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Katavasias of Theotokos

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Μηναῖον - ΤΗΙ ΚΤ' ΟΚΤΩΒΡΙΟΥ

Μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἀποστόλου Ἰακώβου
τοῦ Ἀδελφοθέου

ΟΡΘΡΟΣ

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἦχος δ'.

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

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

ἦ. Ἐξομολογεῖσθε τῷ Κυρίῳ, ὅτι ἀγαθός,
ὅτι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ.

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

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

Ἀπολυτίκιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ'.

Ὡς τοῦ Κυρίου μαθητής, ἀνεδέξω
Δίκαιε τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον· ὡς Μάρτυς ἔχεις
τὸ ἀπαράτρεπτον· τὴν παρρησίαν ὡς
Ἀδελφόθεος, τὸ πρεσβεύειν ὡς Ἱεράρχης.
Ἰκέτευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς
ἡμῶν.

Δόξα. Τὸ αὐτό.

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Δίκαιε τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον· ὡς Μάρτυς ἔχεις
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MATINS

CHOIR

Mode 4.

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

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

or: Give thanks to the Lord, for He is good; for
His mercy endures forever.

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

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

Apolytikion.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4.

As a disciple of the Lord, you accepted
the Gospel, O James the Just. As a Martyr
you have unchangeability; as the Brother of
the Lord you have confidence; and you can
intercede as a hierarch. Intercede with Christ
our God, entreating Him to save our souls. [SD]

Glory. Repeat.

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the Gospel, O James the Just. As a Martyr
you have unchangeability; as the Brother of
the Lord you have confidence; and you can
intercede as a hierarch. Intercede with Christ
our God, entreating Him to save our souls. [SD]

Τῆς Οκτωήχου ---

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἦχος δ'.

Τὸ ἀπ' αἰῶνος ἀπόκρυφον, καὶ Ἀγγέλοις
ἄγνωστον μυστήριον, διὰ σοῦ Θεοτόκε τοῖς
ἐπὶ γῆς πεφανέρωται· Θεὸς ἐν ἀσυγχύτῳ
ἐνώσει σαρκούμενος, καὶ Σταυρὸν
ἐκουσίως ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν καταδεξάμενος· δι' οὗ
ἀναστήσας τὸν πρωτόπλαστον, ἔσωσεν ἐκ
θανάτου τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ
διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

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

(Ἀμήν.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κάθισμα Α'.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος α'. Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.

Ἀπόστολε Χριστοῦ, καὶ αὐτόπτα
καὶ Μάρτυς, Ἰάκωβε σοφέ, Ἀδελφόθεε
μάκαρ, τοὺς πίστει ἐορτάζοντας, τὸ σεπτόν

From Octoechos ---

Both now. **Theotokion.**

Mode 4.

O Theotokos, through you became
manifest to us on earth the mystery, which
was hid from eternity, and which the Angels
themselves knew not: that God, uniting
natures without confusion, becomes a man
and accepts crucifixion for our salvation
voluntarily. By virtue of this, resurrecting
man whom He had first created, He saved our
souls from death. [SD]

PRIEST

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

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

(Amen.)

CHOIR

Kathisma I.

From Menaion ---

Mode 1. The soldiers keeping watch.

O Brother of the Lord, wise and blessed
Apostle * of Christ, O righteous James, the
eye-witness and Martyr, * you dwell in the

σου μνημόσυνον, ἐλευθέρωσον, τῶν
συνεχόντων πταισμάτων, ταῖς πρεσβείαις
σου, τοὺς οὐρανοὺς ἐμβατεύων, δυνάμει τοῦ
Πνεύματος.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἦχος α΄. *Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.*

Μαρία, ἡ τὰς τρεῖς ἀνηκούστους
ἐνώσεις, ἐνώσασα φρικτῶς, παρθενίαν καὶ
τόκον, Θεόν τε καὶ ἄνθρωπον, πίστιν τε
καὶ πιστεύουσιν, τοῖς ξενίζουσι τούτοις
καρδίαν ἀνθρώπου, ἡμᾶς ἔνωσον τῇ τοῦ
Υἱοῦ σου ἀγάπῃ, καὶ σῶσον, πανύμνητε.

