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## Βιβλία - Πηγαί

Ὁκτώηχος - ᾠχος πλ. α'.

Τῇ Κυριακῇ Πρωΐ

Μηνᾶιον - Τῇ Π' - ἸΘ' ΙΟΥΛΙΟΥ

Κυριακὴ τῶν Ἁγίων Πατέρων

## ΟΡΘΡΟΣ

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

ᾠχος πλ. α'.

Θεὸς Κύριος καὶ ἐπέφανεν ἡμῖν.  
Εὐλογημένος 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 ἡμυνάμην αὐτούς.

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

Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - -

**Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.**

ᾠχος πλ. α'. Αὐτόμελον.

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

Δόξα. **Τῶν Πατέρων.**

ᾠχος πλ. δ'.

Ὑπερδεδοξασμένος εἶ, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς  
ἡμῶν, ὁ φωστῆρας ἐπὶ γῆς τοὺς Πατέρας  
ἡμῶν θεμελιώσας, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν πρὸς τὴν

## Books - Sources

Octoechos - Mode pl. 1.

On Sunday Morning

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## MATINS

### CHOIR

Mode pl. 1.

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 pl. 1. Automelon.

Τὸν 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]

Glory. **For the Fathers.**

Mode pl. 4.

Supremely blessed are You, O Christ our  
God. You established the holy Fathers upon  
the earth as beacons, and through them You

ἀληθινὴν πίστιν, πάντας ἡμᾶς ὁδηγήσας·  
πολυεύσπλαγχνε, δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

**ᾠχος πλ. δ'.**

Ὁ δι' ἡμᾶς γεννηθεὶς ἐκ Παρθένου, καὶ  
σταύρωσιν ὑπομείνας Ἀγαθέ, ὁ θανάτῳ τὸν  
θάνατον σκυλεύσας, καὶ ἔγερσιν δείξας ὡς  
Θεός, μὴ παρίδῃς οὓς ἔπλασας τῇ χειρὶ σου·  
δείξον τὴν φιланθρωπίαν σου Ἐλεῆμον· δέξαι  
τὴν τεκοῦσάν σε Θεοτόκον, πρεσβεύουσαν  
ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν, καὶ σῶσον Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, λαὸν  
ἀπεγνωσμένον.

#### **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἦτι 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 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 εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

( Ἀμήν. )

have guided us all to the true Faith, O greatly  
merciful One, glory be to You. [SD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

From Octoechos - - -

**Mode pl. 4.**

You were born of a Virgin, and You  
endured crucifixion for us, O good Lord. By  
Your death You divested death of spoils, and  
You displayed resurrection, as God. Please  
do not despise us, the work of Your hand.  
Demonstrate Your loving kindness, O merciful  
Master. Defer to Your Mother, the Theotokos,  
when she intercedes on our behalf, and save  
us, Your people in despair, O Savior. [GOASD]

#### **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. )

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. )

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**

**Κάθισμα Α'.**

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

**ᾠδὴ πλ. α'.** Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.

Τὸν Σταυρὸν τοῦ Κυρίου ἐγκωμιάσωμεν,  
τὴν ταφὴν τὴν ἁγίαν ὕμνοις τιμήσωμεν, καὶ  
τὴν ἀνάστασιν αὐτοῦ ὑπερδοξάσωμεν· ὅτι  
συνήγειρε νεκρούς, ἐκ τῶν μνημάτων ὡς  
Θεός, σκυλεύσας κράτος θανάτου, καὶ ἰσχὺν  
διαβόλου, καὶ τοῖς ἐν ᾅδῃ φῶς ἀνέτειλε.

Δόξα.

Κύριε, νεκρὸς προσηγορεύθης, ὁ  
νεκρώσας τὸν θάνατον· ἐν μνήματι ἐτέθης,  
ὁ κενώσας τὰ μνήματα· ἄνω στρατιῶται τὸν  
τάφον ἐφύλαττον, κάτω τοὺς ἀπ' αἰῶνος  
νεκροὺς ἐξανέστησας. Παντοδύναμε καὶ  
ἀκατάληπτε, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

**ᾠδὴ πλ. α'.** Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.

Χαῖρε πύλη Κυρίου ἡ ἀδιόδευτος· Χαῖρε  
τεῖχος καὶ σκέπη τῶν προστρεχόντων εἰς  
σέ· Χαῖρε ἀχείμαστε λιμὴν, καὶ ἀπειρόγαμε·  
ἡ τεκοῦσα ἐν σαρκὶ τὸν ποιητὴν σου καὶ  
Θεόν, πρεσβεύουσα μὴ ἐλλείπῃς, ὑπὲρ τῶν  
ἀνυμνούντων, καὶ προσκυνούντων τὸν τόκον  
σου.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

**Κάθισμα Β'.**

**ᾠδὴ πλ. α'.**

Κύριε, μετὰ τὴν τριήμερόν σου ἀνάστασιν,  
καὶ τὴν τῶν Ἀποστόλων προσκύνῃσιν, ὁ  
Πέτρος ἐβόα σοι· Γυναῖκες ἀπετόλμησαν,

**CHOIR**

**Kathisma I.**

From Octoechos - - -

**Mode pl. 1.** Let us worship the Word.

*Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.*

Let us honor the Cross of the Lord with  
solemn praise, \* Let us sing hymns extolling  
His holy burial. \* Let us highly glorify His  
resurrection from the dead. \* For, being God,  
He raised the dead from the graves with  
himself. \* He shined light on those in Hades,  
annihilating the power of death and the devil's  
might. [GOASD]

Glory.

Lord, You who deadened death were  
described as being dead. You who emptied  
tombs had been buried in a tomb. Above,  
soldiers guarded the sepulcher; below, You  
resurrected the dead of all ages. Lord almighty  
and incomprehensible, glory to You! [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

**Mode pl. 1.** Let us worship the Word.

*Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.*

Hail, gate of the Lord, through which  
no man has passed! \* Wall and shelter of all  
who rely on you, rejoice! \* Port and haven  
undisturbed by any tempest, rejoice! \* You  
gave birth to your Creator and God in the  
flesh, \* ever remaining a virgin. \* Never cease  
interceding for us who worship and extol your  
Son. [GOASD]

From Octoechos - - -

**Kathisma II.**

**Mode pl. 1.**

After You had risen on the third day,  
O Lord, and the Apostles had worshiped  
You, Peter said to You, "The women were

κἀγὼ ἐδειλίασα· Ληστής ἐθεολόγησε, κἀγὼ ἡρνησάμην σε· ἄρα καλέσεις με τοῦ λοιποῦ μαθητήν; ἢ πάλιν δείξεις με ἀλιέα βυθοῦ; ἀλλὰ μετανοοῦντά με δέξαι, ὁ Θεὸς καὶ σῶσόν με.

