. [GOA]

ХОРОС

Αμήν.

Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΦΟΡΑ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Στῶμεν καλῶς· στῶμεν μετὰ φόβου· πρόσχωμεν τὴν ἀγίαν ἀναφορὰν ἐν εἰρήνῃ προσφέρειν.

ХОРОС

Ἐλεον εἰρήνης, θυσίαν αἰνέσεως.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἡ χάρις τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀγάπη τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς καὶ ἡ κοινωνία τοῦ ἀγίου Πνεύματος εἴη μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

ХОРОС

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἄνω σχῶμεν τὰς καρδίας.

ХОРОС

Ἐχομεν πρὸς τὸν Κύριον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

ХОРОС

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον σὲ ὑμεῖν, σὲ εὐλογεῖν, σὲ αἰνεῖν, σοὶ εὐχαριστεῖν, σὲ προσκυνεῖν ἐν παντὶ τόπῳ τῆς δεσποτείας σου. Σὺ γάρ εἶ Θεὸς ἀνέκφραστος, ἀπερινόητος, ἀόρατος, ἀκατάληπτος, ἀεὶ ὄν, ὡσαύτως ὄν· σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενής σου Υἱός, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον. Σὺ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς τὸ εἶναι ἡμᾶς παρήγαγες καὶ παραπεσόντας ἀνέστησας πάλιν καὶ οὐκ ἀπέστης πάντα ποιῶν, ἔως ἡμᾶς εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνήγαγες καὶ τὴν βασιλείαν σου ἔχαρισω τὴν μέλλουσαν. Ὑπὲρ τούτων ἀπάντων εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι καὶ τῷ μονογενεῖ σου Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ ἀγίῳ· ὑπὲρ πάντων, ὃν ἴσμεν καὶ ὃν οὐκ ἴσμεν, τῶν φανερῶν καὶ ἀφανῶν εὐεργεσιῶν τῶν εἰς ἡμᾶς γεγενημένων. Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι

CHOIR

Amen.

THE HOLY ANAPHORA

DEACON

Let us stand aright! Let us stand in awe!
Let us be attentive, that we may present the
Holy Offering in peace.

CHOIR

A mercy of peace, a sacrifice of praise.

PRIEST

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the
love of God and Father, and the communion of
the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

PRIEST

Let us lift up our hearts.

CHOIR

We lift them up to the Lord.

PRIEST

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

CHOIR

It is proper and right.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

It is proper and right to hymn You, to bless You, to
praise You, to give thanks to You, and to worship You
in every place of Your dominion. For You, O God, are
ineffable, inconceivable, invisible, incomprehensible,
existing forever, forever the same, You and Your only-
begotten Son and Your Holy Spirit. You brought us out of
nothing into being, and when we had fallen away, You raised
us up again. You left nothing undone until you had led us up
to heaven and granted us Your Kingdom, which is to come.
For all these things, we thank You and Your only-begotten
Son and Your Holy Spirit: for all things we know and do
not know, for blessings manifest and hidden that have been

καὶ ὑπὲρ τῆς λειτουργίας ταύτης, ἵν εἰς τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν δέξασθαι κατηξίωσας, καίτοι σοι παρεστήκασι χιλιάδες ἀρχαγγέλων καὶ μυριάδες ἀγγέλων, τὰ Χερουβεῖμ καὶ τὰ Σεραφεῖμ, ἔξαπτέρυγα, πολυόμματα, μετάρσια, πτερωτά,

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὸν ἐπινίκιον ὅμνον ἔδοντα, βοῶντα, κεκραγότα καὶ λέγοντα·

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄγιος, ἄγιος, ἄγιος, Κύριος Σαβαώθ· πλήρης, ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ τῆς δόξης σου. Ωσαννά, ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις· εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου. Ωσαννά, ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μετὰ τούτων καὶ ἡμεῖς τῶν μακαρίων δυνάμεων, Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, βοῶμεν καὶ λέγομεν· Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ πανάγιος, σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενῆς σου Υἱὸς καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον. Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ πανάγιος καὶ μεγαλοπρεπής ἡ δόξα σου· ὃς τὸν κόσμον σου οὕτως ἡγάπησας, ὥστε τὸν Υἱόν σου τὸν μονογενῆ δοῦναι, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ ἀπόλυται, ἀλλ' ἔχῃ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. "Ος ἐλθὼν καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν οἰκονομίαν πληρώσας, τῇ νυκτὶ ἡ παρεδίδοτο, μᾶλλον δὲ ἐαυτὸν παρεδίδου ὑπὲρ τῆς τοῦ κόσμου ζωῆς, λαβὼν ἄρτον ἐν ταῖς ἀγίαις αὐτοῦ καὶ ὀχράντοις καὶ ἀμωμήτοις χερσίν, εὐχαριστήσας καὶ εὐλογήσας, ἀγιάσας, κλάσας, ἔδωκε τοῖς ἀγίοις αὐτοῦ μαθηταῖς καὶ ἀποστόλοις, εἰπών·

