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Βιβλία - Πηγαι

Ὁκτώηχος - ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

Τῆ Κυριακῆ Πρωΐ

ΟΡΘΟΣ

ΧΟΡΟΣ

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

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 ἠμυνάμην αὐτούς.

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

Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - -

Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

Ἀγγελικαὶ δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμα σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν· καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἀχραντὸν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ· ὑπήντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος τὴν ζωὴν. Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Δόξα. **Τὸ αὐτό.**

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Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - -

Books - Sources

Octoechos - Mode pl. 2.

On Sunday Morning

MATINS

CHOIR

Mode pl. 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 pl. 2.

When the angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead. And standing by the sepulcher was Mary, who was seeking Your immaculate body. Unassailed by Hades, You divested it of spoils. Then You met the Virgin. You granted life. O Lord, risen from the dead, glory to You! [GOASD]

Glory. **Repeat.**

When the angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead. And standing by the sepulcher was Mary, who was seeking Your immaculate body. Unassailed by Hades, You divested it of spoils. Then You met the Virgin. You granted life. O Lord, risen from the dead, glory to You! [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

From Octoechos - - -

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Ὁ τὴν εὐλογημένην καλέσας σου Μητέρα,
ἦλθες ἐπὶ τὸ πάθος ἐκουσία βουλῆ, λάμπας ἐν τῷ
Σταυρῷ, ἀναζητῆσαι θέλων τὸν Ἀδάμ, λέγων τοῖς
Ἀγγέλοις· Συγχαρήτέ μοι, ὅτι εὐρέθη ἡ ἀπολομένη
δραχμὴ. Ὁ πάντα σοφῶς οἰκονομήσας, δόξα σοι.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἦτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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 αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Ἀμήν.

Κάθισμα Α΄.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Τοῦ τάφου ἀνεωγμένου, τοῦ ἄδου
ὀδυρομένου, ἡ Μαρία ἐβόα, πρὸς τοὺς
κεκρυμμένους Ἀποστόλους· Ἐξέλθετε οἱ τοῦ
ἀμπελῶνος ἐργάται, κηρύξατε τὸν τῆς ἀναστάσεως

Mode pl. 2.

You who called her who was blessed among
women Your Mother, proceeded to the Passion,
of Your own will, O Lord. On the Cross, You
shined Your light, seeking Adam, as You wished;
and You said to the Angels, “Rejoice with me,
for I have found the coin that was lost.” You have
arranged everything wisely. Glory to You! [GOASD]

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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.

CHOIR: To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Amen.

Kathisma I.

From Octoechos - - -

Mode pl. 2.

The sepulcher had been opened, and
Hades was lamenting. And Mary cried aloud
to the Apostles in hiding, “You laborers of the
vineyard, go out and proclaim the message of the

λόγον· Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Δόξα.

Κύριε, παρίστατο τῷ τάφῳ σου, Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνή, καὶ ἔκλαιε βοῶσα, καὶ κηπουρόν σε νομίζουσα ἔλεγε· Ποῦ ἔθηκας τὴν αἰώνιον ζωὴν; ποῦ ἔκρυψας τὸν ἐπὶ θρόνου Χερουβίμ; οἱ γὰρ τοῦτον φυλάσσοντες, ἀπὸ τοῦ φόβου ἀπενεκρώθησαν· ἢ τὸν Κύριόν μου δότε μοι, ἢ σὺν ἐμοὶ κραυγάσατε· Ὁ ἐν νεκροῖς, καὶ τοὺς νεκροὺς ἀναστήσας, δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Προΐστορεῖ ὁ Γεδεὼν τὴν σύλληψιν, καὶ ἐρμηνεύει ὁ Δαυὶδ τὸν τόκον σου, πανύμνητε Θεοτόκε· κατέβη γὰρ ὡς ὑετὸς ἐπὶ πόκον, ὁ Λόγος ἐν τῇ γαστρὶ σου· καὶ ἐβλάστησας ἄνευ σπορᾶς, γῆ ἁγία τοῦ κόσμου τὴν σωτηρίαν, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἡ Κεχαριτωμένη.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Κάθισμα Β΄.

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Ἡ ζωὴ ἐν τῷ τάφῳ ἀνέκειτο, καὶ σφραγίς ἐν τῷ λίθῳ ἐπέκειτο· ὡς βασιλέα ὑπνοῦντα, στρατιῶται ἐφύλαττον Χριστόν· καὶ τοὺς ἐχθροὺς αὐτοῦ, ἀορασίᾳ πατάξας, ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος.

Δόξα.

Προΐστορεῖ ὁ Ἰωνᾶς τὸν τάφον σου, καὶ ἐρμηνεύει Συμεὼν τὴν ἔγερσιν, τὴν ἔνθεον ἀθάνατε Κύριε· κατέβης γὰρ ὡσεὶ νεκρὸς ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ὁ λύσας ἄδου τὰς πύλας· ἀνέστης δὲ ἄνευ φθορᾶς, ὡς Δεσπότης τοῦ κόσμου εἰς σωτηρίαν, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, φωτίσας τοὺς ἐν σκότει.

resurrection: The Lord has risen and granted to the world the great mercy.” [GOASD]

Glory.

