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# The Service of Vespers

**On Sunday**

**for Monday, April 29, 2019**

**Pentecostarion - Pascha - Easter Sunday  
at Vespers**

**Menaion - April 23  
St. George**

**Texts in Greek and English**

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**Πεντηκοστάριον**

Τῇ Ἀγίᾳ καὶ Μεγάλῃ Κυριακῇ τοῦ  
Πάσχα

Τῇ Κυριακῇ εἰς τὸν Ἑσπερινόν.

**Μηναιὸν**

**ΤΗΙ ΚΓ' ΑΠΡΙΛΙΟΥ**

Μνήμη τοῦ Ἀγίου ἐνδόξου  
Μεγαλομάρτυρος Γεωργίου τοῦ  
Τροπαιοφόρου.

**ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ**

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δόξα τῇ ἀγίᾳ καὶ ὁμοουσίᾳ καὶ ζωοποιῷ  
καὶ ἀδιαιρέτῳ Τριάδι, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ αἰεί,  
καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ  
θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς  
μνήμασι...

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

...ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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**Pentecostarion**

The Holy and Great Sunday of Pascha

On Sunday at Vespers

**Menaion**

**April 23**

Memory of the Holy and Glorious Great  
Martyr George the Trophy-bearer

**VESPERS**

**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

**PRIEST**

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

**CHOIR**

...He has granted life.

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

...He has granted life.

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

...He has granted life.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

**Στίχ. δ'.** Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν αὐτῇ.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ  
θάνατον πατήσας...

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

...καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν  
χαρισάμενος.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

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trampling down upon death, and to those in  
the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

**PRIEST**

Christ is risen from the dead, by death  
trampling down upon death... [GOA]

**CHOIR**

...and to those in the tombs He has granted  
life.

**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.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων  
Χριστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ εὐκρασίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν  
καρπῶν τῆς γῆς, καὶ καιρῶν εἰρηνικῶν, τοῦ  
Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων,  
νοσούντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ  
τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης  
θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, 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,

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

For (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.)

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.

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ  
προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ  
Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς  
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. (Ἀμήν.)

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ἦχος β'.**

Κύριε ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, εἰσάκουσόν  
μου, εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε. Κύριε,  
ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, εἰσάκουσόν μου·  
πρόσχες τῇ φωνῇ τῆς δεήσεώς μου, ἐν τῷ  
κεκραγέναι με πρὸς σέ. Εἰσάκουσόν μου,  
Κύριε.

Κατευθυνθήτω ἡ προσευχή μου, ὡς  
θυμίαμα ἐνώπιόν σου, ἔπαρσις τῶν χειρῶν  
μου θυσία ἐσπερινή. Εἰσάκουσόν μου,  
Κύριε.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

**Στιχηρὰ Ἀναστάσιμα.**

**Στιχηρὸν Α'. Ἦχος β'.**

Ἐκ βαθέων ἐκέκραξά σοι, Κύριε· Κύριε,  
εἰσάκουσον τῆς φωνῆς μου.

Τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων ἐκ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα,  
τὸν Θεὸν λόγον σαρκωθέντα, ἐκ Παρθένου  
Μαρίας, δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν· Σταυρὸν  
γὰρ ὑπομείνας, τῇ ταφῇ παρεδόθη, ὡς  
αὐτός ἠθέλησε, καὶ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,  
ἔσωσέ με τὸν πλανώμενον ἄνθρωπον.

**Στιχηρὸν Β'. Ἦχος β'.**

Γενηθήτω τὰ ὦτά σου προσέχοντα εἰς  
τὴν φωνήν τῆς δεήσεώς μου.

Χριστὸς ὁ Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, τὸ καθ' ἡμῶν  
χειρόγραφον προσηλώσας, τῷ Σταυρῷ

(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 2.**

Lord, I have cried to You; hear me. Hear  
me, O Lord. Lord, I have cried to You; hear  
me. Give heed to the voice of my supplication  
when I cry to You. Hear me, O Lord. [SAAS]

Let my prayer be set forth before You  
as incense, the lifting up of my hands as the  
evening sacrifice. Hear me, O Lord. [SAAS]

From Pentecostarion ---

**Resurrectional Stichera.**

**Sticheron 1. Mode 2.**

Out of the depths I have cried to You, O Lord;  
O Lord, hear my voice. [SAAS]

Come, let us adore God the Word,  
begotten of the Father before all ages, who  
took flesh from the Virgin Mary. For he  
willingly suffered the cross and submitted  
himself to burial, and he rose from the dead  
and saved me, the one who has gone astray.

