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Βιβλία - Πηγαι

Ὁκτώηχος - ᾠχος β΄.

Τῆ Κυριακῆ Πρωῖ

Μηναῖον - ΤΗ Β΄ ΦΕΒΡΟΥΑΡΙΟΥ

Κυριακῆ μετὰ τὴν Ἑορτὴν

ΟΡΘΟΣ

ΧΟΡΟΣ

ᾠχος β΄.

Θεὸς Κύριος καὶ ἐπέφανεν ἡμῖν.
Εὐλόγημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

Στίχ. α΄. Ἐξομολογεῖσθε τῷ Κυρίῳ καὶ
ἐπικαλεῖσθε τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἅγιον αὐτοῦ.

Στίχ. β΄. Πάντα τὰ ἔθνη ἐκύκλωσάν με,
καὶ τῷ ὀνόματι Κυρίου ἠμυνάμην αὐτούς.

Στίχ. γ΄. Παρὰ Κυρίου ἐγένετο αὕτη καὶ
ἔστι θαυμαστὴ ἐν ὀφθαλμοῖς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὁκτώηχου - - -

Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

ᾠχος β΄.

Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ
ζωὴ ἢ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας,
τῆ ἀστραπῆ τῆς θεότητος· ὅτε δὲ καὶ
τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων
ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων
ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν
δόξα σοι.

Δόξα. **Τὸ αὐτό.**

Ὅτε κατήλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ
ζωὴ ἢ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν ἄδην ἐνέκρωσας,
τῆ ἀστραπῆ τῆς θεότητος· ὅτε δὲ καὶ
τοὺς τεθνεῶτας, ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων
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Books - Sources

Octoechos - Mode 2.

On Sunday Morning

Menaion - February 2

Sunday after the Feast

MATINS

CHOIR

Mode 2.

God is the Lord, and He revealed Himself
to us. Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the Lord. [SAAS]

Verse 1: Give thanks to the Lord and call
upon His holy name.

Verse 2: All the nations surrounded me,
but in the name of the Lord I defended myself
against them.

Verse 3: And this came about from the
Lord, and it is wonderful in our eyes.

From Octoechos - - -

Resurrectional Apolytikion.

Mode 2.

When You descended unto Death, O Lord,
You who are immortal Life put Hades to death,
by the lightning of Your divinity. And when
You raised the dead from the netherworld,
all the hosts of heaven sang aloud to You, “O
Christ God, Giver of life, glory to You!” [GOASD]

Glory. **Repeat.**

When You descended unto Death, O Lord,
You who are immortal Life put Hades to death,
by the lightning of Your divinity. And when
You raised the dead from the netherworld,

ἐκραύγαζον· Ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν
δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος α΄.

Χαῖρε κεχαριτωμένη Θεοτόκε Παρθένε· ἐκ
σοῦ γὰρ ἀνέτειλεν ὁ Ἥλιος τῆς δικαιοσύνης,
Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, φωτίζων τοὺς ἐν
σκότει. Εὐφραίνου καὶ σὺ Πρεσβύτα δίκαιε,
δεξάμενος ἐν ἀγκάλαις τὸν ἐλευθερωτὴν
τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, χαριζόμενον ἡμῖν καὶ τὴν
Ἀνάστασιν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

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

(Ἀμήν.)

all the hosts of heaven sang aloud to You, “O
Christ God, Giver of life, glory to You!” [GOASD]

Both now.

Apolytikion of the Feast.

From Menaion ---

Mode 1.

Lady full of grace, rejoice, O Virgin
Theotokos, for Christ our God, the Sun
of righteousness has risen from you and
He illumined those in darkness. And you,
righteous Elder, be glad in heart, receiving in
your embraces the One who liberates our souls
and bestows on us the Resurrection. [SD]

PRIEST

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.)

Remembering our all-holy, immaculate,
most 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.)

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.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

Κάθισμα Α΄.

Ἦχος β΄.

Ὁ εὐσχήμων Ἰωσήφ, ἀπὸ τοῦ ξύλου
καθελών, τὸ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα, σινδόνι
καθαρᾷ εἰλήσας καὶ ἀρώμασιν, ἐν μνήματι
καινῷ κηδεύσας ἀπέθετο· ἀλλὰ τριήμερος
ἀνέστης, Κύριε, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα
ἔλεος.

Δόξα.

Ταῖς Μυροφόροις γυναιξί, παρὰ τὸ
μνήμα ἐπιστάς, ὁ Ἄγγελος ἐβόα· Τὰ μύρα
τοῖς θνητοῖς ὑπάρχει ἀρμόδια· Χριστὸς
δὲ διαφθορᾷ ἐδείχθη ἀλλότριος· ἀλλὰ
κραυγάσατε· Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ
κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Καὶ νῦν. **Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.**

Ἦχος α΄. Αὐτόμελον.

Χορὸς Ἀγγελικός, ἐκπληττέσθω τὸ θαῦμα,
βροτοὶ δὲ ταῖς φωναῖς, ἀνακράζωμεν ὕμνον,
ὀρῶντες τὴν ἄφατον, τοῦ Θεοῦ συγκατάβασιν·
ὄν γὰρ τρέμουσι, τῶν οὐρανῶν αἱ Δυνάμεις,
γηραλέα νῦν, ἐναγκαλίζονται χεῖρες, τὸν
μόνον φιλόνητον.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

Κάθισμα Β΄.

Ἦχος β΄.

Τὸν λίθον τοῦ μνήματος, σφραγισθῆναι
μὴ κωλύσας, τὴν πέτραν τῆς πίστεως, ἀναστὰς
παρέσχες πᾶσι. Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Δόξα.

Τῶν μαθητῶν σου ὁ χορὸς, σὺν
Μυροφόροις γυναιξίν, ἀγάλλεται συμφώνως·

CHOIR

From Octoechos ---

Kathisma I.

Mode 2.

When he took down Your immaculate
Body from the Cross, the honorable Joseph
wrapped it in a clean linen shroud with spices
and laid it for burial in a new tomb. But on the
third day You rose, O Lord, and granted to the
world the great mercy. [GOASD]

Glory.

The Angel who had come to the sepulcher
said to the Myrrh-bearing women, “Ointments
are appropriate for mortal men; but Christ is
indeed a stranger to decay. Now go proclaim
that the Lord has risen and granted to the world
the great mercy.” [GOASD]

From Menaion ---

Both now. **For the Feast.**

Mode 1. Automelon.

Χορὸς ἀγγελικός.

In heaven be amazed by the wonder,
O Angels; * with voices cry aloud a divine
hymn, O mortals,* beholding the ineffable
condescension of God to us.* For now Symeon
holds in his aged embraces * Him before
whom stand the hosts of heaven and tremble,*
the only benevolent Lord. [SD]

From Octoechos ---

Kathisma II.

Mode 2.

Not preventing the sealing of the stone of
the tomb, with Your rising You gave to all the
rock of the faith. Glory to You, O Lord. [GOASD]

Glory.

The choir of Your disciples and the
Myrrh-bearing Women are greatly rejoicing

κοινήν γὰρ ἑορτήν, σὺν αὐτοῖς ἑορτάζομεν,
εἰς δόξαν καὶ τιμὴν τῆς σῆς ἀναστάσεως· καὶ
δι' αὐτῶν φιλάνθρωπε Κύριε, τῷ λαῷ σου
παράσχου τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Καὶ νῦν. **Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.**
ᾠχος α'. *Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.*

Ὁ ὢν σὺν τῷ Πατρὶ, ἐπὶ θρόνου ἁγίου,
ἐλθὼν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, ἐκ Παρθένου ἐτέχθη, καὶ
βρέφος ἐγένετο, χρόνοις ὢν ἀπερίγραπτος,
ὄν δεξάμενος, ὁ Συμεὼν ἐν ἀγκάλαις, χαίρων
ἔλεγε· Νῦν ἀπολύεις Οἰκτίρμον, εὐφράνας τὸν
δοῦλόν σου.

Εὐλογητάρια Ἀναστάσιμα.
ᾠχος πλ. α'.

*Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ
δικαιώματά σου.*

Τῶν Ἀγγέλων ὁ δῆμος, κατεπλάγη ὀρῶν
σε, ἐν νεκροῖς λογισθέντα, τοῦ θανάτου δὲ
Σωτήρ, τὴν ἰσχὺν καθελόντα, καὶ σὺν ἑαυτῷ
τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἐγείραντα, καὶ ἐξ Ἅδου πάντας
ἐλευθερώσαντα.

*Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ
δικαιώματά σου.*

Τί τὰ μύρα, συμπαθῶς τοῖς δάκρυσιν, ᾧ
Μαθήτριαι κερνᾶτε; ὁ ἀστράπτων ἐν τῷ τάφῳ
Ἄγγελος, προσεφθέγγετο ταῖς Μυροφόροις·
Ἴδετε ὑμεῖς τὸν τάφον καὶ ἦσθητε· ὁ Σωτήρ
γὰρ ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

together with us. For we are celebrating one
and the same feast, which glorifies and honors
Your resurrection. By their intercessions, O
benevolent Lord, grant to us Your people the
great mercy. ^[GOASD]

From Menaion - - -

Both now. **For the Feast.**
Mode 1. *The soldiers keeping watch.*
Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.

The One who is upon the holy throne with
the Father, * has come upon the earth and was
born of a Virgin. * An infant has He become
who by years is uncircumscribed. * And when
Symeon in his embraces received Him, * he
rejoiced and said, You made me glad, now
release me, * Your servant, O compassionate
Lord. ^[SD]

Resurrectional Evlogetaria.
Mode pl. 1.

*Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your
statutes.*

When the hosts of the Angels saw how
You were accounted among the dead, they all
marveled. You, O Savior, are the One who
destroyed the might of death; and when You
arose You raised Adam with yourself and from
Hades liberated everyone. ^[SD]

*Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your
statutes.*

“Why do you mingle the ointments with
your tears full of pity, O women disciples?”
Thus the Angel who was shining in the tomb
cried to the myrrh-bearing women. “See for
yourselves the empty tomb and understand,
that the Savior has risen from the sepulcher.”

*Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ
δικαιώματά σου.*

Λίαν πρωΐ, Μυροφόροι ἔδραμον, πρὸς
τὸ μνήμᾳ σου θρηνολογοῦσαι· ἀλλ' ἐπέστη,
πρὸς αὐτάς ὁ Ἄγγελος, καὶ εἶπε· θρήνου ὁ
καιρὸς πέπαυται, μὴ κλαίετε, τὴν Ἀνάστασιν
δέ, Ἀποστόλοις εἶπατε.

*Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ
δικαιώματά σου.*

Μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, μετὰ μύρων
ἐλθοῦσαι, πρὸς τὸ μνήμᾳ σου, Σῶτερ
ἐνηχοῦντο. Ἄγγελου τρανώς, πρὸς αὐτάς
φθεγγομένου· Τί μετὰ νεκρῶν, τὸν ζῶντα
λογίζεσθε; ὡς Θεὸς γάρ, ἐξανέστη τοῦ
μνήματος.

Δόξα.

Προσκυνοῦμεν Πατέρα, καὶ τὸν τούτου
Υἱόν τε, καὶ τὸ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, τὴν Ἁγίαν
Τριάδα, ἐν μιᾷ τῇ οὐσίᾳ, σὺν τοῖς Σεραφεῖμ,
κράζοντες τό· Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος εἶ, Κύριε.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ζωοδότην τεκοῦσα, ἐλυτρώσω Παρθένε,
τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἀμαρτίας, χαρμονὴν δὲ τῇ Εὐᾶ,
ἀντὶ λύπης παρέσχες, ρέυσαντα ζωῆς, ἴθυνε
πρὸς ταύτην δέ, ὁ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθεὶς Θεὸς καὶ
ἄνθρωπος.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Δόξα
σοι, ὁ Θεός. (ἐκ γ')

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

*Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your
statutes.*

Very early in the morning, the myrrh-
bearing women were hastening to Your tomb
lamenting. But the Angel appeared to them and
uttered, “The time for lamentation has ended;
weep no more. Go announce the Resurrection
to the Apostles.”

*Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your
statutes.*

When the myrrh-bearing women had come
with their spices to Your sepulcher, O Savior,
they heard the voice of an Angel clearly
speaking to them, “Why do you account
among the dead the One who lives? For as
God, He has risen from the sepulcher.”

Glory.

We bow down in worship to the Father
and His Son and the Holy Spirit, the Holy
Trinity, one in essence; and we cry aloud with
the Seraphim: Holy, Holy, Holy are You, O
Lord.

Both now.

Giving birth to the Giver of life, O Virgin,
you delivered Adam from sin, and to Eve you
have rendered joy in place of sorrow. He who
from you became incarnate, God and man, has
directed to life him who fell from it.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,
O God. (3)

PRIEST

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ
διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

Ὅτι ἠυλόγηταί σου τὸ ὄνομα καὶ
δεδόξασταί σου ἡ βασιλεία, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ
τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ
καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Ὑπακοή. ᾠχος β΄.

Μετὰ τὸ πάθος πορευθεῖσαι ἐν τῷ
μνήματι, πρὸς τὸ μυρίσαι τὸ σῶμα σου αἱ
γυναῖκες, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, εἶδον Ἀγγέλους ἐν
τῷ τάφῳ καὶ ἐξέστησαν· φωνῆς γὰρ ἤκουον
ἐξ αὐτῶν, ὅτι ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ
κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Οἱ Ἀναβαθμοί.

Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. ᾠχος β΄.

Ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ τὰ ὄμματα, ἐκπέμπω μου
τῆς καρδίας, πρὸς σὲ Σωτήρ· σῶσόν με σῆ
ἐπιλάμπει.

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς τοὺς παιϊοντάς σοι πολλά,
καθ' ἐκάστην ὥραν, ὦ Χριστέ μου, καὶ δὸς
πρὸ τέλους τρόπους, τοῦ μετανοεῖν σοι.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Remembering our all-holy, immaculate,
most 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.)

For blessed is Your name, and glorified
is Your kingdom, of the Father and the Son
and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the
ages of ages.

(Amen.)

READER

From Octoechos - - -

Hypakoe. Mode 2.

After Your Passion, O Christ God, the
women went to the tomb to anoint Your body.
They saw Angels in the sepulcher, and they
were amazed. For they heard them saying that
You the Lord had risen, granting to the world
the great mercy. [GOASD]

CHOIR

Anavathmoi.

First Antiphon. Mode 2.

I direct the eyes of my heart to You in
heaven, O Savior. Save me, I pray, shining on
me Your resplendence. [GOASD]

Have mercy on us who hourly offend
You in many things, O my Christ; and before
the end, give us ways to return to You in
repentance. [GOASD]

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι, τὸ βασιλεύειν πέλει, τὸ
ἀγιάζειν, τὸ κινεῖν τὴν κτίσιν· Θεὸς γάρ ἐστιν,
ὁμοούσιος Πατρὶ καὶ Λόγῳ.

Ἀντίφωνον Β΄.

Εἰ μὴ ὅτι Κύριος ἦν ἐν ἡμῖν, τίς ἱκανὸς
σῶος φυλαχθῆναι, ἐκ τοῦ ἐχθροῦ ἅμα καὶ
ἀνθρωποκτόνου;

Τοῖς ὁδοῦσιν αὐτῶν, μὴ παραδῶς Σῶτερ
τὸν σὸν δοῦλον· λέοντος τρόπον κατ' ἐμοῦ
κινοῦνται, καὶ γὰρ οἱ ἐχθροί μου.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι, ζωαρχία καὶ γέρας· πάντα
γὰρ τὰ κτιστά, ὡς Θεὸς ὢν δυναμοῖ, συντηρεῖ
ἐν Πατρὶ δι' Υἱοῦ δέ.

Ἀντίφωνον Γ΄.

Οἱ πεποιθότες ἐπὶ Κύριον, εὐόκασιν ὄρει
τῷ ἀγίῳ· οἷ οὐδαμῶς σαλεύονται, προσβολαῖς
τοῦ βελίαρ.

Ἐν ἀνομίαις χεῖρας αὐτῶν, μὴ
ἐκτεινάτωσαν οἱ θείως ζῶντες· οὐ γὰρ ἐᾷ
Χριστός, τῇ ράβδῳ τὸν κληρὸν αὐτοῦ.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἀγίῳ Πνεύματι, προσπηγάζει πᾶσα σοφία,
ἐνθεν χάρις Ἀποστόλοις, καὶ τοῖς ἄθλοις
καταστέφονται Μάρτυρες, καὶ Προφῆται
ὁρῶσι.

Glory. Both now.

To the Holy Spirit it is proper to rule, to
sanctify, and to move all creation; for He is
God, one in essence with the Father and the
Logos. [GOASD]

Second Antiphon.