Δόξα.

Κύριε, ἐν μέσῳ σε προσήλωσαν, οἱ παράνομοι τῶν καταδίκων, καὶ λόγχῃ τὴν πλευράν σου ἐξεκέντησαν, ὧς Ἐλεῆμον· ταφήν δὲ κατεδέξω, ὁ λύσας ἄδου τὰς πύλας, καὶ ἀνέστης τριήμερος· ἔδραμον γυναῖκες ἰδεῖν σε, καὶ ἀπήγγειλαν Ἀποστόλοις τὴν ἔγερσιν. Ὑπερυψούμενε Σωτήρ, ὃν ὕμνοῦσιν Ἄγγελοι, εὐλογημένε Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.** *Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.*

Ἀπειρόγαμε νύμφη θεογεννήτρια, ἡ τῆς Εὐας τὴν λύπην χαροποιήσασα, ἀνυμνοῦμεν οἱ πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνοῦμέν σε, ὅτι ἀνήγαγες ἡμᾶς ἐκ τῆς ἀρχαίας ἀρᾶς· καὶ νῦν δυσώπει ἀπαύστως, πανύμνητε Παναγία, εἰς τὸ σωθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

**Εὐλογητάρια Ἀναστάσιμα.**

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδασόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Τῶν Ἀγγέλων ὁ δῆμος, κατεπλάγη ὁρῶν σε, ἐν νεκροῖς λογισθέντα, τοῦ θανάτου δὲ Σωτήρ, τὴν ἰσχὺν καθελόντα, καὶ σὺν ἑαυτῷ

courageous, but I was afraid. The robber stated Your divinity, but I denied knowing You. Will You ever call me Your disciple again, or will you send me back to be a fisher of the sea? I pray You to receive me in repentance, O God, and save me." [GOASD]

Glory.

The villains had You crucified between the convicts. And they pierced Your side with a spear, O merciful Master. You accepted burial. You destroyed the gates of Hades, and You rose on the third day. The Women ran to see You, and they announced Your resurrection to the Apostles. Supremely exalted Savior, whom the Angels extol, O blessed Lord, glory to You! [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

**Mode pl. 1.** *Let us worship the Word.*

*Τὸν συνάναρχον Λόγον.*

Bride unwedded and Mother of God, you are the one \* who turned Eve's pain and sorrow into exultant joy. \* We the faithful sing your praises and we honor you; \* for you have lifted us up from the ancient curse. \* All-lauded, all-holy Virgin, \* never cease interceding with your Son and God to save our souls. [GOASD]

**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

τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἐγείραντα, καὶ ἐξ Ἅδου πάντας ἐλευθερώσαντα.

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

Τί τὰ μύρα, συμπαθῶς τοῖς δάκρυσιν, ὦ Μαθήτριάι κιρνᾶτε; ὁ ἀστράπτων ἐν τῷ τάφῳ Ἄγγελος, προσεφθέγγετο ταῖς Μυροφόροις· Ἴδετε ὑμεῖς τὸν τάφον καὶ ἦσθητε· ὁ Σωτὴρ γὰρ ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

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

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

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

Μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, μετὰ μύρων ἐλθοῦσαι, πρὸς τὸ μνήμά σου, Σῶτερ ἐνηχοῦντο. Ἀγγέλου 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.

arose You raised Adam with yourself and from Hades liberated everyone. <sup>[SD]</sup>

*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."

*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.

Καὶ νῦν.

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

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

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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δεηθῶμεν.

( Κύριε, ἐλέησον. )

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διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

( Κύριε, ἐλέησον. )

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου,  
ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν  
Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ  
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Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

( Σοί, Κύριε. )

Ὅτι ηὐλόγηταί σου τὸ ὄνομα, καὶ  
δεδοξασταί 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. Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

Ἀγγελικῇ ὁράσει τὸν νοῦν ἐκθαμβούμεναι,  
καὶ θεϊκῇ ἐγέρσει τὴν ψυχὴν φωτιζόμεναι, αἱ  
Μυροφόροι τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις εὐηγγελίζοντο·  
Ἀναγγεῖλατε ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσι, τὴν ἀνάστασιν

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

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the Lord.

( Lord, have mercy. )

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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. )

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 pl. 1.**

Mentally amazed by the angelic apparition,  
inwardly illumined by the divine resurrection,  
the Myrrh-bearing Women brought good  
tidings to the Apostles. "Proclaim the  
resurrection of the Lord among the Gentiles, as



τοῦ Κυρίου, συνεργοῦντος τοῖς θαύμασι, καὶ παρέχοντος ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Οἱ Ἀναβαθμοί.**

**Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. ᾠχος πλ. α΄.**

Ἐν τῷ θλίβεσθαί με δαυϊτικῶς, ἄδω σοι Σωτήρ μου· Ῥῦσαί μου τὴν ψυχὴν ἐκ γλώσσης δολίας.

Τοῖς ἐρημικοῖς, ζωὴ μακαρία ἐστί, θεϊκῷ ἔρωτι περουμενοῖς.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἄγιω Πνεύματι, περικρατεῖται πάντα τὰ ὀρατά τε, σὺν τοῖς ἀοράτοις· αὐτοκρατὲς γὰρ ὢν, τῆς Τριάδος ἓν ἐστὶν ἀψεύστως.

**Ἀντίφωνον Β΄.**

Εἰς τὰ ὄρη ψυχὴ ἀρθῶμεν· δεῦρο ἐκεῖσε, ὅθεν βοήθεια ἔχει.

Δεξιὰ σου χεὶρ κἄμέ, Χριστὲ ἱπταμένη, σκαιωρίας πάσης περιφυλαξάτω.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἄγιω Πνεύματι, θεολογοῦντες φῶμεν· Σὺ εἶ Θεός, ζωὴ, ἔρως, φῶς, νοῦς, σὺ χρηστότης, σὺ βασιλεύεις εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

**Ἀντίφωνον Γ΄.**

Ἐπὶ τοῖς εἰρηκόσι μοι· Εἰς τὰς αὐλὰς προσβῶμεν Κυρίου· χαρᾶς πολλῆς πλησθεῖς, εὐχὰς ἀναπέμπω.