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Λάβετε, φάγετε· τοῦτό μού ἔστι τὸ σῶμα, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν κλώμενον εἰς ἀφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ὦμοίως καὶ τὸ ποτήριον μετὰ τὸ δειπνῆσαι, λέγων·

bestowed on us. We thank You also for this Liturgy, which You have deigned to receive from our hands, even though thousands of archangels and tens of thousands of angels stand around You, the Cherubim and Seraphim, six-winged, many eyed, soaring aloft upon their wings,

PRIEST

Singing the triumphal hymn, exclaiming, proclaiming, and saying...

CHOIR

Holy, holy, holy, Lord Sabaoth, heaven and earth are filled with Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. [\[GOA\]](#)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Together with these blessed powers, Master, Who loves mankind, we also exclaim and say: Holy are You and most holy, You and Your onlybegotten Son and Your Holy Spirit. Holy are You and most holy, and sublime is Your glory. You so loved Your world that You gave Your only-begotten Son so that everyone who believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal life. When He had come and fulfilled for our sake the entire plan of salvation, on the night in which He was delivered up, or rather when He delivered Himself up for the life of the world, He took bread in His holy, pure, and blameless hands, and, giving thanks and blessing, He hallowed and broke it, and gave it to His holy disciples and apostles, saying:

PRIEST

Take, eat, this is My Body, which is broken for you for the remission of sins.

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Likewise, after partaking of the supper, He took the cup, saying,

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Πίετε ἐξ αὐτοῦ πάντες· τοῦτό ἔστι τὸ αἷμά μου, τὸ τῆς καὶνῆς διαθήκης, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν καὶ πολλῶν ἐκχυνόμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄμην.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μεμνημένοι τοίνυν τῆς σωτηρίου ταύτης ἐντολῆς καὶ πάντων τῶν ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν γεγενημένων, τοῦ σταυροῦ, τοῦ τάφου, τῆς τριημέρου ἀναστάσεως, τῆς εἰς οὐρανοὺς ἀναβάσεως, τῆς ἐκ δεξιῶν καθέδρας, τῆς δευτέρας καὶ ἐνδόξου πάλιν παρουσίας,

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὰ σὰ ἐκ τῶν σῶν σοὶ προσφέρομεν κατὰ πάντα καὶ διὰ πάντα.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Σὲ ὑμνοῦμεν, σὲ εὐλογοῦμεν, σοὶ εὐχαριστοῦμεν, Κύριε, καὶ δεόμεθά σου, ὁ Θεὸς ὑμῶν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

"Ἐτι προσφέρομέν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην καὶ ἀναίματον λατρείαν, καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα καὶ ἵκετεύομεν· κατάπεμψον τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα.

Καὶ ποίησον τὸν μὲν ἄρτον τοῦτον τίμιον Σῶμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἄμην.)

Τὸ δὲ ἐν τῷ ποτηρίῳ τούτῳ τίμιον Αἷμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἄμην.)

Μεταβαλὼν τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ ἀγίῳ.

(Ἄμην. Ἄμην. Ἄμην.)

"Ωστε γενέσθαι τοῖς μεταλαμβάνουσιν εἰς νῆψιν ψυχῆς, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν, εἰς κοινωνίαν τοῦ ἀγίου σου Πνεύματος, εἰς Βασιλείας οὐρανῶν πλήρωμα, εἰς παρόρθησίαν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κρῖμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα. "Ἐτι προσφέρομέν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν

PRIEST

Drink of this, all of you; this is My Blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins.

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Remembering, therefore, this saving commandment and all that has been done for our sake: the Cross, the tomb, the Resurrection on the third day, the Ascension into heaven, the enthronement at the right hand, and the second and glorious coming again.

PRIEST

Your own of Your own we offer to You, in all and for all.

CHOIR

We praise You, we bless You, we give thanks to You, and we pray to You, Lord our God. [GOA]

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Once again we offer to You this spiritual worship without the shedding of blood, and we beseech and pray and entreat You: Send down Your Holy Spirit upon us and upon the gifts here presented,

And make this Bread the precious Body of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

And that which is in this Cup, the precious Blood of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

Changing them by Your Holy Spirit.

(Amen. Amen. Amen.)

