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# Holy Week

## **Bridegroom Service on Wednesday Evening**

**Matins of Holy Thursday** 

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## Μεγάλη Έβδομάδα Άκολουθία τοῦ Νυμφίου τῆ Τετάςτη τὸ Βςάδυ

"Όρθρος τῆς Μεγάλης Πέμπτης

#### ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΟΡΘΡΟΥ

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Βασιλεῦ οὐράνιε, Παράκλητε, τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς ἀληθείας, ὁ πανταχοῦ παρὼν καὶ τὰ πάντα πληρῶν, ὁ θησαυρὸς τῶν ἀγαθῶν καὶ ζωῆς χορηγός, ἐλθὲ καὶ σκήνωσον ἐν ἡμῖν καὶ καθάρισον ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης κηλῖδος καὶ σῷσον, Ἁγαθέ, τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

## Τρισάγιον.

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

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

Παναγία Τοιάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύοιε, ἱλάσθητι ταῖς ἁμαρτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα, συγχώρησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῖν. Ἅγιε, ἐπίσκεψαι καὶ ἴασαι τὰς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν, ἕνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

## Holy Week Bridegroom Service on Wednesday Evening

*Matins of Holy Thursday* 

## SERVICE OF MATINS

#### **PRIEST**

Blessed is our God always, now and ever, and to the ages of ages.

## **READER**

Amen.

#### **PRIEST**

Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.

Heavenly King, Comforter, Spirit of Truth, present in all places and filling all things, treasury of good things and giver of life: come; take Your abode in us; cleanse us of every stain, and save our souls, O Good one.

#### **READER**

## **Trisagion Prayers.**

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.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our infirmities for your name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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

Πάτες ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐςανοῖς, άγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ώς ἐν οὐςανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄςτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμεςον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ώς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειςασμόν, ἀλλὰ ςῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηςοῦ.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σοῦ ἐστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υίοῦ καὶ τοῦ Αγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ')

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

Δεῦτε ποοσκυνήσωμεν καὶ ποοσπέσωμεν τῷ Βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

Δεῦτε ποοσκυνήσωμεν καὶ ποοσπέσωμεν Χοιστῷ τῷ Βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

Δεῦτε ποοσκυνήσωμεν καὶ ποοσπέσωμεν αὐτῷ, Χοιστῷ τῷ Βασιλεῖ καὶ Θεῷ ἡμῶν.

## Ψαλμὸς ΙΘ' (19).

Ἐπακούσαι σου Κύοιος ἐν ἡμέοᾳ θλίψεως, ὑπεοασπίσαι σου τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ Θεοῦ Ἰακώβ. Ἐξαποστείλαι σοι βοήθειαν Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

#### **PRIEST**

For Thine 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.

#### **READER**

Amen.

Lord, have mercy. (12)

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Come, let us worship and bow down before God our King.

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ God our King.

Come, let us worship and bow down before Him, Christ our King and God.

## Psalm 19 (20).

May the Lord hear you in the day of afflictions; may the name of the God of Jacob defend you. May He send you help from His

έξ άγίου, καὶ ἐκ Σιὼν ἀντιλάβοιτό σου. Μνησθείη πάσης θυσίας σου, καὶ τὸ όλοκαύτωμά σου πιανάτω. Δώη σοι Κύριος κατὰ τὴν καρδίαν σου, καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν βουλήν σου πληρῶσαι. Άγαλλιασόμεθα έν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου, καὶ ἐν ὀνόματι Θεοῦ ήμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα. Πληοῶσαι Κύριος πάντα τὰ αἰτήματά σου. Νῦν ἔγνων ὅτι ἔσωσε Κύριος τὸν χριστὸν αὐτοῦ· ἐπακούσεται αὐτοῦ ἐξ οὐρανοῦ άγίου αὐτοῦ· ἐν δυναστείαις ἡ σωτηρία τῆς δεξιᾶς αὐτοῦ. Οὖτοι ἐν ἄρμασιν καὶ οὖτοι ἐν ἵπποις, ἡμεῖς δὲ ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου Θεοῦ ἡμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα. Αὐτοὶ συνεποδίσθησαν καὶ ἔπεσαν, ἡμεῖς δὲ ανέστημεν καὶ ανωρθώθημεν. Κύριε, σῶσον τὸν βασιλέα, καὶ ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν ἐν ἦ ἂν ήμέρα ἐπικαλεσώμεθά σε.

## Ψαλμὸς Κ΄ (20).

Κύριε, ἐν τῆ δυνάμει σου εὐφοανθήσεται ὁ βασιλεὺς καὶ ἐπὶ τῷ σωτηρίω σου άγαλλιάσεται σφόδρα. Τὴν ἐπιθυμίαν τῆς καρδίας αὐτοῦ ἔδωκας αὐτῷ καὶ τὴν θέλησιν τῶν χειλέων αὐτοῦ οὐκ ἐστέρησας αὐτόν. Ότι προέφθασας αὐτὸν έν εὐλογίαις χρηστότητος, ἔθηκας ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ στέφανον ἐκ λίθου τιμίου. Ζωὴν ἠτήσατό σε, καὶ ἔδωκας αὐτῷ, μακρότητα ήμερῶν εἰς αἰῶνα αἰῶνος. Μεγάλη ή δόξα αὐτοῦ ἐν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου, δόξαν καὶ μεγαλοποέπειαν ἐπιθήσεις ἐπ' αὐτόν. Ότι δώσεις αὐτῷ εὐλογίαν εἰς αἰῶνα αἰῶνος, εὐφρανεῖς αὐτὸν ἐν χαρᾳ μετὰ τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ότι ὁ βασιλεὺς ἐλπίζει ἐπὶ Κύριον καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐλέει τοῦ ὑψίστου οὐ μὴ σαλευθῆ. Εύρεθείη ἡ χείρ σου πᾶσι τοῖς ἐχθοοῖς σου, ἡ δεξιά σου εὕροι πάντας τούς μισοῦντάς σε. Ότι θήσεις αὐτούς εἰς

holy place, and may He support you from Zion. May He remember every sacrifice of yours, and may your whole burnt offering be honored. May He give you according to your heart, may He fulfill all your counsel. We will greatly rejoice in Your salvation, and in the name of our God we will be magnified. Now I know the Lord has saved His anointed; He will hear him from His holy heaven; the salvation of His right hand is mighty. Some glory in chariots, some in horses, but in the name of the Lord our God we shall be magnified. Their feet were tied together; so they fell; but we rose up and were restored. O Lord, save Your King, and hear us in the day we call upon You.

## Psalm 20 (21).

O Lord, the king shall be glad in Your power, and in Your salvation he will greatly rejoice. You gave him his soul's desire, and You did not deprive him of his lips' request. For You anticipated him with blessings of goodness; You placed a crown of precious stones on his head. He asked You for life, and You gave it to him, length of days unto ages of ages. Great is his glory in Your salvation; glory and majesty You shall place upon him. For You shall give him blessing unto ages of ages; You shall fill him with the joy of Your presence. For the king hopes in the Lord, and in the mercy of the Most High he will not be shaken. May Your hand be found on all Your enemies; may Your right hand find all who hate You. You shall make them like a fiery furnace in the time of Your presence; the Lord shall throw them into confusion in His

κλίβανον πυρὸς εἰς καιρὸν τοῦ προσώπου σου. Κύριος ἐν ὀργῆ αὐτοῦ συνταράξει αὐτούς, καὶ καταφάγεται αὐτοὺς πῦρ. Τὸν καρπὸν αὐτῶν ἀπὸ γῆς ἀπολεῖς καὶ τὸ σπέρμα αὐτῶν ἀπὸ υίῶν ἀνθρώπων. Ὅτι ἔκλιναν εἰς σὲ κακά, διελογίσαντο βουλάς, αἶς οὐ μὴ δύνωνται στῆναι. Ὅτι θήσεις αὐτοὺς νῶτον ἐν τοῖς περιλοίποις σου ἑτοιμάσεις τὸ πρόσωπον αὐτῶν. Ύψώθητι, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ δυνάμει σου ἄσομεν καὶ ψαλοῦμεν τὰς δυναστείας σου.

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

## Τρισάγιον.

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Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

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wrath, and the fire shall devour them. You shall destroy their offspring from the earth and their seed from among the sons of men. For they vented all their evils against You; they reasoned through a counsel they could not establish. For You shall make them turn their back; among Your remnants, You shall make ready their countenance. Be exalted, O Lord, in Your power; we will sing and praise Your mighty deeds.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

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## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σοῦ ἐστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υίοῦ καὶ τοῦ Αγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Άμήν.

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαὸν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, νίκας τοῖς βασιλεῦσι κατὰ βαρβάρων δωρούμενος, καὶ τὸ σὸν φυλάττων διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου πολίτευμα.

Δόξα Πατοὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι.

Ό ύψωθεὶς ἐν τῷ Σταυοῷ ἑκουσίως, τῆ ἐπωνύμῳ σου καινῆ πολιτείᾳ τοὺς οἰκτιομούς σου δώρησαι, Χοιστὲ ὁ Θεός εὕφοανον ἐν τῆ δυνάμει σου τοὺς πιστοὺς βασιλεῖς ἡμῶν, νίκας χορηγῶν αὐτοῖς κατὰ τῶν πολεμίων τὴν συμμαχίαν ἔχοιεν τὴν σήν, ὅπλον εἰρήνης, ἀήττητον τρόπαιον.

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

Ποοστασία φοβερὰ καὶ ἀκαταίσχυντε, μὴ παρίδης, Άγαθή, τὰς ἰκεσίας ἡμῶν, πανύμνητε Θεοτόκε· στήριξον Ὀρθοδόξων πολιτείαν, σῷζε οὓς ἐκέλευσας βασιλεύειν, καὶ χορήγει αὐτοῖς οὐρανόθεν τὴν νίκην· διότι ἔτεκες τὸν Θεόν, μόνη εὐλογημένη.

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

## **PRIEST**

For Thine 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.

## **READER**

Amen.

Save, O Lord, Your people and bless Your inheritance, granting victory to the faithful over the enemy, and by Your Cross protecting Your commonwealth.

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

You who were lifted on the cross voluntarily, \* O Christ our God, bestow Your tender compassions \* upon Your new community to which You gave Your name. \* Cause our faithful emperors to be glad in Your power, \* granting them the victories against their adversaries. \* And for an ally, Lord, may they have You, \* peace as their armor, the trophy invincible.

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

O awesome and unshamable Protection, O good and praiseworthy Theotokos, do not despise our petitions; make firm the community of the Orthodox; save those whom you have called to rule; grant them victory from heaven, for you gave birth to God and are truly blessed.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς κατὰ τὸ μέγα ελεός Σου, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ύπὲο τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ύπὲς τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

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

Ότι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλάνθοωπος Θεὸς ὑπάοχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

#### ΨΑΛΤΗΣ

Άμήν. Έν ὀνόματι Κυρίου εὐλόγησον, Πάτερ.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα τῆ ἀγία καὶ ὁμοουσίω καὶ ζωοποιῷ καὶ ἀδιαιρέτω Τριάδι, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

## Ὁ Ἐξάψαλμος.

Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνη, ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία. (ἐκ γ')

Κύοιε, τὰ χείλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. (δίς)

## Ψαλμὸς Γ' (3).

Κύριε, τί ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ θλίβοντές με; Πολλοὶ ἐπανίστανται ἐπ' ἐμέ. Πολλοὶ λέγουσι τῆ ψυχῆ μου Οὐκ ἔστι σωτηρία αὐτῷ ἐν τῷ Θεῷ αὐτοῦ. Σὺ δέ, Κύριε,

## **PRIEST**

Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your great mercy, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.

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

Let us pray for pious and Orthodox Christians.

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

Again we pray for (episcopal rank) (name).

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

For You are a merciful God Who loves mankind, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

#### **CHANTER**

Amen. In the name of the Lord, Father, bless!

#### **PRIEST**

Glory to the holy and consubstantial, and life giving, and undivided Trinity, always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

#### READER

## The Six Psalms.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will among men. (3)

O Lord, You shall open my lips, and my mouth will declare Your praise. (2)

## Psalm 3.

O Lord, why do those who afflict me multiply? Many are those who rise up against me. Many are those who say to my soul, "There is no salvation for him in his God."

ἀντιλήπτως μου εἶ, δόξα μου καὶ ὑψῶν τὴν κεφαλήν μου. Φωνῆ μου πρὸς Κύριον ἐκέκραξα, καὶ ἐπήκουσέ μου ἐξ ὄρους άγίου αὐτοῦ. Ἐγὼ δὲ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὕπνωσα· ἐξηγέρθην, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταί μου. Οὐ φοβηθήσομαι ἀπὸ μυριάδων λαοῦ τῶν κύκλω συνεπιτιθεμένων μοι. Ἀνάστα, Κύριε, σῶσόν με ὁ Θεός μου, ὅτι σὺ ἐπάταξας πάντας τοὺς ἐχθραίνοντάς μοι ματαίως, ὀδόντας ἁμαρτωλῶν συνέτριψας. Τοῦ Κυρίου ἡ σωτηρία, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν λαόν σου ἡ εὐλογία σου.

Έγὼ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὕπνωσα· ἐξηγέρθην, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταί μου.

## Ψαλμὸς ΛΖ' (37).

Κύριε, μὴ τῷ θυμῷ σου ἐλέγξης με, μηδέ τῆ ὀργῆ σου παιδεύσης με. Ότι τὰ βέλη σου ἐνεπάγησάν μοι, καὶ ἐπεστήριξας ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὴν χεῖρά σου. Οὐκ ἔστιν ἴασις ἐν τῆ σαρκί μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῆς ὀργῆς σου, οὐκ ἔστιν εἰρήνη ἐν τοῖς ὀστέοις μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν μου. Ὅτι αί ανομίαι μου ύπερῆραν τὴν κεφαλήν μου, ώσεὶ φορτίον βαρὺ ἐβαρύνθησαν ἐπ' ἐμέ. Προσώζεσαν καὶ ἐσάπησαν οἱ μώλωπές μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῆς ἀφροσύνης μου. Ἐταλαιπώρησα καὶ κατεκάμφθην ἕως τέλους, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν σκυθρωπάζων έπορευόμην. Ότι αί ψόαι μου έπλήσθησαν ἐμπαιγμάτων, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν ἴασις ἐν τῆ σαρκί μου. Έκακώθην καὶ ἐταπεινώθην ἕως σφόδο*α,* ἀουόμην ἀπὸ στεναγμοῦ τῆς καρδίας μου. Κύριε, ἐναντίον σου πᾶσα ἡ ἐπιθυμία μου, καὶ ὁ στεναγμός μου ἀπὸ σοῦ οὐκ ἀπεκρύβη. Ἡ καρδία μου ἐταράχθη, ἐγκατέλιπέ με ἡ ἰσχύς μου, καὶ τὸ φῶς τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν μου καὶ αὐτὸ

But You, O Lord, are my protector, my glory and the One who lifts up my head. I cried to the Lord with my voice, and He heard me from His holy hill. I lay down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord will help me. I will not be afraid of ten thousands of people who set themselves against me all around. Arise, O Lord, and save me, O my God, for You struck all those who were foolishly at enmity with me; You broke the teeth of sinners. Salvation is of the Lord, and Your blessing is upon Your people.

