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# The Service of Matins

for Sunday, March 24, 2019

Octoechos - Mode 2. on Sunday Morning

**Eothinon 10** 

Triodion - Second Sunday of Lent Second Sunday of Lent - St. Gregory Palamas on Sunday Morning at Matins

**Menaion - March 24 Forefeast of the Annunciation** 

**Katavasias of Theotokos** 

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## Όκτώηχος

Ήχος β'.

Τῆ Κυριακῆ Πρωΐ

## Τοιώδιον

Κυριακή Β΄ τῶν Νηστειῶν τοῦ Άγίου Γρηγορίου Παλαμᾶ

## Μηναῖον - ΤΗι ΚΔ' ΜΑΡΤΙΟΥ

Ποοεόρτια τοῦ Εὐαγγελισμοῦ

## ΟΡΘΡΟΣ

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Ήχος β'.

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

**Στίχ.** α'. Έξομολογεῖσθε τῷ Κυρίῳ καὶ ἐπικαλεῖσθε τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἄγιον αὐτοῦ.

ἤ 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 θαυμαστὴ ἐν ὀφθαλμοῖς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

# Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον. Ἡχος β΄.

Ότε κατῆλθες πρὸς τὸν θάνατον, ἡ Ζωὴ ἡ ἀθάνατος, τότε τὸν Ἅιδην ἐνέκρωσας τῆ ἀστραπῆ τῆς Θεότητος, ὅτε δὲ καὶ τοὺς τεθνεῶτας ἐκ τῶν καταχθονίων ἀνέστησας, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων ἐκραύγαζον Ζωοδότα Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

#### **Octoechos**

## Mode 2.

On Sunday Morning

## **Triodion**

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## Menaion - March 24

Forefeast of the Annunciation

## **MATINS**

#### **CHOIR**

## Mode 2.

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

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

From Octoechos - - -

# Resurrectional Apolytikion. Mode 2.

When You descended unto death, O Lord who yourself are immortal Life, then did You mortify Hades by the lightning flash of Your Divinity. Also when You raised the dead from the netherworld, all the Powers of the heavens were crying out: O Giver of life, Christ our God, glory to You. [SD]

# Δόξα. Τοῦ Ἱεράρχου.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

# Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Όρθοδοξίας ὁ φωστήρ, Ἐκκλησίας τὸ στήριγμα καὶ διδάσκαλε, τῶν μοναστῶν ἡ καλλονὴ, τῶν θεολόγων ὑπέρμαχος ἀπροσμάχητος Γρηγόριε θαυματουργὲ Θεσσαλονίκης τὸ καύχημα κήρυξ τῆς χάριτος ἱκέτευε διὰ παντός, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν. Ποοεόοτιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - -

## $^{5}$ H $\chi$ o $\varsigma$ $\delta'$ .

Σήμε ον τῆς παγκοσμίου χαρᾶς τὰ προοίμια, τὴν προεόρτιον ἦσαι προτρέπεται ἰδοὺ γὰρ Γαβριὴλ παραγίνεται, καὶ πρὸς αὐτὴν ἐκβοήσεται Χαῖρε Κεχαριτωμένη, ὁ Κύριος μετὰ σοῦ.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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 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.)

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

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

# Glory. For the Hierarch.

From Triodion - - -

# Mode pl. 4.

Beacon of Orthodox belief, the strong support of the Church and her teacher inspired by God, you are the ornament of monks, the unassailable champion of theologians, O Gregory the Wonder-worker and the boast of Thessalonica, the messenger of grace. Forever earnestly entreat for the salvation of our souls.

Both now. For the Forefeast.

From Menaion - - -

#### Mode 4.

Today is the prelude of the joy of the universe, and it incites us to sing the forefestal hymns. For behold, Gabriel is coming, and he will say to the Virgin: Rejoice, Maiden full of grace; the Lord is with you.

#### **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.)

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Κάθισμα Α'. Ήχος β'.

Ό εὐσχήμων Ἰωσήφ, ἀπὸ τοῦ ξύλου καθελών, τὸ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα, σινδόνι καθαρᾶ, εἰλήσας καὶ ἀρώμασιν, ἐν μνήματι καινῷ, κηδεύσας ἀπέθετο· ἀλλὰ τριήμερος ἀνέστης Κύριε, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### Δόξα.