Κάθισμα Β΄.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄. *Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.*

Ἡ σεπτὴ ἐπιστολὴ σου, ὦ Ἰάκωβε
σοφέ, εὖ ποιεῖ διηνεκῶς τὴν Ἐκκλησίαν
τοῦ Χριστοῦ, καὶ ἐκδιδάσκει τῇ πίστει
σύμφωνα ἔχειν, ἔργα ἀγαθὰ πιστοὺς
ἅπαντας, εὐθύμως καρτερεῖν ἐν ταῖς
θλίψεσι, γλώττης κρατεῖν καὶ τὴν τοῦ
κόσμου, φιλίαν ἔχθραν λογίζεσθαι, Θεοῦ,
καὶ χρίειν τοὺς ἀσθενοῦντας, ἐν ἐλαίῳ
ἀγίῳ.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἦχος δ΄. *Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.*

Ἀπειρόγαμε ἀγνή, πῶς συλλαμβάνεις
ἐν γαστρὶ, τὸν ἀπάντων τὴν πνοὴν
περιλαβόντα ἐν χερσὶ; φράσον ἡμῖν τὸν
λόγον τοῦ μυστηρίου σου. Πανάληθές ἐστι
τοῦτο, ὦ ἄνθρωπε, καὶ παῦσαι ἐρευνῶν τὸ
ἀκατάληπτον, ὕψος καὶ βάθος, μήκος καὶ
πλάτος, τῆς ἀπορρήτου λοχείας μου· νικᾷ
γὰρ ὄντως ἔννοϊαν πᾶσαν, ἀγγέλων καὶ
τῶν ἀνθρώπων.

heavens now; by your prayers for us who in
faith * celebrate the feast of your memorial,
free us, * by the power of the Holy Spirit, from
every * transgression oppressing us. [SD]

Glory. Both now. **Theotokion.**

Mode 1. *The soldiers keeping watch.*

O Mary, in yourself you amazingly
united * the three unheard of pairs, virginity
to childbirth, * and God to humanity, also
faith to a human heart * that believes in these
incomprehensible unions. * In the holy love
of your divine Son unite us, * and save us, all-
lauded one. [SD]

Kathisma II.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4. *Joseph marveled.*

Your sublime Epistle, James, is beneficial
at all times * and continually does good to
the holy Church of Christ, * for it instructs all
believers to practice good works * consistent
with their faith, and with joy to endure * the
trials and temptations that befall them in
life, * to hold one's tongue, and to know that
friendship * with the world is enmity with
God, * and to anoint with the holy oil * those
who are sick and suffering. [SD]

Glory. Both now. **Theotokion.**

Mode 4. *Joseph marveled.*

O unwedded Maiden, how did you
conceive in the womb * Him who holds the
breath of all animate beings in His hands? *
Tell us the explanation of your mystery. * "O
man, you seek to know what is entirely true.
* But cease now to inquire into the height and
depth, * the length and width of my ineffable
childbirth, * which is incomprehensible. * It
truly baffles all understanding * of both angels
and humans." [SD]

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ψαλμός Ν' (50).

Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου. Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλύνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου, καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἐστὶ διὰ παντός. Σοὶ μόνῳ ἥμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῇς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε. Ἴδου γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν ἁμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἴδου γὰρ ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας, τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ραντιεῖς με ὕσσῳ, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Ἀκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην· ἀγαλλιάσονται ὅστέα τεταπεινωμένα. Ἀπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν μου καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον. Καρδίαν καθαρὰν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψῃς με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ το Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλῃς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Ἀπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῶ στήριζόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδοὺς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ρῦσαί με ἐξ αἰμάτων, ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου· ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. Ὅτι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν· ὁλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον, καρδίαν

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 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,

συντετριμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει. Ἀγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ εὐδοκίᾳ σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ἱερουσαλήμ. Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὀλοκαυτώματα. Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους.

Κοντάκιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄. Ὁ ὑψωθείς ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ.

Ὁ του Πατρὸς μονογενὴς Θεὸς Λόγος, ἐπιδημήσας πρὸς ἡμᾶς ἐπ' ἐσχάτων, τῶν ἡμερῶν Ἰάκωβε θεσπέσιε, πρῶτόν σε ἀνέδειξε τῶν Ἱεροσολύμων, Ποιμένα καὶ Διδάσκαλον, καὶ πιστὸν οἰκονόμον, τῶν Μυστηρίων των πνευματικῶν· ὅθεν σε πάντες τιμῶμεν Ἀπόστολε.

Ὁ Οἶκος.

Τὸν γόνον σε τοῦ Ἰωσήφ, καὶ Ἱεροσολύμων τὸν πρῶτον ἱεράρχην, Ἰάκωβε θεόπτα, καὶ τοῦ Κυρίου ἀδελφὸν ὕμνοις ἐγκωμίων ἀνυμνοῦμεν εὐσεβῶς, καὶ πίστει ἀνακράζομεν· Δώρησαι ἡμῖν δώρημα τέλειον ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς τῶν φώτων, καὶ ἀπέλασον τὴν θλίψιν τὴν ἐπερχομένην καὶ ἐνεστῶσαν ἐκ πλήθους πταισμάτων· ἐπῆραν γὰρ οἱ ἐχθροὶ καθ' ἡμῶν τὴν πτέρναν, καὶ ἐκύκλωσαν ἡμᾶς Ἰσμαηλίται· ὧν θραῦσον ταχὺ τὰ τόξα ἱεροφάντορ, ἵνα σε πάντες τιμῶμεν Ἀπόστολε.

Συναξάριον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῇ ΚΓ' τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνὸς μνήμη τοῦ ἁγίου Ἱερομάρτυρος καὶ Ἀποστόλου Ἰακώβου τοῦ Ἀδελφοθέου.

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]

Kontakion.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4. *You who were lifted.*

When God the Logos, as the only-begotten * of God the Father, came and sojourned among us * in latter days, O God-inspired Brother of the Lord, * He appointed you, O James, the first Shepherd and Teacher * of holy Jerusalem, and a trustworthy steward * of the all-holy sacraments. And hence, * O just Apostle, we honor your memory. [SD]

Oikos.

With hymns of praise we piously extol you, the son of Joseph and the first hierarch of Jerusalem, and we cry to you, O James the seer of God and Brother of the Lord: Give to us a perfect gift from the Father of lights, and drive away the coming and present tribulation brought on by our many sins; for the enemies have raised their heel against us, and Ishmaelites have surrounded us. Smash their arrows quickly, O Hierophant and Apostle, that we may honor your memory. [SD]

Synaxarion.

From the Menaion.

On October 23, we commemorate the holy Hieromartyr and Apostle James, the Brother of the Lord.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ μνήμη τοῦ ὁσίου
Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Ἰγνατίου, Πατριάρχου
Κωνσταντινουπόλεως.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ μνήμη τοῦ ὁσίου Πατρὸς
ἡμῶν Μακαρίου τοῦ Ῥωμαίου.

Ὁ ὁσιος Πατὴρ ἡμῶν Νικηφόρος, ὁ
ἰδρυτὴς τῆς ἐν Χαρσιανῷ Μονῆς, ἐν εἰρήνῃ
τελειοῦται.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καταβασίαι τῆς Θεοτόκου Ὦδὴ α'. Ἦχος δ'.

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

Ὦδὴ γ'.