So that they may be for those who partake of them for vigilance of soul, remission of sins, communion of Your Holy Spirit, fullness of the Kingdom of Heaven, boldness before You, not for judgment or condemnation. Again, we offer You this spiritual worship for those who have

πίστει ἀναπαισαμένων προπατόρων, πατέρων, πατριαρχῶν, προφητῶν, ἀποστόλων, κηρύκων, εὐαγγελιστῶν, μαρτύρων, ὁμολογητῶν, ἐγκρατευτῶν καὶ παντὸς πνεύματος δικαίου ἐν πίστει τετελειωμένου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐξαιρέτως τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν, Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

“Υμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.

Ἄξιόν ἔστιν ὡς ἀληθῶς μακαρίζειν σε τὴν Θεοτόκον, τὴν ἀειμακάριστον καὶ παναμώμητον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν. Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβεὶμ καὶ ἐνδοξοτέραν ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ ἀγίου Ἰωάννου, προφήτου, προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ· τῶν ἀγίων, ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων· τοῦ ἀγίου ἐνδόξου ἀποστόλου Στάχυος, οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν ἀγίων, ὃν ταῖς ἱκεσίαις ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός. Καὶ μνήσθητι πάντων τῶν κεκομημένων ἐπ' ἔλπιδι ἀναστάσεως, ζωῆς αἰώνιου [ῶδε λέγονται τὰ ὄνόματα τῶν κεκομημένων] καὶ ἀνάπταυσον αὐτούς, ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, ὅπου ἐπισκοπεῖ τὸ φῶς τοῦ προσώπου σου. “Ἐτι παρακαλοῦμέν σε· μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πάσης ἐπισκοπῆς ὄρθιοδόξων, τῶν ὄρθιομούντων τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας, παντὸς τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας καὶ παντὸς ἱερατικοῦ καὶ μοναχικοῦ τάγματος. ”Ἐτι προσφέρομέν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῆς οἰκουμένης· ύπὲρ τῆς ἀγίας σου καθολικῆς καὶ ἀποστολικῆς Ἑκκλησίας· ύπὲρ τῶν ἐν ἀγνείᾳ καὶ σεμνῇ πολιτείᾳ διαγόντων· ύπὲρ τῶν πιστοτάτων καὶ φιλοχρίστων ἡμῶν βασιλέων, παντὸς τοῦ παλατίου καὶ τοῦ στρατοπέδου αὐτῶν. Δὸς αὐτοῖς, Κύριε, εἰρηνικὸν τὸ βασίλειον, ἵνα καὶ ἡμεῖς ἐν τῇ γαλήνῃ αὐτῶν ἥρεμον καὶ ἡσύχιον βίον διάγωμεν ἐν πάσῃ εὐσεβείᾳ καὶ σεμνότητι.

reposed in the faith: forefathers, fathers, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, preachers, evangelists, martyrs, confessors, ascetics, and for every righteous spirit made perfect in faith,

PRIEST

Especially for our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary.

CHOIR

Hymn to the Theotokos.

It is truly right to bless you, Theotokos, ever blessed, most pure, and Mother of our God. More honorable than the Cherubim, and beyond compare more glorious than the Seraphim, without corruption you gave birth to God the Logos. We magnify you, the true Theotokos. [\[GOA\]](#)

PRIEST (*in a low voice*)

For Saint John the prophet, forerunner, and Baptist; for the holy, glorious, and most praiseworthy apostles; for Saint(s) (Name), whose memory we celebrate; and for all Your saints, through whose supplications, visit us, O God. And remember all who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection to life eternal (here the Priest commemorates by name those departed whom he wishes). Grant them rest, O our God, where the light of Your countenance keeps watch. Again we beseech You, Lord, remember all Orthodox bishops who rightly teach the word of Your truth, the presbyterate, the diaconate in Christ, and every priestly and monastic order. Again we offer You this spiritual worship for the whole world, for the holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, and for those living pure and reverent lives. For civil authorities and our armed forces, grant that they may govern in peace, Lord, so that in their tranquility we, too, may live calm and serene lives, in all piety and virtue.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐν πρώτοις, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος): ὃν χάρισαι ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἑκκλησίαις ἐν εἰρήνῃ, σῶον, ἔντιμον, ὑγιᾶ, μακροημερεύοντα καὶ ὁρθοτομοῦντα τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Καὶ ὅν ἔκαστος κατὰ διάνοιαν ἔχει, καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Προτιμᾶται νὰ λέγεται.)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῆς Ἀγίας σου Μεγάλης Ἑκκλησίας, τῆς Ἱερᾶς ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπῆς, τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, ἐν ᾧ παροικοῦμεν καὶ πάσης πόλεως καὶ χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσούντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἑκκλησίαις καὶ μεμνημένων τῶν πενήτων, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντας ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου ἔξαπόστειλον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ἐνὶ στόματι καὶ μιᾶ καρδίᾳ δοξάζειν καὶ ἀνυμνεῖν τὸ πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ ἔσται τὰ ἐλέη τοῦ μεγάλου Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

PRIEST

Among the first remember, Lord, our Archbishop (name): grant him to Your holy churches in peace, safety, honor, and health, unto length of days, rightly teaching the word of Your truth.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

DEACON

And remember those whom each one of us has in mind, and all the people.