Ταῖς μυφοφόφοις Γυναιξί, παρὰ τὸ μνῆμα ἐπιστάς, ὁ Ἅγγελος ἐβόα· Τὰ μύφα τοῖς θνητοῖς ὑπάρχει ἁρμόδια, Χριστὸς δὲ διαφθορᾶς ἐδείχθη ἀλλότριος, ἀλλὰ κραυγάσατε· Ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

## Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Πάντα ὑπὲς ἔννοιαν, πάντα ὑπες ένδοξα, τὰ σὰ Θεοτόκε μυστήςια, τῆ άγνεία ἐσφραγισμένη, καὶ παρθενία φυλαττομένη, Μήτης ἐγνώσθης ἀψευδής, Θεὸν τεκοῦσα ἀληθινόν αὐτὸν ἱκέτευε σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

# Κάθισμα Β'. Ήχος β'.

Τὸν λίθον τοῦ μνήματος, σφοαγισθῆναι μὴ κωλύσας, τὴν πέτραν τῆς πίστεως, ἀναστὰς παρέσχες πᾶσι, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

#### Λόξα.

Τῶν Μαθητῶν σου ὁ χορός, σὺν μυροφόροις Γυναιξίν, ἀγάλλεται συμφώνως κοινὴν γὰρ ἑορτὴν σὺν αὐτοῖς ἑορτάζομεν, εἰς δόξαν καὶ τιμὴν τῆς σῆς

From Octoechos - - -

#### **CHOIR**

# Kathisma I. Mode 2.

When he took down Your immaculate Body from the Cross, the honorable Joseph wrapped it in a clean linen shroud with spices and laid it for burial in a new tomb. But on the third day You arose, O Lord, and granted the world Your great mercy.

# Glory.

The Angel standing at the sepulcher cried out and said to the ointment-bearing women: The ointments are appropriate for mortal men, but Christ has been shown to be a stranger to decay. So go and cry aloud, The Lord has risen and granted the world His great mercy.

## Both now. Theotokion.

All surpassing every thought, all surpassing glorious, O Theotokos, are your mysteries. For while bearing the seal of purity and preserved in virginity, you were deemed a Mother in truth, for to the true God you gave birth. To Him pray fervently, entreating Him to save our souls.

From Octoechos - - -

# Kathisma II. Mode 2.

Not barring the stone of the tomb from being sealed shut, You rose and You granted unto all the rock of faith. Glory to You, O Lord. [5D]

# Glory.

The host of Your Disciples and the ointment-bearing women are with one accord exulting. Together with them we celebrate a common feast to glorify and honor Your

Άναστάσεως, καὶ δι' αὐτῶν, φιλάνθοωπε Κύοιε, τῷ λαῷ σου παράσχου τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

## Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Υπεφευλογημένη ύπάφχεις, Θεοτόκε Παφθένε· διὰ γὰφ τοῦ ἐκ σοῦ σαφκωθέντος, ὁ ἄδης ἠχμαλώτισται, ὁ Ἀδὰμ ἀνακέκληται, ἡ κατάφα νενέκφωται, ἡ Εὔα ἠλευθέφωται, ὁ θάνατος τεθανάτωται, καὶ ἡμεις ἐζωοποιήθημεν· διὸ ἀνυμνοῦντες βοῶμεν· Εὐλογητὸς Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ οὕτως εὐδοκήσας δόξα σοι.

# Εὐλογητάοια Άναστάσιμα. Ἡχος πλ. α'.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Τῶν Ἁγγέλων ὁ δῆμος, κατεπλάγη ὁρῶν σε, ἐν νεκροῖς λογισθέντα, τοῦ θανάτου δὲ Σωτήρ, τὴν ἰσχὺν καθελόντα, καὶ σὺν ἑαυτῷ τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἐγείραντα, καὶ ἐξ Ἅιδου πάντας ἐλευθερώσαντα.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Τί τὰ μύρα, συμπαθῶς τοῖς δάκρυσιν, ὦ Μαθήτριαι κιρνᾶτε; ὁ ἀστράπτων ἐν τῷ τάφῳ Ἅγγελος, προσεφθέγγετο ταῖς Μυροφόροις· Ἱδετε ὑμεῖς τὸν τάφον καὶ ἤσθητε· ὁ Σωτὴρ γὰρ ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος. Resurrection. And through them, O Lord who love humanity, bestow on Your people the great mercy. [SD]