Τοὺς σοὺς ὑμνολόγους Θεοτόκε,
ὡς ζῶσα καὶ ἄφθοнос πηγή, θίασον
συγκροτήσαντας πνευματικόν, στερέωσον·
καὶ ἐν τῇ θείᾳ δόξῃ σου, στεφάνων δόξης
ἀξίωσον.

Ὦδὴ δ'.

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

Ὦδὴ ε'.

Ἐξέστη τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐπὶ τῇ θείᾳ
δόξῃ σου· σὺ γὰρ ἀπειρογάμε Παρθένε,
ἔσχες ἐν μήτρᾳ, τὸν ἐπὶ πάντων Θεόν, καὶ

On this day we also commemorate
our devout father Ignatius, Patriarch of
Constantinople.

On this day we also commemorate our
devout father Makarios the Roman.

Our devout father Nikephoros, the
founder of the Monastery of Charsianos, died
in peace.

By their holy intercessions, O God, have
mercy on us. Amen.

CHOIR

Katavasias of Theotokos Ode i. Mode 4.

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

[SD]

Ode iii.

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

Ode iv.

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

Ode v.

Amazed was the universe by your divine
magnificence. * You who were perpetually
virgin * carried the heavenly God of all in
your womb * and gave birth to the eternal

τέτοκας ἄχρονον Υἱόν, πᾶσι τοῖς ὕμνουσί
σε, σωτηρίαν βραβεύοντα.

Ὦδὴ ζ'.

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

Ὦδὴ ζ'.

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

Ὦδὴ η'.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν
τὸν Κύριον.

Παῖδας εὐαγεῖς ἐν τῇ καμίνῳ, ὁ
τόκος τῆς Θεοτόκου διεσώσατο, τότε
μὲν τυπούμενος, νῦν δὲ ἐνεργούμενος,
τὴν οἰκουμένην ἅπασαν, ἀγείρει
ψάλλουσιν. Τὸν Κύριον ὕμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα,
καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν
ὑμνοῖς τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

Son, * who awards salvation to all who sing
hymns of praise to you. [SD]

Ode vi.

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

Ode vii.

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

Ode viii.

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

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

DEACON

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὦδὴ θ'.

Μεγαλυνάριον. Ἦχος δ'.

Στίχ. Μεγαλύνει ἡ ψυχὴ μου τὸν Κύριον,
καὶ ἡγαλλίασε τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ τῷ
σωτήρῳ μου.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHOIR

Ode ix.

Megalynarion. Mode 4.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ὦδὴ θ'. Καταβασία. Ἦχος δ'.

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

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἦτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ
διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

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

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

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

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

Ode ix. Katavasia. Mode 4.

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

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

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

(Ἀμήν.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐξαποστειλᾶριον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Ἦχος β΄. *Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.*

Ὡς Ἱεράρχης πρῶτιστος, τῆς καινῆς
Διαθήκης, ὡς μέγιστος Ἀπόστολος, ὡς
σοφὸς Ὑποφῆτης, καὶ Μάρτυς ὢν ἀληθείας,
παρὰ πάντας πλουτήσας, ἐξαίρετον
ἀξίωμα, ἀδελφὸς τοῦ Κυρίου, νῦν πρὸς
αὐτόν, λίθοις ἀναιρούμενος μετετέθης, παρ'
οὗ ἡμῖν Ἰάκωβε, λύσιν αἵτει πταισμάτων.

Θεοτοκίον.

Ἦχος β΄. *Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.*

Ἡ φοβερά τῆς κρίσεως, καὶ μεγάλη
ἡμέρα, νῦν ἐπὶ θύραις ἔστηκεν· ὅρα
πρόσεχε νῆφε, ψυχὴ μου καὶ ἐκ καρδίας,
πρόσπεσον τῇ Παρθένῳ, καὶ μόνη
Θεομήτορι, δάκρυσιν ἐκβοῶσα· Πάσης
Ἀγνῇ, τιμωρίας ῥῦσαί με δυσωπῶ σε, καὶ
δεξιοῖς προβάτοις με, σύνταξον τοῦ Υἱοῦ
σου.

Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἦχος α΄.

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

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.)

CHOIR

Exaposteilarion.

From Menaion - - -

Mode 2. *On the mountain.*

Even as foremost hierarch * of the New
Testament Church, * a great Apostle, and
a wise * interpreter of God's will, * and of
the truth a Witness, * you had more than all
others * the illustrious dignity * of being the
Lord's own brother. And now to Him, * after
you were stoned to death, you have passed
on. * O James, entreat Him to forgive * all our
sins and transgressions. [SD]

Theotokion.

Mode 2. *On the mountain.*

That great and terrifying day * of the
Lord's final Judgment * is standing at the
threshold now. * Look, O my soul, be careful,
* be also watchful; and hasten * to the Virgin
and only * Mother of God wholeheartedly, *
tearfully crying, "Pure one, deliver me * from
eternal punishment, I beseech you; * and also
put me with the sheep * of your Son on the
right hand." [SD]

Lauds. Mode 1.

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

αὐτὸν ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις. Σοὶ πρόπει ὕμνος τῷ Θεῷ.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ὕμνος πᾶσι τοῖς ὁσίοις αὐτοῦ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραὴλ, λαῷ ἐγγίζοντι αὐτῷ.

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

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

Him in the highest. It is fitting to sing a hymn to You, O God. [SAAS]

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐν χορῶ, ἐν
τυμπάνῳ καὶ ψαλτηρίῳ ψαλάτωσαν αὐτῶ.

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

Καυχήσονται ὅσοι ἐν δόξῃ καὶ ἀγαλλιάσονται
ἐπὶ τῶν κοιτῶν αὐτῶν.

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

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

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

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

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

Στιχηρά. Τοῦ Ἀποστόλου.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - -

Ἦχος α'. Τῶν οὐρανίων ταγμάτων.

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

Τῶν εὐσεβούντων τὰ πλήθη,
νῦν ἱερὰν ἑορτήν, χαρμονικῶς
τελοῦντες, ἀλαλάζωμεν πάντες, πιστῶς
ἀνευφημοῦντες, ψαλμοῖς καὶ ᾠδαῖς, τὸν
θεάδελφον σήμερον, καὶ μαθητὴν τοῦ
Κυρίου, ὅστις ἀεὶ, ἱκετεύει τοῦ σωθῆναι
ἡμᾶς.

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

Τῶν εὐσεβούντων τὰ πλήθη,
νῦν ἱερὰν ἑορτήν, χαρμονικῶς
τελοῦντες, ἀλαλάζωμεν πάντες, πιστῶς
ἀνευφημοῦντες, ψαλμοῖς καὶ ᾠδαῖς, τὸν
θεάδελφον σήμερον, καὶ μαθητὴν τοῦ

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Praise God in His saints; praise Him in the
firmament of His power.

Stichera. For the Apostle.

From Menaion - -

Mode 1. For the celestial orders.

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

Come now, O pious assembly, let us
with joy observe * this sacred celebration,
with exuberance shouting * and faithfully
extolling the Brother of God, * in psalms and
spiritual songs today. * He was a holy disciple
of Christ the Lord, * and he ever prays that we
be saved. [SD]

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

Come now, O pious assembly, let us
with joy observe * this sacred celebration,
with exuberance shouting * and faithfully
extolling the Brother of God, * in psalms and
spiritual songs today. * He was a holy disciple

Κυρίου, ὅστις αἰεὶ, ἱκετεύει τοῦ σωθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

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

Τῆς κατὰ σάρκα Κυρίου, ἐπιδημίας
Σοφῆ, ἀδελφὸς ἀνεδείχθης, μαθητῆς καὶ
αὐτόπτης, τῶν θείων μυστηρίων, φυγὰς σὺν
αὐτῷ, ἐν Αἰγύπτῳ γενόμενος, σὺν Ἰωσήφ
τῇ Μητρὶ τε τοῦ Ἰησοῦ, μεθ' ὧν πρέσβευε
σωθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