CHOIR

(*The preferred response is:*)

Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Remember, Lord, Your Holy Great Church, our Sacred Archdiocese, this city in which we live, and every city and land, and the faithful who live in them. Remember, Lord, those who travel by land, sea, and air; the sick; the suffering; the captives; and their salvation. Remember those who bear fruit and do good works in Your holy churches and those who are mindful of the poor, and upon us all send forth Your mercies.

PRIEST

And grant that with one voice and one heart we may glorify and praise Your most honorable and majestic name, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST

And the mercies of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἔτι
καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προσκομισθέντων καὶ
ἀγιασθέντων τιμίων δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

὾πως ὁ φιλάνθρωπος Θεὸς ἡμῶν,
ὁ προσδεξάμενος αὐτὰ εἰς τὸ ἄγιον
καὶ ὑπερουράνιον καὶ νοερὸν αὐτοῦ
θυσιαστήριον εἰς ὄσμὴν εὐωδίας πνευματικῆς,
ἀντικαταπέμψῃ ἡμῖν τὴν θείαν χάριν καὶ τὴν
δωρεὰν τοῦ ἀγίου Πνεύματος, δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

(Αἱ δεήσεις αὗται οὐχ ὑπῆρχον ἐξ ἀρχῆς εἰς τὸ σημεῖον
τοῦτο· παρεισήθησαν δὲ πιθανώτατα κατ' ἐπίδρασιν τῆς Θ.
Λειτουργίας τῶν Προηγιασμένων.)

Ὑπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὥργης,
κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἄντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ
Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν τελείαν, ἀγίαν, εἰρηνικήν καὶ
ἀναμάρτητον, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Ἄγγελον εἰρήνης, πιστὸν ὄδηγόν, φύλακα τῶν ψυχῶν
καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Συγγνώμην καὶ ἄφεσιν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ τῶν
πλημμελημάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

DEACON

Having commemorated all the saints, again
and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

CHOIR

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

For the precious Gifts here presented and
consecrated, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

That our God Who loves mankind, having
accepted them at His holy and celestial and
mystical altar as an offering of spiritual
fragrance, may in return send down upon us
the divine grace and the gift of the Holy Spirit,
let us pray.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

(*These petitions were not originally included. They
were most probably added owing to the influence of the
Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.*)

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger,
and distress, let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O
God, by Your grace.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

That the whole day may be perfect, holy, peaceful, and
sinless, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

For an angel of peace, a faithful guide, a guardian of
our souls and bodies, let us ask the Lord.

(*Grant this, O Lord.*)

For pardon and remission of our sins and
transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχᾶς ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρίνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετανοίᾳ ἔκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Χριστιανὰ τὰ τέλη τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, ἀνώδυνα, ἀνεπαίσχυντα, εἰρηνικά, καὶ καλὴν ἀπολογίαν τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὴν ἐνότητα τῆς πίστεως καὶ τὴν κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἅγιου Πνεύματος αἰτησάμενοι, ἔαυτοὺς καὶ ἄλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Σοὶ παρακατατιθέμεθα τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν ἀπασαν καὶ τὴν ἐλπίδα, Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα καὶ ἰκετεύομεν· καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς μεταλαβεῖν τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ φρικτῶν μυστηρίων ταύτης τῆς ἱερᾶς καὶ πνευματικῆς τραπέζης μετὰ καθαροῦ συνειδότος, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν, εἰς συγχώρησιν πλημμελημάτων, εἰς Πνεύματος ἁγίου κοινωνίαν, εἰς βασιλείας οὐρανῶν κληρονομίαν, εἰς παρέρησίαν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κρῖμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς, Δέσποτα, μετὰ παρρήσιας ἀκατακρίτως τολμῶν ἐπικαλεῖσθαι σὲ τὸν ἐπουράνιον Θεὸν Πατέρα καὶ λέγειν·

ΛΑΟΣ

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΗ

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς,
ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ

(Grant this, O Lord.)