### Both now. Theotokion.

You are supremely blessed, O Virgin Theotokos. For through Him who from you became incarnate was Hades taken prisoner, and Adam has been summoned back; the curse has been neutralized, and Eve has been liberated; death has been put to death, and we have been brought to life. Therefore extolling we cry out: O Christ our God, You are blessed, for so was Your good pleasure. Glory to You! [SD]

# Resurrectional Evlogetaria. Mode pl. 1.

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

When the hosts of the Angels saw how You were accounted among the dead, they all marveled. You, O Savior, are the One who destroyed the might of death; and when You arose You raised Adam with yourself and from Hades liberated everyone.

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

"Why do you mingle the ointments with your tears full of pity, O women disciples?" Thus the Angel who was shining in the tomb cried to the myrrh-bearing women. "See for yourselves the empty tomb and understand, that the Savior has risen from the sepulcher."

[SD]

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Λίαν πρωΐ, Μυροφόροι ἔδραμον, πρὸς τὸ μνῆμά σου θρηνολογοῦσαι ἀλλ' ἐπέστη, πρὸς αὐτὰς ὁ Ἅγγελος, καὶ εἶπε θρήνου ὁ καιρὸς πέπαυται, μὴ κλαίετε, τὴν Ἀνάστασιν δέ, Ἀποστόλοις εἴπατε.

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Μυφοφόφοι γυναῖκες, μετὰ μύφων ἐλθοῦσαι, πρὸς τὸ μνῆμά σου, Σῶτερ ἐνηχοῦντο. Ἁγγέλου τρανῶς, πρὸς αὐτὰς φθεγγομένου Τί μετὰ νεκρῶν, τὸν ζώντα λογίζεσθε; ὡς Θεὸς γάρ, ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

## Δόξα.

Ποοσκυνοῦμεν Πατέρα, καὶ τὸν τούτου Υἱόν τε, καὶ τὸ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, τὴν Ἁγίαν Τοιάδα, ἐν μιᾳ τῆ οὐσίᾳ, σὺν τοῖς Σεραφείμ, κράζοντες τὸ Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος εἶ, Κύριε.

## Καὶ νῦν.

Ζωοδότην τεκοῦσα, ἐλυτοώσω Παρθένε, τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἁμαρτίας, χαρμονὴν δὲ τῆ Εὔα, ἀντὶ λύπης παρέσχες, ῥεύσαντα ζωῆς, ἴθυνε πρὸς ταύτην δέ, ὁ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθείς Θεὸς καὶ ἄνθρωπος.

Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Άλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός. (ἐκ γ΄)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

Very early in the morning, the myrrhbearing women were hastening to Your tomb lamenting. But the Angel appeared to them and uttered, "The time for lamentation has ended; weep no more. Go announce the Resurrection to the Apostles." [5D]

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

When the myrrh-bearing women had come with their spices to Your sepulcher, O Savior, they heard the voice of an Angel clearly speaking to them, "Why do you account among the dead the One who lives? For as God, He has risen from the sepulcher."

# Glory.

We bow down in worship to the Father and His Son and the Holy Spirit, the Holy Trinity, one in essence; and we cry aloud with the Seraphim: Holy, Holy, Holy are You, O Lord. [5D]

## Both now.

Giving birth to the Giver of life, O Virgin, you delivered Adam from sin, and to Eve you have rendered joy in place of sorrow. He who from you became incarnate, God and man, has directed to life him who fell from it. [50]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God. (3)

# **DEACON**

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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 ηὐλόγηταί σου τὸ ὄνομα, καὶ δεδόξασταί σου ἡ βασιλεία, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υίοῦ καὶ τοῦ Άγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

# Ύπακοή. Ἡχος β'.

Μετὰ τὸ Πάθος πορευθεῖσαι ἐν τῷ μνήματι πρὸς τὸ μυρίσαι τὸ σῶμά σου αἱ γυναῖκες Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, εἶδον ἄγγέλους ἐν τῷ τάφῳ καὶ ἐξέστησαν· φωνῆς γὰρ ἤκουον ἐξ αὐτῶν, ὅτι ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Οἱ Ἀναβαθμοί. Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. Ἡχος β΄.