[HC]

**Sticheron 2. Mode 2.**

Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my  
supplication. [SAAS]

Our Savior Christ blotted out the bond  
that pledged us to the decree by nailing it



ἐξήλειψε, καὶ τοῦ θανάτου τὸ κράτος  
κατήργησε, προσκυνοῦμεν αὐτοῦ τὴν  
τρίτημερον Ἑγερσιν.

**Στιχηρὸν Γ'. Ἦχος β'.**

Ἐὰν ἀνομίας παρατηρήσης, Κύριε Κύριε,  
τίς ὑποστήσεται; ὅτι παρὰ σοὶ ὁ ἰλασμός  
ἐστιν.

Σὺν Ἀρχαγγέλοις ὑμνήσωμεν, Χριστοῦ  
τὴν Ἀνάστασιν· αὐτὸς γὰρ Λυτρωτὴς  
ἐστι, καὶ Σωτὴρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐν  
δόξῃ φοβερά καὶ κραταιᾷ δυνάμει, πάλιν  
ἔρχεται, κρῖναι κόσμον ὃν ἔπλασεν.

**Στιχηρὸν Δ'. Ἦχος β'.**

Ἐνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου ὑπέμεινά σε,  
Κύριε, ὑπέμεινεν ἡ ψυχὴ μου εἰς τὸν λόγον  
σου. Ἠλπισεν ἡ ψυχὴ μου ἐπὶ τὸν Κύριον.

Σὲ τὸν σταυρωθέντα καὶ ταφέντα,  
Ἄγγελος ἐκήρυξε Δεσπότην, καὶ ἔλεγε  
ταῖς γυναιξί· Δεῦτε ἴδετε, ὅπου ἔκειτο  
ὁ Κύριος· Ἀνέστη γὰρ καθὼς εἶπεν, ὡς  
παντοδύναμος· διό σε προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν  
μόνον ἀθάνατον, ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ἐλέησον  
ἡμᾶς.

**Στιχηρά. Τοῦ Ἁγίου.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἦχος δ'. Αὐτόμελον.**

Ἀπὸ φυλακῆς πρωΐας μέχρι νυκτός· ἀπὸ  
φυλακῆς πρωΐας ἐλπισάτω Ἰσραὴλ ἐπὶ τὸν  
Κύριον.

Ὡς γενναῖον ἐν Μάρτυσιν, ἀθλοφόρε  
Γεώργιε, συνελθόντες σήμερον,  
εὐφημοῦμέν σε, ὅτι τὸν δρόμον τετέλεκας,  
τὴν πίστιν τετήρηκας, καὶ ἐδέξω ἐκ Θεοῦ,  
τὸν τῆς νίκης σου στέφανον, ὃν ἰκέτευε,  
ἐκ φθορᾶς καὶ κινδύνων λυτρωθῆναι, τοὺς  
ἐν πίστει ἐκτελοῦντας, τὴν ἀεισέβαστον  
μνήμην σου.

to the cross, and he abolished the dominion  
of death. Let us worship his third day  
resurrection. [HC]

**Sticheron 3. Mode 2.**

*If You, O Lord, should mark transgression, O  
Lord, who would stand? For there is forgiveness  
with You. [SAAS]*

Together with the Archangels, let us  
praise the resurrection of Christ. He is the  
Deliverer and Savior of our souls. He will  
come again in awesome glory and mighty  
power to judge the world he fashioned. [HC]

**Sticheron 4. Mode 2.**

*Because of Your law, O Lord, I waited for  
You; my soul waited for Your word. My soul  
hopes in the Lord. [SAAS]*

The angel proclaimed you Master,  
crucified and buried. And he said to the  
women: Come and see the place where the  
Lord lay. For he is risen as he foretold, for  
he is almighty. Therefore, we worship you  
who alone are immortal. Have mercy on us, O  
Christ, Giver of life. [HC]

**Stichera. For the Saint.**

From Menaion ---

**Mode 4. Automelon.**

*From the morning watch until night; from the  
morning watch until night, let Israel hope in the  
Lord. [SAAS]*

To a brave one in martyr saints \* we pay  
tribute to you today \* gathered here together,  
victorious St. George. \* For you completed  
the martyr's course; \* devoutly you kept the  
faith; \* and from God you have received \*  
laurel crowns for your victory. \* Therefore  
supplicate \* that He free from corruption and



Ὅτι παρὰ τῷ Κυρίῳ τὸ ἔλεος καὶ πολλὴ  
παρ' αὐτῷ λύτρωσις, καὶ αὐτὸς λυτρώσεται  
τὸν Ἰσραὴλ ἐκ πασῶν τῶν ἀνομιῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ῥωμαλέῳ φρονήματι, πεποιθῶς  
ἡντομόλησας, ὥσπερ λέων ἔνδοξε, πρὸς  
τὴν ἄθλησιν, ὑπεροχῶν μὲν τοῦ σώματος,  
ὡς φθείρεσθαι μέλλοντος, τῆς ἀφθάρτου  
δὲ ψυχῆς, σοφῶς ἐπιμελούμενος, καὶ  
κολάσεων, πολυτρόποις ἰδέαις ἐπυρώθης,  
ὡς χρυσὸς κεκαθαρμένος, ἑπταπλασίως  
Γεώργιε.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντα τὰ ἔθνη,  
ἐπαινέσατε αὐτόν, πάντες οἱ λαοί.