Standing by Your sepulcher was Mary Magdalene, O Lord, and she was weeping loudly; and mistaking You for the gardener, she said to You, “Where have you laid Him who is everlasting life? Where have you hidden Him who sits enthroned upon the Cherubim? Out of fear, those who guarded Him became like dead men. Either give my Lord to me or cry aloud along with me, ‘You were among the dead and raised the dead. Glory to You!’” [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

Gideon is given a sign of your conception, and David gives us a description of your childbirth, O all-lauded Theotokos. The Logos came down into your womb like the dew on the fleece; and thus without seed you, the holy earth, brought forth the world’s salvation, who is Christ our God, O Lady full of grace. [GOASD]

From Octoechos - - -

Kathisma II.

Mode pl. 2.

Life was placed in the tomb, and a seal was placed on the stone. The soldiers were guarding Christ like a sleeping king. Then the Lord struck His enemies and stunned them, as He awoke and rose. [GOASD]

Glory.

Jonah was a sign of Your burial, and Symeon revealed Your rising as God, O immortal Lord. In the tomb as a dead man, You went down into Hades, and You broke down its gates. Then You rose from the dead without decay as the Master, for the salvation of the world, O Christ our God, giving light to those who sat in darkness. [GOASD]

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Θεοτόκε Παρθένε, ἰκέτευε τὸν Υἱόν σου, τὸν ἐκουσίως προσπαγέντα ἐν Σταυρῷ, καὶ ἀναστάντα ἐκ νεκρῶν, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

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 Ἄδὰμ ἐγείραντα, καὶ ἐξ Ἅδου πάντας ἐλευθερώσαντα.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Λίαν πρωΐ, Μυροφόροι ἔδραμον, πρὸς τὸ μνήμά σου θρηνηλογοῦσαι· ἀλλ' ἐπέστη, πρὸς αὐτὰς 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 μνήμά σου, Σῶτερ ἐνηχοῦντο. Ἄγγελου τρανῶς, πρὸς αὐτὰς φθεγγομένου· Τί μετὰ νεκρῶν,

Both now. **Theotokion.**

O Virgin Theotokos, implore Your Son, Christ our God, who voluntarily was nailed to the Cross, and who rose from the dead; and entreat Him 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 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.”

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

τὸν ζώντα λογιζέσθε; ὡς Θεὸς γάρ, ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

Δόξα.

Προσκυνοῦμεν Πατέρα, καὶ τὸν τούτου Υἱὸν 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, ρεύσαντα ζωῆς, ἴθυνε πρὸς ταύτην δέ, ὁ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθείς Θεὸς καὶ ἄνθρωπος.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός. (3)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἡυλόγηταί σου τὸ ὄνομα καὶ δεδόξασταί σου ἡ βασιλεία, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ

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.

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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.

CHOIR: To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

For blessed is Your name, and glorified is Your kingdom, of the Father and the Son and

τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ
καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Ἀμήν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

Ὑπακοή. ᾠχος πλ. β'.

Τῷ ἐκουσίῳ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου θανάτῳ
Χριστέ, πύλας τοῦ ᾄδου συντρίψας ὡς Θεός,
ἤνοιξας ἡμῖν τὸν πάλαι Παράδεισον· καὶ
ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, ἐρρύσω ἐκ φθορᾶς
τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Οἱ Ἀναβαθμοί.

Ἀντίφωνον Α'. ᾠχος πλ. β'.

Ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ τοὺς ὀφθαλμούς μου αἴρω,
πρὸς σὲ Λόγε· οἴκτειρόν με, ἵνα ζῶ σοι.

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐξουθενουμένους,
καταρτίζων εὐχρηστα, σκευὴ σου Λόγε.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἄγιῳ Πνεύματι, πανσωστικῆ αἰτία· εἴ τι
τούτων κατ' ἀξίαν πνεύσει, τάχει ἐξαιρεῖ τῶν τῆς
γῆς, πτεροῖ, αὖξει, τάττει ἄνω.

Ἀντίφωνον Β'.

Εἰ μὴ ὅτι Κύριος ἦν ἐν ἡμῖν, οὐδεὶς ἡμῶν
ἀντισχεῖν ἠδύνατο, ἐχθροῦ πάλαισμα· οἱ νικῶντες
γὰρ ἔνθεν ὑψοῦνται.

Τοῖς ὁδοῦσιν αὐτῶν, μή μου ληφθῆτω ἡ ψυχὴ,
ὡς στρουθίον Λόγε· οἷ μοι! πῶς μέλλω τῶν ἐχθρῶν
ῤυσθῆναι, φιλαμαρτήμων ὑπάρχων.

the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages
of ages.

