#### Πεντηκοστάριον

Τετάρτη τῆς Β΄ Ἑβδομάδος

## Μηναίον - ΤΗι Η' ΜΑΪΟΥ

Μνήμη τοῦ Άγίου Ἐνδόξου Ἀποστόλου καὶ Εὐαγγελιστοῦ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Θεολόγου

#### ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ

Άντίφωνον Α΄. Ήχος β΄. Ψαλμὸς 65.

**Στίχ. α'.** Άλαλάξατε τῷ Κυρίῳ πᾶσα ἡ γῆ.

Ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σὧτεο, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. β'.** Ψάλατε δὴ τῷ ὀνόματι αὐτοῦ· δότε δόξαν αἰνέσει αὐτοῦ.

Ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σὧτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. γ'.** Εἴπατε τ $\tilde{\varphi}$  Θε $\tilde{\varphi}$  ώς φοβερὰ τὰ ἔργα σου.

Ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτεο, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. δ'**. Πᾶσα ἡ γῆ προσκυνησάτωσάν σοι καὶ ψαλάτωσάν σοι.

Ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν.

Ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σὧτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

#### Pentecostarion

Wednesday of the Second Week

#### Menaion - May 8

Memory of the Holy and Glorious Apostle and Evangelist John the Theologian

#### **LITURGY**

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## Antiphon I. Mode 2. Psalm 65.

**Verse 1:** Shout to God, all the earth. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 2:** Sing now to His name; give glory to His praise. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 3:** Say to God, "How fearful are Your works. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 4:** Let all the earth worship You and sing to You. [SAAS]

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

Glory. Both now.

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

Άντίφωνον Β΄. ήΚος β΄. Ψαλμός 66.

**Στίχ. α'.** Ό Θεὸς οἰκτειρήσαι ἡμᾶς καὶ εὐλογήσαι ἡμᾶς.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκοῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β'.** Ἐπιφάναι τὸ πρόσωπον αὑτοῦ ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐλεήσαι ἡμᾶς.

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

**Στίχ. γ'.** Τοῦ γνῶναι ἐν τῆ γῆ τὴν ὁδόν σου, ἐν πᾶσιν ἔθνεσι τὸ σωτήριόν σου.

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

**Στίχ. δ'.** Έξομολογησάσθωσάν σοι λαοί, δ Θεός, ἐξομολογησάσθωσάν σοι λαοὶ πάντες.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκοῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι.

Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Άμήν.

Ό Μονογενής Υίὸς καὶ Λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ, ἀθάνατος ὑπάρχων καὶ καταδεξάμενος διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν σαρκωθῆναι ἐκ τῆς άγίας Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, ἀτρέπτως ἐνανθρωπήσας, σταυρωθείς τε, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, εἶς ὢν τῆς Ἁγίας Τριάδος, συνδοξαζόμενος τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίω Πνεύματι, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

# Antiphon II. Mode 2. Psalm 66.

**Verse 1:** *May God be gracious to us, and bless us.* [SAAS]

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

**Verse 2:** May He cause His face to shine upon us, and have mercy on us. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 3:** That we may know His way on the earth, Your salvation among all the Gentiles. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 4:** Let the peoples give thanks to You, O God; let all the peoples praise You. [SAAS]

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

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

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

Only begotten Son and Logos of God, being immortal, You condescended for our salvation to take flesh from the holy Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary and, without change, became man. Christ, our God, You were crucified and conquered death by death. Being one of the Holy Trinity, glorified with the Father and the Holy Spirit: Save us. [GOA]

# Άντίφωνον Γ'. Ήχος πλ. α'. Ψαλμὸς 67.

Στίχ. α'. Άναστήτω ὁ Θεός, καὶ διασκορπισθήτωσαν οἱ ἐχθροὶ αὐτοῦ, καὶ φυγέτωσαν ἀπὸ προσώπου αὐτοῦ οἱ μισοῦντες αὐτόν.