If the Lord had not been with us, who
would be sufficient to preserve himself
uninjured from the enemy and murderer of
mankind? [GOASD]

Do not deliver me to the teeth of my
enemies, O Savior, for in the manner of a lion
they move against me Your servant. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit is the principle of life,
and to Him belongs the honor. He is God, and
in the Father through the Son He strengthens
and sustains every creature. [GOASD]

Third Antiphon.

Those who trust in the Lord are like the
holy mountain. They are in no way shaken by
the devil's assaults. [GOASD]

Let those who live for God never stretch
out their hands in lawlessness. For Christ will
not permit the rod to be upon His inheritance.

[GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

From the Holy Spirit all wisdom gushes
forth, as does grace to Apostles. By Him
Martyrs are awarded for their contests, and
Prophets have visions. [GOASD]

Προκείμενον.

Ἐξεγέρθητι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐν προστάγματι, ᾧ ἐνετείλω, καὶ συναγωγή λαῶν κυκλώσει σε. (δίς)

Στίχ. Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐπὶ σοὶ ἤλπισα.

Ἐξεγέρθητι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐν προστάγματι, ᾧ ἐνετείλω, καὶ συναγωγή λαῶν κυκλώσει σε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῆς εἰρήνης καὶ σωτὴρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Κοντάκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

Ἀνέστης Σωτὴρ, ἐκ τάφου παντοδύναμε, καὶ ἄδης ἰδὼν, τὸ θαῦμα ἐξεπλήττετο, καὶ νεκροὶ ἀνίσταντο, καὶ ἡ κτίσις ἰδοῦσα

Prokeimenon.

Awaken, O Lord my God, in the ordinance You commanded, so the congregation of the peoples shall surround You. (2)

Verse: O Lord my God in You I hope.

Awaken, O Lord my God, in the ordinance You commanded, so the congregation of the peoples shall surround You. [SAAS]

PRIEST

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.)

Remembering our all-holy, immaculate, most 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.)

For You are the King of peace and the savior of our souls, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

READER

From Octoechos - - -

Resurrectional Kontakion.

Omnipotent Lord, You rose from the sepulcher. * The netherworld saw the miracle and was stupefied, * for the dead were also raised. * But creation saw it and rejoiced with

συγχαίρει σοι, καὶ ὁ Ἀδάμ συναγάλλεται, καὶ κόσμος Σωτῆρ μου ἀνυμνεῖ σε ἀεὶ.

Ὁ Οἶκος.

Σὺ εἶ τὸ φῶς τῶν ἐσκοτισμένων, σὺ εἶ ἡ ἀνάστασις πάντων, καὶ ἡ ζωὴ τῶν βροτῶν, καὶ πάντας συνανέστησας, τοῦ θανάτου τὸ κράτος Σωτῆρ σκυλεύσας, καὶ τοῦ ἄδου τὰς πύλας συντρίψας Λόγε, καὶ οἱ θνητοὶ κατιδόντες τὸ θαῦμα ἐθαύμαζον, καὶ πᾶσα κτίσις συγχαίρει ἐν τῇ σῇ ἀναστάσει, Φιλάνθρωπε. Διὸ καὶ πάντες δοξάζομεν, καὶ ὑμνοῦμεν τὴν σὴν συγκατάβασιν, καὶ κόσμος Σωτῆρ μου ἀνυμνεῖ σε ἀεὶ.

Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Συναξαρίου.

Συναξάριον

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῇ Δ΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Ἰσιδώρου τοῦ Πηλουσιώτου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Νικολάου Ὁμολογητοῦ, τοῦ Στουδίτου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἱερομάρτυρος Ἀβραμίου, Ἐπισκόπου Ἀβρῆλ τῆς Περσίδος.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Ἰωάννου τοῦ ἐν Εἰρηνοπόλει, ἐνὸς τῶν τριακοσίων δεκαοκτῶ Ἁγίων Πατέρων, τῶν ἐν Νικαίᾳ· καὶ μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Μάρτυρος Θεοκτίστου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, ὁ Ὅσιος καὶ Θαυματουργὸς Ἰάσιμος ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

You; * Adam also greatly rejoiced. * O my Savior, the world forever sings Your praise.

[GOASD]

Oikos.

You, O Word of God, are the light of those in the darkness. You are the resurrection and the life of all humanity. When You destroyed the power of death and smashed the gates of Hades, You raised everyone with yourself. Mortals saw the miracle and marveled, All creation rejoices with You in Your resurrection, O benevolent Lord. So we all now glorify and extol Your condescension, O my Savior, and the world forever sings Your praise. [GOASD]

Stand for the reading of the Synaxarion.

Synaxarion

From the Menaion.

On February 4 we commemorate our devout father Isidore of Pelusium.

On this day we also commemorate our devout father Nicholas the confessor and Studite.

On this we also commemorate the holy priest-martyr Abramius, bishop of Arbeil in Persia.

On this day we also commemorate our devout father John of Irenopolis, one of the three hundred eighteen Holy Fathers who were in Nicea and the holy martyr Theoktistos.

On this day the devout and wonderworker Jasimus reposed in peace.

Ὁ Ἅγιος Νεομάρτυς Ἰωσήφ ὁ Χαλεπλῆς, ὁ μαρτυρήσας ἐν ἔτει αχπς' (1686), ξίφει τελειοῦται.

Ταῖς αὐτῶν ἀγίαις πρεσβείαις, ὁ Θεὸς ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καταβασίαι τῆς Ὑπαπαντῆς Ὦδὴ α'. Ἦχος γ'.

Χέρσον ἀβυσσοτόκον πέδον ἥλιος, ἐπεπόλευσε ποτέ· ὡσεὶ τεῖχος γὰρ ἐπάγη, ἐκατέρωθεν ὕδωρ, λαῶ πεζοποντοποροῦντι, καὶ θεαρέστως μέλλοντι· Ἄσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ· ἐνδόξως γὰρ δεδόξασται.

Ὦδὴ γ'.

Τὸ στερέωμα, τῶν ἐπὶ σοὶ πεποιθῶτων, στερέωσον Κύριε τὴν Ἐκκλησίαν, ἣν ἐκτήσω τῷ τιμίῳ σου αἵματι.

Ὦδὴ δ'.

Ἐκάλυψεν οὐρανοῦς, ἡ ἀρετὴ σου Χριστέ· τῆς κιβωτοῦ γὰρ προελθῶν, τοῦ ἀγιασμάτος σου, τῆς ἀφθόρου Μητρός, ἐν τῷ ναῷ τῆς δόξης σου, ὠφθης ὡς βρέφος ἀγκαλοφορούμενος· καὶ ἐπληρώθη τὰ πάντα, τῆς σῆς αἰνέσεως.

Ὦδὴ ε'.

Ὡς εἶδεν Ἡσαΐας συμβολικῶς ἐν θρόνῳ ἐπηρμένῳ Θεόν, ὑπ' Ἀγγέλων δόξης δορυφορούμενον, ὦ τάλας! ἐβόα, ἐγώ· πρὸ γὰρ εἶδον σωματούμενον Θεόν, φωτὸς ἀνεσπέρου, καὶ εἰρήνης δεσπάζοντα.

The holy new martyr Joseph of Aleppo who witnessed in the year 1686 died by the sword.

By the intercessions of Your Saints, O God, have mercy on us. Amen.

CHOIR

Katavasias of the Meeting Ode i. Mode 3.

Sunlight once hovered over the abyssal plain that was rendered dry of old. * For the water like a wall on either side became solid, * and people walked across on dry land and sang an ode, pleasing to God, * “Sing to the Lord, who triumphed; for He is greatly glorified.” ^[SD]

Ode iii.

As the firm support of those who hope in You firmly, * O Lord and our Savior, support us, Your holy * Church You purchased * with Your most precious blood, O Christ. ^[SD]

Ode iv.

The heavens were covered by Your virtue, O Christ. * For coming forth from the Ark of Your holiness, Your Mother who sustained no corruption, * You appeared today in Your glorious Temple, as an infant held in arms. * And the entire creation was filled with Your praise. ^[SD]

Ode v.

Isaiah had a mystical vision of God * sitting on a throne lifted up, * and around Him stood the glorious Seraphim. * The Prophet cried out, “Woe is me! * With my eyes I have foreseen incarnate God; * and He is the Master of never-setting light and peace.” ^[SD]

Ὡδή Ϛ´.