CHOIR: Amen.

READER

From Octoechos ---

Hypakoe. Mode pl. 2.

By your voluntary, life-giving death, O
Christ, You smashed the gates of Hades as
God, and You opened to us the ancient Garden
of Paradise. Then rising from the dead, You
delivered our life from destruction. [GOASD]

CHOIR

Anavathmoi.

Antiphon 1. Mode pl. 2.

I lift my eyes to You in heaven, O Logos.
Show me mercy, so that I may live in You. [GOASD]

Have mercy on us who are the object of
contempt, O Logos, and make us Your useful
vessels. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit is the cause of the salvation
of all. When He blows on anyone as befits His
nature, He quickly uplifts them from anything
mundane, He gives them wings, He gives them
growth, He gives them high position. [GOASD]

Antiphon 2.

If the Lord had not been with us, none of us
could have withstood a single battle with the foe.
Those who are victorious are from here exalted.

[GOASD]

Let not my soul be caught like a sparrow in
their teeth, O Logos. Woe is me! How shall I be
delivered from the enemy, enamored with sin as I
am? [GOASD]

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἄγιω Πνεύματι, ἐνθέωσις τοῖς πᾶσιν, εὐδοκία σύνεσις, εἰρήνη καὶ ἡ εὐλογία· ἰσουργὸν γὰρ τῷ Πατρὶ ἐστι καὶ Λόγῳ.

Ἀντίφωνον Γ΄.

Οἱ πεποιθότες ἐπὶ Κύριον, ἐχθροῖς φοβεροί, καὶ πᾶσι θαυμαστικοί· ἄνω γὰρ ὀρῶσιν.

Ἐν ἀνομίαις χεῖρας αὐτῶν, ὁ τῶν δικαίων κληῖρος, ἐπικουρόν σε ἔχων, Σῶτερ οὐκ ἐκτείνει.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ἄγιω Πνεύματι, τὸ κράτος ἐπὶ πάντων· ὅπερ αἱ ἄνω στρατηγίαι προσκυνοῦσι, σὺν πάσῃ πνοῇ τῶν κάτω.

Προκείμενον.

Κύριε, ἐξέγειρον τὴν δυναστείαν σου, καὶ ἐλθέ εἰς τὸ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς. (δίς)

Στίχ. Ὁ ποιμαίνων τὸν Ἰσραὴλ, πρόσχες.

Κύριε, ἐξέγειρον τὴν δυναστείαν σου, καὶ ἐλθέ εἰς τὸ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τῆς παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit deification is possible for all, good pleasure, understanding, peace, and blessing. He has the same energies as the Father and the Logos. [GOASD]

Antiphon 3.

Those who trust in the Lord are fearsome to foes and marveled by all, for they look up to heaven. [GOASD]

Having You as helper, the inheritance of the righteous do not stretch out their hands in lawlessness, O Savior. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit is universal dominion, which the armies in heaven worship, as does every breathing being on earth. [GOASD]

Prokeimenon.

O Lord, raise up Your power, and come for our salvation. (2)

Verse: Give heed, O You who shepherd Israel.

O Lord, raise up Your power, and come for our salvation. [SAAS]

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

Remembering our all-holy, immaculate, most blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Ἀμήν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Κοντάκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.

Τῆ ζωαρχικῆ, παλάμη τοὺς τεθνεῶτας,
ἐκ τῶν ζοφερῶν, κευθμώνων ὁ ζωοδότης,
ἀναστήσας ἅπαντας Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, τὴν
ἀνάστασιν ἐβράβευσε, τῷ βροτείῳ φυράματι·
ὑπάρχει γὰρ πάντων Σωτὴρ, ἀνάστασις καὶ
ζωή, καὶ Θεὸς τοῦ παντός.

Ὁ Οἶκος.

Τὸν Σταυρὸν καὶ τὴν ταφὴν σου Ζωοδότα,
ἀνυμνοῦμεν οἱ πιστοὶ καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν,
ὅτι τὸν ἄδην ἔδησας Ἀθάνατε, ὡς Θεὸς
παντοδύναμος, καὶ νεκροὺς συνανέστησας,
καὶ πύλας τοῦ ἄδου συνέτριψας, καὶ κράτος
τοῦ θανάτου καθεῖλες ὡς Θεός. Διὸ οἱ γηγενεῖς
δοξολογοῦμεν σε πόθῳ τὸν ἀναστάντα, καὶ
καθελόντα ἐχθροῦ τὸ κράτος τοῦ πανώλους,
καὶ πάντας ἀναστήσαντα τοὺς ἐπὶ σοὶ
πιστεύσαντας, καὶ κόσμον λυτρωσάμενον ἐκ
τῶν βελῶν τοῦ ὄφεως, καὶ ὡς μόνον δυνατόν,
ἐκ τῆς πλάνης τοῦ ἐχθροῦ λυτρωσάμενον
ἡμᾶς· ὅθεν ἀνυμνοῦμεν εὐσεβῶς τὴν
ἀνάστασίν σου, δι' ἧς ἔσωσας ἡμᾶς, ὡς Θεὸς
τοῦ παντός.

the saints, let us commend ourselves and one
another and our whole life to Christ our God.