Έν τῷ οὐρανῷ τὰ ὅμματα, ἐκπέμπω μου τῆς καρδίας, πρὸς σὲ Σωτήρ, σῶσόν με σῆ ἐπιλάμψει.

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς τοὺς πταίοντάς σοι πολλὰ καθ' ἑκάστην ὥραν, ὧ Χριστέ μου, καὶ δὸς πρὸ τέλους τρόπους, τοῦ μετανοεῖν σοι.

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 blessed is your name, and glorified is your kingdom, of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

#### **READER**

From Octoechos - - -

# Hypakoe. Mode 2.

After the Passion, O Christ God, the women went to the tomb to anoint Your body, and they saw Angels in the sepulcher, and they were amazed. For they heard them saying that the Lord has risen and granted the world the great mercy. [SD]

## **CHOIR**

# Anavathmoi. Antiphon I. Mode 2.

Savior, I direct the eyes of my heart unto You in heaven. Save me, I pray, shining on me Your resplendence. [SD]

Have mercy, O my Christ, on us who hourly commit sin against You manifoldly; and give us means before the end to turn to You in repentance. [SD]

Δόξα καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι, τὸ βασιλεύειν πέλει, τὸ ἁγιάζειν, τὸ κινεῖν τὴν κτίσιν Θεὸς γάρ ἐστιν, ὁμοούσιος Πατρὶ καὶ Λόγω.

# Άντίφωνον Β'.

Εἰμὴ ὅτι Κύριος ἦν ἐν ἡμῖν, τίς ἱκανὸς σῶος φυλαχθῆναι, ἐκ τοῦ ἐχθροῦ ἄμα, καὶ ἀνθρωποκτόνου;

Τοῖς ὁδοῦσιν αὐτῶν, μὴ παραδῷς Σῶτερ τὸν σὸν δοῦλον, λέοντος τρόπον κατ' ἐμοῦ κινοῦνται καὶ γὰρ οἱ ἐχθροί μου.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι, ζωαρχία καὶ γέρας· πάντα γὰρ τὰ κτιστά, ὡς Θεὸς ὢν δυναμοῖ, συντηρεῖ ἐν Πατρὶ δι' Υίοῦ δέ.

# Άντίφωνον Γ'.

Οἱ πεποιθότες ἐπὶ Κύριον, ἐοίκασιν ὄρει τῷ ἁγίῳ, οἳ οὐδαμῶς σαλεύονται, προσβολαῖς τοῦ Βελίαρ.

Ἐν ἀνομίαις χεῖρας αὐτῶν μὴ ἐκτεινάτωσαν οἱ θείως ζῶντες· οὐ γὰρ ἐᾳ Χριστός, τῇ ῥάβδῳ τὸν κλῆρον αὐτοῦ.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι, ποοσπηγάζει πᾶσα σοφία, ἔνθεν χάοις Ἀποστόλοις, καὶ τοῖς ἄθλοις καταστέφονται Μάοτυρες, καὶ Ποοφῆται ὁρῶσι.

# Ποοκείμενον.

Ἐξεγέρθητι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐν προστάγματι, ῷ ἐνετείλω, καὶ συναγωγὴ λαῶν κυκλώσει σε. (δίς) Glory. Both now.

To the Holy Spirit is it proper to rule and to hallow and to move creation; for He is God, coessential with the Father and the Logos.

# Antiphon II.

If the Lord were not among us, who would be sufficient to preserve himself uninjured from the enemy and murderer of mankind?

Hand me not to the teeth of my enemies, O my Savior; for in the manner of a lion they come against me Your servant. [5D]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit is life-source and honor: being as He is God, in the Father through the Son He strengthens and sustains every creature.

# Antiphon III.

They whose confidence is in the Lord are like the holy mountain: they are in no way shaken by the assaults of Belial. [50]

Let those who live for God not stretch forth their hands in unlawful acts; for Christ will not suffer His lot to be oppressed by the rod of sinners.

Glory. Both now.

From the Holy Spirit does in addition all wisdom also issue; whence is grace to the Apostles, and the Martyrs for their contests receive the crowns, and the Prophets are seers. [5D]

## Prokeimenon.

Awaken, O Lord my God, in the ordinance You commanded, so the

Στίχ. Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐπὶ σοὶ ἤλπισα.