I lay down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord will help me.

## Psalm 37 (38).

O Lord, do not rebuke me in Your wrath, nor chasten me in Your anger. For Your arrows are fixed in me, and Your hand rests on me; there is no healing in my flesh because of Your wrath; there is no peace in my bones because of my sins. For my transgressions rise up over my head; like a heavy burden they are heavy on me. My wounds grow foul and fester because of my folly. I suffer misery, and I am utterly bowed down; I go all the day long with a sad face. For my loins are filled with mockeries, and there is no healing in my flesh. I am afflicted and greatly humbled; I roar because of the groaning of my heart. O Lord, all my desire is before You, and my groaning is not hidden from You. My heart is troubled; my strength fails me, and the light of my eyes, even this is not with me. My friends and neighbors draw near and stand against me, and my near of kin stand far off; and those who seek my soul use violence, and those who seek evil for me speak folly; and

οὐκ ἔστι μετ' ἐμοῦ. Οἱ φίλοι μου καὶ οἱ πλησίον μου έξεναντίας μου ἤγγισαν καὶ ἔστησαν, καὶ οἱ ἐγγιστά μου ἀπὸ μακρόθεν ἔστησαν. Καὶ ἐξεβιάζοντο οἱ ζητοῦντες τὴν ψυχήν μου, καὶ οἱ ζητοῦντες τὰ κακά μοι έλάλησαν ματαιότητας, καὶ δολιότητας όλην την ημέραν ἐμελέτησαν. Έγὼ δὲ ώσεὶ κωφὸς οὐκ ἤκουον καὶ ώσεὶ ἄλαλος οὐκ ανοίγων τὸ στόμα αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἐγενόμην ώσεὶ ἄνθρωπος οὐκ ἀκούων καὶ οὐκ ἔχων έν τῷ στόματι αὐτοῦ ἐλεγμούς. Ότι ἐπὶ σοί, Κύριε, ἤλπισα· σὺ εἰσακούση, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου. Ότι εἶπον Μήποτε ἐπιχαρῶσί μοι οί ἐχθοοί μου καὶ ἐν τῷ σαλευθῆναι πόδας μου ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐμεγαλορρημόνησαν. Ότι ἐγὼ εἰς μάστιγας ἕτοιμος, καὶ ἡ άλγηδών μου ἐνώπιόν μού ἐστι διὰ παντός. Ότι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ ἀναγγελῶ καὶ μεριμνήσω ύπερ τῆς άμαρτίας μου. Οἱ δὲ έχθοοί μου ζῶσι καὶ κεκραταίωνται ὑπὲρ έμέ, καὶ ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ μισοῦντές με άδίκως. Οἱ ἀνταποδίδοντές μοι κακὰ ἀντὶ άγαθῶν ἐνδιέβαλλόν με, ἐπεὶ κατεδίωκον άγαθωσύνην. Μὴ ἐγκαταλίπης με, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ ἀποστῆς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Πρόσχες εὶς τὴν βοήθειάν μου, Κύριε τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Μὴ ἐγκαταλίπης με, Κύοιε· ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ ἀποστῆς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ· Ποόσχες εἰς τὴν βοήθειάν μου, Κύοιε τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

## Ψαλμὸς ΞΒ' (62).

Ό Θεὸς ὁ Θεός μου, πρὸς σὲ ὀρθρίζω. Ἐδίψησέ σε ἡ ψυχή μου, ποσαπλῶς σοι ἡ σάρξ μου, ἐν γῆ ἐρήμω καὶ ἀβάτω καὶ ἀνύδρω. Οὕτως ἐν τῷ ἁγίω ὤφθην σοι τοῦ ἰδεῖν τὴν δύναμίν σου καὶ τὴν δόξαν σου. Ὅτι κρεῖσσον τὸ ἔλεός σου ὑπὲρ ζωάς· τὰ

they meditate on deceit all the day long. But I like a deaf man do not hear, and I am like a mute who does not open his mouth. I am like a man who does not hear, and who has no reproofs in his mouth. For in You, O Lord, I hope; You will hear, O Lord my God. For I said, "Let not my enemies rejoice over me, for when my foot was shaken, they boasted against me." For I am ready for wounds, and my pain is continually with me. For I will declare my transgression, and I will be anxious about my sin. But my enemies live, and are become stronger than I; and those who hate me unjustly are multiplied; those who repaid me evil for good slandered me, because I pursue righteousness; and they threw away my love as though it were a stinking corpse. Do not forsake me, O Lord; O my God, do not depart from me; give heed to help me, O Lord of my salvation.

Do not forsake me, O Lord; O my God, do not depart from me. Give heed to help me, O Lord of my salvation.

## Psalm 62 (63).

O God, my God, I rise early to be with You; my soul thirsts for You. How often my flesh thirsts for You in a desolate, impassable, and waterless land. So in the holy place I appear before You, to see Your power and Your glory. Because Your mercy is better χείλη μου ἐπαινέσουσί σε. Οὕτως εὐλογήσω σε ἐν τῆ ζωῆ μου, καὶ ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου ἀρῶ τὰς χεῖράς μου. Ώς ἐκ στέατος καὶ πιότητος ἐμπλησθείη ἡ ψυχή μου, καὶ χείλη άγαλλιάσεως αἰνέσει τὸ στόμα μου. Εἰ έμνημόνευόν σου έπὶ τῆς στρωμνῆς μου, ἐν τοῖς ὄρθροις ἐμελέτων εἰς σέ· ὅτι ἐγενήθης βοηθός μου, καὶ ἐν τῆ σκέπη τῶν πτερύγων σου ἀγαλλιάσομαι. Ἐκολλήθη ἡ ψυχή μου οπίσω σου, ἐμοῦ δὲ ἀντελάβετο ἡ δεξιά σου. Αὐτοὶ δὲ εἰς μάτην ἐζήτησαν τὴν ψυχήν μου, εἰσελεύσονται εἰς τὰ κατώτατα τῆς γῆς παραδοθήσονται εἰς χεῖρας ρομφαίας, μερίδες άλωπέκων ἔσονται. Ὁ δὲ βασιλεύς εὐφοανθήσεται ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ, ἐπαινεθήσεται πᾶς ὁ ὀμνύων ἐν αὐτῷ, ὅτι ἐνεφράγη στόμα λαλούντων ἄδικα.

Έν τοῖς ὄφθοοις ἐμελέτων εἰς σέ· ὅτι ἐγενήθης βοηθός μου, καὶ ἐν τῆ σκέπη τῶν πτερύγων σου ἀγαλλιάσομαι. Ἐκολλήθη ἡ ψυχή μου ὀπίσω σου, ἐμοῦ δὲ ἀντελάβετο ἡ δεξιά σου.

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

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

than life, my lips shall praise You. Thus I will bless You in my life; I will lift up my hands in Your name. May my soul be filled, as if with marrow and fatness, and my mouth shall sing praise to You with lips filled with rejoicing. If I remembered You on my bed, I meditated on You at daybreak; for You are my helper, and in the shelter of Your wings I will greatly rejoice. My soul follows close behind You; Your right hand takes hold of me. But they seek for my soul in vain; they shall go into the lowest parts of the earth. They shall be given over to the edge of the sword; they shall be a portion for foxes. But the king shall be glad in God; all who swear by Him shall be praised, for the mouth that speaks unrighteous things is stopped.

I meditated on You at daybreak. For You are my helper, and in the shelter of Your wings I will greatly rejoice. My soul follows close behind You; Your right hand takes hold of me.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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

## Ψαλμός ΠΖ' (87)

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου, ἡμέρας ἐκέκραξα καὶ ἐν νυκτὶ ἐναντίον σου. Εἰσελθέτω ἐνώπιόν σου ἡ προσευχή μου, κλίνον τὸ οὖς σου εἰς τὴν δέησίν μου. Ότι ἐπλήσθη κακῶν ἡ ψυχή μου, καὶ ἡ ζωή μου τῷ ἄδη ἤγγισε. Προσελογίσθην μετὰ τῶν καταβαινόντων εἰς λάκκον, έγενήθην ώσεὶ ἄνθοωπος άβοήθητος, έν νεκροῖς ἐλεύθερος, ώσεὶ τραυματίαι καθεύδοντες ἐν τάφω, ὧν οὐκ ἐμνήσθης ἔτι, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἐκ τῆς χειρός σου ἀπώσθησαν. Έθεντό με ἐν λάκκῳ κατωτάτῳ, ἐν σκοτεινοῖς καὶ ἐν σκιᾳ θανάτου. Ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐπεστηρίχθη ὁ θυμός σου, καὶ πάντας τοὺς μετεωρισμούς σου ἐπήγαγες ἐπ' ἐμέ. Ἐμάκουνας τούς γνωστούς μου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, ἔθεντό με βδέλυγμα ἑαυτοῖς, παρεδόθην καὶ οὐκ ἐξεπορευόμην. Οἱ ὀφθαλμοί μου ησθένησαν ἀπὸ πτωχείας ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν, διεπέτασα πρὸς σὲ τὰς χεῖράς μου. Μὴ τοῖς νεκροῖς ποιήσεις θαυμάσια; ἢ ἰατροὶ ἀναστήσουσι καὶ έξομολογήσονταί σοι; Μή διηγήσεταί τις έν τῷ τάφῳ τὸ ἔλεός σου καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου ἐν τῆ ἀπωλείᾳ; Μὴ γνωσθήσεται ἐν τῷ σκότει τὰ θαυμάσιά σου καὶ ἡ δικαιοσύνη σου ἐν γῆ ἐπιλελησμένη; Κάγὼ πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, ἐκέκραξα, καὶ τὸ πρωϊ ἡ προσευχή μου προφθάσει σε. Ίνα τί, Κύριε, ἀπωθεῖς τὴν ψυχήν μου, ἀποστρέφεις τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ; Πτωχός εἰμι ἐγὼ καὶ ἐν κόποις ἐκ νεότητός μου, ὑψωθεὶς δὲ ἐταπεινώθην καὶ ἐξηπορήθην. Ἐπ' ἐμὲ διῆλθον αἱ ὀργαί σου, οἱ φοβερισμοί

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

#### Psalm 87 (88).

O Lord God of my salvation, I cry day and night before You. Let my prayer come before You; incline Your ear to my supplication, O Lord. For my soul is filled with sorrows, and my soul draws near to Hades; I am counted among those who go down into the pit; I am like a helpless man, free among the dead, like slain men thrown down and sleeping in a grave, whom You remember no more, but they are removed from Your hand. They laid me in the lowest pit, in dark places and in the shadow of death. Your wrath rested upon me, and You brought all Your billows over me. You removed my acquaintances far from me; they made me an abomination among themselves; I was betrayed, and did not go forth. My eyes weakened from poverty; O Lord, I cry to You the whole day long; I spread out my hands to You. Will You work wonders for the dead? Or will physicians raise them up, and acknowledge You? Shall anyone in the grave describe Your mercy and Your truth in destruction? Shall Your wonders be known in darkness, and Your righteousness in a forgotten land? But I cry to You, O Lord, and in the morning my prayer shall come near to You. Why, O Lord, do You reject my soul, and turn away Your face from me? I am poor and in troubles from my youth; but having been exalted, I was humbled and brought into despair. Your fierce anger passed over me, and Your terrors greatly troubled me; they compassed me like water all the day long;

σου ἐξετάραξάν με, ἐκύκλωσάν με ώσεὶ ὕδωρ ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν, περιέσχον με ἄμα. Ἐμάκρυνας ἀπ' ἐμοῦ φίλον καὶ πλησίον, καὶ τοὺς γνωστούς μου ἀπὸ ταλαιπωρίας.

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου, ἡμέρας ἐκέκραξα καὶ ἐν νυκτὶ ἐναντίον σου. Εἰσελθέτω ἐνώπιόν σου ἡ προσευχή μου, κλῖνον τὸ οὖς σου εἰς τὴν δέησίν μου.

## Ψαλμὸς ΡΒ' (102).

Εὐλόγει, ή ψυχή μου, τὸν Κύριον, καί, πάντα τὰ ἐντός μου, τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἄγιον αὐτοῦ. Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχή μου, τὸν Κύριον, καὶ μη ἐπιλανθάνου πάσας τὰς ἀνταποδόσεις αὐτοῦ. Τὸν εὐιλατεύοντα πάσας τὰς άνομίας σου, τὸν ἰώμενον πάσας τὰς νόσους σου. Τὸν λυτρούμενον ἐκ φθορᾶς τὴν ζωήν σου, τὸν στεφανοῦντά σε ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιομοῖς. Τὸν ἐμπιπλῶντα ἐν ἀγαθοῖς τὴν ἐπιθυμίαν σου, ἀνακαινισθήσεται ὡς ἀετοῦ ἡ νεότης σου. Ποιῶν ἐλεημοσύνας ὁ Κύριος καὶ κρῖμα πᾶσι τοῖς ἀδικουμένοις. Έγνώρισε τὰς ὁδοὺς αὐτοῦ τῷ Μωϋσῆ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραὴλ τὰ θελήματα αὐτοῦ. Οἰκτίρμων καὶ ἐλεήμων ὁ Κύριος, μακοόθυμος καὶ πολυέλεος οὐκ εἰς τέλος ὀργισθήσεται, οὐδὲ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μηνιεῖ. Οὐ κατὰ τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν ἐποίησεν ἡμῖν, οὐδὲ κατὰ τὰς ἁμαρτίας ἡμῶν ἀνταπέδωκεν ήμῖν, ὅτι κατὰ τὸ ύψος τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς ἐκραταίωσε Κύριος τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν. Καθ' ὄσον ἀπέχουσιν ἀνατολαὶ ἀπὸ δυσμῶν, ἐμάκουνεν ἀφ' ἡμῶν τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν. Καθώς οἰκτίρει πατὴρ υἱούς, ὠκτίρησε Κύριος τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν, ὅτι αὐτὸς ἔγνω τὸ πλάσμα ἡμῶν, ἐμνήσθη ὅτι χοῦς ἐσμεν. Ἄνθοωπος, ώσεὶ χόρτος αἱ ἡμέραι

they surrounded me at once. You removed far from me neighbor and friend, and my acquaintances because of my misery.

O Lord God of my salvation, I cry day and night before You. Let my prayer come before You; incline Your ear to my supplication, O Lord.