CHOIR: To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

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 ever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR: Amen.

READER

From Octoechos - - -

Resurrectional Kontakion.

Christ God, the Giver of Life, resurrected
all who had ever died, from the dismal caverns,
with His vivifying hand, and He granted
resurrection to our mortal human nature. For
He is the Savior of all, the resurrection and the
life, and God of the universe. [GOASD]

Oikos.

O Giver of Life, we the faithful extol and
venerate Your cross and burial; for You, O
immortal, omnipotent God, overpowered and
vanquished the netherworld. You crushed the
gates of Hades, O God, and You destroyed the
power of death. Now we, born on earth, with
fervor sing praise to You who rose from the
dead, destroyed the power of the murderous
foe, resurrected everyone who believed in You,
rescued the world from the sting of the serpent,
and as the ultimate strong man freed us from
the foe's deception. From now on we solemnly
sing the praises of Your resurrection, by which
You saved us, as God of the universe. [GOASD]

Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Συναξαρίου.

Συναξάριον

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῆς ΚΣ΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Ξενοφῶντος, καὶ τῆς συμβίου αὐτοῦ Μαρίας, καὶ τῶν τέκνων αὐτοῦ Ἀρχαδίου καὶ Ἰωάννου.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, μνήμη τοῦ μεγάλου σεισμοῦ.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Συμεῶν, τοῦ ἐπιλεγομένου Παλαιοῦ.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, μνήμη τῶν Ἁγίων Μαρτύρων, Ἀνανίου πρεσβυτέρου, καὶ Πέτρου δεσμοφύλακος, καὶ τῶν σὺν αὐτοῖς ἑπτὰ στρατιωτῶν.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, ὁ Ὁσιος Ἀμμωνᾶς ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, ὁ Ὁσιος Γαβριὴλ ἐν εἰρήνῃ τελειοῦται.

Τῆς αὐτῆς ἡμέρας, οἱ Ἅγιοι δύο Μάρτυρες, οἱ ἐν Φρυγίᾳ, τυπτόμενοι τελειοῦνται.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καταβασίαι τῆς Ὑπαπαντῆς Ὡδὴ α΄. Ἦχος γ΄.

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

Stand for the reading of the Synaxarion.

Synaxarion

From the Menaion.

On January 26, we commemorate our devout father Xenophon, his wife Maria, and sons Archadios and John.

On this day we also commemorate the great earthquake.

On this day we also commemorate our devout father Symeon, the so-called Old One.

On this day we also commemorate the holy Martyrs Ananias the priest, Peter the prison-guard, and the seven soldiers with them.

On this day, devout saint Ammonas died in peace.

On this day, devout saint Gabriel died in peace.

On this day, the two holy Martyrs in Phrygia died by beating.

By their holy intercessions, 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.” [GOASD]

Ὡδή γ'.

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

Ὡδή δ'.

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

Ὡδή ε'.

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

Ὡδή ς'.

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

Ὡδή ζ'.

Σὲ τὸν ἐν πυρὶ δροσίσαντα, Παῖδας
θεολογήσαντας, καὶ Παρθένῳ 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,

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. [GOASD]

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. [GOASD]

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.” [GOASD]

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.” [GOASD]

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. [GOASD]

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

θεῖον ὕμνον ἔμελλον· Εὐλογεῖτε πάντα τὰ ἔργα τὸν Κύριον, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Εὐαγγελίου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ: Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἅγιος εἶ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐν ἁγίοις ἐπαναπαύη, 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. (δὶς)
Αἰνεσάτω πνοὴ πᾶσα τὸν Κύριον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ακούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ: Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ: Πρόσχωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

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.” [GOASD]

Stand for the Gospel reading.

DEACON: Let us pray to the Lord.

CHOIR: 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 the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever 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.

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy. (3)

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

PRIEST: Peace be with all.

CHOIR: And with your spirit.

PRIEST

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

DEACON: Let us be attentive.

CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἀπὸ τῆς ἁγίας τραπέζης)

*Ἐωθινὸν Θ'
Ἰωάννην 20:19 – 31*

Οὔσης ὀψίας τῆ ἡμέρα ἐκείνη τῆ μιᾷ τῶν σαββάτων, καὶ τῶν θυρῶν κεκλεισμένων ὅπου ἦσαν οἱ μαθηταὶ συνηγμένοι διὰ τὸν φόβον τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς καὶ ἔστη εἰς τὸ μέσον, καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν ἔδειξεν αὐτοῖς τὰς χεῖρας καὶ τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ. ἐχάρησαν οὖν οἱ μαθηταὶ ἰδόντες τὸν Κύριον. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς πάλιν· εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. καθὼς ἀπέσταλκέ με ὁ πατήρ, καὶ γὰρ πέμπω ὑμᾶς. καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν ἐνεφύσησε καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· λάβετε Πνεῦμα Ἅγιον· ἃν τινῶν ἀφήτε τὰς ἁμαρτίας, ἀφίενται αὐτοῖς, ἃν τινῶν κρατῆτε, κεκράτηνται. Θωμᾶς δὲ εἷς ἐκ τῶν δώδεκα, ὁ λεγόμενος Δίδυμος, οὐκ ἦν μετ' αὐτῶν ὅτε ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς. ἔλεγον οὖν αὐτῷ οἱ ἄλλοι μαθηταί· ἐώρακαμεν τὸν Κύριον. ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· ἐὰν μὴ ἴδω ἐν ταῖς χερσὶν αὐτοῦ τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων, καὶ βάλω τὸν δάκτυλόν μου εἰς τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων, καὶ βάλω τὴν χεῖρά μου εἰς τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ, οὐ μὴ πιστεύσω. Καὶ μεθ' ἡμέρας ὀκτὼ πάλιν ἦσαν ἔσω οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ καὶ Θωμᾶς μετ' αὐτῶν. ἔρχεται ὁ Ἰησοῦς τῶν θυρῶν κεκλεισμένων, καὶ ἔστη εἰς τὸ μέσον καὶ εἶπεν· εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. εἶτα λέγει τῷ Θωμᾶ· φέρε τὸν δάκτυλόν σου ὧδε καὶ ἴδε τὰς χεῖράς μου, καὶ φέρε τὴν χεῖρά σου καὶ βάλε εἰς τὴν πλευρὰν μου, καὶ μὴ γίνου ἄπιστος, ἀλλὰ πιστός. καὶ ἀπεκρίθη Θωμᾶς καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ὁ Κύριός μου καὶ ὁ Θεός μου. λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ὅτι ἐώρακάς με, πεπίστευκας· μακάριοι οἱ μὴ ἰδόντες καὶ πιστεύσαντες. Πολλὰ μὲν οὖν καὶ ἄλλα σημεῖα ἐποίησεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἐνώπιον

PRIEST (from the altar table)

*Eothinon 9
John. 20:19 – 31*

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being shut where the disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, “Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I send you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.” Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see in his hands the print of the nails, and place my finger in the mark of the nails, and place my hand in his side, I will not believe.” Eight days later, his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. The doors were shut, but Jesus came and stood among them, and said, “Peace be with you.” Then he said to Thomas, “Put your finger here, and see my hands; and put out your hand, and place it in my side; do not be faithless, but believing.” Thomas answered him, “My Lord and my God!” Jesus said to him, “Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe.” Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of the disciples,

τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ, ἃ οὐκ ἔστι γεγραμμένα ἐν τῷ βιβλίῳ τούτῳ· ταῦτα δὲ γέγραπται ἵνα πιστεύσητε ὅτι Ἰησοῦς ἐστὶν ὁ Χριστὸς ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, καὶ ἵνα πιστεύοντες ζωὴν ἔχητε ἐν τῷ ὀνόματι αὐτοῦ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀνάστασιν Χριστοῦ θεασάμενοι, προσκυνήσωμεν Ἅγιον Κύριον Ἰησοῦν, τὸν μόνον ἀναμάρτητον. Τὸν Σταυρὸν 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· Σταυρὸν 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.

Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν 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 δικαιωθῆς ἐν

which are not written in this book; but these are written that you may believe that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, and that believing you may have life in his name. [RSV]

CHOIR

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.

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

τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης 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.

Ἀπόστρεψον 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.

Μὴ ἀπορρίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

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

Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδοὺς σου καὶ ἄσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι.

Ῥῦσαί με ἐξ αἱμάτων, ὁ Θεός, 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.

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.

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.

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 τεῖχη 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.

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

Ἀναστάς 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,

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]

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 all-
immaculate Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin

δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἄσωμάτων, 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 καὶ Κυρίλλου, Ἰωάννου τοῦ Ἐλεήμονος πατριαρχῶν Ἀλεξανδρείας· Νικολάου τοῦ ἐν Μύροις, Σπυρίδωνος ἐπίσκοπου 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 θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ ἁγίου τοῦ ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν ἁγίων·

ἱκετεύομέν σε, μόνη πολυέλεε Κύριε, ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν 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.