He works with you by signs and miracles, and He grants to us the great mercy." [GOASD]

**CHOIR**

**Anavathmoi.**

**First Antiphon. Mode pl. 1.**

In my affliction, like David, I sing to You, my Savior. Deliver my soul from a deceitful tongue. [GOASD]

Blessed is the life of those who dwell in the desert, as they mount up with wings of the intense love of God. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

By the Holy Spirit are all things maintained, both seen and unseen; for He is inseparably one of the Trinity with full authority. [GOASD]

**Second Antiphon.**

O my soul, let us be lifted to the mountains. Come to the One, from whom help comes. [GOASD]

O Christ, let Your soaring right hand keep me from every kind of mischief. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

To the Holy Spirit we say, theologizing, "You are God, life and intense love, light and mind. You are goodness, and You reign forever." [GOASD]

**Third Antiphon.**

When they say to me, "Let us go into the courts of the Lord," I am filled with great joy, and I send up my prayers. [GOASD]

Ἐπὶ οἶκον Δαυΐδ, τὰ φοβερὰ  
τελεσιουργεῖται· πῦρ γὰρ ἐκεῖ φλέγον, ἅπαντα  
αἰσχρὸν νοῦν.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, ζωαρχικῇ ἀξία, ἐξ οὗ πᾶν  
ζῶον ἐμψυχοῦται, ὡς ἐν Πατρὶ, ἅμα τε καὶ  
Λόγῳ.

**Προκείμενον.**

Ἀνάστηθι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ὅτι σὺ  
βασιλεύεις εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. (δίδς)

**Στίχ.** Ἐξομολογήσομαί σοι, Κύριε, ἐν ὅλῃ  
καρδίᾳ μου.

Ἀνάστηθι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ὅτι σὺ  
βασιλεύεις εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἔτι 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 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. )

Over the house of David fearful things will  
be accomplished; a fire will be there, burning  
every shameful thought. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit, as in the Father and  
the Logos, is the principle of life; and by Him  
every living being is animated. [GOASD]

**Prokeimenon.**

Arise, O Lord my God, for You reign unto  
the ages. (2)

**Verse:** I will give thanks to You, O Lord,  
with my whole heart.

Arise, O Lord my God, for You reign unto  
the ages. [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. )

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. )

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

( Amen. )

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

### Κοντάκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

Πρὸς τὸν ὄδην Σωτὴρ μου  
συγκαταβέβηκας, καὶ τὰς πύλας συντρίψας  
ὡς παντοδύναμος, τοὺς θανόντας ὡς κτίστης  
συνεξανέστησας, καὶ θανάτου τὸ κέντρον  
Χριστὲ συνέντριψας, καὶ Ἀδὰμ τῆς κατάρας  
ἐρρύσω Φιλάνθρωπε· διὸ πάντες σοι  
κράζομεν· Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Κύριε.

### Ὁ Οἶκος.

Ἀκούσασαι αἱ γυναῖκες τοῦ Ἀγγέλου τὰ  
ρήματα, ἀπεβάλοντο τὸν θρήνον, προσχαρεῖς  
γενόμεναι, καὶ σύντρομοι τὴν ἀνάστασιν  
ἔβλεπον, καὶ ἰδοὺ Χριστὸς προσήγγισεν  
αὐταῖς, λέγων τό· Χαίρετε, θαρσεῖτε, ἐγὼ  
τὸν κόσμον νενίκηκα, καὶ τοὺς δεσμίους  
ἐρρύσάμην· σπουδάσατε οὖν πρὸς τοὺς  
Μαθητάς, ἀπαγγέλλουσαι αὐτοῖς, ὅτι προάγω  
ὑμᾶς, ἐν τῇ χώρᾳ Γαλιλαίᾳ τοῦ κηρῦξαι· διὸ  
πάντες σοι κράζομεν· Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Κύριε.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

### Κοντάκιον τῶν Πατέρων.

Τῶν Ἀποστόλων τὸ κήρυγμα, καὶ τῶν  
Πατέρων τὰ δόγματα, τῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ μίαν τὴν  
πίστιν ἐκράτυνεν· ἡ καὶ χιτῶνα φοροῦσα τῆς  
ἀληθείας, τὸν ὑφαντὸν ἐκ τῆς ἄνω θεολογίας,  
ὀρθοτομεῖ καὶ δοξάζει, τῆς εὐσεβείας τὸ μέγα  
μυστήριον.

### Ὁ Οἶκος.

Ἐν ὑψηλῷ κηρύγματι, τῆς τοῦ Θεοῦ  
Ἐκκλησίας, ἀκούσωμεν βοῶσης· Ὁ διψῶν,  
ἐρχέσθω καὶ πινέτω· ὁ κρατήρ, ὃν φέρω,  
κρατήρ ἐστὶ σοφίας. Τούτου τὸ πόμα, ἀληθείας  
λόγῳ κεκέρακα, ὕδωρ οὐ προχέω ἀντιλογίας,

## READER

From Octoechos - - -

### Resurrectional Kontakion.

O my Savior, You descended into the  
netherworld, and You shattered its gates,  
for You are almighty God. O Creator, with  
yourself You raised the dead of all time, and  
You utterly destroyed the sting of death, O  
Christ. O benevolent Master, You freed Adam  
from the ancient curse, Therefore we all cry to  
You: Save us, O Lord. [GOASD]

### Oikos.

When the women heard the Angel's words,  
they put away their grief; and they rejoiced  
with trembling as they saw the resurrection.  
And behold, Christ came to them and said,  
"Rejoice! Take courage! I have overcome  
the world and have rescued the prisoners. Go  
quickly now to the Disciples and tell them

[GOASD]

From Menaion - - -

### Kontakion for the Fathers.

The preaching of the Apostles and the  
dogmas of the Fathers confirmed the Church as  
one in faith; and wearing the garment of truth,  
woven of theology from above, she rightly  
expounds and holds the great mystery of piety.

[SD]

### Oikos.

Let us hear the Church of God crying  
out with a loud proclamation, "Let the thirsty  
come and drink. The bowl that I hold is a bowl  
of wisdom. I have mixed its drink with the  
word of truth, and it pours out not water of

ἀλλ' ὁμολογίας, ἥς πίνων ὁ νῦν Ἰσραήλ, Θεὸν ὁρᾷ φθεγγόμενον· Ἴδετε ἴδετε, ὅτι αὐτὸς ἐγὼ εἰμι, καὶ οὐκ ἡλλοίωμαι. Ἐγὼ Θεὸς πρῶτος, ἐγὼ καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα, καὶ πλήν μου ἄλλος οὐκ ἔστιν ὅλως. Ἐντεῦθεν οἱ μετέχοντες πλησθήσονται, καὶ αἰνέσουσι τῆς εὐσεβείας τὸ μέγα μυστήριον.

*Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Συναξαρίου.*

### **Συναξάριον**

*Τοῦ Μηναίου.*

Τῇ ΙΣ΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἱερομάρτυρος Ἀθηνογένους, Ἐπισκόπου Πηδαχθήσης (ἢ Πηδαχθόης).

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Μάρτυρος Φαύστου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Μάρτυρος Ἀντιόχου, ἀδελφοῦ τοῦ Ἁγίου Μάρτυρος Πλάτωνος.