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

**Στίχ. β'.** Ως ἐκλείπει καπνός, ἐκλιπέτωσαν ὡς τήκεται κηρὸς ἀπὸ προσώπου πυρός.

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

**Στίχ. γ'.** Οὕτως ἀπολοῦνται οἱ άμαρτωλοὶ ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ Θεοῦ. Καὶ οἱ δίκαιοι εὐφρανθήτωσαν.

Χοιστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκοῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαοισάμενος.

**Στίχ. δ'.** Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἢν ἐποίησεν ὁ Κύριος ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν αὐτῆ.

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

# Εἰσοδικόν. ή Τχος β΄.

Έν ἐκκλησίαις εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Θεόν, Κύοιον ἐκ πηγῶν Ἰσραήλ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

## Antiphon III. Mode pl. 1. Psalm 67.

**Verse 1:** Let God arise, and let His enemies be scattered, and let those who hate Him flee from before His face. [SAAS]

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

**Verse 2:** As smoke vanishes, so let them vanish, as wax melts before the fire. [SAAS]

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

**Verse 3:** So shall the sinners perish from the face of God. And let the righteous be glad. [SAAS]

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

**Verse 4:** This is the day the Lord made; let us greatly rejoice and be glad therein. [SAAS]

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [COA]

# Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.

Bless God in the churches, the Lord from the fountains of Israel. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead. We sing to You, Alleluia. Ή, ἀντὶ τῶν Ἀντιφώνων, κατὰ τὸ τυπικόν, ψάλλονται τὰ Τυπικὰ καὶ οἱ Μακαρισμοί.

Ψαλμὸς 102. Ψαλμὸς 145.

# Οί Μακαοισμοί. Ἡχος α'.

Έν τῆ Βασιλεία σου μνήσθητι ἡμῶν Κύριε, ὅταν ἔλθης ἐν τῆ Βασιλεία σου. Μακάριοι οἱ πτωχοὶ τῷ πνεύματι, ὅτι αὐτῶν ἐστιν ἡ Βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν.

Μακάριοι οἱ πενθοῦντες, ὅτι αὐτοὶ παρακληθήσονται.

Μακάριοι οί πραεῖς, ὅτι αὐτοὶ κληρονομήσουσι τὴν γῆν.

Μακάριοι οἱ πεινῶντες καὶ διψῶντες τὴν δικαιοσύνην, ὅτι αὐτοὶ χορτασθήσονται.

# Κανών τῆς Έορτῆς.

**'Ωιδὴ γ'. 'Ηχος α'.** Στερέωσόν με Χριστέ.

Μακάριοι οἱ ἐλεήμονες, ὅτι αὐτοὶ ἐλεηθήσονται.

Καινούς ἀντὶ παλαιῶν, ἀντὶ φθαρτῶν δὲ ἀφθάρτους, διὰ Σταυροῦ σου Χριστέ, τελέσας ἡμᾶς, ἐν καινότητι ζωῆς πολιτεύεσθαι, ἀξίως προσέταξας.

Μακάριοι οἱ καθαροὶ τῆ καρδία, ὅτι αὐτοὶ τὸν Θεὸν ὄψονται.

Καινοὺς ἀντὶ παλαιῶν, ἀντὶ φθαρτῶν δὲ ἀφθάρτους, διὰ Σταυροῦ σου Χριστέ, τελέσας ἡμᾶς, ἐν καινότητι ζωῆς πολιτεύεσθαι, ἀξίως προσέταξας.

An optional alternative to the Antiphons are the Typika (Psalms 102 and 145), and the Beatitudes with the appointed troparia, which are provided here.

Psalm 102. Psalm 145.

# The Beatitudes. Mode 1.

In Your kingdom. Remember us, O Lord, when You come in Your kingdom. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven [RSV]

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. [RSV]

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth. [RSV]

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

[RSV]

#### Canon of the Feast.

**Ode iii. Mode 1.** Establish me. (NM)

From Pentecostarion - -

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy. [RSV]

When by your Cross, O Christ, you had made us new instead of old, instead of corruptible incorruptible, you commanded us to live worthily in newness of life.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. [RSV]

When by your Cross, O Christ, you had made us new instead of old, instead of corruptible incorruptible, you commanded us to live worthily in newness of life.