For that which is good and beneficial for our souls, and for peace for the world, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

That we may complete the remaining time of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

And let us ask for a Christian end to our life, peaceful, without shame and suffering, and for a good defense before the awesome judgment seat of Christ.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

Having asked for the unity of the faith and for the communion of the Holy Spirit, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

We entrust to You, loving Master, our whole life and hope, and we beseech, pray, and implore You: Grant us to partake of Your heavenly and awesome Mysteries from this sacred and spiritual table with a clear conscience for the remission of sins, the forgiveness of transgressions, the communion of the Holy Spirit, the inheritance of the Kingdom of Heaven, and boldness before You, not unto judgment or condemnation.

PRIEST

And grant us, Master, with boldness and without condemnation, to dare call You, the heavenly God, Father, and to say:

PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass

όφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ώς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς
όφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς
πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὄτι σοῦ ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις
καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ
ἀγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνωμεν.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, βασιλεῦ ἀόρατε, ὁ τῇ ἀμετρήτῳ
σου δυνάμει τὰ πάντα δημιούργησας καὶ τῷ πλήθει τοῦ
ἐλέους σου ἐξ οὐκ ὄντων εἰς τὸ εἶναι τὰ πάντα παραγαγών.
Αὐτός, Δέσποτα, οὐρανόθεν ἔπιδε ἐπὶ τοὺς ὑποκεκλικότας
σοι τὰς ἔαυτῶν κεφαλάς· οὐ γάρ ἔκλιναν σαρκὶ καὶ αἷματι,
ἀλλὰ σοί, τῷ φοβερῷ Θεῷ. Σὺ οὖν, Δέσποτα, τὰ προκειμένα
πᾶσιν ἡμῖν εἰς ἀγαθὸν ἔξομάλισον κατὰ τὴν ἑκάστου
ιδίαν χρείαν· τοῖς πλέουσι σύμπλευσον· τοῖς ὁδοιποροῦσι
συνόδευσον· τοὺς νοσοῦντας ἰασαι, ὁ ἰατρὸς τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ
τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χάριτι καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιλανθρωπίᾳ τοῦ
μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἴ̄,
σὺν τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου
Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν
αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Η ΘΕΙΑ KOINΩΝΙΑ

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Πρόσχες, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ἐξ ἀγίου
κατοικητηρίου σου καὶ ἀπὸ θρόνου δόξης τῆς βασιλείας σου,

against us. And lead us not into temptation, but
deliver us from evil. [GOA]

PRIEST

For Yours is the kingdom and the power
and the glory, of the Father and the Son and
the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to ages of
ages.

(*Amen.*)

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(*And with your spirit.*)

DEACON

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

(*To You, O Lord.*)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

We give thanks to You, invisible King, Who by Your
boundless power fashioned the universe, and in the multitude
of Your mercy brought all things from nothing into being.
Look down from heaven, O Master, upon those who have
bowed their heads before You, for they have not bowed
before flesh and blood, but before You, the awesome God.
Therefore, O Master, make smooth and beneficial for us all,
whatever lies ahead, according to the need of each: Sail with
those who sail, travel with those who travel, heal the sick,
Physician of our souls and bodies.

PRIEST

Through the grace, compassion, and love
for mankind of Your only-begotten Son, with
whom You are blessed, together with Your all-
holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and
forever and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

THE HOLY COMMUNION

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Hearken, O Lord Jesus Christ our God, from Your
holy dwelling place and from the throne of glory of Your

καὶ ἐλθὲ εἰς τὸ ἀγιάσαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ ἄνω τῷ Πατρὶ συγκαθήμενος καὶ ὃδε ἡμῖν ἀφοράτως συνών· καὶ καταξίωσον τῇ κραταιᾷ σου χειρὶ μεταδοῦναι ἡμῖν τοῦ ἀχράντου Σώματός σου καὶ τοῦ τιμίου Αἵματος, καὶ δι' ἡμῶν παντὶ τῷ λαῷ.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὰ ἅγια τοῖς ἀγίοις.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἶς ἄγιος, εἶς Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν.