Ἐβόησέ σοι, ἰδὼν ὁ Πρέσβυς, τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς τὸ σωτήριον, ὃ λαοῖς ἐπέστη· Ἐκ Θεοῦ Χριστέ σὺ Θεός μου.

Ὡδή ϛ´.

Σὲ τὸν ἐν πυρὶ δροσίσαντα, Παῖδας θεολογήσαντας, καὶ Παρθένω ἀκηράτῳ ἐνοικήσαντα, Θεὸν Λόγον ὑμνοῦμεν, εὐσεβῶς μελωδοῦντες· Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεός, ὁ τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν.

Ὡδή η´.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

Ἀστέκτω πυρὶ ἐνωθέντες, οἱ θεοσεβείας προεστῶτες Νεανία, τῇ φλογὶ δὲ μὴ λωβηθέντες, θεῖον ὕμνον ἔμελλον· Εὐλογεῖτε πάντα τὰ ἔργα τὸν Κύριον, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Εὐαγγελίου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(*Κύριε, ἐλέησον.*)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἅγιος εἶ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐν ἁγίοις ἐπαναπαύῃ, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ode vi.

To You, the Elder cried out, on seeing * with his own eyes the salvation that You prepared for all people, * “God from God are You, Christ my Savior.” ^[SD]

Ode vii.

Servants in the furnace spoke of God. * You bedewed them, O God the Logos; * and You dwelt in the womb of the immaculate, holy Virgin. We praise You * and sing to You devoutly: * Blessed are You, O Lord, the God of our fathers. ^[SD]

Ode viii.

We praise and we bless and we worship the Lord.

Unharméd were the young men, who were champions * of belief in God, when they were thrown into the furnace * and they faced unbearable fire; and they sang a hymn to God: * “All you works of the Lord, bless the Lord, * and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages.” ^[SD]

Stand for the Gospel reading.

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(*Lord, have mercy.*)

PRIEST

For You, our God, are holy, and You rest among the holy ones, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

Ἦχος β΄.

Πᾶσα πνοή αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. (δίς)
Αἰνεσάτω πνοή πᾶσα τὸν Κύριον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ καταξιωθῆναι ἡμᾶς τῆς
ἀκροάσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου, Κύριον τὸν
Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἱκετεύσωμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε,
ἐλέησον.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου
Εὐαγγελίου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μᾶρκον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ
ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἀπὸ τῆς ἁγίας τραπέζης)

Ἐωθινὸν Ἐωθινὸν Β΄
Μᾶρκον ΙΣ΄ 1-8

Διαγενομένου τοῦ Σαββάτου, Μαρία ἡ
Μαγδαληνὴ καὶ Μαρία ἡ τοῦ Ἰακώβου καὶ
Σαλώμη ἠγόρασαν ἀρώματα, ἵνα ἐλθοῦσαι
ἀλείψωσιν τὸν Ἰησοῦν. Καὶ λίαν πρῶτὴ τῆ
μιᾶ τῶν σαββάτων ἔρχονται ἐπὶ τὸ μνημεῖον
ἀνατείλαντος τοῦ ἡλίου. Καὶ ἔλεγον πρὸς
ἑαυτάς· Τίς ἀποκυλίσει ἡμῖν τὸν λίθον ἐκ
τῆς θύρας τοῦ μνημείου; καὶ ἀναβλέψασαι
θεωροῦσιν ὅτι ἀποκεκύλισται ὁ λίθος· ἦν
γὰρ μέγας σφόδρα. Καὶ εἰσελθοῦσαι εἰς τὸ

Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the
Lord. (2) Let everything that breathes praise
the Lord. [SAAS]

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord our God that we
may be made worthy to hear the holy Gospel.

(Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.
Lord, have mercy.)

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy
Gospel.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

PRIEST

The reading is from the holy Gospel
according to Mark.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

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

PRIEST (from the altar table)

Eothinon Eothinon 2
Mark. 16:1-8

When the Sabbath was past, Mary
Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James and
Salome, bought spices, so that they might go
and anoint Jesus. And very early on the first
day of the week they went to the tomb when
the sun had risen. And they were saying to one
another, “Who will roll away the stone for us
from the door of the tomb?” And looking up,
they saw that the stone was rolled back – it was
very large. And entering the tomb, they saw

μνημεῖον, εἶδον νεανίσκον καθήμενον ἐν τοῖς δεξιοῖς, περιβεβλημένον στολὴν λευκὴν, καὶ ἐξεθαμβήθησαν· ὁ δὲ λέγει αὐταῖς· Μὴ ἐκθαμβεῖσθε, Ἰησοῦν ζητεῖτε τὸν Ναζαρητὸν τὸν ἐσταυρωμένον, ἠγέρθη, οὐκ ἔστιν ὧδε· ἴδε, ὁ τόπος ὅπου ἔθηκαν αὐτόν, ἀλλ’ ὑπάγετε, εἶπατε τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ καὶ τῷ Πέτρῳ, ὅτι προάγει ὑμᾶς εἰς τὴν Γαλιλαίαν· ἐκεῖ αὐτὸν ὄψεσθε, καθὼς εἶπεν ὑμῖν. Καὶ ἐξελθοῦσαι ταχὺ ἔφυγον ἀπὸ τοῦ μνημείου, εἶχε δὲ αὐτὰς τρόμος καὶ ἔκστασις, καὶ οὐδενὶ οὐδὲν εἶπον· ἐφοβοῦντο γάρ.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀνάστασιν Χριστοῦ θεασάμενοι, προσκυνήσωμεν Ἅγιον Κύριον Ἰησοῦν, τὸν μόνον ἀναμάρτητον. Τὸν Σταυρόν σου, Χριστέ, προσκυνοῦμεν καὶ τὴν ἀγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν ὑμνοῦμεν καὶ δοξάζομεν· σὺ γὰρ εἶ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐκτός σου ἄλλον οὐκ οἶδαμεν, τὸ ὄνομά σου ὀνομάζομεν. Δεῦτε πάντες οἱ πιστοί, προσκυνήσωμεν τὴν τοῦ Χριστοῦ ἀγίαν ἀνάστασιν· ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἦλθε διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ χαρὰ ἐν ὅλῳ τῷ κόσμῳ. Διὰ παντὸς εὐλογοῦντες τὸν Κύριον, ὑμνοῦμεν τὴν ἀνάστασιν αὐτοῦ· Σταυρόν γὰρ ὑπομείνας δι’ ἡμᾶς, θανάτῳ θάνατον ὤλεσεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ψαλμὸς Ν’ (50).

ᾠδὴ β’. (ἡ τῆς ἐβδομάδος.)

Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου.

a young man sitting on the right side, dressed in a white robe; and they were amazed. And he said to them, “Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen, He is not here; see the place where they laid Him. But go, tell His disciples and Peter that He is going before you to Galilee; there you will see Him, as He told you.” And they went out and fled from the tomb, for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to anyone, for they were afraid. [RSV]

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

READER

Having beheld the Resurrection of Christ, let us worship the holy Lord Jesus, the only sinless one. Your Cross, O Christ, we venerate, and Your holy Resurrection we praise and glorify. For You are our God; apart from You we know no other; we call upon Your name. Come, all faithful, let us venerate the holy Resurrection of Christ; for behold, through the Cross, joy has come to the whole world. Ever blessing the Lord, let us praise His Resurrection; for having endured the Cross for us, He destroyed death by death. [GOA]

CHOIR

Psalm 50 (51).

Mode 2. (or the Mode of the week)

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression.

Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου
καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἀμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με.

Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ
ἀμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἔστι διαπαντός.

Σοὶ μόνῳ ἤμαρτον, καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν
ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα· ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν
τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί
σε.

Ἴδου γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν
ἀμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου.

Ἴδου γὰρ ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας· τὰ ἄδηλα
καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι.

Ῥαντιεῖς με ὑσσώπῳ, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι·
πλυνεῖς με καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι.

Ἀκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην·
ἀγαλλιάσονται ὅστέα τεταπεινωμένα.

Ἀπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν
ἀμαρτιῶν μου, καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου
ἐξάλειψον.

Καρδίαν καθαρὰν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός,
καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις
μου.

Μὴ ἀπορρίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου,
καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλῃς ἀπ’
ἐμοῦ.

Ἀπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου
σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῶ στήριζόν με.