## Psalm 102 (103).

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and everything within me, bless His holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His rewards: who is merciful to all your transgressions, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from corruption, who crowns you with mercy and compassion, who satisfies your desire with good things; and your youth is renewed like the eagle's. The Lord shows mercies and judgment to all who are wronged. He made known His ways to Moses, the things He willed to the sons of Israel. The Lord is compassionate and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in mercy. He will not become angry to the end, nor will He be wrathful forever; He did not deal with us according to our sins, nor reward us according to our transgressions; for according to the height of heaven from earth, so the Lord reigns in mercy over those who fear Him; as far as the east is from the west, so He removes our transgressions from us. As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear Him, for He knows how He formed us; He remembers we are dust. As for man, his days are like grass, as a flower of the field, so he flourishes; for the wind passes through

αὐτοῦ ώσεὶ ἄνθος τοῦ ἀγροῦ, οὕτως έξανθήσει. Ότι πνεῦμα διῆλθεν ἐν αὐτῷ, καὶ οὐχ ὑπάρξει, καὶ οὐκ ἐπιγνώσεται ἔτι τὸν τόπον αὐτοῦ. Τὸ δὲ ἔλεος τοῦ Κυρίου ἀπὸ τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος ἐπὶ τοὺς φουβουμένους αὐτόν, καὶ ἡ δικαιοσύνη αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ υίοῖς υίῶν, τοῖς φυλάσσουσι την διαθήκην αὐτοῦ καὶ μεμνημένοις τῶν ἐντολῶν αὐτοῦ τοῦ ποιῆσαι αὐτάς. Κύριος ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ ἡτοίμασε τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ πάντων δεσπόζει. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντες οἱ Άγγελοι αὐτοῦ, δυνατοὶ ἰσχύϊ, ποιοῦντες τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ, τοῦ ἀκοῦσαι τῆς φωνῆς τῶν λόγων αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πᾶσαι αί Δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ, λειτουργοὶ αὐτοῦ, ποιοῦντες τὸ θέλημα αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντα τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ, ἐν παντὶ τόπω τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ· εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχή μου, τὸν Κύριον.

Έν παντὶ τόπω τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ· εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχή μου, τὸν Κύριον.

## Ψαλμὸς ΡΜΒ' (142).

Κύριε, εἰσάκουσον τῆς προσευχῆς μου, ἐνώτισαι τὴν δέησίν μου ἐν τῆ ἀληθεία σου, εἰσάκουσόν μου ἐν τῆ δικαιοσύνη σου καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθης εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου, ὅτι οὐ δικαιωθήσεται ἐνώπιόν σου πᾶς ζῶν. Ὅτι κατεδίωξεν ὁ ἐχθρὸς τὴν ψυχήν μου, ἐταπείνωσεν εἰς γῆν τὴν ζωήν μου, ἐκάθισέ με ἐν σκοτεινοῖς ὡς νεκροὺς αἰῶνος καὶ ἠκηδίασεν ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὸ πνεῦμά μου, ἐν ἐμοὶ ἐταράχθη ἡ καρδία μου. Ἐμνήσθην ἡμερῶν ἀρχαίων, ἐμελέτησα ἐν πᾶσι τοῖς ἔργοις σου, ἐν ποιήμασι τῶν χειρῶν σου ἐμελέτων. Διεπέτασα πρὸς σὲ τὰς χεῖράς μου ἡ ψυχή μου ὡς γῆ ἄνυδρός σοι. Ταχὺ εἰσάκουσόν

it, and it shall not remain; and it shall no longer know its place. But the mercy of the Lord is from age to age upon those who fear Him, and His righteousness upon children's children, to such as keep His covenant and remember His commandments, to do them. The Lord prepared His throne in heaven, and His Kingdom rules over all. Bless the Lord, all you His angels, mighty in strength, who do His word, so as to hear the voice of His words. Bless the Lord, all you His hosts, His ministers who do His will; bless the Lord, all His works, in all places of His dominion; bless the Lord, O my soul.

In all places of His dominion; Bless the Lord, O my soul.

## Psalm 142 (143).

O Lord, hear my prayer; give ear to my supplication in Your truth; answer me in Your righteousness; do not enter into judgment with Your servant, for no one living shall become righteous in Your sight. For the enemy persecuted my soul; he humbled my life to the ground; he caused me to dwell in dark places as one long dead, and my spirit was in anguish within me; my heart was troubled within me. I remembered the days of old, and I meditated on all Your works; I meditated on the works of Your hands. I spread out my hands to You; my soul thirsts for You like a waterless land. Hear me

μου, Κύριε, ἐξέλιπε τὸ πνεῦμά μου. Μὴ ἀποστρέψης τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, καὶ ὁμοιωθήσομαι τοῖς καταβαίνουσιν εὶς λάκκον. Ἀκουστὸν ποίησόν μοι τὸ πρωϊ τὸ ἔλεός σου, ὅτι ἐπὶ σοὶ ἤλπισα. Γνώρισόν μοι, Κύριε, όδόν, ἐν ἡ πορεύσομαι, ὅτι πρὸς σὲ ἦρα τὴν ψυχήν μου. Ἐξελοῦ με ἐκ τῶν ἐχθοῶν μου, Κύοιε, ὅτι ποὸς σὲ κατέφυγον. Δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου. Τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με ἐν γῆ εὐθεία ένεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου, Κύριε, ζήσεις με, ἐν τῆ δικαιοσύνη σου ἐξάξεις ἐκ θλίψεως τὴν ψυχήν μου καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐλέει σου έξολοθρεύσεις τοὺς ἐχθρούς μου καὶ ἀπολεῖς πάντας τοὺς θλίβοντας τὴν ψυχήν μου, ὅτι ἐγὼ δοῦλός σου εἰμι.

Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ δικαιοσύνη σου καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθης εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου.

Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ δικαιοσύνη σου καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθης εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου.

Τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με ἐν γῆ εὐθεία.

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

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ό Θεός.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.

(χῦμα)

speedily, O Lord; my spirit faints within me; turn not Your face from me, lest I become like those who go down into the pit. Cause me to hear Your mercy in the morning, for I hope in You; make me know, O Lord, the way wherein I should walk, for I lift up my soul to You. Deliver me from my enemies, O Lord, for to You I flee for refuge. Teach me to do Your will, for You are my God; Your good Spirit shall guide me in the land of uprightness. For Your name's sake, O Lord, give me life; in Your righteousness You shall bring my soul out of affliction. In Your mercy You shall destroy my enemies; You shall utterly destroy all who afflict my soul, for I am Your servant.

Answer me in Your righteousness. Do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

Answer me in Your righteousness. Do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

Your good Spirit shall guide me in the land of uprightness.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.

(intoned)

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός. Ἡ ἐλπὶς ἡμῶν, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ/ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο τῆς εἰρήνης τοῦ σύμπαντος κόσμου, εὐσταθείας τῶν ἁγίων τοῦ Θεοῦ Ἐκκλησιῶν καὶ τῆς τῶν πάντων ἑνώσεως, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπὲο τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὀοθοδόξων Χοιστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυοίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος), τοῦ τιμίου πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας, παντὸς τοῦ κλήρου καὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο τοῦ εὐσεβοῦς ἡμῶν ἔθνους, καὶ πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, πάσης πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God. Our hope, O Lord, glory to You.

## PRIEST/DEACON

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

For this city, and for every city and land, and for the faithful who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Υπέο εὐκοασίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν καρπῶν τῆς γῆς, καὶ καιρῶν εἰρηνικῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο πλεόντων, όδοιποοούντων, νοσούντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Υπέο τοῦ ὁυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχοάντου, 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.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υίῷ καὶ τῷ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

## 'Ηχος $\pi\lambda$ . δ'.

**Στίχ. α'.** Ἐκ νυκτὸς ὀρθρίζει τὸ πνεῦμά μου πρὸς σέ, ὁ Θεός, διότι φῶς τὰ προστάγματά σου ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

## **PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

## **CHOIR**

## Mode pl. 4.

**Verse 1:** My spirit rises early in the morning to You, O God, for Your commands are a light upon the earth. (SAAS)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Στίχ. β'.** Δικαιοσύνην μάθετε, οί ἐνοικοῦντες ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. γ'.** Ζῆλος λήψεται λαὸν ἀπαίδευτον, καὶ νῦν πῦρ τοὺς ὑπεναντίους ἔδεται.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. δ'.** Πρόσθες αὐτοῖς κακά, Κύριε, πρόσθες αὐτοῖς κακά, τοῖς ἐνδόξοις τῆς γῆς.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα.

## Τροπάριον. ή Ηχος πλ. δ.

Ότε οἱ ἔνδοξοι Μαθηταί, ἐν τῷ νιπτῆρι τοῦ Δείπνου ἐφωτίζοντο, τότε Ἰούδας ὁ δυσσεβής, φιλαργυρίαν νοσήσας ἐσκοτίζετο, καὶ ἀνόμοις κριταῖς, σὲ τὸν δίκαιον Κριτὴν παραδίδωσι. Βλέπε χρημάτων ἐραστά, τὸν διὰ ταῦτα ἀγχόνη χρησάμενον φεῦγε ἀκόρεστον ψυχήν, τὴν Διδασκάλῳ τοιαῦτα τολμήσασαν. Ὁ περὶ πάντας ἀγαθός, Κύριε δόξα σοι. (ἐκ γ΄)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

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

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Όρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

**Verse 2:** *Learn righteousness, you who dwell on the earth.* (SAAS)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 3:** *Jealousy will seize an untaught people; and now fire will devour the adversaries.*(SAAS)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 4:** Bring more evils on them, O Lord, bring more evils on them, on the glorious of the earth. (SAAS)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

## Troparion. Mode pl. 4.

While the glorious Disciples were being illumined at the washing of the feet during the Supper, then, too, did Judas the ungodly one, succumb to darkness, being sick with avarice. And he delivered You, the righteous Judge, to lawless judges. Look here, O lover of money, and see the one who for money's sake hanged himself. Flee from the greed that made him dare commit such a deed against the Teacher. O Lord benevolent to all, glory be to You. (3)

## **DEACON**

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

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

## **DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

#### **PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

## $(\kappa \beta' \ 1 - 39)$

Τῷ καιοῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἤγγιζε ἡ ἑορτὴ τῶν ἀζύμων ἡ λεγομένη πάσχα. καὶ έζήτουν οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ γραμματεῖς τὸ πῶς ἀνέλωσιν αὐτόν ἐφοβοῦντο γὰο τὸν λαόν. Εἰσῆλθε δὲ ὁ σατανᾶς εἰς Ἰούδαν τὸν ἐπικαλούμενον Ἰσκαριώτην, ὄντα ἐκ τοῦ ἀριθμοῦ τῶν δώδεκα, καὶ ἀπελθών συνελάλησε τοῖς ἀρχιερεῦσι καὶ γραμματεῦσι καὶ στρατηγοῖς τὸ πῶς αὐτόν παραδῷ αὐτοῖς. καὶ ἐχάρησαν, καὶ συνέθεντο αὐτῷ ἀργύρια δοῦναι καὶ έξωμολόγησε, καὶ έζήτει εὐκαιρίαν τοῦ παραδοῦναι αὐτὸν αὐτοῖς ἄτερ ὄχλου. ඓ Τλθε δὲ ἡ ἡμέρα τῶν ἀζύμων, ἐν ἦ ἔδει θύεσθαι τὸ πάσχα, καὶ ἀπέστειλε Πέτρον καὶ Ἰωάννην εἰπών Πορευθέντες έτοιμάσατε ήμιν τὸ πάσχα ίνα φάγωμεν. οί δὲ εἶπον αὐτῷ. Ποῦ θέλεις ἑτοιμάσωμεν; ό δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς. Ἰδοὺ εἰσελθόντων ύμῶν εἰς τὴν πόλιν συναντήσει ὑμῖν ἄνθοωπος κεράμιον ὕδατος βαστάζων ακολουθήσατε αὐτῷ εἰς τὴν οἰκίαν οὖ εἰσπορεύεται, καὶ ἐρεῖτε τῷ οἰκοδεσπότη τῆς οἰκίας: λέγει σοι ὁ διδάσκαλος, ποῦ ἐστι τὸ κατάλυμα ὅπου τὸ πάσχα μετὰ τῶν μαθητῶν μου φάγω; κἀκεῖνος ὑμῖν δείξει ἀνώγαιον μέγα ἐστρωμένον ἐκεῖ έτοιμάσατε. ἀπελθόντες δὲ εὖρον καθώς εἴοηκεν αὐτοῖς, καὶ ἡτοίμασαν τὸ πάσχα. Καὶ ὅτε ἐγένετο ἡ ὥρα, ἀνέπεσε, καὶ οἱ

## **PRIEST**

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Luke.

#### **DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

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

#### **PRIEST**

#### (22:1-39)

Now the feast of Unleavened Bread drew near, which is called the Passover. And the chief priests and the scribes were seeking how to put him to death; for they feared the people. Then Satan entered into Judas called Iscariot, who was of the number of the twelve; he went away and conferred with the chief priests and officers how he might betray him to them. And they were glad, and engaged to give him money. So he agreed, and sought an opportunity to betray him to them in the absence of the multitude. Then came the day of Unleavened Bread, on which the passover lamb had to be sacrificed. So Jesus sent Peter and John, saying, "Go and prepare the passover for us, that we may eat it." They said to him, "Where will you have us prepare it?" He said to them, "Behold, when you have entered the city, a man carrying a jar of water will meet you; follow him into the house which he enters, and tell the householder, 'The Teacher says to you, Where is the guest room, where I am to eat the passover with my disciples?' And he will show you a large upper room furnished; there make ready." And they went, and found it as he had told them; and they prepared the passover. And when the hour came, he sat at table, and the apostles with him. And he said to them, "I have earnestly desired to