Μακάριοι οἱ εἰρηνοποιοί, ὅτι αὐτοὶ Υίοὶ Θεοῦ κληθήσονται.

Έν τάφω πεοικλεισθείς, τῆ πεοιγοάπτω σαοκί σου, ὁ ἀπεοίγοαπτος, Χοιστὲ ἀνέστης, θυοῶν κεκλεισμένων δὲ ἐπέστης, σοῦ τοῖς Μαθηταῖς, παντοδύναμε.

Μακάριοι οἱ δεδιωγμένοι ἕνεκεν δικαιοσύνης, ὅτι αὐτῶν ἐστιν ἡ Βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν.

Τοὺς μώλωπάς σου Χριστέ, οὓς έκουσίως ὑπέστης, ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου φυλάξας μαρτύριον, τῆς σῆς ἔδειξας, ἐνδόξου Ἀναστάσεως.

#### Κανών τοῦ Ἀποστόλου.

'Ωιδή ζ'. Ήχος πλ. δ'. Άβυσσος άμαρτιῶν.

Μακάριοι ἐστὲ ὅταν ὀνειδίσωσιν ὑμᾶς, καὶ διώξωσι, καὶ εἴπωσι πᾶν πονηρὸν ῥῆμα καθ' ὑμῶν, ψευδόμενοι ἕνεκεν ἐμοῦ.

Άνθοακα θείου πυρός, προκατεῖδε τυπικῶς Ἡσαΐας, ὧ καθαρθεὶς τὰ χείλη, προφητείας ἠξίωται σαρκωθέντος δὲ Θεοῦ, Λόγου μακάριε Ἰωάννη, σὺ ἀνεδείχθης ἐπιστήθιος.

Χαίρετε καὶ ἀγαλλιᾶσθε, ὅτι ὁ μισθὸς ὑμῶν πολὺς ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς.

Άνθοακα θείου πυρός, προκατεῖδε τυπικῶς Ἡσαΐας, ὧ καθαρθεὶς τὰ χείλη, προφητείας ἠξίωται σαρκωθέντος δὲ Θεοῦ, Λόγου μακάριε Ἰωάννη, σὺ ἀνεδείχθης ἐπιστήθιος.

#### Δόξα.

Λόγος ὁ μονογενής, ὁ ἐν κόλποις τοῦ Πατοὸς ἱδουμένος, σωματωθεὶς ὡοάθη, Ἰωάννη μακάοιε, καὶ ὡς μύστη ποοσφιλεῖ, Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God. [RSV]

Though you had been locked in the tomb with your finite flesh, O Christ, as infinite you arose; and when the doors were shut you came to your Disciples, O All-powerful.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. [RSV]

By keeping your wounds, O Christ, which you had borne willingly for our sakes, you gave your Disciples proof of your glorious Resurrection.

# Canon for the Apostle.

rom Menajon - - -

**Ode vi. Mode pl. 4.** *N/M (My transgressions)* 

Blessed are you when men revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely [for my sake]. [RSV]

Isaiah foresaw the coal of divine fire in a figure. When his lips were cleansed by it, he was granted prophecy. Now, when God the Logos became incarnate, you were shown to be His Bosom Friend, O blessed John. [5D]

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven. [RSV]

Isaiah foresaw the coal of divine fire in a figure. When his lips were cleansed by it, he was granted prophecy. Now, when God the Logos became incarnate, you were shown to be His Bosom Friend, O blessed John. [5D]

## Glory.

O blessed John, the Only-begotten Son and Logos, who is in the bosom of the Father, was seen when He put on a body; and He σοὶ ἐξηγήσατο, ἀσωμάτως, Θεὸν οὐδένα ἰδεῖν πώποτε.

#### Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Φώτισόν μου τὴν ψυχήν, ἡ τεκοῦσα τὸ ἀπαύγασμα δόξης, τῆς τοῦ Πατρὸς Παρθένε, Θεοτόκε πανύμνητε· τὴν σὴν γὰρ οἱ ἀληθεῖς, χάριν κατέχοντες, θιασῶται, τάς γλωσσαλγίας ἀπεκρούσαντο.

# Εἰσοδικόν. Ἡχος β'.

Έν ἐκκλησίαις εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Θεόν, Κύριον ἐκ πηγῶν Ἰσραήλ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα. made known to you, His beloved initiate, that no one can ever see God without this body.

# Both now. Theotokion.

O all-lauded Virgin Theotokos, who gave birth to the effulgence of the Father's glory, illumine my soul. Possessing your grace, your true devotees have refuted heretical drivel. [5D]

# Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.

Bless God in the churches, the Lord from the fountains of Israel. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead. We sing to You, Alleluia.

# Ύμνοι μετὰ τὴν Μικρὰν Εἴσοδον Ἀπολυτίκιον τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - -

# Ήχος βαούς.

Ἐσφοαγισμένου τοῦ μνήματος, ἡ Ζωὴ ἐκ τάφου ἀνέτειλας Χοιστὲ ὁ Θεός, καὶ τῶν θυοῶν κεκλεισμένων, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς ἐπέστης, ἡ πάντων ἀνάστασις: Πνεῦμα εὐθὲς δι' αὐτῶν ἐγκαινίζων ἡμῖν, κατὰ τὸ μέγα σου ἔλεος.

# Τοῦ Εὐαγγελιστοῦ.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

# Ήχος β'.

Ἀπόστολε Χοιστῷ τῷ Θεῷ ἠγαπημένε, ἐπιτάχυνον, ὁῦσαι λαὸν ἀναπολόγητον δέχεταί σε ποοσπίπτοντα, ὁ ἐπιπεσόντα τῷ στήθει καταδεξάμενος, ὃν ἱκέτευε, Θεολόγε, καὶ ἐπίμονον νέφος ἐθνῶν διασκεδάσαι, αἰτούμενος ἡμῖν εἰρήνην, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### Τοῦ Ναοῦ.

(Τὸ Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ναοῦ.)

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - -

# Κοντάκιον. Ἡχος πλ. δ'.

Τῆ φιλοποάγμονι δεξιᾶ, τὴν ζωοπάροχόν σου πλευράν, ὁ Θωμᾶς ἐξηρεύνησε Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός συγκεκλεισμένων γὰρ τῶν θυρῶν ὡς εἰσῆλθες, σὺν τοῖς λοιποῖς Ἀποστόλοις ἐβόα σοι Κύριος ὑπάρχεις καὶ Θεός μου.

#### Ο ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΣ ΥΜΝΟΣ

Άγιος ὁ Θεός, ἄγιος Ἰσχυφός, ἄγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (ἐκ γ')

# Hymns After the Small Entrance. Apolytikion of the Feast.

From Pentecostarion - - -

#### Grave Mode.

O Life, You rose from the sepulcher, even though the tomb was secured with a seal, O Christ God. And though the doors had been bolted, You came to Your disciples, O Resurrection of all. Through them You renew a right spirit in us, according to Your great mercy. [5D]

## For the Evangelist.

From Menaion - - -

#### Mode 2.

O Apostle, the beloved of Christ God, hasten to deliver us, a people that has no excuse. He accepts you supplicating Him, for He condescended at the Supper to let you lean on Him. Entreat Him, O Theologian, that He scatter the persistent cloud of hostile nations, and pray for us, for peace and great mercy. [5D]

# (Apolytikion of the Parish Church)

(The text of the Apolytikion of the local church goes here.)

From Pentecostarion - -

# Kontakion.

#### Mode pl. 4.

With his scrutinizing right hand, Thomas examined Your life-bestowing side, O Christ God. When You entered while the doors were shut, he cried out to You with the rest of the Apostles, "You are my Lord and my God." [50]

#### THE TRISAGION HYMN

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

Δόξα Πατοὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Άγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

#### Ὁ Ἀπόστολος

Τοῦ Εὐαγγελιστοῦ.