ΛΑΟΣ

ΕΥΧΑΙ ΠΡΟ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΚΟΙΝΩΝΙΑΣ

Πιστεύω, Κύριε, καὶ ὁμολογῶ, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ἀληθῶς ὁ Χριστός, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος, ὁ ἐλθὼν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀμαρτωλοὺς σῶσαι, ὃν πρῶτός εἰμι ἐγώ. "Ετι πιστεύω, ὅτι τοῦτο αὐτό ἔστι τὸ ἀχραντον Σῶμά σου καὶ τοῦτο αὐτό ἔστι τὸ τίμιον Αἷμά σου. Δέομαι οὖν σου· ἐλέησόν με καὶ συγχώρησόν μοι τὰ παραπτώματά μου, τὰ ἐκούσια καὶ τὰ ἀκούσια, τὰ ἐν λόγῳ, τὰ ἐν ἔργῳ, τὰ ἐν γνώσει καὶ ἀγνοίᾳ· καὶ ἀξίωσόν με ἀκατακρίτως μετασχεῖν τῶν ἀχράντων σου μυστηρίων, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

Ίδού, βαδίζω πρὸς θείαν Κοινωνίαν·
Πλαστουργέ, μὴ φλέξῃς με τῇ μετουσίᾳ· Πῦρ
γὰρ ὑπάρχεις τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγον. Ἄλλ' οὖν
κάθαρον ἐκ πάσης με κηλίδος.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον
Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ
γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἴπω, οὐ

Kingdom, and come to sanctify us, You Who are enthroned with the Father on high and are present among us invisibly here. And with Your mighty hand, grant Communion of Your most pure Body and precious Blood to us, and through us to all the people.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

PRIEST

The Holy Gifts for the holy people of God.

CHOIR

One is Holy, one is Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen. [GOA]

PEOPLE

PRAYERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

The selection and text of the following prayers may be different from what is used in your parish.

I believe and confess, Lord, that You are truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, Who came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the first. I also believe that this is truly Your pure Body and that this is truly Your precious Blood. Therefore, I pray to You, have mercy upon me, and forgive my transgressions, voluntary and involuntary, in word and deed, in knowledge or in ignorance. And make me worthy, without condemnation, to partake of Your pure Mysteries for the remission of sins and for eternal life. Amen.

Behold, I approach for Divine Communion. * O Maker, burn me not as I partake, * for You are fire consuming the unworthy. * But cleanse me from every stain.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor

φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ὁ Ληστὴς ὄμοιογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

Θεουργὸν Αἴμα φρίξον, ἄνθρωπε βλέπων· Ἀνθραξ γάρ ἐστι τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγων· Θεοῦ τὸ Σῶμα, καὶ θεοῖ με, καὶ τρέφει· Θεοῖ τὸ πνεῦμα, τὸν δὲ νοῦν τρέφει ξένως.

"Εθελξας πόθω με Χριστέ, καὶ ἡλλοίωσας τῷ θείῳ σου ἔρωτι, ἀλλὰ κατάφλεξον, πυρὶ ἀύλῳ τὰς ἀμαρτίας μου, καὶ εμπλησθῆναι τῆς ἐν σοὶ τρυφῆς καταξίωσον, ἵνα τὰς δύο σκιρτῶν, μεγαλύνω ἀγαθὴ παρουσίας σου.

'Ἐν ταῖς λαμπρότησι τῶν Ἅγιων σου, πῶς εἰσελεύσομαι ὁ ἀνάξιος; ἐὰν γὰρ τολμήσω συνεισελθεῖν εἰς τὸν νυμφῶνα, ὁ χιτὼν μὲν ἐλέγχει, ὅτι οὐκ ἐστι τοῦ γάμου, καὶ δέσμιος ἐκβαλοῦμαι ὑπὸ τῶν Ἅγγέλων. Καθάρισον, Κύριε, τὸν ρύπον τῆς ψυχῆς μου, καὶ σῶσόν με ὡς φιλάνθρωπος.

Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ εἰς κρῖμά μοι γένοιτο τὰ ἄγια ταῦτα, διὰ τὸ ἀνάξιον εἶναί με, ἀλλ' εἰς κάθαρσιν καὶ ἀγιασμὸν ψυχῆς τε καὶ σώματος, καὶ εἰς ἀρραβώνα τῆς μελλούσης ζωῆς καὶ βασιλείας. Ἐμοὶ δὲ τὸ προσκολλᾶσθαι τῷ Θεῷ ἀγαθόν ἐστι, τίθεσθαι ἐν τῷ Κυρίῳ τὴν ἐλπίδα τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ γὰρ τοῖς ἔχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἴπω, οὐ

will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

Tremble, O man, as you behold the divine Blood. It is a burning coal that sears the unworthy. The Body of God both deifies and nourishes me: It deifies the spirit and wondrously nourishes the mind.

You have smitten me with yearning, O Christ, and by Your divine eros You have changed me. But burn up with spiritual fire my sins, and grant me to be filled with delight in You, so that, leaping for joy, I may magnify, O Good One, Your two coming.

How shall I, who am unworthy, enter into the splendor of Your saints? If I should dare to enter into the bridal chamber, my vesture will condemn me, since it is not a wedding garment; and being bound up, I shall be cast out by the angels. Cleanse, O Lord, the filth of my soul, and save me, as You are the one Who loves mankind.