δώδεκα ἀπόστολοι σὺν αὐτῷ. καὶ εἶπε πρὸς αὐτούς: Ἐπιθυμία ἐπεθύμησα τοῦτο τὸ πάσχα φαγεῖν μεθ' ὑμῶν πρὸ τοῦ με παθεῖν λέγω γὰο ὑμῖν ὅτι οὐκέτι οὐ μὴ φάγω έξ αὐτοῦ ἕως ὅτου πληρωθῆ ἐν τῆ βασιλεία τοῦ Θεοῦ. καὶ δεξάμενος τὸ ποτήριον εὐχαριστήσας εἶπε· Λάβετε τοῦτο καὶ διαμερίσατε έαυτοῖς. λέγω γὰρ ὑμῖν ὅτι οὐ μὴ πίω ἀπὸ τοῦ γενήματος τῆς ἀμπέλου έως ὅτου ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ Θεοῦ ἔλθη. καὶ λαβὼν ἄρτον εὐχαριστήσας ἔκλασε καὶ ἔδωκεν αὐτοῖς λέγων· Τοῦτό ἐστι τὸ σῶμά μου τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν διδόμενον τοῦτο ποιεῖτε είς τὴν ἐμὴν ἀνάμνησιν. ώσαύτως καὶ τὸ ποτήριον μετὰ τὸ δειπνῆσαι, λέγων Τοῦτο τὸ ποτήριον ή καινή διαθήκη ἐν τῷ αἵματί μου, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν ἐκχυνόμενον. πλὴν ἰδοὺ ή χείο τοῦ παραδιδόντος με μετ' ἐμοῦ ἐπὶ τῆς τραπέζης. καὶ ὁ μὲν υίὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου πορεύεται κατά τὸ ώρισμένον πλην οὐαὶ τῷ ἀνθοώπῳ ἐκείνῳ δι' οὖ παραδίδοται. καὶ αὐτοὶ ἤρξαντο συζητεῖν πρὸς ἑαυτοὺς τὸ τίς ἄρα εἴη ἐξ αὐτῶν ὁ τοῦτο μέλλων πράσσειν. Έγένετο δὲ καὶ φιλονεικία ἐν αὐτοῖς, τὸ τίς αὐτῶν δοκεῖ εἶναι μείζων. ό δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς. Οἱ βασιλεῖς τῶν ἐθνῶν κυριεύουσιν αὐτῶν, καὶ οἱ ἐξουσιάζοντες αὐτῶν εὐεργέται καλοῦνται ὑμεῖς δὲ οὐχ οὕτως, ἀλλ' ὁ μείζων ἐν ὑμῖν γινέσθω ώς ὁ νεώτερος, καὶ ὁ ἡγούμενος ώς ὁ διακονῶν. τίς γὰο μείζων, ὁ ἀνακείμενος ἢ ὁ διακονῶν; οὐχὶ ὁ ἀνακείμενος; ἐγὼ δὲ εἰμι ἐν μέσφ ὑμῶν ὡς ὁ διακονῶν. ὑμεῖς δέ ἐστε οἱ διαμεμενηκότες μετ' ἐμοῦ ἐν τοῖς πειρασμοῖς μου κάγὼ διατίθεμαι ὑμῖν καθώς διέθετό μοι ό πατής μου βασιλείαν, ίνα ἐσθίητε καὶ πίνητε ἐπὶ τῆς τραπέζης μου ἐν τῆ βασιλεία μου, καὶ καθήσεσθε ἐπὶ

eat this passover with you before I suffer; for I tell you I shall not eat it until it is fulfilled in the kingdom of God." And he took a cup, and when he had given thanks he said, "Take this, and divide it among yourselves; for I tell you that from now on I shall not drink of the fruit of the vine until the kingdom of God comes." And he took bread, and when he had given thanks he broke it and gave it to them, saying, "This is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." And likewise the cup after supper, saying, "This cup which is poured out for you is the new covenant in my blood. But behold the hand of him who betrays me is with me on the table. For the Son of man goes as it has been determined; but woe to that man by whom he is betrayed!" And they began to question one another, which of them it was that would do this. A dispute also arose among them, which of them was to be regarded as the greatest. And he said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles exercise lordship over them; and those in authority over them are called benefactors. But not so with you; rather let the greatest among you become as the youngest, and the leader as one who serves. For which is the greater, one who sits at table, or one who serves? Is it not the one who sits at table? But I am among you as one who serves. You are those who have continued with me in my trials; and I assign to you, as my Father assigned to me, a kingdom, that you may eat and drink at my table in my kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel. Simon, Simon, behold, Satan demanded to have you, that he might sift you like wheat, but I have

θρόνων κρίνοντες τὰς δώδεκα φυλὰς τοῦ Ίσραήλ. Εἶπε δὲ ὁ Κύριος: Σίμων Σίμων, ἰδοὺ ό σατανᾶς ἐξητήσατο ὑμᾶς τοῦ σινιάσαι ώς τὸν σῖτον ἐγὼ δὲ ἐδεήθην πεοὶ σοῦ ίνα μὴ ἐκλίπῃ ἡ πίστις σου καὶ σύ ποτε ἐπιστρέψας στήριξον τοὺς ἀδελφούς σου. ό δὲ εἶπεν αὐτῷ. Κύριε, μετὰ σοῦ ἕτοιμός εἰμι καὶ εἰς φυλακὴν καὶ εἰς θάνατον πορεύεσθαι. ὁ δὲ εἶπε· Λέγω σοι, Πέτρε, οὐ φωνήσει σήμερον ἀλέκτωρ πρὶν ἢ τρὶς ἀπαονήση μη είδεναι με. Καὶ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς: Ότε ἀπέστειλα ύμᾶς ἄτερ βαλαντίου καὶ πήρας καὶ ὑποδημάτων, μή τινος ύστερήθητε; οί δὲ εἶπον Οὐθενός. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτοῖς. Άλλὰ νῦν ὁ ἔχων βαλάντιον ἀράτω, ὁμοίως καὶ πήραν, καὶ ὁ μὴ ἔχων πωλήσει τὸ ἱμάτιον αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀγοράσει μάχαιραν. λέγω γὰρ ὑμῖν ὅτι ἔτι τοῦτο τὸ γεγραμμένον δεῖ τελεσθῆναι ἐν ἐμοί, τὸ καὶ μετὰ ἀνόμων ἐλογίσθη· καὶ γὰο τὰ περὶ ἐμοῦ τέλος ἔχει. οἱ δὲ εἶπον Κύριε, ἰδοὺ μάχαιραι ὧδε δύο. ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς Ἱκανόν έστι. Καὶ ἐξελθών ἐπορεύθη κατὰ τὸ ἔθος είς τὸ ὄφος τῶν ἐλαιῶν ἠκολούθησαν δὲ αὐτῷ καὶ οἱ μαθηταί αὐτοῦ.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

## Ψαλμὸς Ν' (50).

Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιομῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου. Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου, καὶ απὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ότι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μού ἐστι διὰ παντός. Σοὶ μόνῳ ἥμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν τοῖς

prayed for you that your faith may not fail; and when you have turned again, strengthen your brethren." And he said to him, "Lord, I am ready to go with you to prison and to death." He said, "I tell you, Peter, the cock will not crow this day, until you three times deny that you know me." And he said to them, "When I sent you out with no purse or bag or sandals, did you lack anything?" They said, "Nothing." He said to them, "But now, let him who has a purse take it, and likewise a bag. And let him who has no sword sell his mantle and buy one. For I tell you that this scripture must be fulfilled in me, 'And he was reckoned with transgressors'; for what is written about me has its fulfilment." And they said, "Look, Lord, here are two swords." And he said to them, "It is enough." And he came out, and went, as was his custom, to the Mount of Olives; and the disciples followed him. (RSV)

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

#### READER

## Psalm 50 (51).

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

λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε. Ίδοὺ γὰο ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν άμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἰδοὺ γὰο ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας, τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κούφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ραντιεῖς με ὑσσώπω, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲο χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Άκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφοοσύνην άγαλλιάσονται ὀστέα τεταπεινωμένα. Απόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν άμαςτιῶν μου καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου έξάλειψον. Καρδίαν καθαράν κτίσον έν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον έν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ το Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Απόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῷ στήριξόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδούς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ρῦσαί με έξ αίμάτων, ὁ Θεὸς, ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου άγαλλιάσεται ή γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χείλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. Ότι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα άν όλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον, καρδίαν συντετοιμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει. Ἀγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ εὐδοκία σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ίερουσαλήμ. Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὁλοκαυτώματα. Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους.

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. 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. (SAAS)

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Ό Κανών.

## Ποίημα Κοσμᾶ Μοναχοῦ. Ὠιδὴ α΄. Ἡχος πλ. β΄. Ὁ Είρμός.

Τμηθείση τμᾶται, πόντος ἐφυθφός, κυματοτφόφος δὲ ξηφαίνεται βυθός, ὁ αὐτὸς ὁμοῦ ἀόπλοις γεγονὼς βατός, καὶ πανοπλίταις τάφος. Ὠδὴ δὲ θεοτεφπὴς ἀνεμέλπετο. Ἐνδόξως δεδόξασται, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

## Τοοπάοια.

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Ἡ πανταιτία, καὶ παρεκτικὴ ζωῆς, ἡ ἄπειρος σοφία τοῦ Θεοῦ, ἀκοδόμησε τὸν οἶκον ἑαυτῆς, άγνῆς ἐξ ἀπειράνδρου μητρός· ναὸν γὰρ σωματικὸν περιθέμενος, ἐνδόξως δεδόξασται, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

#### Λόξα.

Μυσταγωγοῦσα, φίλους ἑαυτῆς, τὴν ψυχοτοόφον ἑτοιμάζει τοάπεζαν, ἀμβοοσίας δὲ ἡ ὄντως σοφία τοῦ Θεοῦ, κιονῷ κοατῆρα πιστοῖς. Ποοσέλθωμεν εῦσεβῶς καὶ βοήσωμεν Ἐνδόξως δεδόξασται, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

## Καὶ νῦν.

Άκουτισθῶμεν, πάντες οἱ πιστοί, συγκαλουμένης ὑψηλῷ κηρύγματι, τῆς ἀκτίστου καὶ ἐμφύτου σοφίας τοῦ Θεοῦ· βοᾶ γάρ, Γεύσασθε καὶ γνόντες, ὅτι χρηστὸς ἐγὼ κράξατε· Ἐνδόξως δεδόξασται, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

## Καταβασία.

Τμηθείση τμᾶται, πόντος ἐουθοός, κυματοτοόφος δὲ ξηραίνεται βυθός, ὁ

## **CHOIR**

## The Canon.

## By Cosmas the Monk. Ode i. Mode pl. 2. Heirmos.

The Red Sea was cut by a rod that was cut, and the undulating deep went dry; the same became passable for those who were unarmed, and a tomb for those in full armor. The former sang an ode that was pleasing to God: "He is Christ our God, and He is greatly glorified."

## Troparia.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

The infinite Wisdom of God, which is the cause of all and the provider of life, has built himself a house, from a pure mother who knew no man; for He put on the temple of His body. He is Christ our God, and He is greatly glorified. (5D)

## Glory.

Initiating His friends into mysteries, the very Wisdom of God sets a soul-sustaining table, and mixes the wine of immortality in His chalice, for those who believe. Let us religiously draw near and call out: "He is Christ our God, and He is greatly glorified."

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#### Both now.

Let us listen, all we who believe, as the uncreated and innate Wisdom of God is calling from the highest point in town. For He is shouting, "Taste and see that I am good, and knowing this call out: 'He is Christ our God, and He is greatly glorified.'" (SD)

#### Katavasia.

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αὐτὸς ὁμοῦ ἀόπλοις γεγονὼς βατός, καὶ πανοπλίταις τάφος. Ὠδὴ δὲ θεοτερπὴς ἀνεμέλπετο. Ἐνδόξως δεδόξασται, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

## Ώιδὴ γ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.

Κύ οιος ὢν πάντων, καὶ Κτίστης Θεός, τὸ κτιστὸν ὁ ἀπαθής, πτωχεύσας σεαυτῷ ἥνωσας· καὶ τὸ Πάσχα, οἶς ἔμελλες θανεῖν, αὐτὸς ὤν σεαυτὸν προετίθης· Φάγετε, βοῶν, τὸ σῶμά μου, καὶ πίστει στερεωθήσεσθε. (δίς)

## Τροπάρια.

## Δόξα.

Ρύσιον παντός, τοῦ βροτείου γένους, τὸ οἰκεῖον Ἁγαθέ, τοὺς σοὺς Μαθητὰς ἐπότισας, εὐφροσύνης ποτήριον πλήσας αὐτὸς γὰρ σεαυτὸν ἱερούργεις Πίετε, βοῶν, τὸ αἶμά μου, καὶ πίστει στερεωθήσεσθε.

## Καὶ νῦν.

ἄφοων ἀνήο, ος ἐν ὑμῖν ποοδότης, τοῖς οἰκείοις Μαθηταῖς ποοέφης, ὁ ἀνεξίκακος οὐ μὴ γνώσηται ταῦτα, καὶ οὖτος ἀσύνετος ἄν, οὐ μὴ συνήσει ὅμως ἐν ἐμοὶ μείνατε, καὶ πίστει στερεωθήσεσθε.

## Καταβασία.

Κύριος ὢν πάντων, καὶ Κτίστης Θεός, τὸ κτιστὸν ὁ ἀπαθής, πτωχεύσας σεαυτῷ ἥνωσας· καὶ τὸ Πάσχα, οἷς ἔμελλες θανεῖν, αὐτὸς ὤν σεαυτὸν προετίθης· Φάγετε, βοῶν, τὸ σῶμά μου, καὶ πίστει στερεωθήσεσθε.

same became passable for those who were unarmed, and a tomb for those in full armor. The former sang an ode that was pleasing to God: "He is Christ our God, and He is greatly glorified." (SD)

## Ode iii. Heirmos.

Lord of all and Creator and God though You were, and as such impassible, yet You became poor and united our created nature to yourself. And You, the paschal lamb itself, offered yourself to those for whom You were to die, saying, "Eat my body, and you will be established by faith." (2)

## Troparia.

## Glory.

Good one, You gave Your disciples to drink from Your cup, the redemption of the whole human race, and You filled them with gladness; for You sacrificed yourself, saying, "Drink my blood, and you will be established by faith." (5D)

## Both now.

"Senseless is the man, that traitor among you," You foretold to Your disciples, O unresentful Lord. "He will not know these things; and being a fool, he will not understand. But you, abide in me, and you will be established by faith." (5D)

#### Katavasia.

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#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Αντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχοάντου, 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.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Κάθισμα Α'.

Ήχος α'. Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.

Ό λίμνας καὶ πηγάς, καὶ θαλάσσας ποιήσας, ταπείνωσιν ήμᾶς, ἐκπαιδεύων ἀρίστην, λεντίω ζωννύμενος, Μαθητῶν πόδας ἔνιψε, ταπεινούμενος, ὑπερβολῆ εὐσπλαγχνίας, καὶ ὑψῶν ἡμᾶς, ἀπὸ βαράθρων κακίας, ὁ μόνος φιλάνθρωπος.

Δόξα. Ήχος γ'. Θείας πίστεως.

Ταπεινούμενος, δι' εὐσπλαγχνίαν, πόδας ἔνιψας, τῶν Μαθητῶν σου, καὶ πρὸς δρόμον θεῖον τούτους κατεύθυνας ἀπαναινόμενος Πέτρος δὲ νίπτεσθαι, αὖθις τῷ θείῳ ὑπείκει προστάγματι,

#### **DEACON**

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

#### **PRIEST**

For you are our God, 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.)

## **CHOIR**

## Kathisma I.

**Mode 1.** *The soldiers keeping watch.* 

The Lord, who made the lakes, and the springs and the oceans, \* instructing us in finest humility, girded \* himself with a towel and then He washed the Disciples' feet.

\* He was humble thus, in His surpassing compassion, \* and He lifted us up from the pit of perdition, \* for He alone loves mankind. (5D)

Glory. Mode 3. Your confession.

You were humble in Your great compassion, \* and You washed the feet of Your Disciples, \* and by this You set them straight on the course of God. \* Although refusing initially to be washed, \* Peter submits and obeys the divine command, \* and ἐκνιπτόμενος, καὶ σοῦ ἐκτενῶς δεόμενος, δωρήσασθαι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

## Καὶ νῦν. Ἡχος δ΄. Ἐπεφάνης σήμερον.

Συνεσθίων Δέσποτα, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου, μυστικῶς ἐδήλωσας, τὴν παναγίαν σου σφαγήν δι' ἦς φθορᾶς ἐλυτρώθημεν, οἱ τὰ σεπτά σου, τιμῶντες Παθήματα.