Ποοκείμενον. ή Τχος πλ. δ΄. Ψαλμός 18.

Εἰς πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἐξῆλθεν ὁ φθόγγος αὐτοῦ.

Στίχ. Οἱ οὐρανοὶ διηγοῦνται δόξαν Θεοῦ.

Καθολικῆς Α΄ Ἐπιστολῆς Ἰωάννου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### 1:1-7

'Ο ἦν ἀπ' ἀρχῆς, ὃ ἀκηκόαμεν, δ έωράκαμεν τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς ἡμῶν, δ έθεασάμεθα καὶ αἱ χεῖρες ἡμῶν έψηλάφησαν, περί τοῦ Λόγου τῆς ζωῆς. (καὶ ἡ ζωὴ ἐφανερώθη, καὶ ἑωράκαμεν καὶ μαρτυροῦμεν καὶ ἀπαγγέλλομεν ὑμῖν τὴν ζωήν την αἰώνιον, ήτις ἦν πρὸς τὸν Πατέρα καὶ ἐφανερώθη ἡμῖν). ὁ ἑωράκαμεν καὶ ἀκηκόαμεν, ἀπαγγέλλομεν ὑμῖν, ἵνα καὶ ύμεῖς κοινωνίαν ἔχητε μεθ' ἡμῶν καὶ ἡ κοινωνία δὲ ἡ ἡμετέρα μετὰ τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ μετὰ τοῦ Υίοῦ αὐτοῦ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ. καὶ ταῦτα γράφομεν ἡμῖν, ἵνα ἡ χαρὰ ήμῶν ἦ πεπληρωμένη. Καὶ αὕτη ἔστιν ἡ ἐπαγγελία ἣν ἀκηκόαμεν ἀπ' αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀναγγέλλομεν ὑμῖν, ὅτι ὁ Θεὸς φῶς ἐστι καὶ σκοτία ἐν αὐτῷ οὐκ ἔστιν οὐδεμία. Ἐὰν εἴπωμεν ὅτι κοινωνίαν ἔχομεν μετ' αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐν τῷ σκότει περιπατῶμεν, ψευδόμεθα καὶ οὐ ποιοῦμεν τὴν ἀλήθειαν ἐὰν δὲ ἐν τῷ φωτὶ περιπατῶμεν, ὡς αὐτός ἐστιν ἐν τῷ φωτί, κοινωνίαν ἔχομεν μετ' ἀλλήλων,

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.

# The Epistle

For the Evangelist.

Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 4. Psalm 18.

His proclamation went forth into all the earth. [SAAS]

**Verse:** *The heavens declare the glory of God.* 

The reading is from John's First Universal Letter.

#### 1:1-7

That which was from the beginning, which we have heard, which we have seen with our eyes, which we have looked upon and touched with our hands, concerning the word of life - the life was made manifest, and we saw it, and testify to it, and proclaim to you the eternal life which was with the Father and was made manifest to us - that which we have seen and heard we proclaim also to you, so that you may have fellowship with us; and our fellowship is with the Father and with his Son Jesus Christ. And we are writing this that our joy may be complete. This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him is no darkness at all. If we say we have fellowship with him while we walk in darkness, we lie and do not live according to the truth; but if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin. [RSV]

καὶ τὸ αἶμα Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ τοῦ Υἱοῦ αὐτοῦ καθαρίζει ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης ἁμαρτίας.

# Άλληλούϊα. ήχος α΄. Ψαλμός 88.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. α'.** Έξομολογήσονται οἱ οὐρανοὶ τὰ θαυμάσιά σου, Κύριε.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ.** β'. Ο Θεὸς ἐνδοξαζόμενος ἐν βουλῆ ἀγίων.

Αλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

## Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

Τοῦ Εὐαγγελιστοῦ.