Οἱ Ἅγιοι δεκαπεντακισχίλιοι Μάρτυρες, οἱ ἐν Πισιδίᾳ, ξίφει τελειοῦνται.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν τῶν Ἁγίων ἑξακοσίων τριάκοντα θεοφόρων Πατέρων τῆς ἐν Χαλκηδόνι Ἀγίας καὶ Οἰκουμενικῆς τετάρτης Συνόδου.

Ταῖς τῶν ἁγίων Πατέρων πρεσβείαις, ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

### **ΧΟΡΟΣ**

#### **Καταβασίαι τῆς Θεοτόκου**

**Ὠδὴ α΄. ᾠδὴ δ΄.**

Ἀνοίξω τὸ στόμα μου, καὶ πληρωθήσεται Πνεύματος, καὶ λόγον ἐρεῦξομαι, τῇ Βασιλίδι Μητρί, καὶ ὁφθήσομαι, φαιδρῶς πανηγυρίζων, καὶ ᾄσω γηθόμενος, ταύτης τὰ θαύματα.

Contention, but of Confession." Imbibing this confession, the actual Israel sees God who says, "See, see that I AM, and I am not altered. I am God first and I am thereafter, and aside from Me there is no other at all." Hence will partakers be filled, and they will praise the great mystery of piety. [GKD]

*Stand for the reading of the Synaxarion.*

### **Synaxarion**

*From the Menaion.*

On July 16, we commemorate the holy Hieromartyr Athenogenes, Bishop of Pidachthoa.

On this day we also commemorate the holy Martyr Faustus.

On this day we also commemorate the holy Martyr Antiochus, brother of the holy Martyr Plato.

The holy 15,000 Martyrs in Pisidia died by the sword.

On this day we also commemorate the 630 God-bearing Fathers who convened in Chalcedon for the holy Fourth Ecumenical Council.

By the intercessions of the holy Fathers, O God, have mercy on us. Amen.

### **CHOIR**

#### **Katavasias of Theotokos**

**Ode i. Mode 4.**

I open my mouth and pray the Spirit fill it, like David said, \* to pour out a good word to the Queen and Mother of God. \* I will celebrate \* her feast with joy and gladness \*

**Ὡδή γ'.**

Τοὺς σοὺς ὕμνολόγους Θεοτόκε, ὡς ζῶσα καὶ ἄφθονος πηγὴ, θίασον συγκροτήσαντας πνευματικόν, στερέωσον· καὶ ἐν τῇ θείᾳ δόξῃ σου, στεφάνων δόξης ἀξιώσον.

**Ὡδή δ'.**

Τὴν ἀνεξιχνίαστον θείαν βουλήν, τῆς ἐκ τῆς Παρθένου σαρκώσεως, σοῦ τοῦ Ὑψίστου, ὁ Προφήτης, Ἀββακούμ, κατανοῶν ἐκράυγαζε· Δόξα τῇ δυνάμει σου Κύριε.

**Ὡδή ε'.**

Ἐξέστη τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐπὶ τῇ θείᾳ δόξῃ σου· σὺ γὰρ ἀπειρόγαμε Παρθέने, ἔσχες ἐν μήτρᾳ, τὸν ἐπὶ πάντων Θεόν, καὶ τέτοκας ἄχρονον Υἱόν, πᾶσι τοῖς ὕμνοῦσί σε, σωτηρίαν βραβεύοντα.

**Ὡδή ς'.**

Τὴν θείαν ταύτην καὶ πάντιμον, τελοῦντες ἐορτὴν οἱ θεόφρονες, τῆς Θεομήτορος, δεῦτε τὰς χεῖρας κροτήσωμεν, τὸν ἐξ αὐτῆς τεχθέντα Θεὸν δοξάζοντες.

**Ὡδή ζ'.**

Οὐκ ἐλάτρευσαν τῇ κτίσει οἱ θεόφρονες, παρὰ τὸν Κτίσαντα, ἀλλὰ πυρὸς ἀπειλήν, ἀνδρείως πατήσαντες, χαίροντες ἔψαλλον. Ὑπερύμνητε, ὁ τῶν Πατέρων Κύριος, καὶ Θεὸς εὐλογητὸς εἶ.

and sing to her merrily, lauding her miracles.

[SD]

**Ode iii.**

Establish your servants who extol you,  
\* O Mother of God, for they have formed  
\* a spiritual choir for you \* the living and abundant fount; \* and graciously in your divine glory give glorious crowns to them. [SD]

**Ode iv.**

When the Prophet Habakkuk heard the divine \* and incomprehensible counsel of Your Incarnation \* from the Virgin, O Most High, \* considering, he cried aloud: \* Glory to Your power, O Lord my God. [SD]

**Ode v.**

Amazed was the universe by your divine magnificence. \* You who were perpetually virgin \* carried the heavenly God of all in your womb \* and gave birth to the eternal Son, \* who awards salvation to all who sing hymns of praise to you. [SD]

**Ode vi.**

O godly-minded believers, come \* and celebrate this sacred and venerable feast and thus extol \* the Theotokos, and clap our hands, \* and glorify our God who was truly born of her. [SD]

**Ode vii.**

Godly-minded three \* did not adore created things in the Creator's stead; \* rather, disdaining the threat \* of fire, they trampled it, and joyfully they sang: \* "O supremely praised \* and most exalted Lord and God \* of the fathers, You are blessed." [SD]

**Ὠδὴ η'.**

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν  
τὸν Κύριον.

Παῖδας εὐαγεῖς ἐν τῇ καμίνῳ, ὁ τόκος τῆς  
Θεοτόκου διεσώσατο, τότε μὲν τυπούμενος,  
νῦν δὲ ἐνεργούμενος, τὴν οἰκουμένην ἅπασαν,  
ἀγείρει ψάλλουσιν. Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ  
ἔργα, 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.

**Ἦχος β'.**

Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. (δίς)  
Αἰνεσάτω πνοὴ 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. )

**Ode viii.**

*We praise and we bless and we worship  
the Lord.*

Guiltless were those Servants in the  
furnace. \* The Son of the Theotokos went and  
rescued them. \* He who was prefigured then,  
\* having been incarnate now, \* is gathering  
the whole wide world into His Church to sing:  
\* "O all you works of the Lord, to all ages \*  
sing praises to the Lord and exalt Him beyond  
measure." [SD]

*Stand for the Gospel reading.*

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

( Lord, have mercy. )

**PRIEST**

For You are holy, our God, who rest  
among the Saints, and to You we give glory,  
to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**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. )

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου  
Εὐαγγελίου.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

( Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου. )

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ  
ἀνάγνωσμα.

Πρόσχωμεν.

( Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι. )

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἀπὸ τῆς ἁγίας τραπέζης)

Ἑωθινὸν Σ΄  
Λουκᾶν ΚΔ΄ 36-53

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἀναστὰς ὁ Ἰησοῦς  
ἐκ νεκρῶν ἔστη ἐν μέσῳ τῶν Μαθητῶν, καὶ  
λέγει αὐτοῖς· Εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. Πτοηθέντες δὲ καὶ  
ἔμβοιοι γενόμενοι, ἐδόκουν πνεῦμα θεωρεῖν.  
Καὶ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· Τί τεταραγμένοι ἐστέ,  
καὶ διατὶ διαλογισμοὶ ἀναβαίνουσιν ἐν ταῖς  
καρδίαις ὑμῶν; Ἴδετε τὰς χεῖράς μου καὶ τοὺς  
πόδας μου, ὅτι αὐτὸς ἐγὼ εἰμι, ψηλαφήσατέ  
με καὶ ἴδετε, ὅτι πνεῦμα σὰρκα καὶ ὀστέα  
οὐκ ἔχει, καθὼς ἐμὲ θεωρεῖτε ἔχοντα. Καὶ  
τοῦτο εἰπὼν, ἐπέδειξεν αὐτοῖς τὰς χεῖρας  
καὶ τοὺς πόδας. Ἔτι δὲ ἀπιστούντων αὐτῶν  
ἀπὸ τῆς χαρᾶς, καὶ θαυμαζόντων, εἶπεν  
αὐτοῖς· Ἐχετέ τι βρώσιμον ἐνθάδε; Οἱ δὲ  
ἐπέδωκαν αὐτῷ ἰχθύος ὀπτοῦ μέρος, καὶ ἀπὸ  
μελισσίου κηρίου. Καὶ λαβὼν, ἐνώπιον αὐτῶν  
ἔφαγεν. Εἶπε δὲ αὐτοῖς· Οὗτοι οἱ λόγοι, οὓς  
ἐλάλησα πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἔτι ὢν σὺν ὑμῖν, ὅτι δεῖ  
πληρωθῆναι πάντα τὰ γεγραμμένα ἐν τῷ  
νόμῳ Μωσέως καὶ Προφήταις καὶ Ψαλμοῖς  
περὶ ἐμοῦ. Τότε διήνοιξεν αὐτῶν τὸν νοῦν,

## 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 Luke.

Let us be attentive.

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

## PRIEST (from the altar table)

Eothinon 6  
Luke. 24:36-53

At that time, having risen from the dead,  
Jesus stood among His disciples and said to  
them, "Peace be with you." But they were  
startled and frightened, and supposed that they  
saw a spirit. And He said to them, "Why are  
you troubled, and why do questionings rise in  
your hearts? See My hands and My feet, that  
it is I Myself; handle Me, and see; for a spirit  
has not flesh and bones as you see that I have."  
And when He had said this, He showed them  
His hands and His feet. And while they still  
disbelieved for joy, and wondered, He said to  
them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They  
gave Him a piece of broiled fish [and some  
honeycomb], and He took it and ate before  
them. Then He said to them, "These are My  
words which I spoke to you, while I was still  
with you, that everything written about Me  
in the law of Moses and the prophets and the  
psalms must be fulfilled." Then He opened  
their minds to understand the scriptures, and



τοῦ συνιέναι τὰς Γραφάς· καὶ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς·  
 Ὅτι οὕτω γέγραπται, καὶ οὕτως εἶδει παθεῖν  
 τὸν Χριστόν, καὶ ἀναστῆναι ἐκ νεκρῶν τῇ  
 τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ, καὶ κηρυχθῆναι ἐπὶ τῷ ὀνόματι  
 αὐτοῦ μετάνοιαν καὶ ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν εἰς  
 πάντα τὰ ἔθνη, ἀρξάμενον ἀπὸ Ἱερουσαλήμ.  
 Ὑμεῖς δέ ἐστε μάρτυρες τούτων. Καὶ ἰδοὺ  
 ἐγὼ ἀποστέλλω τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν τοῦ πατρός  
 μου ἐφ' ὑμᾶς· ὑμεῖς δὲ καθίσατε ἐν τῇ πόλει  
 Ἱερουσαλήμ, ἕως οὗ ἐνδύσησθε δύναμιν ἐξ  
 ὕψους. Ἐξήγαγε δὲ αὐτοὺς ἔξω εἰς Βηθανίαν,  
 καὶ ἐπάρας τὰς χεῖρας αὐτοῦ, εὐλόγησεν  
 αὐτούς. Καὶ ἐγένετο ἐν τῷ εὐλογεῖν αὐτόν  
 αὐτούς, διέστη ἀπ' αὐτῶν, καὶ ἀνεφέρετο εἰς  
 τὸν οὐρανόν. Καὶ αὐτοί, προσκυνήσαντες  
 αὐτόν, ὑπέστρεψαν εἰς Ἱερουσαλήμ μετὰ  
 χαρᾶς μεγάλης. Καὶ ἦσαν διαπαντός ἐν τῷ  
 Ἱερῷ, αἰνοῦντες καὶ εὐλογοῦντες τὸν Θεόν.  
 Ἀμήν.

( Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι. )

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ανάστασιν 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 ὥλεσεν.

said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ  
 should suffer and on the third day rise from  
 the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness  
 of sins should be preached in His name in all  
 nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are  
 witnesses of these things. And behold, I send  
 the promise of My Father upon you; but stay  
 in the city until you are clothed with power  
 from on high." Then He led them out as far as  
 Bethany, and lifting up His hands, He blessed  
 them. While He blessed them, He parted from  
 them, and was carried up into heaven. And  
 they worshiped Him, and returned to Jerusalem  
 with great joy, and were continually in the  
 Temple blessing God. [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]



**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ψαλμός Ν' (50).**

**Ἦχος β'.** (ἡ τῆς ἐβδομάδος.)

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

Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλυνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με.

Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἐστὶ διαπαντός.

Σοὶ μόνῳ ἥμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῇς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσῃς ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε.

Ἴδου γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν ἁμαρτίαις 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.

Απόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν μου, καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον.

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

**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.

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.

Μὴ ἀπορρίψῃς με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου  
καὶ τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλῃς ἀπ’  
ἐμοῦ.

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

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

Ῥῥασαί 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.

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.

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]

Καὶ νῦν.

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

**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·  
ὑψωσον 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

Both now.