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

Τῶν Ἀποστόλων ὁ δῆμος, σὲ ἐξελέξατο,
ἱερατεύειν πρῶτον, ἐν Σιών τῇ ἀγίᾳ, Χριστῷ
τῷ εὐεργέτῃ, ὡς ὄντα αὐτοῦ, τῆς κατὰ
σάρκα γεννήσεως, καὶ ἀδελφὸν συνοδίτην
καὶ ὁπαδόν, τῶν ἰχνῶν αὐτοῦ, Ἰάκωβε.

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Ἦχος α'.

Ἐν τῇ πυρίνῃ αἴγλῃ τοῦ θείου
Πνεύματος φωτισθεὶς, τῆς εὐσεβείας ὥφθης
θεῖος ζηλωτής, Ἀδελφόθεε Ἰάκωβε· ὅθεν καὶ
στολὴν σε νομικῆς ἱερωσύνης, ὡς Ἀαρὼν
τοῦ πάλαι, τιμιωτέραν ἐνέδυσεν ὁ δι' οἶκτον
εἰς ἀδελφότητα δεξάμενος· Αὐτὸν ἱκέτευε,
Ἀποστόλων Ἐνδοξε, τοῦ σωθῆναι τὰς
ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Ἀμαρτωλῶν τὰς δεήσεις προσδεχομένη,
καὶ θλιβομένων στεναγμὸν μὴ παρορῶσα,

of Christ the Lord, * and he ever prays that we
be saved. [SD]

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

You were the Lord's presumed brother
when He appeared in the flesh, * O James the
wise and righteous, His disciple and witness
* of mysteries of God; * for together with Him
you fled to Egypt as fugitives * along with
Joseph and Jesus' Mother pure. * All together
pray that we be saved. [SD]

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

The sacred band of Apostles selected
you to be * the first to serve as bishop in the
city of Zion * for Christ the Benefactor; for
when He was born * in the flesh, you were His
presumed * brother, and traveled with Him
and believed in Him, * and you followed in
His steps, O James. [SD]

Glory.

From Menaion - - -

Mode 1.

Illumined by the fiery brightness of the
divine Spirit, you were a godly zealot of true
belief, O James the Brother of God. Therefore
the Lord, who tenderly accepted you as a
brother, vested you like Aaron of old, but
with vestments more honorable than those
belonging to the priesthood of the Law. O
glorious Apostle, pray to Him, to save our
souls. [SD]

From Octoechos - - -

Both now. **Theotokion.**

Since you accept the petitions of sinners
and do not ignore the sighs of the afflicted, O
all-holy Virgin, intercede with Him who came

πρέσβευε τῷ ἐξ ἀγνῶν λαγόνων σου,
σωθῆναι ἡμᾶς, Παναγία Παρθένε.

Ἡ Μεγάλη Δοξολογία

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

from your undefiled body, and entreat Him to
save us. [SD]

Great Doxology

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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

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

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

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε.

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

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

Ἀπολυτίκιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

ᾠχος δ'.

Ὡς τοῦ Κυρίου μαθητῆς, ἀνεδέξω Δίκαιε τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον· ὡς Μάρτυς ἔχεις τὸ ἀπαράτρεπτον· τὴν παρῳήσιαν ὡς Ἀδελφότητος, τὸ πρεσβεύειν ὡς Ἱεράρχης.

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

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

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

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

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

Continue Your mercy to those who know You.

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

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

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

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

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

Apolytikion.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4.

As a disciple of the Lord, you accepted the Gospel, O James the Just. As a Martyr you have unchangeability; as the Brother of the Lord you have confidence; and you can

Ἰκέτευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς
ἡμῶν.

intercede as a hierarch. Intercede with Christ
our God, entreating Him to save our souls. ^[SD]