Master Who loves mankind, Lord Jesus Christ, my God, let not these Holy Gifts be to my judgment because I am unworthy, but rather for the purification and sanctification of both soul and body and the pledge of the life and Kingdom to come. It is good for me to cleave unto God and to place in Him the hope of my salvation.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor

φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ὁ Ληστὴς ὄμοιογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κοινωνικόν. Ψαλμὸς 148.

Αἴνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν.
Ἄλληλούϊα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Μετὰ φόβου Θεοῦ, πίστεως καὶ ἀγάπης προσέλθετε.

Καὶ γίνεται ἡ μετάληψις τοῦ Λαοῦ. Λαμβάνει ὁ Ιερεὺς ἀπὸ τῶν τοῦ Διακόνου χειρῶν τὸ ἅγιον Ποτήριον καὶ μεταδίδωσιν αὐτοῖς λέγων·

Μεταλαμβάνει ὁ δούλος τοῦ Θεοῦ (Ὦνομα) Σῶμα καὶ Αἷμα Χριστοῦ, εἰς ἀφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Άμην.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὕμνοι καθῶς μεταλαμβάνει ὁ λαός.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σῶσον, ὁ Θεός, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὕμνος μετὰ τὴν Θ. Κοινωνίαν.

Ὕχος β'.

Εἶδομεν τὸ φῶς τὸ ἀληθινόν, ἐλάβομεν Πνεῦμα ἐπουράνιον, εὑρομεν πίστιν ἀληθῆ, ἀδιαίρετον Τριάδα προσκυνοῦντες· αὕτη γὰρ ἡμᾶς ἔσωσεν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὕψωσον, δέσποτα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὑψώθητι ἐπὶ τοὺς οὐρανοὺς ὁ Θεός καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἡ δόξα σου.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

CHOIR

Communion Hymn. Psalm 148.

Praise the Lord from the heavens. Alleluia.

[SAAS]

DEACON

With the fear of God, faith, and love, draw near.

And the people receive Holy Communion. The Priest receives the holy Chalice from the hands of the Deacon and begins communicating the people, saying to each one:

The servant of God (Name) partakes of the Body and Blood of Christ for the remission of sins and life eternal.

CHOIR

Hymns During Holy Communion

PRIEST

Save, O God, Your people, and bless Your inheritance.

CHOIR

Hymn after Holy Communion.

Mode 2.

We have seen the true light; we have received the heavenly Spirit; we have found the true faith, worshiping the undivided Trinity, for the Trinity has saved us. [\[GOA\]](#)

DEACON

Exalt, Master.

PRIEST

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens, and let Your glory be over all the earth.

Blessed is our God.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἄμην.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὥρθοι· μεταλαβόντες τῶν θείων, ἀγίων, ἀχράντων, ἀθανάτων, ἐπουρανίων καὶ ζωοποιῶν, φρικτῶν τοῦ Χριστοῦ μυστηρίων, ἀξίως εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἄντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν, τελείαν, ἀγίαν, εἱρηνικὴν καὶ ἀναμάρτητον αἵτησάμενοι, ἔαυτοὺς καὶ ἄλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΗΡΙΟΣ ΕΥΧΗ

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, εὐεργέτα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, ὅτι καὶ τῇ παρούσῃ ἡμέρᾳ κατηξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ ἀθανάτων μυστηρίων. Ὁρθοτόμησον ἡμῶν τὴν ὁδόν· στήριξον ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ φόβῳ σου τοὺς πάντας· φρούρησον ἡμῶν τὴν ζωήν· ἀσφάλισαι ἡμῶν τὰ διαβήματα, εὐχαῖς καὶ ίκεσίας τῆς ἐνδόξου Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας καὶ πάντων τῶν ἀγίων σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

“Οτι σὺ εἶ ὁ ἀγιασμὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἄμην.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ προέλθωμεν.

PRIEST

Always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

DEACON

Arise! Having partaken of the divine, holy, pure, immortal, heavenly, life-creating, and awesome Mysteries of Christ, let us worthily give thanks to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

Having prayed for a perfect, holy, peaceful, and sinless day, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(*To You, O Lord.*)

PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE THANKSGIVING PRAYER

We give thanks to You, Master Who loves mankind, benefactor of our souls, that even on this very day You have made us worthy of Your heavenly and immortal Mysteries. Make straight our path, fortify us in Your fear, guard our life, make secure our steps, through the prayers and supplications of the glorious Theotokos and ever virgin Mary and of all Your saints.