Wash me thoroughly from my lawlessness
and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my lawlessness, and my sin is
always before me.

Against You only have I sinned and done
evil in Your sight; that You may be justified
in Your words, and overcome when You are
judged.

For behold, I was conceived in
transgressions, and in sins my mother bore me.

Behold, You love truth; You showed
me the unknown and secret things of Your
wisdom.

You shall sprinkle me with hyssop, and I
will be cleansed; You shall wash me, and I will
be made whiter than snow.

You shall make me hear joy and gladness;
my bones that were humbled shall greatly
rejoice.

Turn Your face from my sins, and blot out
all my transgressions.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and
renew a right spirit within me.

Do not cast me away from Your presence,
and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Your salvation,
and uphold me with Your guiding Spirit.

Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδοὺς σου, καὶ
ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι.

Ῥῥῥαί με ἐξ αἱμάτων, ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Θεὸς τῆς
σωτηρίας μου· ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου
τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου.

Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα
μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου.

Ὅτι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν·
ὀλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις.

Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον·
καρδίαν συντετριμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ
Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει.

Ἀγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ εὐδοκίᾳ σου τὴν
Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ἱερουσαλήμ.

Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης,
ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὀλοκαυτώματα.

Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου
μόσχους. Καὶ ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός.

Δόξα.

Ταῖς τῶν Ἀποστόλων πρεσβείαις,
Ἐλεῆμον, ἐξάλειψον τὰ πλήθη τῶν ἐμῶν
ἐγκλημάτων.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ταῖς τῆς Θεοτόκου πρεσβείαις, Ἐλεῆμον,
ἐξάλειψον τὰ πλήθη τῶν ἐμῶν ἐγκλημάτων.

I will teach transgressors Your ways, and
the ungodly shall turn back to You.

Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God,
the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall
greatly rejoice in Your righteousness.

O Lord, You shall open my lips, and my
mouth will declare Your praise.

For if You desired sacrifice, I would give
it; You will not be pleased with whole burnt
offerings.

A sacrifice to God is a broken spirit,
a broken and humbled heart God will not
despise.

Do good, O Lord, in Your good pleasure
to Zion, and let the walls of Jerusalem be built.

Then You will be pleased with a sacrifice
of righteousness, with offerings and whole
burnt offerings.

Then shall they offer young bulls on Your
altar. And have mercy on me, O God. [SAAS]

Glory.

At the intercession of the Apostles, O Lord
of mercy, blot out my many offenses. [SD]

Both now.

At the intercession of the Theotokos, O
Lord of mercy, blot out my many offenses. [SD]

Στίχ. Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου.

Ἀναστὰς ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἀπὸ τοῦ τάφου, καθὼς προεῖπεν, ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν τὴν αἰώνιον ζωὴν, καὶ μέγα ἔλεος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σῶσον ὁ Θεὸς τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου· ἐπίσκεψαι τὸν κόσμον σου ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς· ὕψωσον κέρας χριστιανῶν ὀρθοδόξων καὶ κατάπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου τὰ πλούσια· πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἀσωμάτων, ἱκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου ἐνδόξου προφήτου προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἐν ἁγίοις πατέρων ἡμῶν μεγάλων ἱεραρχῶν καὶ οἰκουμενικῶν διδασκάλων, Βασιλείου τοῦ Μεγάλου, Γρηγορίου τοῦ Θεολόγου καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Χρυσοστόμου, Ἀθανασίου, Κυρίλλου καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Ἐλεήμονος Πατριαρχῶν Ἀλεξανδρίας· Νικολάου τοῦ ἐν Μύροις, Σπυρίδωνος Τριμυθοῦντος καὶ Νεκταρίου Πενταπόλεως τῶν θαυματουργῶν· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων μεγαλομαρτύρων Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου, Δημητρίου τοῦ Μυροβλήτου, Θεοδώρου τοῦ Τήρωνος, Θεοδώρου τοῦ Στρατηλάτου, Μηνᾶ τοῦ θαυματουργοῦ· τῶν ἱερομαρτύρων Χαραλάμπους καὶ Ἐλευθερίου, τῆς ἁγίας ἐνδόξου μεγαλομάρτυρος καὶ πανευφήμου Εὐφημίας· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων μαρτύρων Θέκλας, Βαρβάρας, Ἀναστασίας, Αἰκατερίνης, Κυριακῆς, Φωτεινῆς, Μαρίνης, Παρασκευῆς καὶ Εἰρήνης· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ

Verse: *Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression.*

Jesus, having risen from the grave as He foretold, has granted us eternal life and great mercy. ^[SD]

PRIEST

O God, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Look upon Your world with mercy and compassion. Raise the Orthodox Christians in glory, and send down upon us Your rich mercies, through the intercessions of our most pure Lady, the Theotokos and ever virgin Mary, the power of the precious and life-giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, heavenly, bodiless powers, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, our fathers among the saints, the great hierarchs and ecumenical teachers Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian, and John Chrysostom; Athanasios, Cyril, and John the Merciful, patriarchs of Alexandria, Nicholas, bishop of Myra, Spyridon, bishop of Trimythous, Nektarios of Pentapolis, the wonder-workers; the holy, glorious, great martyrs George the victorious, Demetrios the Myrobletes, Theodore Teron, and Theodore Stratelates; Menas the wonderworker; Charalambos and Eleutherios, the Hieromartyrs; the holy, glorious, and victorious martyrs; the glorious great Martyr and all-laudable Euphemia; the holy and glorious Martyrs Thecla, Barbara, Anastasia, Katherine, Kyriake, Fotene, Marina, Paraskeve and Irene; our venerable and God-bearing fathers; **(local patron saint)**; holy and

Θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Ἁγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν ἁγίων. Ἰκετεύομέν σε, μόνε πολυέλεε Κύριε, ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν δεομένων σου καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ')

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

(Ἀμήν.)

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Θ' Ὠδὴν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὠδὴ θ'.

Μεγαλυνάριον. ᾠχος γ'.

Στίχ. Μεγαλύνει ἡ ψυχὴ μου τὸν Κύριον, καὶ ἠγαλλίασε τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἐνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρω, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνωμεν.

righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna; and all Your saints; We beseech you, only merciful Lord, hear us sinners who pray to you and have mercy on us.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy. (12)

PRIEST

Through the mercy, compassion, and love for humankind 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.)

Stand for the singing of Ode ix.

DEACON

Let us honor and magnify in song the Theotokos and the Mother of the light.

CHOIR

Ode ix.

The Magnificat. Mode 3.

Verse: *My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior.* [NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Στίχ. Ὅτι ἐπέβλεψεν ἐπὶ τὴν ταπεινῶσιν τῆς δούλης αὐτοῦ· ἰδοὺ γάρ, ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν μακαριοῦσί με πᾶσαι αἱ γενεαί.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἔνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

Στίχ. Ὅτι ἐποίησέ μοι μεγαλεῖα ὁ Δυνατός, καὶ ἅγιον τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεάν, καὶ γενεάν τοῖς φοβουμένοις αὐτόν.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἔνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

Στίχ. Ἐποίησε κράτος ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, διεσκόρπισεν ὑπερηφάνους διανοίᾳ καρδίας αὐτῶν.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἔνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

Στίχ. Καθεῖλε δυνάστας ἀπὸ θρόνων, καὶ ὑψώσε ταπεινοὺς, πεινῶντας ἐνέπλησεν ἀγαθῶν, καὶ πλουτοῦντας ἐξαπέστειλε κενούς.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἔνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν

Verse: For He has regarded the lowly state of His maidservant; for behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed.

[NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Verse: For He who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is His name. And His mercy is on those who fear Him from generation to generation. [NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Verse: He has shown strength with His arm; He has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. [NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Verse: He has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted the lowly. He has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich He has sent away empty. [NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to

ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

Στίχ. Ἀντελάβετο Ἰσραὴλ παιδὸς αὐτοῦ, μνησθῆναι ἐλέους, καθὼς ἐλάλησε πρὸς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν, τῷ Ἀβραάμ, καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ ἕως αἰῶνος.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἔνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν.

Ὡδὴ θ΄. Καταβασία. Ἦχος γ΄.

Θεοτόκε ἡ ἐλπίς, πάντων τῶν Χριστιανῶν, σκέπε φρούρει φύλαττε, τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας εἰς σέ.