## Ώιδὴ δ΄. Ὁ Εἱομός.

Προκατιδών ὁ Προφήτης, τοῦ μυστηρίου σου τὸ ἀπόρρητον, Χριστὲ προανεφώνησεν Ἐθου κραταιὰν ἀγάπησιν ἰσχύος, Πάτερ οἰκτίρμον τὸν μονογενῆ Υίὸν γὰρ ἀγαθέ, ἱλασμὸν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀπέστειλας.

## Τροπάρια.

Δόξα σοι ό Θεὸς ήμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Ἐπὶ τὸ πάθος τὸ πᾶσι, τοῖς ἐξ Ἀδὰμ πηγάσαν ἀπάθειαν, Χριστὲ μολῶν τοῖς φίλοις σου, εἶπας· Μεθ' ὑμῶν, τοῦ Πάσχα μετασχεῖν, τούτου ἐπεθύμησα· τὸν Μονογενῆ ἐπεί με ίλασμόν, ὁ Πατὴρ εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀπέστειλεν.

## Δόξα.

Μεταλαμβάνων κοατῆρος, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς ἐβόας Ἀθάνατε· Γεννήματος ἀμπέλου δέ, πίομαι λοιπόν, οὐκ ἔτι μεθ' ὑμῶν βιοτεύων· τὸν Μονογενῆ ἐπεί με ἱλασμόν, ὁ Πατὴο εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀπέστειλεν.

## Καὶ νῦν.

Πόμα καινὸν ὑπὲο λόγον, ἐγὼ φημὶ ἐν τῆ Βασιλεία μου, Χριστὲ τοῖς φίλοις πίομαι· is washed by You. \* And now he entreats You earnestly, \* beseeching that You grant us Your great mercy. (SD)

Both now. **Mode 4.** You appeared today.

Master, as You ate a meal \* with Your Disciples, \* You informed them mystically \* of Your all-holy sacrifice, \* by which You saved us from corruption. \* We duly honor \* Your ven'rable suffering. (SD)

## Ode iv. Heirmos.

When Habakkuk the Prophet foresaw Your ineffable mystery, O Christ, he proclaimed prophetically: "You have shown a strong and mighty love, O compassionate Father; for You, O Good One, sent Your onlybegotten Son to the world as an atoning sacrifice."

## Troparia.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Voluntarily going to Your Passion, the source of dispassion for all of Adam's descendants, O Christ, You said to Your friends, "I have desired to share this Passover with you; for my Father sent me, His onlybegotten Son, to the world as an atoning sacrifice." (SD)

## Glory.

As You partook of the chalice, O Immortal One, You said to the Disciples, "I will not drink again of the fruit of the vine, as long as I am with you in this life; for my Father sent me, His only-begotten Son, to the world as an atoning sacrifice." (5D)

## Both now.

"I tell you, in my kingdom, I will drink a new drink beyond description," Christ, You ὥστε γὰο θεοῖς, Θεὸς ὑμῖν συνέσομαι εἶπας τὸν Μονογενῆ ἐπεί με ἱλασμόν, ὁ Πατὴο εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀπέστειλεν.

## Καταβασία.

Ποοκατιδών ὁ Ποοφήτης, τοῦ μυστηρίου σου τὸ ἀπόρρητον, Χριστὲ προανεφώνησεν Ἐθου κραταιὰν ἀγάπησιν ἰσχύος, Πάτερ οἰκτίρμον τὸν μονογενῆ Υίὸν γὰρ ἀγαθέ, ἱλασμὸν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀπέστειλας.

## Ώιδη ε'. Ὁ Είρμός.

Τῷ συνδέσμῳ τῆς ἀγάπης, συνδεόμενοι οἱ Ἀπόστολοι, τῷ δεσπόζοντι τῶν ὅλων, ἑαυτοὺς Χριστῷ ἀναθέμενοι, ὡραίους πόδας ἐξαπενίζοντο, εὐαγγελιζόμενοι πᾶσιν εἰρήνην. (δίς)

## Τροπάρια.

Δόξα.

Ή τὸ ἄσχετον κρατοῦσα, καὶ ὑπερῷον ἐν αἰθέρι ὕδωρ, ἡ ἀβύσσους χαλινοῦσα, καὶ θαλάσσας ἀναχαιτίζουσα, Θεοῦ σοφία, ὕδωρ νιπτῆρι βάλλει, πόδας ἀποπλύνει δὲ δούλων Δεσπότης.

## Καὶ νῦν.

Μαθηταῖς ὑποδεικνύει, ταπεινώσεως ὁ Δεσπότης τύπον, ὁ νεφέλαις δὲ τὸν πόλον περιβάλλων, ζώννυται λέντιον, καὶ κάμπτει γόνυ δούλων ἐκπλῦναι πόδας· οὖ ἐν τῆ χειρὶ πνοὴ πάντων τῶν ὄντων.

## Καταβασία.

Τῷ συνδέσμῳ τῆς ἀγάπης, συνδεόμενοι οἱ Ἀπόστολοι, τῷ δεσπόζοντι τῶν ὅλων,

said to Your friends. "For then I shall be with you, God among gods; for my Father sent me, His only-begotten Son, to the world as an atoning sacrifice." (SD)

#### Katavasia.

When Habakkuk the Prophet foresaw Your ineffable mystery, O Christ, he proclaimed prophetically: "You have shown a strong and mighty love, O compassionate Father; for You, O Good One, sent Your onlybegotten Son to the world as an atoning sacrifice." (SD)

## Ode v. Heirmos.

Once the Apostles were connected to each other with the bond of love, and had devoted themselves to Christ, the Master of all, then He washed their beautiful feet, so that they might preach to all the gospel of peace. (2)

## Troparia.

Glory.

He who controls the lofty and uninhibited water in the ethereal sphere, and who bridles the abysses, and restrains the seas, the very Wisdom of God, now pours water into a basin, and the Master washes the feet of His servants. (SD)

## Both now.

The Master shows a model of humility to His Disciples. He, who wraps the sky in clouds, girds himself with a towel, and He bends the knee to wash the feet of His servants, He in whose hand is the breath of every being. (SD)

#### Katavasia.

Once the Apostles were connected to each other with the bond of love, and had devoted

έαυτοὺς Χριστῷ ἀναθέμενοι, ὡραίους πόδας ἐξαπενίζοντο, εὐαγγελιζόμενοι πᾶσιν εἰρήνην.

## 'Ωιδή ζ'. Ὁ Εἱρμός.

Άβυσσος ἐσχάτη ἁμαρτημάτων, ἐκύκλωσέ με, καὶ τὸν κλύδωνα μηκέτι φέρων, ὡς ὁ Ἰωνᾶς, τῷ Δεσπότη βοῶ σοι Ἐκ φθορᾶς με ἀνάγαγε. (δίς)

## Τροπάρια.

Δόξα.

Κύριον φωνεῖτε ὧ Μαθηταί, καὶ Διδάσκαλόν με καὶ γὰρ πέφυκα Σωτὴρ ἐβόας διὸ μιμεῖσθε τὸν τύπον, ὃν τρόπον ἐν ἐμοὶ ἐθεάσασθε.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ρύπον τις μὴ ἔχων ἀπορουφθῆναι, οὐ δεῖται πόδας· καθαροὶ ὧ Μαθηταὶ ὑμεὶς δέ, ἀλλ' οὐχὶ πάντες· ροπὴ γὰρ ἀτάκτως ἐξ ὑμῶν ἑνὸς μαίνεται.

## Καταβασία.

Άβυσσος ἐσχάτη ἁμαρτημάτων, ἐκύκλωσέ με, καὶ τὸν κλύδωνα μηκέτι φέρων, ὡς ὁ Ἰωνᾶς, τῷ Δεσπότη βοῶ σοι Ἐκ φθορᾶς με ἀνάγαγε.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχοάντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες,

themselves to Christ, the Master of all, then He washed their beautiful feet, so that they might preach to all the gospel of peace. (SD)

## Ode vi. Heirmos.

The lowest depth of my sins has encircled me; and, no longer able to endure the storm, like Jonah I cry to You the Master, "Bring me up from corruption." (2)

## Troparia.

Glory.

Savior, You cried out, "O Disciples, you call me Lord and Teacher, and you are right, for that is what I am. So imitate the example, and do as you have seen me do." (5D)

Both now.

He who is not dirty does not need washing, not even of his feet. And you are clean, O my Disciples, but not all; for one of you is inclined to undisciplined insanity. (5D)

#### Katavasia.

The lowest depth of my sins has encircled me; and, no longer able to endure the storm, like Jonah I cry to You the Master, "Bring me up from corruption." (SD)

#### **DEACON**

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σὺ γὰο εἶ ὁ Βασιλεὺς τῆς εἰρήνης καὶ σωτὴο τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῷ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

## Κοντάκιον.

Ήχος β΄. Τὰ ἄνω ζητῶν.

Τὸν ἄρτον λαβών, εἰς χεῖρας ὁ προδότης, κρυφίως αὐτάς, ἐκτείνει καὶ λαμβάνει, τὴν τιμὴν τοῦ πλάσαντος, ταῖς οἰκείαις χερσὶ τὸν ἄνθρωπον καὶ ἀδιόρθωτος ἔμεινεν, Ἰούδας ὁ δοῦλος καὶ δόλιος.

#### Ό Οἶκος.

Τῆ μυστικῆ ἐν φόβῳ τοαπέζη, ποοσεγγίσαντες πάντες, καθαραῖς ταῖς ψυχαῖς, τὸν ἄρτον ὑποδεξώμεθα, συμπαραμένοντες τῷ Δεσπότη, ἵνα ἴδωμεν τοὺς πόδας πῶς ἀπονίπτει τῶν Μαθητῶν, καὶ ἐκμάσσει τῷ λεντίῳ, καὶ ποιήσωμεν ὥσπερ κατίδωμεν, ἀλλήλοις ὑποταγέντες, καὶ ἀλλήλων τοὺς πόδας ἐκπλύνοντες αὐτὸς γὰρ ὁ Χριστὸς οὕτως ἐκέλευσε, τοῖς αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς ὡς προέφησεν ἀλλ' οὐκ ἤκουσεν, Ἰούδας ὁ δοῦλος καὶ δόλιος.

## Συναξάριον.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου.

Τῆ ἁγία καὶ μεγάλη Πέμπτη, οἱ τὰ πάντα καλῶς διαταξάμενοι θεῖοι Πατέρες, ἀλληλοδιαδόχως ἐκ τε τῶν θείων Ἀποστόλων, καὶ τῶν ἱερῶν Ευαγγελίων, (To You, O Lord.)

## **PRIEST**

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.)

From Triodion - - -

#### **READER**

## Kontakion.

**Mode 2.** *In seeking the heights.* 

Receiving the bread in his hands, the betrayer \* in secret extends those very hands receiving \* from the priests the price of Him \* who had fashioned mankind with His own hands. \* And he remained incorrigible, Judas the slave and the knave. (SD)

#### Oikos.

As we all draw near with fear to the mystic table, let us receive the Bread with pure souls, remaining beside the Master, that we may see how He washes the feet of the Disciples and dries them with the towel. And let us do as we have seen, being subject to one another and washing one another's feet; for Christ himself has ordered this, as He declared it before to His disciples. But one did not listen, Judas the slave and the knave. (SD)

## Synaxarion.

From the Triodion.

On holy and great Thursday the godly Fathers, who have arranged all things well, received from the divine Apostles and the sacred Gospels and in turn handed down to παραδεδώκασιν ἡμῖν τέσσαρά τινα έορτάζειν τὸν ἱερὸν Νιπτῆρα, τὸν μυστικὸν Δεῖπνον (δηλαδὴ τὴν παράδοσιν τῶν καθ' ἡμᾶς φρικτῶν Μυστηρίων), τὴν ὑπερφυᾶ Προσευχήν, καὶ τὴν Προδοσίαν αὐτήν.

## Στίχοι εἰς τὸν Ἱερὸν Νιπτήρα

Νίπτει Μαθητῶν ἑσπέφας Θεὸς πόδας, Οὖ ποὺς πατῶν ἦν εἰς Ἐδὲμ δείλης πάλαι.

## Εἰς τὸν Μυστικὸν Δεῖπνον

Διπλοῦς ὁ Δεῖπνος· Πάσχα γὰο νόμου φέρει, Καὶ Πάσχα καινόν, Αἶμα, Σῶμα Δεσπότου.

## Εἰς τὴν ὑπερφυᾶ Προσευχήν

Ποοσεύχη· καὶ φόβητοα, θοόμβοι αἰμάτων, Χοιστέ, ποοσώπου, παραιτούμενος δῆθεν θάνατον, ἐχθρὸν ἐν τούτοις φενακίζων.

## Εἰς τὴν Ποοδοσίαν

Τί δεῖ μαχαιοῶν, τί ξύλων, λαοπλάνοι, Πρὸς τὸ θανεῖν πρόθυμον εἰς Κόσμου λύτρον;

Τῆ ἀφάτω σου εὐσπλαγχνία, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

## 'Ωιδή ζ'. Ὁ Εἱρμός.

Οἱ Παῖδες ἐν Βαβυλῶνι, καμίνου φλόγα οὐκ ἔπτηξαν, ἀλλ' ἐν μέσῳ φλογὸς ἐμβληθέντες, δοοσιζόμενοι ἔψαλλον Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύοιε, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν.

## Τροπάρια.

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Νευστάζων κάραν Ἰούδας, κακὰ προβλέπων ἐκίνησεν, εὐκαιρίαν ζητῶν παραδοῦναι, τὸν Κριτὴν εἰς κατάκρισιν δς πάντων ἐστὶ Κύριος, καὶ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν.

us, that today we should celebrate four things: the sacred Washing of Feet, the Mystical Supper (that is, the tradition of what we know as the awsome Mysteries of Holy Communion), the High Priestly Prayer, and finally the Betrayal itself.

## Verses for the sacred Washing

In the evening God washed the feet of the Disciples; His own foot once walked before dusk in Eden.

## For the Mystical Supper

Double Supper: it has the Law's Pascha, The new Pascha also, the Lord's Blood and Body.

## For the transcendent Prayer

You pray: the terrors, the blood on Your forehead, As though You were begging to be spared from dying. O Christ, by this You deceive the deceiver.

## For the Betrayal

Why swords and clubs, O deceivers of the people? He is willing to die for the world's redemption.

By Your ineffable compassion, O Christ our God, have mercy on us. Amen.

#### **CHOIR**

#### Ode vii. Heirmos.

In Babylon those Servants did not cringe at the furnace fire; but when cast into the midst of the flames, they were refreshed and sang the hymn: "Blessed are You, O Lord, the God of our fathers."

## Troparia.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Nodding his head was Judas, premeditating, setting evils in motion, looking for an opportunity to betray the Judge to be convicted, though He is Lord of all and God of our fathers. (SD)

#### Δόξα.

Ύμῖν ὁ Χριστὸς τοῖς φίλοις ἐβόα· εἶς παραδώσει με· εὐφροσύνης λαθόντες, ἀγωνία καὶ λύπη συνείχοντο. Τίς οὖτος; φράσον λέγοντες, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν.