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

**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

πανευφήμου Εὐφημίας· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων  
Μαρτύρων Θέκλας, Βαρβάρας, Ἀναστασίας,  
Αἰκατερίνης, Κυριακῆς, Φωτεινῆς, Μαρίνης,  
Παρασκευῆς καὶ Εἰρήνης· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ  
Θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Ἀγίου τοῦ  
Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων  
Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ τῶν ἁγίων Πατέρων  
τῆς Δ΄ Οἰκουμενικῆς Συνόδου, ὧν καὶ τὴν  
μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν· καὶ πάντων σου τῶν  
Ἀγίων. Ἰκετεύομέν σε, μόνε πολυέλεε Κύριε,  
ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν δεομένων  
σου καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ΄)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιланθρωπία 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  
ᾧ ἡμῶν τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὠδὴ θ΄.

Μεγαλυνάριον. ᾠδὴ δ΄.

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

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  
righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna;  
and the Holy Fathers of the Fourth Ecumenical  
Council, whose memory we are observing; 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  
of mankind of Your only-begotten Son, with  
whom You are blessed, together with Your  
all-holy, good and life-giving 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 4.

**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 ταπείνωσιν  
τῆς δούλης αὐτοῦ· ἰδοὺ γάρ, ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν  
μακαριοῦσί με πᾶσαι αἱ γενεαί.

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

**Στίχ.** Καθεῖλε δυνάστας ἀπὸ θρόνων,  
καὶ ὕψωσε ταπεινούς, πεινῶντας ἐνέπλησεν  
ἀγαθῶν, καὶ πλουτοῦντας ἐξαπέστειλε κενούς.

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

**Ὡδὴ θ'. Καταβασία. Ἦχος δ'.**

Ἄπας γηγενής, σκιρτάτω τῷ πνεύματι λαμπαδουχούμενος, πανηγυρίζετω δέ, αὐλῶν Νόων φύσις γεραίρουσα, τὰ ἱερὰ θαυμάσια τῆς Θεομήτορος, καὶ βοάτω· Χαίροις παμμακάριστε, Θεοτόκε Ἀγνή ἀειπάρθενε.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἦτι 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 ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

( Σοί, Κύριε. )

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 4.**

All you born on earth, \* with festival lamps in hand, in spirit leap for joy; \* and all you the heavenly angelic orders, join in and celebrate; \* and honoring the sacred wonders of the Mother of God, \* sing the joyful salutation, "O rejoice, \* Theotokos, all-blest, ever-virgin pure!" [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. )

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. )



Ὅτι σὲ αἰνοῦσι πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, 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 προσκυνεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ὅτι ἅγιός ἐστι.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

**Ἐξαποστειλάριον.**

**Τὸ Ϛ΄ Ἑωθινόν.**

**Ἦχος β΄.** *Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.*

Δεικνύων ὅτι ἄνθρωπος, Σῶτερ εἴ κατ' οὐσίαν, ἀναστὰς ἐκ τοῦ μνήματος, βρώσεως συμμετέσχες, καὶ μέσον στὰς ἐδίδασκες, μετάνοιαν κηρύσσειν· εὐθὺς δὲ πρὸς οὐράνιον, ἀνελήφθης Πατέρα, καὶ Μαθηταῖς, πέμπειν τὸν Παράκλητον ἐπηγγείλω. Ὑπέρθε Θεάνθρωπε, δόξα τῇ σῇ ἐγέρσει.

**Τῶν Πατέρων.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

**Ἦχος β΄.** *Γυναῖκες ἀκουτίσθητε.*

Πατέρων θείων σήμερον, τὴν μνήμην ἐορτάζοντες, ταῖς παρακλήσεσι τούτων, δεόμεθα πανοικτίρμον· Πάσης βλάβης αἰρέσεων, ρῦσαι λαόν σου, Κύριε, καὶ πάντας καταξίωσον, Πατέρα, Λόγον δοξάζειν, καὶ τὸ πανάγιον Πνεῦμα

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 6.**

**Mode 2. On the mountain.**

*Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.*

Demonstrating that You are man \* essentially, O Savior, \* after Your rising from the grave, \* You came and stood among them, and ate the food; and You taught them \* that they should preach repentance. \* You, being forthwith taken up \* to the heavenly Father, promised to send \* the Paraclete Spirit to Your disciples. \* O God, beyond divine, and man, \* glory to Your arising. [SD]

**For the Fathers.**

From Menaion - - -

**Mode 2. O Women, hearken.**

*Γυναῖκες ἀκουτίσθητε.*

As we all celebrate today \* the holy Fathers' memory, \* O all-compassionate Master, \* we ask You at their entreaty \* to save Your people and Your flock \* from any harm of heresy, \* O Lord, and account us worthy \* to glorify You, the Father, \* the Word and the Holy Spirit. [SD]

**Θεοτοκίον. Ὅμοιον.**

Ἐν δύο ταῖς θελήσεσι, καὶ φύσεσι  
Πανάμωμε, μιᾷ δὲ τῇ ὑποστάσει, τίκεις Θεὸν  
ἀπορρήτως, τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς πτωχεύσαντα, μέχρι  
Σταυροῦ θελήματι, καὶ ἡμῖν χαρισάμενον,  
τὸν τῆς θεότητος πλοῦτον, τῇ ἐκ νεκρῶν  
Ἀναστάσει.

**Οἱ Αἱνοί. Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

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.

Ἦσθησαν 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, χιὼν, 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, ἐρπετὰ καὶ πετεινὰ  
πτερωτά.

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

**Theotokion. Same Melody.**

He whom you bore ineffably \* is God in  
one hypostasis, \* while two are His wills and  
natures, \* O pure and all-blameless Lady. \*  
Becoming poor, He willingly \* for us was even  
crucified; \* and by His rising from the dead,  
\* He has bestowed upon us \* the richness of  
divinity. [SD]

**Lauds. Mode pl. 1.**

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.



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.

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

Ἄσατε τῷ Κυρίῳ ῥῆσμα καινόν, ἡ αἴνεσις αὐτοῦ ἐν ἐκκλησίᾳ ὁσίων.

Εὐφρανθήτω Ἰσραὴλ ἐπὶ τῷ ποιήσαντι αὐτόν, καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ Σιών ἀγαλλιášθωσαν 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 πρᾶεῖς ἐν σωτηρίᾳ.

Καυχῆσονται ὅσοι ἐν δόξῃ καὶ ἀγαλλιášονται 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, ἐλεγμούς ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς.

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

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

### Στιχηρὰ Ἀναστάσιμα.

ᾠχος πλ. α'.

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

Κύριε, ἐσφραγισμένου τοῦ τάφου ὑπὸ τῶν παρανόμων, προῆλθες ἐκ τοῦ μνήματος, καθὼς ἐτέχθης ἐκ τῆς Θεοτόκου· οὐκ ἔγνωσαν πῶς ἐσαρκώθης, οἱ ἀσώματοί σου Ἄγγελοι· οὐκ ᾔσθοντο πότε ἀνέστης, οἱ φυλάσσοντές σε στρατιῶται· ἀμφοτέρα γὰρ ἐσφράγισται τοῖς ἐρευνῶσι· πεφανέρωται δὲ τὰ θαύματα, τοῖς προσκυνοῦσιν ἐν πίστει τὸ μυστήριον· ὁ

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.