Ἐν νόμῳ σκιᾶ καὶ γράμματι, τύπον κατίδωμεν οἱ πιστοί· πᾶν ἄρσεν τὸ τὴν μήτραν διανοῖγον, ἅγιον Θεῶ· διὸ πρωτότοκον Λόγον, Πατρὸς ἀνάρχου Υἱόν, πρωτοτοκούμενον Μητρί, ἀπειράνδρῳ μεγαλύνομεν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἦτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν, Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς

God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Verse: *He has helped His servant Israel, in remembrance of His mercy, as He spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and to his seed forever.* [NKJV]

Greater in honor than the Cherubim, and in glory greater beyond compare than the Seraphim; you without corruption gave birth to God the Word, and are truly Theotokos. You do we magnify. [SD]

Ode ix. Katavasia. Mode 3.

*Theotokos, as the hope of us Christians, one and all, * guard and shelter and protect those who put their hope in you.*

In the shadow and the letter of the Law, * we the faithful perceive the decree: * Consecrate to God every male, the first-born opening the womb. * Now the unoriginate Father's first-born Logos and Son * is also first-born of a virgin Mother, and we magnify Him. [SD]

PRIEST

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.)

Remembering our all-holy, immaculate, most 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.

καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν
Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

Ὅτι σὲ αἰνοῦσι πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν
οὐρανῶν καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπουσι, τῷ
Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἦχος β΄.

Ἅγιος Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν. (δίς)

Ὑψοῦτε Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν καὶ
προσκυβεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ὅτι ἅγιός ἐστι.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Ἐξαποστειλᾶριον.

Τὸ Β΄ Ἐωθινόν.

Ἦχος β΄. Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

Τὸν λίθον θεωρήσασαι, ἀποκεκυλισμένον,
αἱ Μυροφόροι ἔχαιρον· εἶδον γὰρ νεανίσκον,
καθήμενον ἐν τῷ τάφῳ· καὶ αὐτὸς ταύταις
ἔφη· Ἴδου Χριστὸς ἐγήγερται, εἴπατε σὺν τῷ
Πέτρῳ τοῖς Μαθηταῖς· Ἐν τῷ ὄρει φθάσατε
Γαλιλαίας· ἐκεῖ ὑμῖν ὀφθήσεται, ὡς προεῖπε
τοῖς φίλοις.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

Ἦχος γ΄. Αὐτόμελον.

Ἐν πνεύματι τῷ ἱερῷ παραστάς ὁ
Πρεσβύτερος, ἀγκάλαις ὑπεδέξατο, τὸν τοῦ
νόμου Δεσπότην, κραυγάζων. Νῦν τοῦ δεσμοῦ
με, τῆς σαρκὸς ἀπόλυσον, ὡς εἶρηκας ἐν

(To You, O Lord.)

For all the powers of heaven praise You,
and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and
the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever
and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

CHOIR

Mode 2.

Holy is the Lord our God. (2) [SAAS]

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at the
footstool of His feet.

For He is holy.

From Octoechos - - -

Exaposteilarion.

Eothinon 2.

Mode 2. Let us in faith.

Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

The Myrrh-bearers were filled with joy, *
seeing the very large stone * had been rolled
back. And entering * the tomb, they saw a
young man * who was sitting on the right side.
* And he addressed them, saying, * “Christ has
risen from the dead! * Go, tell Peter and the
disciples, and say, * ‘You will meet in Galilee
on the mountain, * and there He will appear to
you, * His friends, as He had told you.’” [GOASD]

From Menaion - - -

For the Feast.

Mode 3. Automelon.

Ἐν Πνεύματι τῷ Ἱερῷ.

The Elder in the Temple stood * and
inspired by the Spirit * received the Master of
the Law * into his own embraces, * and cried
aloud, “Now release me * from the bondage of
the flesh * in peace, according to Your word.

εἰρήνη· εἶδον γὰρ τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς, ἀποκάλυψιν ἔθνων, καὶ Ἰσραὴλ σωτηρίαν.

Οἱ Αἴνοι. ᾠδὴ β΄.

Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν· αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις. Σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος τῷ Θεῷ.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτόν, πάντες οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ· αἰνεῖτε αὐτόν, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ. Σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος τῷ Θεῷ.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἥλιος καὶ σελήνη, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν πάντα τὰ ἄστρα καὶ τὸ φῶς.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν οἱ οὐρανοὶ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ τὸ ὕδωρ τὸ ὑπεράνω τῶν οὐρανῶν. Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου.

Ὅτι αὐτὸς εἶπε, καὶ ἐγενήθησαν, αὐτὸς ἐνετείλατο, καὶ ἐκτίσθησαν.

Ἔστησεν αὐτὰ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος· πρόσταγμα ἔθετο, καὶ οὐ παρελεύσεται.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῆς γῆς, δράκοντες καὶ πᾶσαι ἄβυσσοι.

Πῦρ, χάλαζα, χιών, κρύσταλλος, πνεῦμα καταιγίδος, τὰ ποιῶντα τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ.

Τὰ ὄρη καὶ πάντες οἱ βουνοί, ξύλα καρποφόρα καὶ πᾶσαι κέδροι.

Τὰ θηρία καὶ πάντα τὰ κτήνη, ἔρπετά καὶ πετεινὰ πτερωτά.

Βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς καὶ πάντες λαοί, ἄρχοντες καὶ πάντες κριταὶ γῆς.

Νεανίσκοι καὶ παρθένοι, πρεσβύτεροι μετὰ νεωτέρων· αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου, ὅτι ὑψώθη τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ μόνου.

Ἡ ἐξομολόγησις αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ γῆς καὶ οὐρανοῦ. καὶ ὑψώσει κέρας λαοῦ αὐτοῦ.

Ἦμνος πᾶσι τοῖς ὁσίοις αὐτοῦ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραὴλ, λαῶ ἐγγίζοντι αὐτῷ.

* For I have seen with my own eyes * the revelation of the Gentiles and the salvation of Israel.” ^[SD]

Lauds. Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. It is fitting to sing a hymn to You, O God. ^[SAAS]

Praise Him, all you His angels; praise Him, all you His hosts. It is fitting to sing a hymn to You, O God. ^[SAAS]

Praise Him, sun and moon; praise Him, all you stars and light.

Praise Him, you heavens of heavens, and you waters above the heavens. Let them praise the Lord's name.

For He spoke, and they were made; He commanded, and they were created.

He established them forever and unto ages of ages; He set forth His ordinance, and it shall not pass away.

Praise the Lord from the earth, you dragons and all the deeps.

Fire and hail, snow and ice, stormy wind, which perform His word.

Mountains and all the hills, fruitful trees and all cedars.

Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds.

Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all judges of the earth.

Young men and maidens, elders with younger, let them praise the Lord's name, for His name alone is exalted.

His thanksgiving is in earth and heaven. And He shall exalt the horn of His people.

A hymn for all His saints, for the children of Israel, a people who draw near to Him.

Ἄσατε τῷ Κυρίῳ ἄσμα καινόν, ἢ αἴνεσις αὐτοῦ ἐν ἐκκλησίᾳ ὁσίων.

Εὐφρανθήτω Ἰσραὴλ ἐπὶ τῷ ποιήσαντι αὐτόν, καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ Σιών ἀγαλλιάσθωσαν ἐπὶ τῷ βασιλεῖ αὐτῶν.

Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐν χορῷ, ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ ψαλτηρίῳ ψαλάτωσαν αὐτῷ.

Ὅτι εὐδοκεῖ Κύριος ἐν τῷ λαῷ αὐτοῦ καὶ ὑψώσει πραεῖς ἐν σωτηρίᾳ.

Καυχήσονται ὅσοι ἐν δόξῃ καὶ ἀγαλλιάσονται ἐπὶ τῶν κοιτῶν αὐτῶν.

Αἱ ὑψώσεις τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν τῷ λάρυγγι αὐτῶν, καὶ ῥομφαῖαι δίστομοι ἐν ταῖς χερσὶν αὐτῶν.

Τοῦ ποιῆσαι ἐκδίκησιν ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν, ἐλεγμοὺς ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς.

Τοῦ δεῖσαι τοὺς βασιλεῖς αὐτῶν ἐν πέδαις καὶ τοὺς ἐνδόξους αὐτῶν ἐν χειροπέδαις σιδηραῖς.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Στιχηρὰ Αναστάσιμα.

Ἦχος β΄.