Τῷ Σωτῆρι συνέπαθες, καὶ θανάτῳ τὸν  
θάνατον, ἐκουσίως ἔνδοξε μιμησάμενος,  
συμβασιλεύεις λαμπρότατα, πορφύραν  
ἐξ αἵματος, ἐνδυσάμενος φαιδρὰν, καὶ τῷ  
σκήπτρῳ τῶν ἄθλων σου, ἐγκοσμούμενος,  
καὶ στεφάνῳ τῆς νίκης διαπρέπων,  
ἀπεράντους εἰς αἰῶνας, Μεγαλομάρτυς  
Γεώργιε.

Ὅτι ἐκραταιώθη τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἐφ'  
ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἡ ἀλήθεια τοῦ Κυρίου μένει εἰς τὸν  
αἰῶνα.

Τῷ τῆς πίστεως θώρακι, καὶ ἀσπίδι  
τῆς χάριτος, καὶ Σταυροῦ τῷ δόρατι,  
συμφραξάμενος, τοῖς ἐναντίοις ἀνάλωτος,  
ἐγένου Γεώργιε, καὶ ὡς θεῖος ἀριστεύς, τῶν  
δαιμόνων τὰς φάλαγγας, τροπώσάμενος,  
σὺν Ἀγγέλοις χορεύεις, τοὺς πιστοὺς  
δέ, περιέπων ἀγιάζεις, καὶ διασώζεις  
καλούμενος.

from dangers \* those who loyally now honor \*  
your ever-ven'erable memory. [SD]

*For with the Lord there is mercy, and with  
Him is abundant redemption; and He shall redeem  
Israel from all his transgressions. [SAAS]*

With a valiant attitude \* as a lion you  
earnestly \* advanced to the contest, O glorious  
St. George, \* thus overlooking your physical \*  
body that would decompose, \* wisely caring  
for your soul \* which remains incorruptible.  
\* And when you endured \* many methods  
of torture, you, O Martyr, \* were refined like  
gold in fire \* seven times over and purified. [SD]

*Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; praise Him,  
all you peoples. [SAAS]*

Voluntarily suffering \* with the Savior,  
O holy one, \* emulating His death by death  
through martyrdom, \* you now majestically  
reign with Him, \* attired in the radiant \*  
purple garment died in blood, \* and equipped  
with the scepter that \* marks the champion's  
prize, \* and distinguished with laurel crowns  
of vict'ry \* unto never ending ages, \* O great  
and glorious Martyr George. [SD]

*For His mercy rules over us; and the truth of  
the Lord endures forever. [SAAS]*

With the breastplate of pious faith \* were  
you armed, and the shield of grace \* and  
the spear of Christ's cross, O holy Martyr  
George. \* And you became thus invincible  
\* contending against the foes. \* Therefore  
routing demons' ranks, \* as a model of  
excellence, \* now you celebrate \* with the  
Angels, while caring for the faithful \* whom

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἦχος πλ. β'.**

Ἀξίως τοῦ ὀνόματος, ἐπολιτεύσω  
στρατιῶτα Γεώργιε· τὸν σταυρὸν γὰρ  
τοῦ Χριστοῦ, ἐπ' ὤμων ἀράμενος, τὴν  
ἐκ διαβολικῆς πλάνης χερσωθεῖσαν  
γῆν ἐκαλλιέργησας, καὶ τὴν ἀκανθώδη  
θρησκείαν τῶν εἰδώλων ἐκριζώσας, τῆς  
Ὁρθοδόξου Πίστεως κλῆμα κατεφύτευσας·  
ὅθεν βλυστάνεις ἰάματα, τοῖς ἐν πάσῃ τῇ  
οἰκουμένῃ πιστοῖς, καὶ Τριάδος γεωργός,  
δίκαιος ἀνεδείχθης· Πρέσβευε δεόμεθα,  
ὑπὲρ εἰρήνης τοῦ κόσμου, καὶ σωτηρίας τῶν  
ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