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### 19:25-28, 21:24-25

Είστήκεισαν δὲ παρὰ τῷ σταυρῷ τοῦ Ίησοῦ ἡ μήτης αὐτοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀδελφὴ τῆς μητρὸς αὐτοῦ, Μαρία ἡ τοῦ Κλωπᾶ καὶ Μαρία ή Μαγδαληνή. Ἰησοῦς οὖν ἰδὼν τὴν μητέρα καὶ τὸν μαθητὴν παρεστῶτα ὃν ηγάπα, λέγει τῆ μητοὶ αὐτοῦ· γύναι, ἴδε ό υίός σου. εἶτα λέγει τῷ μαθητῆ· ἰδοὺ ἡ μήτης σου. καὶ ἀπ' ἐκείνης τῆς ὥρας ἔλαβεν ό μαθητής αὐτὴν εἰς τὰ ἴδια. Μετὰ τοῦτο είδως ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὅτι πάντα ἤδη τετέλεσται, ίνα τελειωθη ή γραφή, λέγει διψω. σκεῦος οὖν ἔκειτο ὄξους μεστόν οἱ δὲ πλήσαντες σπόγγον ὄξους καὶ ὑσσώπω περιθέντες προσήνεγκαν αὐτοῦ τῷ στόματι. Οὖτός έστιν ὁ μαθητής ὁ μαρτυρῶν περὶ τούτων καὶ γράψας ταῦτα, καὶ οἴδαμεν ὅτι ἀληθής έστιν ή μαρτυρία αὐτοῦ. ἔστι δὲ καὶ ἄλλα πολλὰ ὅσα ἐποίησεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς, ἄτινα ἐὰν γράφηται καθ' ἕν, οὐδὲ αὐτὸν οἶμαι τὸν κόσμον χωρῆσαι τὰ γραφόμενα βιβλία. Ἀμήν.

### Alleluia. Mode 1. Psalm 88.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 1:** The heavens shall confess Your wonders, O Lord. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 2:** God is glorified in the counsel of saints. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

## The Gospel

For the Evangelist.

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to John.

#### 19:25-28, 21:24-25

At that time, standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother, and the disciple whom he loved standing near, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son!" Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother!" And from that hour the disciple took her to his own home. This is the disciple who is bearing witness to these things, and who has written these things; and we know that his testimony is true. But there are also many other things which Jesus did; were every one of them to be written, I suppose that the world itself could not contain the books that would be written. [RSV]

# Ύμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.

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

# Κοινωνικόν. Ψαλμὸς 18.

Εἰς πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἐξῆλθεν ὁ φθόγγος αὐτοῦ καὶ εἰς τὰ πέρατα τῆς οἰκουμένης τὰ ἡήματα αὐτοῦ. Ἀλληλούϊα.

# Ύμνος μετὰ τὴν Θ. Κοινωνίαν. Ἀντὶ τό· Εἴδομεν τὸ φῶς. Ἡχος πλ. α'.

Χοιστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκοῶν, θανάτω θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαοισάμενος.

#### ΑΠΟΛΥΣΙΣ

Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκوῶν, Χριστὸς ὁ άληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου άγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, 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 ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων τῶν όσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Άγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ) τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ίωακεὶμ καὶ Άννης, καὶ τοῦ Άγίου ἐνδόξου Ἀποστόλου καὶ Εὐαγγελιστοῦ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Θεολόγου, οὖ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν καὶ πάντων

## Hymn to the Theotokos.

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

# Communion Hymn. Psalm 18.

His proclamation went forth into all the earth, and his words to the ends of the world. Alleluia. [SAAS]

# Hymn after Holy Communion. Instead of "We have seen." Mode pl. 1.

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

#### THE DISMISSAL

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

τῶν Άγίων, ἐλεήσαι καὶ σώσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθοωπος.

# Κανόνας Νηστείας

Κατάλυσις οἴνου καὶ ἐλαίου.

# **Fasting Rule**

Wine: Wine and oil are allowed. Refrain from meat, fish, dairy, and eggs.