PRIEST

For You are our sanctification, and to You we give glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

PRIEST

Let us go forth in peace.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(*Κύριε, ἐλέησον.*)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

ΕΥΧΗ ΟΠΙΣΘΑΜΒΩΝΟΣ

Ο εὐλογῶν τοὺς εὐλογοῦντάς σε,
Κύριε καὶ ἀγιάζων τοὺς ἐπὶ σοὶ πεποιθότας,
σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν
κληρονομίαν σου. Τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς Ἑκκλησίας
σου φύλαξον, ἀγίασον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας
τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ αὐτὸὺς
ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ
μὴ ἐγκαταλίπης ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ
σέ. Εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ σου δώρησαι, ταῖς
Ἐκκλησίαις σου, τοῖς ἱερεῦσι, τοῖς ἄρχουσιν
ἡμῶν, τῷ στρατῷ καὶ παντὶ τῷ λαῷ σου. Ὅτι
πᾶσα δόσις ἀγαθὴ καὶ πᾶν δώρημα τέλειον
ἄνωθεν ἔστι καταβαῖνον ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Πατρός
τῶν φωτῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν καὶ εὐχαριστίαν
καὶ προσκύνησιν ἀναπέμπομεν τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ
τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ
εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(*Ἀμήν.*)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἴη τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου εὐλογημένον ἀπὸ
τοῦ νῦν καὶ ἔως τοῦ αἰῶνος. (*ἐκ γ'*)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τὸ πλήρωμα τοῦ Νόμου καὶ τῶν Προφητῶν, αὐτὸς
ὑπάρχων, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ πληρώσας πᾶσαν τὴν
πατρικὴν οἰκονομίαν, πλήρωσον χαρᾶς καὶ εὐφροσύνης τὰς
καρδίας ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν
αἰώνων. Αμήν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(*Κύριε, ἐλέησον.*)

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

PRIEST

THE PRAYER BEHIND THE AMBON

O Lord, Who blesses those who bless
You and sanctifies those who put their trust
in You, save Your people and bless Your
inheritance. Protect the whole body of Your
Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of
Your house. Glorify them in return by Your
divine power, and forsake us not who have set
our hope in You. Grant peace to Your world,
to Your churches, to the clergy, to our civic
leaders, to the armed forces, and to all Your
people. For every good and perfect gift is from
above, coming down from You, the Father of
lights. To You we give glory, thanksgiving,
and worship, to the Father and to the Son and
to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the
ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)

CHOIR

Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this
time forth and to the ages. (3) [GOA]

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Christ our God, You are the fulfillment of the Law and
the Prophets. You have fulfilled the Father's entire plan of
salvation. Fill our hearts with joy and gladness always, now
and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εύλογία Κυρίου καὶ ἔλεος ἔλθοι ἐφ' ὑμᾶς
τῇ αὐτοῦ θείᾳ χάριτι καὶ φιλανθρωπίᾳ πάντοτε,
νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰώνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα σοι, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Ο ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς
Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου
καὶ παναμώμου ἀγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, δυνάμει
τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις
τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἀσωμάτων,
ἱκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου,
προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἀγίων
ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων, τῶν
ἀγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων·
τῶν ὄσίων καὶ θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· **(τοῦ
Ἄγιου τοῦ Ναοῦ)**· τῶν ἀγίων καὶ δικαίων
θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἀννης, καὶ πάντων
τῶν ἀγίων, ἐλεήσαι καὶ σώσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς
ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος καὶ ἐλεήμων Θεός.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Τὸν εὐλογοῦντα καὶ ἀγιάζοντα ἡμᾶς,
Κύριε, φύλαττε εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δι’ εὐχῶν τῶν ἀγίων πατέρων ἡμῶν,
Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον καὶ
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

(Ἀμήν.)

PRIEST

May the blessing and the mercy of the
Lord come upon you by His divine grace and
love for mankind, always, now and forever and
to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

PRIEST

Glory to You, O Christ our God. Glory to
You.

May He Who rose from the dead, Christ
our true God, through the intercessions of
His all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother,
the power of the precious and life-giving
Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless
powers of heaven, the supplications of the
honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner
John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and
praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious,
and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and
God-bearing fathers, **(local patron saint)**;
of the holy and righteous ancestors of God
Joachim and Anna, and of all the saints, have
mercy on us and save us, for He is good and
merciful and loves mankind.

CHOIR

Lord, protect for many years the one who
blesses and sanctifies us. **[GOA]**

PRIEST

Through the prayers of our holy fathers,
Lord Jesus Christ, our God, have mercy on us
and save us.

(Amen.)