**Ἦχος β'.**

Παρήλθεν ἡ σκιά τοῦ νόμου, τῆς  
χάριτος ἐλθούσης· ὥς γὰρ ἡ βάτος οὐκ  
ἐκαίετο καταφλεγόμενη, οὕτω παρθένος  
ἔτεκες, καὶ παρθένος ἔμεινας, ἀντὶ στύλου  
πυρός, δικαιοσύνης ἀνέτειλεν Ἥλιος, ἀντὶ  
Μωϋσέως Χριστός, ἡ σωτηρία τῶν ψυχῶν  
ἡμῶν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

**ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ**

Ἑσπέρας καὶ πρωΐ καὶ μεσημβρίας, αἰνοῦμεν,  
εὐλογοῦμεν, εὐχαριστοῦμεν καὶ δεόμεθα σου,  
Δέσποτα τῶν ἀπάντων, Φιλάνθρωπε, Κύριε.  
Κατεύθυνον τὴν προσευχὴν ἡμῶν, ὡς θυμίαμα  
ἐνώπιόν σου καὶ μὴ ἐκκλίνης τὰς καρδίας ἡμῶν εἰς  
λόγους, ἢ εἰς λογισμοὺς πονηρίας, ἀλλὰ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς  
ἐκ πάντων τῶν θηρευόντων τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν· ὅτι

you sanctify and rescue \* when they invoke  
your exalted name. [SD]

Glory.

From Menaion ---

**Mode pl. 2.**

True to your name was the manner of  
your life, O George the Victorious. For taking  
up the cross of Christ on your shoulders,  
you tilled the earth parched by diabolical  
delusion. As you uprooted the thorny religion  
of the idols, you planted the vine of the  
Orthodox faith everywhere. Therefore you  
pour out healings for the faithful throughout  
the civilized world; and you have shown  
yourself to be a righteous husbandman of  
the Trinity. We beseech you: intercede for the  
peace of the world and the salvation of our  
souls. [SD]

Both now.

From Pentecostarion ---

**Mode 2.**

At the coming of grace, the shadow of the  
law passed away. Just as the bush that burned  
was not consumed, so have you given birth  
and remained a virgin. Instead of a pillar of  
fire, the Sun of Righteousness shone forth;  
instead of Moses, Christ, the salvation of our  
souls appeared. [HC]

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Let us pray to the Lord.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

**Prayer of the Entrance**

At evening, at morning and at midday we praise,  
bless and give thanks, and we pray to you, Master of  
all things, Lord who love mankind: Direct our prayer  
before you like incense, and do not incline our hearts to  
words or thoughts of evil, but deliver us from all that  
hunt down our souls. For our eyes look to you, O Lord,  
our Lord, and we have hoped in you.

πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, Κύριε, οἱ ὀφθαλμοὶ ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐπὶ σοὶ  
ἠλπίσαμεν· μὴ κατασχύνῃς ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

**ΚΛΗΡΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΛΑΟΣ**

**Ἦχος β'.**

Φῶς ἱλαρὸν ἀγίας δόξης, ἀθανάτου  
Πατρός, οὐρανίου, ἀγίου, μάκαρος, Ἰησοῦ  
Χριστέ, ἐλθόντες ἐπὶ τὴν ἡλίου δύσιν,  
ιδόντες φῶς ἐσπερινόν, ὑμνοῦμεν Πατέρα,  
Υἱόν, καὶ ἅγιον Πνεῦμα Θεόν. Ἀξιόν σε ἐν  
πᾶσι καιροῖς, ὑμνεῖσθαι φωναῖς αἰσίαις,  
Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ζῶν ὁ διδούς· \* διὸ ὁ κόσμος σὲ  
δοξάζει.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἐσπέρας Προκείμενον.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Προκείμενον. Ἦχος βαρύς.**

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ  
Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

**Στίχ.** Ἐγνώρισας ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς τὴν  
δύναμίν σου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ  
Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

**Στίχ.** Καὶ εἶπα· Νῦν ἡρξάμην· αὕτη ἡ  
ἀλλοίωσις τῆς δεξιᾶς τοῦ Ὑψίστου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ  
Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

**Στίχ.** Ἐμνήσθην τῶν ἔργων Κυρίου, ὅτι  
μνησθήσομαι ἀπὸ τῆς ἀρχῆς τῶν θαυμασιῶν  
σου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ  
Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

**DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise.

**CLERGY AND PEOPLE**

**Mode 2.**

Gladsome light of holy glory of the holy,  
blessed, heavenly, immortal Father, O Jesus  
Christ: arriving at the hour of sunset and  
having seen the evening light, we praise the  
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, God. It is worthy  
for You to be praised at all times with happy  
voices, O Son of God and Giver of life; \* and  
therefore the world glorifies You. [SD]

**DEACON**

The evening Prokeimenon.