Τοῦ ποιῆσαι ἐν αὐτοῖς κριμα ἔγγραπτον·
δόξα αὕτη ἔσται πᾶσι τοῖς ὁσίοις αὐτοῦ.

Πᾶσα πνοὴ καὶ πᾶσα κτίσις, σὲ δοξάζει
Κύριε, ὅτι διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ τὸν θάνατον
κατήργησας, ἵνα δείξης τοῖς λαοῖς, τὴν
ἐκ νεκρῶν σου ἀνάστασιν, ὡς ὁ μόνος
φιλόανθρωπος.

Ἦχος β΄.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Θεὸν ἐν τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ,
αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν στερεώματι τῆς δυνάμεως
αὐτοῦ.

Εἰπάτωσαν Ἰουδαῖοι, πῶς οἱ στρατιῶται
ἀπώλεσαν, τηροῦντες τὸν Βασιλέα; Διατί
γὰρ ὁ λίθος οὐκ ἐφύλαξε τὴν πέτραν τῆς
ζωῆς; ἢ τὸν ταφέντα δότωσαν, ἢ ἀναστάντα
προσκυνεῖτωσαν, λέγοντες σὺν ἡμῖν· Δόξα τῷ

Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise in the assembly
of His holy ones.

Let Israel be glad in Him who made him, and let the
children of Zion greatly rejoice in their King.

Let them praise His name with dance; with tambourine
and harp let them sing to Him.

For the Lord is pleased with His people, and He shall
exalt the gentle with salvation.

The holy ones shall boast in glory, and they shall
greatly rejoice on their beds.

The high praise of God shall be in their mouth and a
two-edged sword in their hand.

To deal retribution to the nations, reproving among the
peoples.

To shackle their kings with chains and their nobles with
fetters of iron.

From Octoechos - - -

Resurrectional Stichera.

Mode 2.

*To fulfill among them the written
judgment: this glory have all His holy ones.*

[SAAS]

Everything that breathes and all creation
glorifies You, O Lord, for by the Cross You
made death powerless, to demonstrate to all
people Your resurrection from the dead, as our
only benevolent God. [GOASD]

Mode 2.

*Praise God in His saints; praise Him in
the firmament of His power.* [SAAS]

Let the Jewish leaders explain it. How did
the soldiers lose the King, whom they were
guarding? Why couldn't the stone secure the
rock of life? Either produce Him who was
buried, or else worship Him as risen from

πλήθει τῶν οἰκτιρισμῶν σου, Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

Ἦχος β΄.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐπὶ ταῖς δυναστείαις αὐτοῦ, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῆς μεγαλωσύνης αὐτοῦ.

Χαίρετε λαοί, καὶ ἀγαλλιᾶσθε. Ἄγγελος ἐκάθισεν εἰς τὸν λίθον τοῦ μνήματος· αὐτὸς ἡμᾶς εὐηγγελίσαστο εἰπών· Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, ὁ Σωτὴρ τοῦ κόσμου, καὶ ἐπλήρωσε τὰ σύμπαντα εὐωδίας. Χαίρετε λαοί, καὶ ἀγαλλιᾶσθε.

Ἦχος β΄.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν ἤχῳ σάλπιγγος, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν ψαλτηρίῳ καὶ κιθάρᾳ.

Ἄγγελος μὲν τὸ Χαῖρε, πρὸ τῆς σῆς συλλήψεως Κύριε, τῇ Κεχαριτωμένη ἐκόμισεν· Ἄγγελος δὲ τὸν λίθον τοῦ ἐνδόξου σου μνήματος, ἐν τῇ σῇ ἀναστάσει ἐκύλισεν. Ὁ μὲν, ἀντὶ τῆς λύπης, εὐφροσύνης σύμβολα μηνύων, ὁ δέ, ἀντὶ θανάτου, Δεσπότην ζωοδότην κηρύττων ἡμῖν. Διὸ βοῶμέν σοι· Εὐεργέτα τῶν ἀπάντων Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄. Ἐδωκας σημείωσιν.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ χορῶ, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν χορδαῖς καὶ ὄργάνῳ.

Νόμον τὸν ἐν γράμματι, ἀποπληρῶν ὁ φιλόανθρωπος, τῷ ναῷ νῦν προσάγεται, καὶ τοῦτον εἰσδέχεται, γηραιαῖς ἀγκάλαις, Συμεῶν

the dead, then join us and say, “Glory to the abundance of Your tender mercies, our Savior, glory to You!” [GOASD]

Mode 2.

Praise Him for His mighty acts; praise Him according to the abundance of His greatness. [SAAS]

Rejoice and be glad, all people! An Angel sat on the stone of the tomb. And he announced to us the good news and said, “Christ has risen from the dead, as the Savior of the world; and He has filled the universe with fragrance.” Rejoice and be glad, all people! [GOASD]

Mode 2.

Praise Him with the sound of trumpet; praise Him with the harp and lyre. [SAAS]

Before Your conception, an Angel brought the salutation, “Rejoice!” to the Maiden full of grace. Again, at Your resurrection, an Angel rolled away the stone from Your glorious tomb, O Lord. The one brought a promise of joy, replacing the pain and sorrow. The other declared that the Master gives life, reversing the threat of death. Therefore we sing to You: Lord and benefactor of all, glory to You! [GOASD]

For the Feast.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4. You have given.

Ἐδωκας σημείωσιν.

Praise Him with timbrel and dance; praise Him with strings and flute. [SAAS]

He who is benevolent fulfills the Law that was writ of old* and is brought to the Temple now.* And elderly Symeon heartily receives

ὁ πρέσβυς· Νῦν ἀπολύεις με βοῶν, πρὸς τὴν ἐκεῖθεν μακαριότητα· κατεῖδον γὰρ σε σήμερον, σάρκα θνητὴν περικείμενον, τὸν ζωῆς κυριεύοντα, καὶ θανάτου δεσπόζοντα.

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν κυμβάλοις εὐήχοις, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν κυμβάλοις ἀλαλαγμοῦ. Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον.

Νόμον τὸν ἐν γράμματι, ἀποπληρῶν ὁ φιλόανθρωπος, τῷ ναῷ νῦν προσάγεται, καὶ τοῦτον εἰσδέχεται, γηραιαῖς ἀγκάλαις, Συμεῶν ὁ πρέσβυς· Νῦν ἀπολύεις με βοῶν, πρὸς τὴν ἐκεῖθεν μακαριότητα· κατεῖδον γὰρ σε σήμερον, σάρκα θνητὴν περικείμενον, τὸν ζωῆς κυριεύοντα, καὶ θανάτου δεσπόζοντα.

Στίχ. *Νῦν ἀπολύεις τὸν δοῦλόν σου, Δέσποτα, κατὰ τὸ ῥῆμά σου, ἐν εἰρήνῃ· ὅτι εἶδον οἱ ὀφθαλμοί μου τὸ σωτήριόν σου, ὃ ἠτοίμασας κατὰ πρόσωπον πάντων τῶν λαῶν.*

Φῶς εἰς ἀποκάλυψιν, ἔθνῶν ἐπέφανα· Κύριε, ἐπὶ κούφῃς καθήμενος, νεφέλης ὁ Ἥλιος, τῆς δικαιοσύνης, νόμου τὸ σκιῶδες, ἀποπληρῶν καὶ τὴν ἀρχὴν, καθυποφαίνων τῆς νέας χάριτος· διὸ σε θεασάμενος, ὁ Συμεῶν ἀνεκραύγαζεν· Ἐκ φθορᾶς με ἀπόλυσον, ὅτι εἶδόν σε σήμερον.

Him* in his old embraces,* and cries, You now let me depart* unto the blessedness of eternity.* Today I laid my eyes on You who now have put on our mortal flesh,* and I know You, O Lord my God,* as the Master of life and death. [SD]

Praise Him with resounding cymbals; praise Him with triumphant cymbals; let everything that breathes praise the Lord. [SAAS]

He who is benevolent fulfills the Law that was writ of old* and is brought to the Temple now.* And elderly Symeon heartily receives Him* in his old embraces,* and cries, You now let me depart* unto the blessedness of eternity.* Today I laid my eyes on You who now have put on our mortal flesh,* and I know You, O Lord my God,* as the Master of life and death. [SD]

Verse: *Lord, now You are letting Your servant depart in peace, according to Your word; for my eyes have seen Your salvation which You have prepared before the face of all peoples.* [NKJV]

Light for revelation of the Gentiles, You have appeared, O Lord,* even sitting upon a swift* and light cloud, the virgin Maid,* as the Sun of Justice,* and You thus completed* the shadow of the Law of old* and manifested the start of the new grace.* And therefore elder Symeon, when he beheld You, cried out and said,* From corruption release me now,* for today I have seen You, Lord. [SD]

Στίχ. Φῶς εἰς ἀποκάλυψιν ἐθνῶν, καὶ δόξαν λαοῦ σου Ἰσραήλ.