Έξεγέρθητι, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, ἐν προστάγματι, ῷ ἐνετείλω, καὶ συναγωγὴ λαῶν κυκλώσει σε.

Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - -

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

# Κοντάκιον Άναστάσιμον.

Ανέστης Σωτήο, ἐκ τάφου Παντοδύναμε καὶ Άιδης ἰδών, τὸ θαῦμα ἐξεπλήττετο, καὶ νεκροὶ ἀνίσταντο, καὶ ἡ κτίσις ἰδοῦσα συγχαίρει σοι, καὶ ὁ Ἀδάμ συναγάλλεται, καὶ κόσμος Σωτήρ μου ἀνυμνεῖ σε ἀεί.

## Ο Οἶκος.

Σὺ εἶ τὸ φῶς τῶν ἐσκοτισμένων, σὺ εἶ ἡ ἀνάστασις πάντων καὶ ἡ ζωὴ τῶν βροτῶν καὶ πάντας συνανέστησας, τοῦ θανάτου τὸ κράτος Σωτὴρ σκυλεύσας, καὶ τοῦ Ἅιδου τὰς πύλας συντρίψας Λόγε, καὶ οἱ θνητοὶ κατιδόντες τὸ θαῦμα ἐθαύμαζον, καὶ πᾶσα κτίσις συγχαίρει ἐν τῆ σῆ Ἀναστάσει, Φιλάνθρωπε. Διὸ καὶ πάντες δοξάζομεν, καὶ ὑμνοῦμεν τὴν σὴν συγκατάβασιν, καὶ κόσμος Σωτήρ μου ἀνυμνεῖ σε ἀεί.

# Κοντάκιον. Ποοεόοτιον.

Ἐπελεύσει Πνεύματος τοῦ Παναγίου, τοῦ Πατρὸς τὸν σύνθρονον, καὶ ὁμοούσιον φωνῆ, τοῦ Ἀρχαγγέλου συνέλαβες, Θεοκυῆτορ, Ἀδὰμ ἡ ἀνάκλησις.

congregation of the peoples shall surround You. (2)

**Verse:** O Lord my God in You I hope.

Awaken, O Lord my God, in the ordinance You commanded, so the congregation of the peoples shall surround You. [SAAS]

From Octoechos - - -

#### **READER**

## Resurrectional Kontakion.

You rose from the tomb, O Savior all-powerful, and Hades beheld the marvel and was struck with fear, and the dead were rising up, and creation beholds and rejoices with You, and Adam is also exultant; O my Savior, and the world ever sings Your praise.

## Oikos.

You are the light of those in darkness, You are the resurrection of all and the life of mortals, and with yourself You resurrected everyone, O Savior, despoiling the dominion of death, and smashing the gates of Hades, O Word. The mortals, beholding the miracle, marvelled, and all creation rejoices in Your Resurrection, O Lover of mankind. Therefore we all glorify and extol Your condescension; O my Savior, and the world ever sings Your praise. [CKD]

## Kontakion. For the Forefeast.

From Menaion - - - **Mode 4.** *You appeared today.* 

The Archangel spoke to you, \* O
Theotokos, \* and the Holy Spirit came \*
on you and thus you did conceive \* the
Father's Son, who is one in throne \* and one
in essence. \* Through you, thus, was Adam
recalled. [SD]

# Συναξάριον.

## Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῆ ΚΔ΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, Ποοεόρτια τοῦ Εὐαγγελισμοῦ τῆς Ὑπεραγίας Θεοτόκου καῖ μνήμη τοῦ Ὀσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Ἀρτέμονος, Ἐπισκόπου Σελευκείας τῆς Πισιδίας.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, μνήμη τοῦ Άγίου Ίερομάρτυρος Ἀρτέμονος, Πρεσβυτέρου Λαοδικείας.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, ὁ Όσιος Ζαχαρίας ἐν είρήνη τελειοῦται.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, οἱ Ἅγιοι ὀκτὼ Μάρτυρες, οἱ ἐκ Καισαρείας τῆς Παλαιστίνης, ξίφει τελειοῦνται.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, ὁ Ὅσιος Μαρτῖνος ὁ Θηβαῖος ἐν εἰρήνη τελειοῦται.