**CHOIR**

**Prokeimenon. Grave Mode.**

Who is so great a God as our God? You  
alone are the God who does wonders. [SAAS]

**Verse:** You made known Your power among  
the peoples.

Who is so great a God as our God? You  
alone are the God who does wonders.

**Verse:** I said, "Now I am beginning to see;  
this change is by the right hand of the Most High."

Who is so great a God as our God? You  
alone are the God who does wonders.

**Verse:** I remembered the Lord's works, for I  
will remember Your wonders of old.

Who is so great a God as our God? You  
alone are the God who does wonders.

## Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

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

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

20:19-25

Οὔσης ὀψίας τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ἐκείνῃ, τῇ μιᾷ Σαββάτων, καὶ τῶν θυρῶν κεκλεισμένων, ὅπου ἦσαν οἱ μαθηταὶ συνηγμένοι διὰ τὸν φόβον τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς καὶ ἔστη εἰς τὸ μέσον καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· Εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. Καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν, ἔδειξεν αὐτοῖς τὰς χεῖρας καὶ τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ. Ἐχάρησαν οὖν οἱ μαθηταὶ ἰδόντες τὸν Κύριον.

Εἶπεν οὖν αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς πάλιν· Εἰρήνη ὑμῖν· καθὼς ἀπέσταλκέ με ὁ Πατήρ, καὶ ἐγὼ πέμπω ὑμᾶς. Καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν ἐνεφύσησεν καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· Λάβετε Πνεῦμα ἅγιον· ἃν τινῶν ἀφῇτε

## The Gospel

### 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.)

### PRIEST

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to John.

### DEACON

Let us be attentive.

### CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

### PRIEST

20:19-25

On the evening of that day, the first day of the week, the doors being shut where the disciples were for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said to them, "Peace be with you." When He had said this, He showed them His hands and His side. Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.

Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent Me, even so I send you." And when He had said this, He breathed on them and said to them, "Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any,

τὰς ἁμαρτίας, ἀφένονται αὐτοῖς· ἂν τινῶν κρατῇτε, κεκράτηνται.

Θωμᾶς δέ, εἷς ἐκ τῶν δώδεκα, ὁ λεγόμενος Δίδυμος, οὐκ ἦν μετ' αὐτῶν ὅτε ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς. Ἐλέγον οὖν αὐτῷ οἱ ἄλλοι μαθηταί· Ἐωράκαμεν τὸν Κύριον. Ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· Ἐὰν μὴ ἴδω ἐν ταῖς χερσὶν αὐτοῦ τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων καὶ βάλω τὸν δάκτυλόν μου εἰς τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων καὶ βάλω τὴν χεῖρά μου εἰς τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ, οὐ μὴ πιστεύσω.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εἵπωμεν πάντες ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν εἵπωμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Κύριε παντοκράτορ ὁ Θεὸς τῶν πατέρων ἡμῶν, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

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

Ἐτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

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

Ἐτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

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

they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained."

Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord." But he said to them, "Unless I see in His hands the print of the nails, and place my finger in the mark of the nails, and place my hand in His side, I will not believe." [RSV]

#### CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

#### DEACON

Let us all say with all our soul and with all our mind, let us all say.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Lord almighty, God of our fathers, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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.)

Ἦτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν,  
τῶν ἱερέων, ἱερομονάχων, ἱεροδιακόνων καὶ  
μοναχῶν, καὶ πάσης τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ ἡμῶν  
ἀδελφότητος.

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

Ἦτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς,  
εἰρήνης, υἰείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως,  
συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν  
τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν  
εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν, τῶν  
κατοικούντων καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν  
τῇ (πόλει, κώμῃ), ταύτῃ, τῶν ἐνοριτῶν,  
ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιερωτῶν  
τοῦ ἁγίου ναοῦ τούτου.

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

Ἦτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων  
καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας  
Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν  
προαναπαυσαμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν  
ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς, κειμένων, καὶ  
ἁπανταχοῦ ὀρθοδόξων.

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

Ἦτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν  
καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων  
ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ πανσέπτῳ ναῷ τούτῳ,  
κοπιώντων, ψαλλόντων καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ  
περιεστῶτος λαοῦ, τοῦ ἀπεκδεχομένου τὸ  
παρὰ σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

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

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς  
ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν,  
τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι,  
νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

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 ever-  
memorable 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.

(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 all-  
venerable 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.)



## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Καταξιώσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἐσπέρᾳ ταύτῃ, ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν, καὶ αἰνετὸν καὶ δεδοξασμένον τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. Ἀμήν. Γένοιτο, Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καθάπερ ἠλπίσαμεν ἐπὶ σέ. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Δέσποτα, συνέτισον μὲ τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Ἄγιε, φώτισόν με τοῖς δικαιώμασί σου. Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα· τὰ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου μὴ παρίδῃς. Σοὶ πρέπει αἶνος, σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος, σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν ἐσπερινὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

## READER

O Lord, keep us this evening without sin. Blessed are you, O Lord, God of our fathers, and praised and glorified is your name to the ages. Amen. O Lord, let your mercy be upon us for we have set our hope in you. Blessed are you, O Lord, teach me your commandments. Blessed are you, Master, grant me understanding of your commandments. Blessed are you, Holy One, enlighten me with your commandments. Lord, your mercy is forever. Do not despise the works of your hands. To you is due praise, to you is due song, to you is due glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. [HC]

(Amen.)

## DEACON

Let us complete our evening 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 evening 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.



(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς  
ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ  
Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν  
ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετανοίᾳ ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ  
Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς  
ὑπάρχεις καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν,  
τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι,  
νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνομεν.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ κλῖνας οὐρανοὺς καὶ  
καταβάς ἐπὶ σωτηρίᾳ τοῦ γένους τῶν ἀνθρώπων,  
ἐπίδε ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν κληρονομίαν

(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.

(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, O God, are good and love  
mankind, and to You we offer glory, to the  
Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,  
now and forever, and to the 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)

Lord our God, who bowed the heavens and came  
down for the salvation of the human race, look upon  
your servants and upon your inheritance, for to you,

σου· σοὶ γὰρ τῷ φοβερῷ καὶ φιланθρωπῷ κριτῇ  
οἱ σοὶ δοῦλοι ὑπέκλιναν τὰς κεφαλὰς, τοὺς δὲ  
αὐτῶν ὑπέταξαν αὐχένας, οὐ τὴν ἐξ ἀνθρώπων  
ἀναμένοντες βοήθειαν, ἀλλὰ τὸ σὸν περιμένοντες  
ἔλεος καὶ τὴν σὴν ἀπεκδεχόμενοι σωτηρίαν·  
οὓς διαφύλαξον ἐν παντὶ καιρῷ καὶ κατὰ τὴν  
παροῦσαν ἐσπέραν καὶ τὴν προσιοῦσαν νύκτα,  
ἀπὸ παντὸς ἐχθροῦ, ἀπὸ πάσης ἀντικειμένης  
ἐνεργίας διαβολικῆς, καὶ διαλογισμῶν ματαίων καὶ  
ἐνθυμήσεων πονηρῶν.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἴη τὸ κράτος τῆς βασιλείας σου  
εὐλογημένον καὶ δεδοξασμένον, τοῦ  
Πατρὸς, καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ, καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου  
Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας  
τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

### Ἀπόστιχα.

#### Ἦχος β'.

Ἡ Ἀνάστασις σου Χριστὲ Σωτήρ,  
ἅπασαν ἐφώτισε τὴν οἰκουμένην, καὶ  
ἀνεκαλέσω τὸ ἴδιον πλάσμα, παντοδύναμε  
Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

### Στιχηρὰ τοῦ Πάσχα.

#### Ἦχος πλ. α'.

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

Πάσχα ἱερὸν ἡμῖν σήμερον  
ἀναδέδεικται· Πάσχα καινόν, Ἅγιον· Πάσχα  
μυστικόν· Πάσχα πανσεβάσμιον· Πάσχα  
Χριστὸς ὁ λυτρωτής. Πάσχα ἄμωμον·  
Πάσχα μέγα· Πάσχα τῶν πιστῶν· Πάσχα  
τὸ πύλας ἡμῖν τοῦ Παραδείσου ἀνοῖξαν·  
Πάσχα, πάντα ἀγιάζον πιστούς.

the fearful Judge who love mankind, your servants  
have bowed their heads and inclined their necks, not  
waiting for any human help, but awaiting your mercy  
and looking for your salvation. Guard them at every  
moment, during both the present evening and the  
approaching night, from every foe, from every hostile  
operation of the devil and from vain thoughts and evil  
desires.