Mary, by 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; Athanasius, Cyril, and John the Merciful, patriarchs of Alexandria, Nicholas, bishop of Myra, Spyridon, bishop of Trimythous, Nektarios of Pentapolis, the wonderworkers; the holy, glorious, great martyrs George the triumphant, Demetrios the myrrh-streamer, Theodore the soldier, and Theodore the general; Menas the wonderworker; Charalampus and Eleutherius, the hieromartyrs; the holy, glorious, and victorious martyrs; the glorious great Martyr and all-laudable Euphemia; the holy and glorious Martyrs Thecla, Barbara, Anastasia, Catherine, Kyriaki, Photini, Marina, Paraskevi and Irene; our venerable and God-bearing fathers; (local patron saint); the holy and 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, and Your all-holy, good and life-creating Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

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

Στίχ. Ὅτι ἐπέβλεψεν ἐπὶ τὴν ταπεινῶσιν 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.

CHOIR: 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. [GOASD]

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. [GOASD]

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. [GOASD]

Στίχ. Ἐποίησε κράτος ἐν βραχίονι αὐτοῦ, διεσκόρπισεν ὑπερηφάνους διανοία 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 ὑψώσε ταπεινούς, πεινῶντας ἐνέπλησεν ἀγαθῶν, καὶ πλουτοῦντας ἐξαπέστειλε κενούς.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἐνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν 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 γ´.

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

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

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. [GOASD]

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

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. [GOASD]

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

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ: Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἦχος β΄.

Ἅγιος Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν. (δίς)

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

Ὅτι ἅγιός ἐστι.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

and Son * is also first-born of a virgin Mother, and
we magnify Him. [GOASD]

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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.

CHOIR: To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR: 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 ---

Ἐξαποστειλάριον.

Τὸ Θ' Ἐωθινόν.

Ἦχος β'. *Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.*

Συγκεκλεισμένων Δέσποτα, τῶν θυρῶν ὡς εἰσῆλθες, τοὺς Ἀποστόλους ἐπλησας, Πνεύματος παναγίου, εἰρηνικῶς ἐμφυσήσας, οἷς δεσμεῖν τε καὶ λύειν, τὰς ἀμαρτίας εἴρηκας· καὶ ὀκτῶ μεθ' ἡμέρας, τὴν σὴν πλευράν, τῷ Θωμᾷ ὑπέδειξας καὶ τὰς χεῖρας, μεθ' οὗ βοῶμεν· Κύριος, καὶ Θεὸς σὺ ὑπάρχεις.

Θεοτοκίον. Ὅμοιον.

Τὸν σὸν Υἱὸν ὡς ἐβλεψας, ἀναστάντα ἐκ τάφου, τριήμερον Θεόνυμφε, Παναγία Παρθένε, ἄπασαν θλίψιν ἀπέθου, ἣν ὑπέστης ὡς Μήτηρ, ὅτε κατεῖδες πάσχοντα, καὶ χαρᾶς ἐμπλησθεῖσα, σὺν τοῖς αὐτοῦ, Μαθηταῖς γεραίρουσα τοῦτον ὕμνεις. Διὸ τοὺς Θεοτόκον σε, νῦν κηρύττοντας σῶζε.

Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἦχος πλ. 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 αὐτόν πάντα τὰ ἄστρα καὶ τὸ φῶς.

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

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

Exaposteilarion.

Eothinon 9.

Mode 2. *Let us in faith.*

Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

The doors where the Apostles were * being shut, Lord, You entered. * You gave them peace and breathed on them * and filled them with the power * and grace of the Holy Spirit. * You spoke to them concerning * binding of sins and loosing them. * Then You came eight days later and showed Your side * and Your hands, as tangible proof to Thomas. * With him we also cry aloud: * You are our Lord and our God. [GOASD]

Theotokion. Same Melody.

All-holy Virgin, Bride of God, * seeing your Son arisen * from the all-holy sepulcher * after three days, O Lady, * you set aside all the anguish * you suffered as a mother * when you witnessed His suffering, * and joining His disciples, brimming with joy, * you were celebrating as you extolled Him. * We pray you save us who now claim * you to be Theotokos.

[GOASD]

Lauds. Mode pl. 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.

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, χιόν, κρύσταλλος, πνεῦμα καταιγίδος, τὰ ποιοῦντα 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.

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

Ἄσατε τῷ Κυρίῳ ᾄσμα καινόν, ἢ ἀνεσις 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 πρᾶεῖς ἐν σωτηρίᾳ.

Καυχῆσονται 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, ἐλεγμούς ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς.

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

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

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.

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 - - -

Στιχηρὰ Ἀναστάσιμα.

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

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

Ὁ Σταυρός σου Κύριε, ζωὴ καὶ ἀνάστασις,
ὑπάρχει τῷ λαῷ σου· καὶ ἐπ’ αὐτῷ πεποιθότες, σὲ
τὸν ἀναστάντα, Θεὸν ἡμῶν ὑμνοῦμεν· ἐλέησον
ἡμᾶς.

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

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

Ἡ ταφή σου Δέσποτα, Παράδεισον ἤνοιξε, τῷ
γένει τῶν ἀνθρώπων· καὶ ἐκ φθορᾶς λυτρωθέντες,
σὲ τὸν ἀναστάντα, Θεὸν ἡμῶν ὑμνοῦμεν· ἐλέησον
ἡμᾶς.