#### Καὶ νῦν.

Μεθ' ὅστις ἐμοῦ τὴν χεῖοα, τουβλίω βάλλει θοασύτητι, τούτω πλὴν καλὸν ἦν, πύλας βίου πεοάσαι μηδέποτε· τοῦτον ὃς ἦν, ἐδήλου δέ, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέοων ἡμῶν.

## Καταβασία.

Οἱ Παῖδες ἐν Βαβυλῶνι, καμίνου φλόγα οὐκ ἔπτηξαν, ἀλλ' ἐν μέσῳ φλογὸς ἐμβληθέντες, δοοσιζόμενοι ἔψαλλον Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύοιε, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν.

## 'Ωιδή η'. Ὁ Εἱρμός.

Νόμων πατοώων οἱ μακαριστοί, ἐν Βαβυλῶνι νέοι προκινδυνεύοντες, βασιλεύοντος κατέπτυσαν, προσταγῆς ἀλογίστου, καὶ συνημμένοι ῷ οὐκ ἐχωνεύθησαν πυρί, τοῦ κρατοῦντος ἐπάξιον ἀνέμελπον τὸν ὕμνον Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

## Τοοπάοια.

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Οί δαιτυμόνες οί μακαριστοί, ἐν τῆ Σιὼν τῷ Λόγῳ προσκαρτερήσαντες, οί Απόστολοι παρείποντο, τῷ ποιμένι ὡς ἄρνες, καὶ συνημμένοι, ῷ οὐκ ἐχωρίσθησαν Χριστῷ, θείῳ λόγῳ τρεφόμενοι, εὐχαρίστως ἐβόων Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

## Glory.

"I tell you, my friends," said Christ to the Disciples, "one of you will betray me." Forgetting their gladness, they were gripped by anguish and sorrow. "Tell us, who is it?" they said, "O God of our fathers." (SD)

#### Both now.

"For him who in his presumption has dipped his hand in the dish with me, it would have been better if he had never been born at all." Thus was he identified by the God of our fathers. (SD)

#### Katavasia.

In Babylon those Servants did not cringe at the furnace fire; but when cast into the midst of the flames, they were refreshed and sang the hymn: "Blessed are You, O Lord, the God of our fathers." (SD)

#### Ode viii. Heirmos.

Braving all danger for their ancestral Laws, the blessed young men in Babylon spat disdainfully upon the king's unreasonable decree; and being joined to the fire, by which they were not consumed, they sang a hymn worthy of God the Ruler: "Sing a hymn to the Lord, all you works, and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages."

## Troparia.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Having devoted themselves to the Word in Zion, the Apostles and blessed banqueters followed close upon the Shepherd like sheep; and being joined to Christ, from whom they were separated not, they were fed the word of God and gratefully cried out: "Sing a hymn

Εὐλογοῦμεν Πατέρα, Υίὸν καὶ Άγιον Πνεῦμα, τὸν Κύριον ὑμνοῦμεν, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦμεν αὐτὸν εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Νόμου φιλίας, ὁ δυσώνυμος Ἰσκαφιώτης γνώμη ἐπιλαθόμενος, οὓς ἐνίψατο ηὐτρέπισεν πρὸς προδοσίαν πόδας, καὶ σοῦ ἐσθίων ἄρτον, σῶμα θεῖον, ἐπῆρε πτερνισμὸν ἐπί σέ, Χριστέ, καὶ βοᾶν οὐ συνῆκε Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

## Καὶ νῦν.

Ἐδεξιοῦτο τὸ λυτήριον, τῆς ἁμαρτίας σῶμα ὁ ἀσυνείδητος, καὶ τὸ αἷμα τὸ χεόμενον, ὑπὲρ κόσμου τὸ θεῖον ἀλλ' οὐκ ἠδεῖτο πίνων, ὁ ἐπίπρασκε τιμῆς, οὐ κακία προσώχθισε, καὶ βοᾶν οὐ συνῆκε Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

## Καταβασία.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

Νόμων πατοώων οἱ μακαριστοί, ἐν Βαβυλῶνι νέοι προκινδυνεύοντες, βασιλεύοντος κατέπτυσαν, προσταγῆς ἀλογίστου, καὶ συνημμένοι ῷ οὐκ ἐχωνεύθησαν πυρί, τοῦ κρατοῦντος ἐπάξιον ἀνέμελπον τὸν ὕμνον Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

to the Lord, all you works, and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages." (SD)

We bless the Lord: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; we sing a hymn to Him and exalt Him beyond measure unto the ages.

Having willfully forgotten the law of friendship, the infamous Iscariot, whose feet You had just washed, prepared to betray You. And eating Your bread, Your divine body, he lifted up his heel against You, O Christ, and knew not to cry out: "Sing a hymn to the Lord, all you works, and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages." (5D)

## Both now.

He took in his right hand the holy Body, the remedy for sin, and the divine Blood that was being poured out for the world, he who was devoid of conscience. And he was not ashamed to drink what he had sold for a price. He abhorred not the evil and knew not to cry out: "Sing a hymn to the Lord, all you works, and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages." (SD)

#### Katavasia.

We praise and we bless and we worship the Lord.

Braving all danger for their ancestral Laws, the blessed young men in Babylon spat disdainfully upon the king's unreasonable decree; and being joined to the fire, by which they were not consumed, they sang a hymn worthy of God the Ruler: "Sing a hymn to the Lord, all you works, and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages." (SD)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Ώιδὴ θ'. Ὁ Εἱρμός.

Ξενίας δεσποτικῆς, καὶ ἀθανάτου τραπέζης, ἐν ὑπερώφ τόπφ, ταῖς ὑψηλαῖς φρεσὶ πιστοὶ δεῦτε ἀπολαύσωμεν, ἐπαναβεβηκότα λόγον, ἐκ τοῦ Λόγου μαθόντες, ὃν μεγαλύνομεν.

## Τροπάρια.

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

ἄπιτε τοῖς Μαθηταῖς, ὁ Λόγος ἔφη, τὸ Πάσχα, ἐν ὑπερώω τόπω, ὧ νοῦς ἐνίδρυται, οἷς μυσταγωγῶ σκευάσατε, ἀζύμω ἀληθείας λόγω τὸ στερρὸν δὲ τῆς χάριτος μεγαλύνατε.

## Δόξα.

Δημιουργὸν ὁ Πατήρ, πρὸ τῶν αἰώνων σοφίαν, γεννᾳ ἀρχὴν ὁδῶν με, εἰς ἐργα ἔκτισε, τὰ νῦν μυστικῶς τελούμενα. Λόγος γὰρ ἄκτιστος ὢν φύσει, τὰς φωνὰς οἰκειοῦμαι, οὖ νῦν προσείληφα.

#### Καὶ νῦν.

Ως ἄνθοωπος ὑπάοχω, οὐσία οὐ φαντασία, οὕτω Θεὸς τῷ τοόπῳ τῆς ἀντιδόσεως, ἡ φύσις ἡ ἑνωθεῖσά μοι· Χοιστὸν ἕνα, διό με γνῶτε, τὰ ἐξ ὧν ἐν οῖς, ἄπεο πέφυκα σώζοντα.

## **DEACON**

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

## CHOIR

#### **CHOIR**

## Ode ix. Heirmos.

Come, believers, let us enjoy the Master's hospitality and immortal table, in the upper room, that is, in elevated minds. And learning a sublime word from the Word, we magnify Him.

## Troparia.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

The Logos said to His Disciples, "Go prepare the Passover meal for you, whom I initiate into the mysteries, in the upper room, where the mind is established, with the unleavened word of truth; and magnify the staff of grace." (SD)

## Glory.

Before the ages, the Father begets me, creative wisdom. He created me, the beginning of His ways, for the works that now are being mystically accomplished. I say this, for though I am the Logos and by nature uncreated, I appropriate the speech of the humanity that I assumed. (SD)

#### Both now.

As I am human in essence, and not in mere appearance, so the nature united to me is divine, by way of exchange. Therefore recognize me to be one single Christ, preserving the properties of and in which natures I consist. (SD)

## Καταβασία.

Ξενίας δεσποτικῆς, καὶ ἀθανάτου τραπέζης, ἐν ὑπερώφ τόπφ, ταῖς ὑψηλαῖς φρεσὶ πιστοὶ δεῦτε ἀπολαύσωμεν, ἐπαναβεβηκότα λόγον, ἐκ τοῦ Λόγου μαθόντες, ὃν μεγαλύνομεν.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχοάντου, 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.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι 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 αἰωνων.

 $(A\mu\eta\nu.)$ 

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Έξαποστειλάρια.

Ήχος γ'. Αὐτόμελον.

Τὸν νυμφῶνά σου βλέπω, Σωτής μου κεκοσμημένον, καὶ ἔνδυμα οὐκ ἔχω, ἵνα εἰσέλθω ἐν αὐτῷ λάμπουνόν μου τὴν στολὴν τῆς ψυχῆς, Φωτοδότα, καὶ σῶσόν με. (ἐκ γ')

## Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἡχος β'.

Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν αἰνεῖτε

#### Katavasia.

Come, believers, let us enjoy the Master's hospitality and immortal table, in the upper room, that is, in elevated minds. And learning a sublime word from the Word, we magnify Him. (5D)

#### **DEACON**

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

#### **PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

From Triodion - - -

#### **CHOIR**

## Exaposteilaria.

Mode 3. Automelon.

O my Savior, now I see \* Your wedding hall decorated, \* and I have not the garment \* needed for me to enter it. \* Make this raiment of my soul brightly shine, \* O Giver-of-Light, and save me. (3) (5D)

## Lauds. Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise

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.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

## Στιχηφὸν Α΄. Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος β΄.

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

Συντρέχει λοιπόν, τὸ συνέδριον τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ἵνα τὸν Δημιουργόν, καὶ Κτίστην τῶν ἀπάντων, Πιλάτω παραδώση ἢ τῶν ἀνόμων! ὢ τῶν ἀπίστων! ὅτι τὸν ἐρχόμενον, κρῖναι ζώντας καὶ νεκρούς, εἰς κρίσιν εὐτρεπίζουσι τὸν ἰώμενον τὰ πάθη, πρὸς πάθος ἑτοιμάζουσι. Κύριε μακρόθυμε, μέγα σου τὸ ἔλεος δόξα σοι.

## Στιχηρον Β'. Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος β'.

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

Ἰούδας ὁ παράνομος Κύριε, ὁ βάψας ἐν τῷ δείπνῳ τὴν χεῖρα, ἐν τῷ τρυβλίῳ μετὰ σοῦ, ἐξέτεινεν ἀνόμως τὰς χεῖρας, τοῦ λαβεῖν ἀργύρια· καὶ ὁ τοῦ μύρου λογισάμενος τιμήν, σὲ τὸν ἀτίμητον οὐκ ἔφριξε πωλῆσαι· ὁ τοὺς πόδας ὑφαπλώσας ἐπὶ τὸ νίψαι τὸν Δεσπότην, κατεφίλησε δολίως, εἰς τὸ προδοῦναι τοῖς ἀνόμοις· χοροῦ δὲ Ἀποστόλων ριφείς, καὶ τὰ τριάκοντα ρίψας ἀργύρια, σοῦ τὴν τριήμερον Ἀνάστασιν οὐκ εἶδε, δι' ἦς ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

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)

From Triodion - - -

## Sticheron 1. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

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

So, the council of the Jews gathers and agrees to deliver up to Pilate the Creator and Maker of all. Oh, lawless men! Oh, faithless men! They arraign for trial the One who is coming to judge the living and the dead. They prepare for Passion the One who cures the passions. O longsuffering Lord, great is Your mercy. Glory to You! (5D)

## Sticheron 2. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Praise Him with the sound of trumpet; praise Him with the harp and lyre. (SAAS)

Judas, the transgressor of the Law, who at the supper dipped his hand in the dish with You, O Lord, lawlessly extended his hands to take the pieces of silver. He who calculated the price of the fragrant oil was not afraid to sell You, the priceless One. He who offered his feet for You, the Master, to wash them kissed You deceitfully in order to betray You to the lawless. Thrown out of the company of Apostles, and having thrown down the thirty pieces of silver, he did not see Your Resurrection on the third day; through which, have mercy on us. (5D)

## Στιχηρὸν Γ΄. Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος β΄.

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

Ἰούδας ὁ προδότης δόλιος ἄν, δολίω φιλήματι παρέδωκε τὸν Σωτῆρα Κύριον τὸν Δεσπότην τῶν ἁπάντων, ὡς δοῦλον πέπρακε τοῖς παρανόμοις ἀλλ' ὡς πρόβατον ἐπὶ σφαγήν, οὕτως ἠκολούθει, ὁ Ἀμνὸς ὁ τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υίὸς ὁ τοῦ Πατρός, ὁ μόνος πολυέλεος.

## Στιχηρὸν Δ΄. Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος β΄.

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

Ἰούδας ὁ δοῦλος καὶ δόλιος, ὁ μαθητής καὶ ἐπίβουλος, ὁ φίλος καὶ διάβολος, ἐκ τῶν ἔργων ἀπεφάνθη ἀκολούθει γὰρ τῷ Διδασκάλῳ, καὶ καθ' ἑαυτὸν ἐμελέτησε τὴν προδοσίαν ἔλεγεν ἐν ἑαυτῷ Παραδώσω τοῦτον, καὶ κερδήσω τὰ συναχθέντα χρήματα ἐπεζήτει δὲ καὶ τὸ μύρον πραθῆναι, καὶ τὸν Ἰησοῦν δόλῳ κρατηθῆναι ἀπέδωκεν ἀσπασμόν, παρέδωκε τὸν Χριστόν καὶ ὡς πρόβατον ἐπί σφαγήν, οὕτως ἀκολούθει, ὁ μόνος εὕσπλαγχνος καὶ φιλάνθρωπος.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

## Ήχος β'.

Όν ἐκήουξεν Ἀμνὸν Ἡσαΐας, ἔοχεται ἐπὶ σφαγὴν ἑκούσιον, καὶ τὸν νῶτον δίδωσιν εἰς μάστιγας, τὰς σιαγόνας εἰς οαπίσματα τὸ δὲ ποόσωπον οὐκ ἀπεστράφη, ἀπὸ αἰσχύνης ἐμπτυσμάτων θανάτω δὲ ἀσχήμονι καταδικάζεται πάντα ὁ ἀναμάρτητος ἑκουσίως καταδέχεται, ἵνα πᾶσι δωρήσηται τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀνάστασιν.

## Sticheron 3. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Praise Him with timbrel and dance; praise Him with strings and flute. (SAAS)

Judas, the deceitful betrayer, betrayed the Lord and Savior with a deceitful kiss. He sold the Master of all to the transgressors of the Law, as though He were but a slave. But the Lamb of God followed, like a sheep to the slaughter, as the Son of the Father, the only very merciful Lord. (5D)

## Sticheron 4. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Praise Him with resounding cymbals; praise Him with triumphant cymbals. Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. (SAAS)

Judas, the servant and defrauder, the disciple and betrayer, the friend and detractor, was proven by his deeds. He followed the Teacher, and privately he plotted the betrayal. He said to himself, "Once I betray Him, the collection money will be mine." He had wanted the costly ointment to be sold, and he plotted that Jesus be arrested through a ploy. He gave Him a kiss and gave up the Christ, who followed like a sheep to the slaughter, as the only compassionate Lord who loves humanity. (SD)

Glory. Both now.