## PRIEST

May the might of your kingdom be  
blessed and glorified, of the Father and the  
Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and  
to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

From Pentecostarion ---

## CHOIR

### Aposticha.

#### Mode 2.

Your resurrection, O Christ our Savior,  
has illumined the entire earth, and has  
recalled your creation. O almighty Lord, glory  
to you. [HC]

From Pentecostarion ---

### Stichera of Pascha.

#### Mode pl. 1.

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

Today a sacred Pascha has been revealed  
to us; a Pascha new and holy, a Pascha  
mystical, a Pascha all-venerable, Pascha, the  
Redeemer Christ himself; a Pascha that is  
blameless, a Pascha that is great, a Pascha  
of believers, a Pascha that has opened for us  
the gates of Paradise, a Pascha that sanctifies  
believers all. [SD]

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

Δεῦτε ἀπὸ θεάς Γυναῖκες  
εὐαγγελίστριαι, καὶ τῇ Σιών εἶπατε·  
Δέχου παρ' ἡμῶν χαρᾶς εὐαγγέλια, τῆς  
Ἀναστάσεως Χριστοῦ· τέρπου, χόρευε, καὶ  
ἀγάλλου Ἱερουσαλήμ, τὸν Βασιλέα Χριστόν,  
θεασαμένη ἐκ τοῦ μνήματος, ὡς νυμφίον  
προερχόμενον.

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

Αἱ μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, ὄρθρου βαθέος,  
ἐπιστᾶσαι πρὸς τὸ μνήμα τοῦ Ζωοδότου,  
εὔρον Ἄγγελον, ἐπὶ τὸν λίθον καθήμενον,  
καὶ αὐτὸς προσφθεγξάμενος, αὐταῖς οὕτως  
ἔλεγε· Τί ζητεῖτε τὸν ζῶντα μετὰ τῶν  
νεκρῶν; τί θρηνεῖτε τὸν ἄφθαρτον ὡς ἐν  
φθορᾷ; ἀπελθοῦσαι κηρύξατε τοῖς αὐτοῦ  
Μαθηταῖς.

**Στίχ. δ'.** Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ  
Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν  
ἐν αὐτῇ.

Πάσχα τὸ τερπνόν· Πάσχα Κυρίου,  
Πάσχα· Πάσχα πανσεβάσμιον ἡμῖν  
ἀνέτειλε· Πάσχα ἐν χαρᾷ ἀλλήλους  
περιπτυξώμεθα· ὦ Πάσχα, λύτρον  
λύτης· καὶ γὰρ ἐκ τάφου σήμερον,  
ὥσπερ ἐκ παστοῦ, ἐκλάμψας Χριστός, τὰ  
Γύναια χαρᾶς ἐπλησε λέγων· Κηρύξατε  
Ἀποστόλοις.

Δόξα. **Τοῦ Ἁγίου.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἦχος δ'.**

Τὸν νοερὸν ἀδάμαντα, τῆς καρτερίας  
ἀδελφοί, πνευματικῶς εὐφημήσωμεν,

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

Come now from that sight, O you women  
and heralds of good news, and say to Zion,  
"Receive from us the joyful tidings of the  
Resurrection of Christ. O Jerusalem, be  
exultant, dance and leap for joy, for you have  
witnessed Christ the King coming forth as a  
Bridegroom from the sepulcher." [SD]

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

The myrrh-bearing women at dawn very  
early, standing outside the tomb of the Giver-  
of-Life, found an Angel who was seated upon  
the stone. And the Angel addressed them, and  
this is what he said, "Why do you seek among  
the dead the One who is alive? Why do you  
grieve as though corruptible the Incorrupt? So  
go back and proclaim it to His Disciples." [SD]

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

Pascha of delight! Pascha, the Lord's  
Pascha! A Pascha all venerable has risen  
for us. Pascha! With joy let us embrace one  
another. Pascha, the ransom from sorrow!  
Today from the sepulcher Christ emerged  
resplendently as from a bridal chamber,  
and the women He filled with joy, saying,  
"Proclaim this to the Apostles." [SD]

Glory. **For the Saint.**

From Menaion ---

**Mode 4.**

O brethren, let us spiritually extol that  
veritable diamond of endurance, George the

Γεώργιον τὸν ἀοίδιμον Μάρτυρα, ὃν ὑπὲρ Χριστοῦ πυρούμενον, ἐχάλκευσαν κίνδυνοι, καὶ ἐστόμωσαν βάσανοι, καὶ ποικίλαι κολάσεις ἀνήλωσαν, σῶμα τὸ φύσει φθειρόμενον· ἐνίκα γὰρ ὁ πόθος τὴν φύσιν, διὰ θανάτου πείθων τὸν ἐραστήν, διαβῆναι πρὸς τὸν ποθούμενον, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεόν, καὶ Σωτῆρα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν. **Τοῦ Πάσχα.**