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

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

Σὺν Πατρὶ καὶ Πνεύματι, Χριστὸν
ἀνυμνήσωμεν τὸν ἀναστάντα ἐκ νεκρῶν, καὶ πρὸς
αὐτὸν ἐκβοῶμεν· Σὺ ζωὴ ὑπάρχεις, ἡμῶν καὶ
ἀνάστασις· ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

ᾠχος πλ. β΄.

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

Τριήμερος ἀνέστης Χριστέ, ἐκ τάφου, καθὼς
γέγραπται, συνεγείρας τὸν προπάτορα ἡμῶν·
διό σε καὶ δοξάζει, τὸ γένος τῶν ἀνθρώπων, καὶ
ἀνυμνεῖ σου τὴν ἀνάστασιν.

Resurrectional Stichera.

Mode pl. 2.

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

[SAAS]

O Lord, Your Cross is life and resurrection
for us Your people. And now that we trust in it, we
extol You, our God who has risen. Have mercy on
us. [GOASD]

Mode pl. 2.

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

O Lord, Your burial has opened Paradise to
the human race. And now that we have been set
free from death and decay, we extol You, our God
who has risen. Have mercy on us. [GOASD]

Mode pl. 2.

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

Let us extol the Father and the Spirit, and also
Christ, who rose from the dead; and to Him let us
cry aloud, “You are our life and resurrection. Have
mercy on us.” [GOASD]

Mode pl. 2.

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

You rose within three days from the tomb,
* O Christ, as holy Scripture says, * also raising
our progenitor with You. * Now all mankind
together * forever glorifies You, and we extol
Your resurrection, O Lord. [GOASD]

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

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

Κύριε, μέγα καὶ φοβερὸν ὑπάρχει, τῆς σῆς ἀναστάσεως τὸ μυστήριον· οὕτω γὰρ προῆλθες ἐκ τοῦ τάφου, ὡς νυμφίος ἐκ παστάδος, θανάτω θάνατον λύσας, ἵνα τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἐλευθερώσῃς· ὅθεν ἐν οὐρανοῖς, Ἄγγελοι χορεύουσι, καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς ἄνθρωποι δοξάζουσι, τὴν εἰς ἡμᾶς γενομένην, εὐσπλαγχνίαν σου Φιλάνθρωπε.

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

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

Ὡ παράνομοι Ἰουδαῖοι, ποῦ εἰσιν αἱ σφραγιδες, καὶ τὰ ἀργύρια, ἃ ἐδώκατε τοῖς στρατιώταις; οὐκ ἐκλάπη ὁ θησαυρός, ἀλλὰ ἀνέστη ὡς δυνατός· αὐτοὶ δὲ κατησχύνθητε, ἀρνησάμενοι Χριστόν, τὸν Κύριον τῆς δόξης, τὸν παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα, καὶ ἀναστάντα ἐκ νεκρῶν· αὐτὸν προσκυνήσωμεν.

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Ἀνάστηθι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ὑψωθήτω ἡ χεὶρ σου, μὴ ἐπιλάθῃ τῶν πενήτων σου εἰς τέλος.

Σφραγισθέντος τοῦ μνήματος, πῶς ἐσυλήθητε Ἰουδαῖοι, φύλακας καταστήσαντες, καὶ σημεῖα θέντες; τῶν θυρῶν κεκλεισμένων, προῆλθεν ὁ Βασιλεύς· ἢ ὡς νεκρὸν παραστήσατε, ἢ ὡς Θεὸν προσκυνήσατε, σὺν ἡμῖν μελωδοῦντες· Δόξα Κύριε τῷ Σταυρῷ σου, καὶ τῇ ἀναστάσει σου.

Mode pl. 2.

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

O Lord, the mystery of Your resurrection is great and awesome. You destroyed death by death, in order to free Adam; and You came forth from the sepulcher, like a bridegroom from his bridal chamber. Therefore in heaven the Angels celebrate, and on earth we human beings glorify Your compassion towards us, O benevolent Lord.

[GOASD]

Mode pl. 2.

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

O villainous leaders of the Jews, where are the seals, and where is the money that you gave to the soldiers? The treasure was not stolen, but He rose, like a strong man. You were put to shame, for you denied Christ the Lord of glory, who suffered and was buried, and who rose from the dead. As for us, let us worship Him. [GOASD]

Mode pl. 2.

Arise, O Lord my God, let Your hand be lifted high, and do not forget Your poor to the end. [SAAS]

The tomb had been sealed. So how were you robbed, O Jewish leaders? After all, you posted guards and affixed the seals. And yet while the doors were shut, the King came forth. Either produce Him as dead, or worship Him as God, and join us in singing, “Glory to Your Cross and Your resurrection, O Lord!” [GOASD]

ῥῆχος πλ. β΄.