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, reproof among the peoples.

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

From Octoechos - - -

### Resurrectional Stichera.

Mode pl. 1.

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

[SAAS]

The sepulcher was firmly sealed by villains, O Lord. But You came forth from the tomb, much like You were born from the Theotokos. Your bodiless Angels did not know how You became incarnate, and the soldiers who were guarding You did not notice when You rose. Both of these miracles were confirmed to the prophets who inquired and

ἀνυμνοῦσιν, ἀπόδος ἡμῖν ἀγαλλίασιν, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

**ᾠχος πλ. α'.**

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

Κύριε, τοὺς μοχλοὺς τοὺς αἰώνιους  
συντρίψας, καὶ δεσμὰ διαρρήξας, τοῦ  
μνήματος ἀνέστης, καταλιπὼν σου τὰ ἐντάφια,  
εἰς μαρτύριον τῆς ἀληθοῦς, τριημέρου ταφῆς  
σου· καὶ προῆγες ἐν τῇ Γαλιλαίᾳ, ὁ ἐν σπηλαίῳ  
τηρούμενος. Μέγα σου τὸ ἔλεος, ἀκατάληπτε  
Σωτήρ! Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

**ᾠχος πλ. α'.**

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

Κύριε, αἱ γυναῖκες ἔδραμον ἐπὶ τὸ  
μνήμα, τοῦ ἰδεῖν σε τὸν Χριστόν, τὸν δι'  
ἡμᾶς παθόντα· καὶ προσελθοῦσαι, εὔρον  
ἄγγελον ἐπὶ τὸν λίθον καθήμενον, τῷ φόβῳ  
κυλισθέντα, καὶ πρὸς αὐτὰς ἐβόησε λέγων·  
Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος· εἶπατε τοῖς μαθηταῖς, ὅτι  
ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, ὁ σῶζων τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

**ᾠχος πλ. α'.**

*Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν ᾗχῳ σάλπιγγος, αἰνεῖτε  
αὐτὸν ἐν ψαλτηρίῳ καὶ κιθάρᾳ.*

Κύριε, ὥσπερ ἐξῆλθες ἐσφραγισμένου  
τοῦ τάφου, οὕτως εἰσῆλθες καὶ τῶν θυρῶν  
κεκλεισμένων, πρὸς τοὺς Μαθητάς σου,

revealed to them, who by faith revered the  
mystery. Which we now extol; and we pray  
You restore to us the joy and the great mercy.

[GOASD]

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

When You had crushed the age-old bars  
and broken the chains to pieces, You rose from  
the tomb, O Lord. And You left the grave  
clothes behind, as evidence that You were truly  
buried for three days. And You proceeded to  
Galilee, You who had been held in custody  
in a rock-hewn tomb. Great is Your mercy,  
incomprehensible Savior! Have mercy on us.

[GOASD]

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

The women ran to the tomb, O Lord, to  
see You, the Christ, who had suffered for us.  
When they came, they found an Angel sitting  
on the stone, which he had fearsomely rolled  
back. And he said to the women, "The Lord  
has risen! Go tell His disciples, 'The Savior of  
our souls has risen from the dead!'" [GOASD]

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

Lord, even as You came out of the  
sepulcher, though it was sealed shut, likewise  
You entered where Your Disciples were, the

δεικνύων αὐτοῖς τὰ τοῦ σώματος πάθη, ἅπερ κατεδέξω Σωτὴρ μακροθυμήσας. Ὡς ἐκ σπέρματος Δαυΐδ, μώλωπας ὑπήνεγκας, ὡς Υἱὸς δὲ τοῦ Θεοῦ, κόσμον ἠλευθέρωσας. Μέγα σου τὸ ἔλεος, ἀκατάληπτε Σωτήρ! Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

**Τῶν Πατέρων.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

**Ἦχος πλ. β'.** Ὅλην ἀποθέμενοι.

*Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ χορῷ, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν χορδαῖς καὶ ὄργάνῳ.*

Ὅλην συγκροτήσαντες, τὴν τῆς ψυχῆς ἐπιστήμην, καὶ τῷ θείῳ Πνεύματι, συνδιασκεψάμενοι, τὸ μακάριον, καὶ σεπτὸν Σύμβολον, οἱ σεπτοὶ Πατέρες, θεογράφως διεχάραξαν, ἐν ᾧ σαφέστατα, τῷ Γεγεννηκῶτι συνάναρχον, τὸν Λόγον ἐκδιδάσκουσι, καὶ παναληθῶς ὁμοούσιον, ταῖς τῶν Ἀποστόλων, ἐπόμενοι προδήλως διδαχαῖς, οἱ εὐκλεεῖς καὶ πανόλβιοι, ὄντως καὶ θεόφρονες.

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

Ὅλην συγκροτήσαντες, τὴν τῆς ψυχῆς ἐπιστήμην, καὶ τῷ θείῳ Πνεύματι, συνδιασκεψάμενοι, τὸ μακάριον, καὶ σεπτὸν Σύμβολον, οἱ σεπτοὶ Πατέρες, θεογράφως διεχάραξαν, ἐν ᾧ σαφέστατα, τῷ Γεγεννηκῶτι συνάναρχον, τὸν Λόγον ἐκδιδάσκουσι, καὶ παναληθῶς ὁμοούσιον, ταῖς τῶν Ἀποστόλων,

doors being also shut. You showed them the injuries sustained by Your body, which with long-suffering You accepted, Savior. As the progeny of David, You endured the wounds; as the Son of God, You freed the world. Great is Your mercy, incomprehensible Savior! Have mercy on us. [SD]

**For the Fathers.**

From Menaion - - -

**Mode pl. 2.** *When the saints deposited.*

*Ὅλην ἀποθέμενοι.*

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

When the holy Fathers brought all of their spiritual knowledge \* to the Council, they discussed \* everything, with the divine Spirit guiding them. \* They inscribed the sublime Creed and holy Symbol, \* as if God himself had written it, \* clearly explaining that consubstantial and unoriginate \* with God the Father is the Son and Logos, begotten eternally. \* Teaching thus, these famous and truly happy godly-minded men \* were right and faithfully following \* that which the Apostles taught. [GOASD]

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

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ἐπόμενοι προδήλως διδαχαῖς, οἱ εὐκλεεῖς καὶ πανόλβιοι, ὄντως καὶ θεόφρονες.