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

Ἀναστάσεως ἡμέρα, καὶ λαμπρυνθῶμεν τῇ πανηγύρει, καὶ ἀλλήλους περιπτυξώμεθα. Εἴπωμεν ἀδελφοί, καὶ τοῖς μισοῦσιν ἡμᾶς· Συγχωρήσωμεν πάντα τῇ Ἀναστάσει, καὶ οὕτω βοήσωμεν· Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

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

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

**Τοῦ Ἀγίου.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἦχος δ'.**

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλώτων ἐλευθερωτής, καὶ τῶν πτωχῶν ὑπερασπιστής, ἀσθενούντων ἰατρός, βασιλέων ὑπέρμαχος, Τροπαιοφόρε Μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

illustrious Martyr. He was set on fire for the sake of Christ and forged by perils. Tortures trained him. Multiple martyrdoms devastated his body, which by nature was subject to decay. For love's longing overcame nature, persuading the lover to cross over, by means of death, to the loved One, Christ our God and the Savior of our souls. [SD]

Both now. **Of Pascha.**

From Pentecostarion ---

**Mode pl. 1.**

It is the day of the Resurrection. Let us shine brightly for the festival, and also embrace one another. Brethren, let us say even to those who hate us, "Let us forgive everything for the Resurrection." And thus let us cry aloud, "Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life." [SD]

From Pentecostarion ---

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

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**For the Saint.**

From Menaion ---

**Mode 4.**

As the one renowned for setting captives free and for defending those in poverty, the physician of the sick and the champion of emperors, great and victorious Martyr George, intercede with Christ our God, beseeching Him to save our souls. [SD]

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

**Ἦχος πλ. α'.**

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

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία.

(Εὐλόγησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὁ ὢν εὐλογητός, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν,  
πάντοτε, νῦν, καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας  
τῶν αἰώνων. (Ἀμήν.)

Στερεώσαι, Κύριος ὁ Θεός, τὴν ἁγίαν  
καὶ ἀμώμητον πίστιν τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ  
ὀρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, σὺν τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ  
Ἐκκλησίᾳ καὶ τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ εἰς αἰῶνας  
αἰώνων.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Ἀμήν.

Φωτίζου, φωτίζου ἡ νέα Ἱερουσαλήμ·  
ἡ γὰρ δόξα Κυρίου ἐπὶ σὲ ἀνέτειλε. Χόρευε  
νῦν, καὶ ἀγάλλου Σιών, σὺ δὲ ἀγνή, τέρπου  
Θεοτόκε, ἐν τῇ ἐγέρσει τοῦ τόκου σου.

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

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ἐκ γ') Εὐλόγησον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, Χριστὸς ὁ  
ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις  
τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας  
αὐτοῦ Μητρός, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ  
ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων  
ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Ἀσωμάτων, ἱκεσίαις  
τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδρόμου  
καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων  
καὶ πανευφύμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων  
ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν

From Pentecostarion - - -

**Mode pl. 1.**

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

**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.

Be illumined, illumined, O New  
Jerusalem; \* for the glory of the Lord has  
arisen over you. \* Dance now for joy, O  
Zion, and exult. \* And you be merry, O pure  
Theotokos, \* at the arising of the One you  
bore.

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

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

**PRIEST**

May He Who rose from the dead, Christ  
our true God, through the intercessions of His  
all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother, the  
power of the precious and life-giving Cross,  
the protection of the honorable, bodiless  
powers of heaven, the supplications of the  
honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner  
John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and  
praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious,  
and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous

όσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Ἁγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου, οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν· καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος.

Συγχωρήσωμεν πάντα τῇ Ἀναστάσει, καὶ οὕτω βοήσωμεν·

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη.

**ΛΑΟΣ**

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη.

**ΛΑΟΣ**

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη.

**ΛΑΟΣ**

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δόξα τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ τριήμερῳ Ἐγέρσει.

**ΛΑΟΣ**

Προσκυνοῦμεν αὐτοῦ τὴν τριήμερον Ἐγερσιν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΛΑΟΣ**

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος.

and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, the holy and glorious Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer, whose memory we celebrate, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, for He is good and loves mankind.

Let us forgive everything for the Resurrection, And thus let us cry aloud:

Christ is risen!

**PEOPLE**

Truly He is risen!

**PRIEST**

Christ is risen!

**PEOPLE**

Truly He is risen!

**PRIEST**

Christ is risen!

**PEOPLE**

Truly He is risen!

**PRIEST**

Glory to His holy Resurrection on the third day!

**PEOPLE**

We worship His Resurrection on the third day!

**PRIEST**

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

**PEOPLE**

Truly the Lord is risen!