Ἐξομολογήσομαί σοι, Κύριε, ἐν ὅλῃ καρδίᾳ μου, διηγῆσομαι πάντα τὰ θαυμάσιά σου.

Τὸ ζωοδόχον σου μνήμα, αἱ Μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, ὀδυρόμεναι κατέλαβον Κύριε· καὶ μύρα βαστάζουσαι, τὸ σῶμά σου τὸ ἄχραντον, μυρίσαι ἐπεζήτησαν· εὗρον δὲ φωτοφόρον Ἄγγελον, ἐν τῷ λίθῳ καθήμενον, καὶ πρὸς, αὐτὰς φηγγόμενον καὶ λέγοντα· Τί δακρύετε, τὸν ἐκ πλευρᾶς πηγάσαντα τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωὴν; τί ἐπιζητεῖτε, ὥσπερ θνητόν, ἐν μνήματι τὸν ἀθάνατον; δραμοῦσαι δὲ μᾶλλον, ἀπαγγείλατε τοῖς αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς, τῆς αὐτοῦ ἐνδόξου ἀναστάσεως, τὴν παγκόσμιον χαρμονὴν· ἐν ἧ καὶ ἡμᾶς Σωτὴρ φωτίσας, δώρησαι ἰλασμόν, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

Δόξα. **ῥῆχος πλ. α΄.**
Τὸ Θ΄ Ἐωθινόν.

Ὡς ἐπ’ ἐσχάτων τῶν χρόνων, οὕσης ὀψίας Σαββάτων, ἐφίστασαι τοῖς φίλοις Χριστέ, καὶ θαύματι θαῦμα βεβαιοῖς, τῆ κεκλεισμένη εἰσόδῳ τῶν θυρῶν, τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν σου ἀνάστασιν· ἀλλ’ ἔπλησας χαρᾶς τοὺς Μαθητάς, καὶ Πνεύματος ἁγίου μετέδωκας αὐτοῖς, καὶ ἐξουσίαν ἔνειμας ἀφέσεως ἁμαρτιῶν, καὶ τὸν Θωμᾶν οὐ κατέλιπες, τῷ τῆς ἀπιστίας καταβαπτίζεσθαι κλύδωνι. Διὸ παράσχου καὶ ἡμῖν, γνῶσιν ἀληθῆ, καὶ ἄφεισιν πταισμάτων, εὐσπλαγγνε Κύριε.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἵπερευλογημένη ὑπάρχεις, Θεοτόκε Παρθένε· διὰ γὰρ τοῦ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθέντος, ὁ ἄδης ἠχμαλώτισται, ὁ Ἄδαμ ἀνακέκληται, ἡ κατάρα νενέκρωται, ἡ Εὐᾶ ἠλευθέρωται, ὃ

Mode pl. 2.

I will give thanks to You, O Lord, with my whole heart; I will tell of all Your wondrous things. [SAAS]

The Myrrh-bearing Women came to Your life-bearing tomb, O Lord, and they were lamenting. They brought spices with them, seeking to anoint Your immaculate body. But what they found was a dazzling Angel, sitting on the stone. And he addressed them and said, “Why do you weep for Him, who from His side gushed forth life for the world? Why do you seek as a mere mortal in the tomb the Immortal One? Go quickly and announce to His Disciples the universal joy of His glorious resurrection.” We pray you, O Savior, by Your resurrection illumine us, and grant to us forgiveness and the great mercy. [GOASD]

From Octoechos ---

Glory. **Mode pl. 1.**
Eothinon 9.

As revealed at the end of the ages, O Christ, You came on the evening of that first day of the week, and You stood among Your friends. And by the miracle of Your entry through the doors that were shut, You verified the miracle of Your resurrection from the dead. You filled the disciples with joy, and imparted to them the Holy Spirit; and You gave them the authority to forgive sins. Moreover You did not leave Thomas to drown beneath the waves of disbelief. And now we pray You also grant to us true knowledge and forgiveness of offenses, O compassionate 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

θάνατος τεθανάτωται, καὶ ἡμεῖς ἐζωοποιήθημεν·
διὸ ἀνυμνοῦντες βοῶμεν· Εὐλογητὸς Χριστὸς ὁ
Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ οὕτως εὐδοκήσας δόξα σοι.

Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν Μ. Δοξολογίαν.

Ἡ Μεγάλη Δοξολογία

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

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 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.

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]

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.

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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Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Κύριε, καταφυγὴ ἐγενήθης ἡμῖν ἐν γενεᾷ καὶ γενεᾷ. Ἐγὼ εἶπα· Κύριε, ἐλέησόν με, ἵασαι τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ὅτι ἡμαρτόν 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. (3)

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.

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.

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

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.

*Μετὰ τὸ τέλος τῆς Δοξολογίας λέγομεν Τροπάριον
Ἀναστάσιμον.*

ᾠχος 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
νῆκος ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

*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]