From Triodion - - -

#### Mode 2.

He, whom Isaiah proclaimed to be the Lamb, comes to His voluntary slaughter. He gives His back to whips and His cheeks to blows. He turns not away His face from the shame of spitting. He is sentenced to a shameful death. The sinless One willingly accepts it all, so that He might grant to all the resurrection from the dead. (5D)

#### **ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

# ΔΟΞΟΛΟΓΙΑ (διαβαστά)

Σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρί, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Άμήν. Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ, καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνη ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία. Ύμνοῦμέν σε, εὐλογοῦμέν σε, προσκυνοῦμέν σε, δοξολογοῦμέν σε, εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, διὰ τὴν μεγάλην σου δόξαν. Κύριε Βασιλεῦ, ἐπουράνιε Θεέ, Πάτερ παντοκράτορ· Κύριε Υίὲ μονογενές, Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, καὶ Άγιον Πνεῦμα. Κύριε ὁ Θεός, ὁ Ἀμνὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υίὸς τοῦ Πατρός, ὁ αἴρων τὴν άμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἁμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου. Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾳ τοῦ Πατρός, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ότι σὺ εἶ μόνος Άγιος, σὺ εἶ μόνος Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χοιστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν. Καθ' ἑκάστην ἡμέραν εὐλογήσω σε, καὶ αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος. Κύριε, καταφυγή έγενήθης ήμῖν έν γενεᾳ καὶ γενεᾶ. Έγὼ εἶπα. Κύριε, ἐλέησόν με ἴασαι τὴν ψυχήν μου, ὅτι ἥμαρτόν σοι. Κύριε, πρὸς σὲ κατέφυγον δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὰ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου. Ότι παρά σοὶ πηγή ζωῆς ἐν τῷ φωτί σου ὀψόμεθα φῶς. Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε. Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ ἡμέρα ταύτη ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθηναι ήμᾶς. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, ό Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν, καὶ αἰνετὸν καὶ δεδοξασμένον τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. Ἀμήν. Γένοιτο, Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καθάπεο ἠλπίσαμεν

### **READER**

# **DOXOLOGY** (read)

To you belongs glory, O Lord our God, and to you we send up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will to men. We praise you, we bless you, we worship you, we glorify you, and we thank you, for your great glory. Lord, King, Heavenly God, Father Almighty; onlybegotten Son, Lord Jesus Christ and Holy Spirit. Lord God, the Lamb of God, the 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 of the Father, and have mercy on us. For you are the only Holy One, you are the only Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen. Every day I shall bless you, and I shall praise your name forever, and unto the ages of ages. Lord, you have become for us a refuge from generation to generation. I have said: Lord, have mercy on me, heal my soul, for I have sinned against you. Lord, to you I have fled; 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. Extend your mercy to those who know you. Grant, O Lord, that in this day we may be kept without sin. Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified is your name unto the ages. Amen. Let your mercy, Lord, come upon us, just as we have hoped in you. Blessed are you, O Lord, teach me your commandments. Blessed are you, O Master, make me understand your commandments. Blessed are you, O Holy

ἐπὶ σέ. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε· δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Δέσποτα· συνέτισόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητός εἶ, Ἅγιε· φώτισόν με τοῖς δικαιώμασί σου. Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα· τὰ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου μὴ παρίδης. Σοὶ πρέπει αἶνος, σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος, σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, τῷ Πατρί, καὶ τῷ Υίῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν ἑωθινὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Αντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῶ κόσμω, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χοόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν ἐν εἰρήνη καὶ μετανοία ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

One, enlighten me with your commandments. Lord, your mercy remains forever, do not turn away from the works of your hands. To you belongs praise, to you belongs a hymn, to you belongs glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### **DEACON**

Let us complete our morning prayer to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι Θεὸς ἐλέους, οἰκτιρμῶν, καὶ φιλανθρωπίας ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρί, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Αγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Άμήν.)

# ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ὑμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνομεν.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

# ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κύριε, Άγιε, ὁ ἐν ὑψηλοῖς κατοικῶν καὶ τὰ ταπεινὰ ἐφορῶν, καὶ τῷ παντεφόρῳ σου ὅμματι ἐπιβλέπων ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν κτίσιν, σοὶ ἐκλίναμεν τὸν αὐχένα τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ τοῦ σώματος, καὶ δεόμεθά σου Ἅγιε Ἁγίων ἔκτεινον τὴν χεῖρά σου τὴν ἀόρατον ἐξ άγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ εὐλόγησον πάντας ἡμᾶς καὶ εἴτι ἡμάρτομεν έκουσίως ἤ ἀκουσίως, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος Θεὸς συγχώρησον, δωρούμενος ἡμῖν τὰ ἐγκόσμια καὶ ὑπερκόσμια ἀγαθά σου.

Σὸν γάο ἐστι τὸ ἐλεεῖν καὶ σώζειν ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

## **PRIEST**

For You are the God of mercy and compassion and love for mankind, and to You we give glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to ages of ages.

(Amen.)

# **PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

## **DEACON**

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

(To You, O Lord.)

#### **PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Holy Lord, dwelling on high and beholding things below and, with your eye that observes all, keeping watch over the whole creation, to you we have bowed the neck of our soul and body, and we beseech you, O Holy of Holies: Stretch forth your invisible hand from your holy dwelling and bless us all. And, as you are good and love humankind, pardon us if we have sinned in anything, voluntarily or involuntarily, granting us your blessings both of this world and of the world above.

For Yours it is to show mercy and to save us, O our God, and to You we give glory, to

ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοί, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Αγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

 $(A\mu\eta\nu.)$ 

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

# ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Ἀπόστιχα. Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος πλ. δ΄.

Σήμερον τὸ κατὰ τοῦ Χριστοῦ πονηρὸν συνήχθη συνέδριον, καὶ κατ' αὐτοῦ κενὰ ἐβουλεύσατο, παραδοῦναι Πιλάτω εἰς θάνατον τὸν ἀνεύθυνον. Σήμερον τὴν τῶν χρημάτων ἀγχόνην, Ἰούδας ἑαυτῷ περιτίθησι, καὶ στερεῖται κατ' ἄμφω ζωῆς, προσκαίρου καὶ θείας. Σήμερον Καϊάφας ἄκων προφητεύει Συμφέρει, λέγων, ὑπὲρ τοῦ λαοῦ ἕνα ἀπολέσθαι ἦλθε γὰρ ὑπὲρ τῶν άμαρτιῶν ἡμῶν τοῦ παθεῖν, ἵνα ἡμᾶς ἐλευθερώση, ἐκ τῆς δουλείας τοῦ ἐχθροῦ, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος.

# Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος πλ. δ΄.

**Στίχ.** Ὁ ἐσθίων ἄρτους μου, ἐμεγάλυνεν ἐπ' ἐμὲ πτερνισμόν.

Σήμερον ὁ Ἰούδας τὸ τῆς φιλοπτωχείας κρύπτει προσωπεῖον, καὶ τῆς πλεονεξίας ἀνακαλύπτει τὴν μορφήν οὐκέτι τῶν πενήτων φροντίζει οὐκέτι τὸ μύρον πιπράσκει τὸ τῆς ἁμαρτωλοῦ, ἀλλὰ τὸ οὐράνιον μύρον, καὶ ἐξ αὐτοῦ νοσφίζεται τὰ ἀργύρια. Τρέχει πρὸς Ἰουδαίους, λέγει τοῖς παρανόμοις Τί μοι θέλετε δοῦναι, κἀγὼ ὑμῖν παραδώσω αὐτόν; Ὠ φιλαργυρίας προδότου! εὔωνον ποιεῖται τὴν πρᾶσιν πρὸς τὴν γνώμην τῶν ἀγοραζόντων, τοῦ πωλουμένου τὴν πραγματείαν ποιεῖται οὐκ ἀκριβολογεῖται πρὸς τὴν τιμήν, ἀλλ' ὡς δοῦλον φυγάδα ἀπεμπολεῖ ἔθος γὰρ

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

(Amen.)

From Triodion - - -

# **CHOIR**

# Aposticha. Idiomelon. Mode pl. 4.

Today, the evil council against Christ has gathered together, and they plotted vain things against Him, to deliver Him to Pilate, and to put Him to death, even though He is innocent. Today, Judas has put the noose of money around his own neck, and he deprives himself of life, both temporal and divine. Today, Caiaphas, not of his own accord, prophesies and says, "It is expedient that one man should die for the people"; for He came to suffer for our sins, that He might free us from slavery to the enemy, as He is good and loves humanity. (SD)

# Idiomelon. Mode pl. 4.

**Verse:** He who ate my bread, dealt deceptively with me. (SAAS)

Today Judas puts away the mask of charity to the poor, and reveals his greedy face. He no longer cares for the needy. It is not the sinful woman's fragrant ointment that he sells anymore, but the ointment from heaven, and from that he appropriates the pieces of silver. He runs to the Judeans, and says to the transgressors of the Law, "What will you give me, if I betray him to you?" Oh, the avarice of the betrayer! He sells for a cheap price, strikes a bargain, on the buyers' terms, for the One who is being sold; he does not haggle over the price, but sells Him as if He were a runaway slave. After all, it is the practice of those who

τοῖς κλέπτουσι, ρίπτειν τὰ τίμια· νῦν ἔβαλε τὰ ἄγια τοῖς κυσὶν ὁ μαθητής· ἡ γὰρ λύσσα τῆς φιλαργυρίας, κατὰ τοῦ ἰδίου Δεσπότου, μαίνεσθαι ἐποίησεν αὐτόν· ἦς τὴν πεῖραν φύγωμεν, κράζοντες· Μακρόθυμε Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

# Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος πλ. δ΄.

Στίχ. Έξεπορεύετο ἔξω καὶ ἐλάλει ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτό. Κατ' ἐμοῦ ἐψιθύριζον πάντες οἱ ἐχθροί μου, κατ' ἐμοῦ ἐλογίζοντο κακά μοι.

Ό τρόπος σου δολιότητος γέμει, παράνομε Ἰούδα· νοσῶν γὰρ φιλαργυρίαν, ἐκέρδησας μισανθρωπίαν· εἰ γὰρ πλοῦτον ἠγάπας, τί τῷ περὶ πτωχείας διδάσκοντι ἐφοίτας; εἰ δὲ καὶ ἐφίλεις, ἵνα τί ἐπώλεις τὸν ἀτίμητον, προδιδοὺς εἰς μιαιφονίαν; Φρῖξον ἥλιε, στέναξον ἡ γῆ, καὶ κλονουμένη βόησον· Ἀνεξίκακε Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

# Ἰδιόμελον. Ἡχος πλ. δ΄.

**Στίχ.** Λόγον παράνομον κατέθεντο κατ΄ ἐμοῦ· Μὴ ὁ κοιμώμενος οὐχὶ προσθήσει τοῦ ἀναστῆναι;

Μηδείς, ὧ πιστοί, τοῦ δεσποτικοῦ δείπνου ἀμύητος· μηδεὶς ὅλως ὡς ὁ Ἰούδας, δολίως προσίτω τῆ τραπέζη· ἐκεῖνος γὰρ τὸν ψωμὸν δεξάμενος, κατὰ τοῦ ἄρτου ἐχώρησε, σχήματι μὲν ὢν μαθητής, πράγματι δὲ παρὼν φονευτής, τοῖς μὲν Ἰουδαίοις συναγαλλόμενος, τοῖς δὲ Ἀποστόλοις συναυλιζόμενος· μισῶν ἐφίλει, φιλῶν ἐπώλει, τὸν ἐξαγοράσαντα ἡμᾶς τῆς κατάρας, τὸν Θεὸν καὶ Σωτῆρα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

steal to throw away what is valuable. And here, the disciple threw away to the dogs what is holy; for the madness of avarice made him rage against the Master. Let us keep away from the love of money, and cry aloud, "O long-suffering Lord, glory to You!" (5D)

# Idiomelon. Mode pl. 4.

**Verse:** He went forth and spoke the same. All my enemies whisper together against me; against me they devise evils for me. (SAAS)

Your behavior is full of deceit, O Judas, you transgressor of the Law. Sick with love for money, you gained for yourself a hatred for humanity. You were enamored with wealth: so why become the disciple of the One who teaches about poverty? Because you loved Him? Then why did you sell Him, the priceless One, and deliver Him over to a bloody death? Shudder, O sun! Groan, O earth! Quake and cry aloud, "Unresentful Lord, glory to You!" (5D)

# Idiomelon. Mode pl. 4.

**Verse:** They testify a lawless word against me, "Since he is asleep, will he rise up again?" (SAAS)

Let no one, O believers, let no one uninitiated dare to approach the table of the Lord's supper deceitfully, like Judas. For when he received the morsel, he turned against the Bread. In appearance he was a disciple, but in reality he was there as a murderer, rejoicing with the Jews, while keeping company with the Apostles. Hating, he kissed; kissing, he sold the One who redeemed us from the curse, our God and Savior of our souls. (5D)

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

# $^{\circ}$ H $\chi$ o $\varsigma$ $\pi\lambda$ . $\delta'$ .

Ό τρόπος σου δολιότητος γέμει, παράνομε Ἰούδα· νοσῶν γὰρ φιλαργυρίαν, ἐκέρδησας μισανθρωπίαν· εἰ γὰρ πλοῦτον ἠγάπας, τί τῷ περὶ πτωχείας διδάσκοντι ἐφοίτας; εἰ δὲ καὶ ἐφίλεις, ἵνα τί ἐπώλεις τὸν ἀτίμητον, προδιδοὺς εἰς μιαιφονίαν; Φρῖξον ἥλιε, στέναξον ἡ γῆ, καὶ κλονουμένη βόησον· Ἀνεξίκακε Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Καὶ νῦν.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

# $^{\circ}$ H $\chi$ o $\varsigma$ $\pi\lambda$ . $\alpha'$ .

Μυσταγωγῶν σου, Κύριε, τοὺς Μαθητάς, ἐδίδασκες λέγων Ὁ φίλοι, ὁρᾶτε, μηδεὶς ἡμᾶς χωρίσει μου φόβος εἰ γὰρ πάσχω, ἀλλ' ὑπὲρ τοῦ κόσμου μὴ οὖν σκανδαλίζεσθε ἐν ἐμοί οὐ γὰρ ἦλθον διακονηθῆναι, ἀλλὰ διακονῆσαι, καὶ δοῦναι τὴν ψυχήν μου, λύτρον ὑπὲρ τοῦ κόσμου. Εἰ οὖν ὑμεῖς φίλοι μού ἐστε, ἐμὲ μιμεῖσθε ὁ θέλων πρῶτος εἶναι, ἔστω ἔσχατος ὁ δεσπότης, ὡς ὁ διάκονος. Μείνατε ἐν ἐμοί, ἵνα βότρυν φέρητε ἐγὼ γάρ εἰμι τῆς ζωῆς ἡ ἄμπελος.

# ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Άγαθὸν τὸ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι τῷ Κυوίῳ καὶ ψάλλειν τῷ ὀνόματί σου, Ύψιστε. Τοῦ ἀναγγέλλειν τῷ πρωΐ τὸ ἔλεός σου καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου κατὰ νύκτα.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

# Τοισάγιον.

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

From Triodion - - -

# Mode pl. 4.

Your behavior is full of deceit, O Judas, you transgressor of the Law. Sick with love for money, you gained for yourself a hatred for humanity. You were enamored with wealth: so why become the disciple of the One who teaches about poverty? Because you loved Him? Then why did you sell Him, the priceless One, and deliver Him over to a bloody death? Shudder, O sun! Groan, O earth! Quake and cry aloud, "Unresentful Lord, glory to You!" (SD)

Both now.

From Triodion - - -

# Mode pl. 1.

Initiating Your disciples, O Lord, You instructed them, saying, "O my friends, see that no fear separates you from Me. Although I suffer, yet I do so for the sake of the world. So do not fall away because of Me; for I came not to be served but to serve, and to give My life as a ransom for the world. So, if you are My friends, imitate Me. Whoever would be first, let him be last; let the master be like the servant. Abide in me, so that you may bear fruit; for I am the Vine of life." (SD)

### **PRIEST**

It is good to give thanks to the Lord and to sing to Your name, O Most High. To proclaim Your mercy in the morning and Your truth at night.

### READER

# **Trisagion Prayers.**

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

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

Παναγία Τοιάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύοιε, ἱλάσθητι ταῖς ἁμαοτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα, συγχώοησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῖν. Ἅγιε, ἐπίσκεψαι καὶ ἴασαι τὰς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν, ἕνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

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

Πάτες ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐςανοῖς, άγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ώς ἐν οὐςανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄςτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμεςον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειςασμόν, ἀλλὰ ςῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηςοῦ.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σοῦ ἐστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υίοῦ καὶ τοῦ Άγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Άμήν.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Τοοπάριον τῆς Ποοφητείας. Ήχος γ΄.

Ό ραπισθεὶς ὑπὲρ γένους ἀνθρώπων, καὶ μὴ ὀργισθείς, ἐλευθέρωσον ἐκ φθορᾶς τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν, Κύριε, καὶ σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν. Τὸ αὐτό.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our infirmities for your name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

# **PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

### **CHOIR**

# **Troparion before the Prophecy. Mode 3.**

Lord, You were struck on behalf of the human race and were not enraged. Free our life from corruption and save us. (5D)

Glory. Both now. Repeat.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

# Н ПРОФНТЕІА

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ποοκείμενον. ή Ηχος α΄. Ψαλμὸς ΠΒ΄ (82).

Γνώτωσαν ἔθνη ὅτι ὄνομά σοι Κύοιος· σὺ μόνος Ύψιστος ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν.

Ό Θεός, τίς όμοιωθήσεταί σοι; μὴ σιγήσης μηδὲ καταπραΰνης, ό Θεός.

Προφητείας Ίερεμίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σοφία. Πρόσχωμεν.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

 $(K\varepsilon\varphi.\ IA',\ 18\text{-}23\ IB'\ 15,\ 9\text{-}11\ 14\text{-}15)$ 

Κύριε, γνώρισόν μοι, καὶ γνώσομαι· τότε εἶδον τὰ ἐπιτηδεύματα αὐτῶν. Ἐγὼ δὲ ώς ἀρνίον ἄκακον ἀγόμενον τοῦ θύεσθαι, οὐκ ἔγνων ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐλογίσαντο λογισμόν πονηφόν, λέγοντες, δεῦτε καὶ ἐμβάλωμεν ξύλον εἰς τὸν ἄρτον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐκτρίψωμεν αὐτὸν ἀπὸ γῆς ζώντων, καὶ τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ οὐ μὴ μνησθῆ ἔτι. Κύριε τῶν δυνάμεων, κρίνων δίκαια, δοκιμάζων νεφρούς καὶ καρδίας, ἴδοιμι τὴν παρὰ σοῦ ἐκδίκησιν ἐν αὐτοῖς, ὅτι πρὸς σὲ ἀπεκάλυψα τὸ δικαίωμά μου. Διὰ τοῦτο τάδε λέγει Κύριος ἐπὶ τοὺς ἄνδοας Ἀναθώθ, τοὺς ζητοῦντας τὴν ψυχήν μου, τοὺς λέγοντας, οὐ μὴ προφητεύσεις ἐπὶ τῷ ὀνόματι Κυρίου, εἰδὲ μή, ἀποθάνη έν ταῖς χερσὶν ἡμῶν. Ἰδοὺ ἐγὼ ἐπισκέψομαι ἐπ' αὐτούς οἱ νεανίσκοι αὐτῶν ἐν μαχαίρα ἀποθανοῦνται, καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ αὐτῶν καὶ αἱ θυγατέρες αὐτῶν τελευτήσουσιν ἐν λιμῷ, καὶ ἐγκατάλειμμα οὐκ ἔσται αὐτῶν, ὅτι ἐπάξω κακὰ ἐπὶ τοὺς κατοικοῦντας ἐν Άναθώθ, ἐν ἐνιαυτῷ ἐπισκέψεως αὐτῶν. Δίκαιος εἶ Κύριε, ὅτι ἀπολογήσομαι πρὸς σέ, From Triodion - - -

# THE PROPHECY

### **READER**

Prokeimenon. Mode 1. Psalm 82 (83).

Let the Gentiles know Your name is the Lord, that You alone are Most High over all the earth. (SAAS)

O God, who can be likened to You? Be not silent nor appeased, O God. (SAAS)

The reading is from the Prophecy of Jeremiah.

### **PRIEST**

Wisdom. Let us be attentive.

### **READER**

(11:17-22; 12:1-5, 9-11, 14-15)

O Lord, teach me, and I will know. Then I saw their purpose. For I did not know I was like an innocent lamb led to be sacrificed. They plotted an evil device against me, saying, "Come, let us put wood in his bread, and destroy him root and branch from the land of the living, so his name might not be remembered any longer." But, O Lord, You who judge righteously, who tests minds and hearts, let me see Your vengeance on them, for I have revealed my righteous plea to You. Therefore thus says the Lord against the men of Anathoth, against those who seek my life, and who say, "Do not prophesy in the name of the Lord, lest you die by our hands"— "Behold, I will visit them. The young men shall die by the sword, and their sons and daughters shall die by famine. There shall be no remnant of them, for I will bring calamities on the inhabitants of Anathoth in the year of their visitation." O Lord, You are righteous, that I may plead my case with You, to speak to You concerning judgments. Why does the

πλην κρίματα λαλήσω πρὸς σέ τί ὅτι ὁδὸς ἀσεβῶν εὐοδοῦται; εὐθήνησαν πάντες οί άθετοῦντες άθετήματα; Ἐφύτευσας αὐτούς, καὶ ἐὀῥιζώθησαν, ἐτεκνοποιήσαντο, καὶ ἐποίησαν καρπόν ἐγγὺς εἶ σὺ τοῦ στόματος αὐτῶν, καὶ πόροω ἀπὸ τῶν νεφοῶν αὐτῶν. Καὶ σύ, Κύριε, γινώσκεις με, οἴδάς με, καὶ δεδοκίμακας την καρδίαν μου ἐναντίον σου ἄθροισον αὐτοὺς ὥσπερ πρόβατα είς σφαγήν άγνισον αὐτοὺς εἰς ἡμέραν σφαγῆς αὐτῶν. Έως πότε πενθήσει ἡ γῆ, καὶ πᾶς ὁ χόρτος τοῦ ἀγροῦ ξηρανθήσεται ἀπὸ κακίας τῶν κατοικούντων ἐν αὐτῆ; ήφανίσθησαν κτήνη καὶ πετεινά, ὅτι εἶπαν, οὐκ ὄψεται ὁ Θεὸς ὁδοὺς ἡμῶν. Σοῦ οἱ πόδες τρέχουσι, καὶ ἐκλύουσί σε. Συναγάγετε πάντα τὰ θηρία τοῦ ἀγροῦ, καὶ ἐλθέτωσαν τοῦ φαγεῖν αὐτήν. Ποιμένες πολλοὶ διέφθειραν τὸν ἀμπελῶνά μου, ἐμόλυναν τὴν μερίδα μου, ἔδωκαν τὴν μερίδα την έπιθυμητήν μου είς ἔρημον ἄβατον, ἐτέθη εἰς ἀφανισμὸν ἀπωλείας. Ότι τάδε λέγει Κύριος περὶ πάντων τῶν γειτόνων τῶν πονηρῶν, τῶν ἁπτομένων τῆς κληφονομίας μου, ης ἐμέρισα τῷ λαῷ μου τῷ Ἰσραήλ. Ἰδοὺ ἐγὼ ἀποσπῶ αὐτοὺς ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς αὐτῶν, καὶ τὸν Ἰούδαν ἐκβαλῶ ἐκ μέσου αὐτῶν, καὶ ἔσται μετὰ τὸ ἐκβαλεῖν με αὐτούς, ἐπιστρέψω καὶ ἐλεήσω αὐτούς, καὶ κατοικιῶ αὐτούς, ἕκαστον εἰς τὴν κληφονομίαν αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἕκαστον εἰς τὴν γῆν αὐτοῦ.

Ποοκείμενον. Ήχος πλ. β΄. Ψαλμὸς ΟΕ΄. Εὔξασθε καὶ ἀπόδοτε Κυρίφ τῷ Θεῷ ἡμῶν· πάντες οἱ κύκλῳ αὐτοῦ οἴσουσι δῶρα. way of the ungodly prosper, and all who deal treacherously flourish? You planted them, and they took root. They bear children and are fruitful. You are near in their mouth, but far from their mind. But You, O Lord, know me. You have proven my heart before You. Set them apart for the day of slaughter. How long will the land mourn and the grass of the field wither, because of the vices of those who dwell in it? The cattle and the birds are destroyed, because they said, "God will not see our ways." "Your feet run and grow weary. Gather together all the wild beasts of the field and let them come to devour her. Many shepherds destroyed My vineyard and defiled My portion. They turned My pleasant portion into an impassable desert. It was made a complete ruin." For thus says the Lord: "Concerning all the evil neighbors who touch My inheritance, which I divided to My people Israel—behold, I shall draw them away from their land and will cast out Judah from their midst. Then it shall come to pass, after I cast them out, that I will return them and have mercy on them. I will settle them, each in his inheritance and each in his land." (SAAS)

Prokeimenon. Mode pl. 2. Psalm 75 (76).

Pray and return to the Lord Your God; all around Him shall bring gifts. (SAAS)

Γνωστὸς ἐν τῆ Ἰουδαίᾳ ὁ Θεός, ἐν τῷ Ἰσραὴλ μέγα τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ.

# ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς κατὰ τὸ μέγα ελεός Σου, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ύπὲς τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ύπὲο τοῦ (ἀοχιεοατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ύπὲς τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἱεςέων, ἱεςομονάχων, ἱεςοδιακόνων καὶ μοναχῶν, καὶ πάσης τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ ἡμῶν ἀδελφότητος.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲς ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, ὑγείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως, συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαςτιῶν τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν, τῶν κατοικούντων καὶ παςεπιδημούντων ἐν τῆ (πόλει, κώμη), ταύτη, τῶν ἐνοςιτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιεςωτῶν τοῦ ἀγίου ναοῦ τούτου.

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

Έτι δεόμεθα ὑπέο τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ ὑπὲο πάντων τῶν ποοαναπαυσαμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς, κειμένων, καὶ ἁπανταχοῦ ὀρθοδόξων.

In Judah God is known; His name is great in Israel. (SAAS)

# **DEACON**

Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your great mercy, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.

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

Let us pray for pious and Orthodox Christians.

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

Again we pray for (episcopal rank) (name).

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

Again we pray for our brethren: the priests, the hieromonks, the hierodeacons, the monastics, and all our brotherhood in Christ.

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

Again we pray for mercy, life, peace, health, salvation, protection, forgiveness, and remission of the sins of the servants of God, all pious Orthodox Christians residing and visiting in this city: the parishioners, the members of the parish council, the stewards, and benefactors of this holy church.

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

Again we pray for the blessed and evermemorable founders of this holy church, and for all our fathers and brethren who have fallen asleep before us, who here have been piously laid to their rest, as well as the Orthodox everywhere. (Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

ΥΈτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲς τῶν καςποφοςούντων καὶ καλλιεςγούντων ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ πανσέπτῳ ναῷ τούτῳ, κοπιώντων, ψαλλόντων καὶ ὑπὲς τοῦ πεςιεστῶτος λαοῦ, τοῦ ἀπεκδεχομένου τὸ παςὰ Σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

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

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλάνθοωπος Θεὸς ὑπάοχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

 $(A\mu\eta\nu.)$ 

# ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία.

(Εὐλόγησον.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ό ὢν εὐλογητός, Χοιστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, πάντοτε, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. (Ἀμήν.)

Στεφεώσαι, Κύφιος ὁ Θεός, τὴν ἁγίαν καὶ ἀμώμητον πίστιν τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀφθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, σὺν τῆ ἁγία αὐτοῦ Ἐκκλησία καὶ τῆ πόλει ταύτη εἰς αἰῶνας αἰώνων.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

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

Δόξα Πατοὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν. (Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.)

Again we pray for those who bear fruit and do good works in this holy and allvenerable church, for those who labor and those who sing, and for the people here present who await Your great and rich mercy.

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

### **PRIEST**

For You are a merciful God Who loves mankind, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### **DEACON**

Wisdom.

(Father, bless!)

## **PRIEST**

Blessed are You, Christ our God, always now and forever and to the ages of ages. (*Amen.*)

Make firm, Lord our God, the holy and pure faith of the pious Orthodox Christians, together with the Holy Church and this city forever.

#### **READER**

Amen.

Greater in honour than the Cherubim \* and beyond compare more glorious than the Seraphim, \* without corruption \* you gave birth to God the Word; \* truly the Mother of God, \* we magnify you.

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ἐκ γ') Εὐλόγησον.

# ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ο δι' ύπεοβάλλουσαν ἀγαθότητα όδὸν ἀρίστην τὴν ταπείνωσιν ὑποδείξας, ἐν τῷ νῖψαι τοὺς πόδας τῶν μαθητῶν, καὶ μέχρι σταυροῦ καὶ ταφῆς συγκαταβὰς ήμῖν, Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ήμῶν, ταῖς ποεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Άσωμάτων, ίκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Αποστόλων, 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 πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεήσαι καὶ σώσαι ήμᾶς, ώς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθοωπος.

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

# ΛΑΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Lord, have mercy. (3) Father, bless!

# **PRIEST**

May He who in the washing of the feet of His Disciples demonstrated the excellent way of humility through His surpassing goodness, even as far as condescending to the Cross and Grave, Christ our true God, through the intercessions of His all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother, the power of the precious and life-giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious, and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, for He is good and loves mankind.

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

# **PEOPLE**

Amen.