Κόλπων τοῦ γεννήτορος, μὴ χωρισθεὶς τῇ Θεότητι, σαρκωθεὶς ὡς εὐδόκησας, ἀγκάλαις κρατούμενος, τῆς Ἀειπαρθένου, χερσὶν ἐπεδόθης, τοῦ θεοδόχου Συμεών, ὁ τῇ χειρὶ σου κρατῶν τὰ σύμπαντα· διὸ νῦν ἀπολύεις με, περιχαρῶς ἀνεκραύγαζεν, ἐν εἰρήνῃ τὸν δοῦλόν σου, ὅτι εἶδόν σε Δέσποτα.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

Δόξα. **ᾠχος β΄.**
Τὸ Β΄ Ἐωθινόν.

Μετὰ μύρων προσελθούσαις, ταῖς περὶ Μαριὰμ γυναιξί, καὶ διαπορουμέναις, πῶς ἔσται αὐταῖς τυχεῖν τοῦ ἐφετοῦ, ὠράθη ὁ λίθος μετρημένος, καὶ θεῖος νεανίας, καταστέλλων τὸν θόρυβον αὐτῶν τῆς ψυχῆς· Ἠγέρθη γάρ φησιν, Ἰησοῦς ὁ Κύριος· διὸ κηρύξατε τοῖς κήρυξιν αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς, τὴν Γαλιλαίαν δραμεῖν, καὶ ὄψεσθε αὐτόν, ἀναστάντα ἐκ νεκρῶν, ὡς ζωοδότην καὶ Κύριον.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἐπευλογημένη ὑπάρχεις, Θεοτόκε Παρθένε· διὰ γὰρ τοῦ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθέντος, ὁ ἄδης ἠχμαλώτισται, ὁ Ἄδὰμ ἀνακέκληται, ἡ κατάρα νενέκρωται, ἡ Εὐὰ ἠλευθέρωται, ὁ θάνατος τεθανάτωται, καὶ ἡμεῖς ἐζωοποιήθημεν· διὸ ἀνυμνοῦντες βοῶμεν· Εὐλογητὸς Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ οὕτως εὐδοκήσας δόξα σοι.

Verse: A light to bring revelation to the Gentiles, and the glory of Your people Israel.

[NKJV]

Never separated from the Father's bosom in divinity,* and incarnated as You willed,* and held in the holy arms * of the Ever-Virgin,* You who hold all things in Your hand were given to the hands* of the divine God-receiver Symeon.* And therefore full of joy he cried to You, O Master, With my own eyes,* I Your servant have seen You, Lord;* now You let me depart in peace. [SD]

From Octoechos ---

Glory. **Mode 2.**
Eothinon 2.

The women around Mary went to the tomb with ointments. They were perplexed about how they would achieve their aim. They saw that the stone was rolled back; and there was a young man, an angel of the Lord, who quelled the commotion of their souls. For he said, "The Lord Jesus has risen! Now go and preach it to His preachers, His disciples, and tell them to hasten to Galilee; and there you will see Him, risen from the dead, as the Giver of Life and Lord." [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

You are supremely blessed, O Virgin Theotokos. For through Him who from you became incarnate, Hades has been captured, and Adam has been called back; the curse has been killed, and Eve has been freed; death has been put to death, and we have been brought back to life. Therefore we extol Him and cry

Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν Μ. Δοξολογίαν.

Ἡ Μεγάλη Δοξολογία

Δόξα σοι τῷ δείξαντι τὸ φῶς. Δόξα ἐν
ὑψίστοις Θεῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνη, ἐν ἀνθρώποις
εὐδοκία.

Ἕμνουμέν σε, εὐλογοῦμέν σε,
προσκυνοῦμέν σε, δοξολογοῦμέν σε,
εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, διὰ τὴν μεγάλην σου
δόξαν.

Κύριε βασιλεῦ, ἐπουράνιε Θεέ, Πάτερ
παντοκράτορ· Κύριε Υἱὲ μονογενές, Ἰησοῦ
Χριστέ, καὶ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα.

Κύριε ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἀμνὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ
Υἱὸς τοῦ Πατρὸς, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἀμαρτίαν τοῦ
κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἀμαρτίας
τοῦ κόσμου.

Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος
ἐν δεξιᾷ τοῦ Πατρὸς, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος
Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ
Πατρὸς. Ἀμήν.

Καθ' ἐκάστην ἡμέραν εὐλογήσω σε καὶ
αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ εἰς τὸν
αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος.

Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ταύτῃ,
ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων
ἡμῶν, καὶ αἰνετὸν καὶ δεδοξαμένον τὸ ὄνομά
σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. Ἀμήν.

out, “O Christ our God, You are blessed, for so
was Your good pleasure. Glory to You!” ^[GOASD]

Stand for the Great Doxology.

Great Doxology

Glory be to You who showed the light.
Glory in the highest to God. His peace is on
earth, His good pleasure in mankind. ^[SD]

We praise You, we bless You, we worship
You, we glorify You, we give thanks to You
for Your great glory.

Lord King, heavenly God, Father, Ruler
over all; Lord, only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;
and You, O Holy Spirit.

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the
Father, who take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us, You who take away the sins
of the world.

Accept our supplication, You who sit at
the right hand of the Father, and have mercy on
us.

For You alone are holy, You alone are
Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the
Father. Amen.

Every day I will bless You, and Your
name will I praise to eternity, and to the ages
of ages.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, this day, that we be
kept without sin.

Blessed are You, O Lord, the God of our
fathers, and praised and glorified is Your name
to the ages. Amen.

Γένοιτο, Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου ἐφ' ἡμᾶς,
καθάπερ ἠλπίσαμεν ἐπὶ σέ.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ
δικαιώματά σου.

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δικαιώματά σου.

Κύριε, καταφυγὴ ἐγενήθης ἡμῖν ἐν γενεᾷ
καὶ γενεᾷ. Ἐγὼ εἶπα· Κύριε, ἐλέησόν με, ἴασα
τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ὅτι ἥμαρτόν σοι.

Κύριε, πρὸς σέ κατέφυγον. Δίδαξόν με τοῦ
ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου.

Ὅτι παρὰ σοὶ πηγὴ ζωῆς, ἐν τῷ φωτί σου
ὀψόμεθα φῶς.

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί
σε.

Ἅγιος ὁ Θεός, Ἅγιος Ἰσχυρός, Ἅγιος
Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (ἐκ γ')

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Ἅγιος ὁ Θεός, Ἅγιος Ἰσχυρός, Ἅγιος
Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

*Μετὰ τὸ τέλος τῆς Δοξολογίας λέγομεν Τροπάριον
Ἀναστάσιμον.*

Let Your mercy be on us, O Lord, as we
have set our hope on You.

Blessed are You, O Lord. Teach me Your
statutes.

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statutes.

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statutes.

Lord, You have been our refuge from
generation to generation. I said: Lord, have
mercy on me. Heal my soul, for I have sinned
against You.

Lord, I have fled to You. Teach me to do
Your will, for You are my God.

For with You is the fountain of life; in
Your light we shall see light.

Continue Your mercy to those who know
You.

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

Glory to the Father and the Son and the
Holy Spirit.

Both now and ever and to the ages of ages.
Amen.

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal,
have mercy on us.

*After the Doxology, sing the following Resurrectional
Troparion.*

Ἦχος δ'. (ἡ τῆς ἐβδομάδος.)

Σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ κόσμῳ γέγονεν.
Ἄσωμεν τῷ ἀναστάντι ἐκ τάφου καὶ ἀρχηγῷ
τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν· καθελὼν γὰρ τῷ θανάτῳ τὸν
θάνατον, τὸ νίκος ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν, καὶ τὸ μέγα
ἔλεος.

Mode 4. (or the Mode of the week)

Today has salvation come to pass in the
world. Let us sing to Him who resurrected
from the tomb and is the Author of our life.
For, destroying death by death, He gave us the
victory and the great mercy. [SD]