**Στίχ.** Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς τῶν πατέρων ἡμῶν, καὶ αἰνετὸν καὶ δεδοξασμένον τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Ὅλην εἰσδεξάμενοι, τὴν νοητὴν λαμπηδόνα, τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, τὸ υπερφυέστατον χρησιμολόγημα, τὸ βραχὺ ρήματι, καὶ πολὺ συνέσει, θεοπνεύστως ἀπεφθέγγαντο, ὡς Χριστοκήρυκες, εὐαγγελικῶν προϊστάμενοι, δογμάτων οἱ μακάριοι, καὶ τῶν εὐσεβῶν παραδόσεων, ἄνωθεν λαβόντες, τὴν τούτων ἀποκάλυψιν σαφῶς, καὶ φωτισθέντες ἐξέθεντο, ὅρον θεοδίδακτον.

**Στίχ.** Συναγάγετε αὐτῷ τοὺς ὁσίους αὐτοῦ, τοὺς διατιθεμένους τὴν διαθήκην αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ θυσίαις.

Ὅλην συλλεξάμενοι, ποιμαντικὴν ἐπιστήμην, καὶ θυμὸν κινήσαντες, νῦν τὸν δικαιοτάτον ἐνδικώτατα, τοὺς βαρεῖς ἤλασαν, καὶ λοιμώδεις λύκους, τῇ σφενδόνῃ τῇ τοῦ Πνεύματος, ἐκσφενδονήσαντες, τοῦ τῆς Ἐκκλησίας πληρώματος, πεσόντας ὡς πρὸς θάνατον, καὶ ὡς ἀνιάτως νοσήσαντας, οἱ θεῖοι Ποιμένες, ὡς δοῦλοι γνησιώτατοι Χριστοῦ, καὶ τοῦ ἐνθέου κηρύγματος, μύσται ἱερώτατοι.

God the Father is the Son and Logos, begotten eternally. \* Teaching thus, these famous and truly happy godly-minded men \* were right and faithfully following \* that which the Apostles taught. [GOASD]

**Verse:** Blessed are You, O Lord God of our fathers, for You are praiseworthy and exalted beyond measure unto the ages. [SAAS]

When those holy hierarchs, preachers of Christ, and defenders \* of the Gospel teachings and Orthodox traditions had received in themselves \* the divine radiance of the Holy Spirit, \* they proclaimed the supernatural \* pronouncement openly \* to be their conviction inspired by God, \* namely the Creed, which is concise \* yet defines the true faith sufficiently. \* Clearly these enlightened and blessed men, receiving from on high \* the revelation, declared to all \* the decision taught by God.

[GOASD]

**Verse:** Gather His holy ones to Him, who establish His covenant upon sacrifices. [SAAS]

When the holy Shepherds brought all of their pastoral knowledge \* to the Council and they stirred \* their most righteous anger now justifiably, \* they drove out with the sling of the Holy Spirit \* the offensive and corruptive wolves, \* and from the complement of the Church of Christ they expelled them all, \* as having fallen mortally, and as being ill and incurable. \* Thus they demonstrated themselves as loyal servants of the Lord, \* and

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Δόξα. **Τῶν Πατέρων.**  
**Ἦχος πλ. δ'.**

Τῶν ἁγίων Πατέρων ὁ χορός, ἐκ τῶν τῆς οἰκουμένης περάτων συνδραμών, Πατὴρ καὶ Υἱὸς καὶ Πνεύματος Ἁγίου, μίαν οὐσίαν ἐδογμάτισε καὶ φύσιν· καὶ τὸ μυστήριον τῆς θεολογίας, τρανῶς παρέδωκε τῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ. Οὓς εὐφημοῦντες ἐν πίστει, μακαρίσωμεν λέγοντες· ὦ θεία παρεμβολή, θεηγόροι ὀπλῖται, παρατάξεως Κυρίου· ἀστέρες πολύφωτοι, τοῦ νοητοῦ στερεώματος· τῆς μυστικῆς Σιών, οἱ ἀκαθαίρετοι πύργοι· τὰ μυρίπνοα ἄνθη τοῦ Παραδείσου· τὰ πάγχρυσά στόματα τοῦ Λόγου· Ἐκκλησίας τὸ καύχημα, οἰκουμένης ἀγλαΐσμα· ἐκτενῶς πρεσβεύσατε, ὑπὲρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

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

*Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Μ. Δοξολογίαν.*

**Ἡ Μεγάλη Δοξολογία**

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

sacred mystics of the divine \* and inspired preaching of Christ. [GOASD]

From Menaion - - -

Glory. **For the Fathers.**  
**Mode pl. 4.**

When the council of holy fathers from far and wide had convened, they defined the dogma of the one essence and nature of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. And they handed down the formula of this mystery of theology to the Church. Let us with faith call them blessed and extol them and say: "Oh divine battalion, artillery of theologians of the Lord's army! You are luminaries, who shine like stars in the spiritual firmament, indestructible towers of mystical Zion, fragrant flowers of Paradise, the solid gold mouthpieces of the Logos, the pride and joy of Chalcedon and celebrities of Christendom. We implore you earnestly intercede for our souls." [GOASD]

From Octoechos - - -

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 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]

Ὑμνοῦμέν 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 Πατρός, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἀμαρτίαν τοῦ  
κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἀμαρτίας  
τοῦ κόσμου.

Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ κατήμενος  
ἐν δεξιᾷ τοῦ Πατρός, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος  
Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ  
Πατρός. 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 δεδοξασμένον τὸ ὄνομά  
σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. Ἀμήν.

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.

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.

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.



Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε, δίδασόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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

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

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

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε.

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἀγίῳ 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.*

**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.

*ἢ κατὰ τὴν παλαιωτέραν τάξιν·*

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

**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]**

*Or, according to the older practice:*

**Ἦχος πλ. δ'.** (ἡ τῆς εβδομάδος.)

Ἀναστὰς ἐκ τοῦ μνήματος, καὶ τὰ δεσμὰ  
διαρρήξας τοῦ Ἅδου, ἔλυσας τὸ κατάκριμα,  
τοῦ θανάτου Κύριε, πάντας ἐκ τῶν παγίδων  
τοῦ ἐχθροῦ ῥυσάμενος, ἐμφανίσας σεαυτὸν  
τοῖς, Ἀποστόλοις σου, ἐξαπέστειλας αὐτοὺς  
ἐπὶ τὸ κήρυγμα, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν τὴν εἰρήνην  
παρέσχες τῇ οἰκουμένῃ, μόνε πολυέλεε.

**Mode pl. 4.** (or the Mode of the week)

When You rose from the sepulcher and  
broke the bonds of Hades, You repealed the  
sentence of death, O Lord, and delivered all  
from the snares of the enemy. And when You  
showed yourself to Your Apostles, You sent  
them out to preach, and through them You  
granted peace to the whole world, O only very  
merciful One. [SD]