Ο Άγιος Νέος Ίεφομάφτυς Παφθένιος, Πατριάφχης Κωνσταντινουπόλεως, ἀγχόνη τελειοῦται ἐν Κωσταντινουπόλει ἐν ἔτει 1657.

### Τοῦ Τοιωδίου.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, Κυριακὴ δευτέρα τῶν Νηστειῶν, μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν τοῦ ἐν Ἁγίοις Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου Ἀρχιεπισκόπου Θεσσαλονίκης τοῦ Παλαμᾶ.

#### Στίχοι.

Φωτὸς λαμπρὸν κήρυκα νῦν ὄντως μέγαν, Πηγὴ φάους ἄδυτον ἄγει πρὸς φέγγος.

Ταῖς αὐτοῦ πρεσβείαις, ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον καὶ σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Καταβασίαι τῆς Θεοτόκου Ὠιδὴ α'. Ἡχος δ'.

Άνοίξω τὸ στόμα μου, καὶ πληρωθήσεται Πνεύματος, καὶ λόγον

# Synaxarion.

#### From the Menaion.

On March 24 the Forefeast of the Annunciation of the Most Holy Theotokos, and we commemorate our devout father Artemis, Bishop of Seleucia in Pisidia.

On this day we commemorate the holy priest-martyr Artemon, Presbyter of Laodicea.

On this day the devout Zachariah reposed in peace.

On this day the holy eight martyrs from Caesarea in Palestine died by the sword.

On this day the devout Martin of Thebes reposed in peace.

The holy new priest-martyr Parthenios, Patriarch of Constantinople, died by hanging in Constantinople in the year 1657.

### From the Triodion.

On this day, the second Sunday of Lent, we observe the memory of our Father among the Saints Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessalonica.

#### Verses

The mind truly great and the Light's bright herald Is led by light's Source to radiance never-setting.

By his intercessions, O God, have mercy on us and save 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

ἐφεύξομαι, τῆ Βασιλίδι Μητφί, καὶ ὀφθήσομαι, φαιδοῶς πανηγυφίζων, καὶ ἄσω γηθόμενος, ταύτης τὰ θαύματα.

# 'Ωιδὴ γ'.

Τοὺς σοὺς ὑμνολόγους Θεοτόκε, ὡς ζῶσα καὶ ἄφθονος πηγή, θίασον συγκροτήσαντας πνευματικόν, στερέωσον καὶ ἐν τῆ θεία δόξη σου, στεφάνων δόξης ἀξίωσον.

# 'Ωιδή δ'.

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

# $\Omega \iota \delta \dot{\eta} \epsilon'$ .

Ἐξέστη τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐπὶ τῆ θεία δόξη σου· σὺ γὰρ ἀπειρόγαμε Παρθένε, ἔσχες ἐν μήτρα, τὸν ἐπὶ πάντων Θεόν, καὶ τέτοκας ἄχρονον Υίόν, πᾶσι τοῖς ὑμνοῦσί σε, σωτηρίαν βραβεύοντα.

# $\Omega$ ιδή G'.

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

# 'Ωιδή ζ'.

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

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.

## Ode iii.

\* 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.

#### 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 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.

#### 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." [5D]

# 'Ωιδή η'.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

Παῖδας εὐαγεῖς ἐν τῆ καμίνω, ὁ τόκος τῆς Θεοτόκου διεσώσατο, τότε μὲν τυπούμενος, νῦν δὲ ἐνεργούμενος, τὴν οἰκουμένην ἄπασαν, ἀγείρει ψάλλουσαν. Τὸν Κύριον ὑμνεῖτε τὰ ἔργα, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι Άγιος εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐν Άγίοις ἐπαναπαύη, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατοὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

# Ήχος β'.

Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. (δίς) Αἰνεσάτω πνοή πᾶσα τὸν Κύριον.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Καὶ ὑπέο τοῦ καταξιωθῆναι ἡμᾶς τῆς ἀκοοάσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου, Κύοιον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἱκετεύσωμεν.

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

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Όρθοί. Ακούσωμεν τοῦ άγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

### 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 pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

#### **PRIEST**

For you are holy, our God, who rest among the Saints, 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.

#### **CHOIR**

Amen.

#### Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. (2) Let everything that breathes. praise the Lord. [SAAS]

## **DEACON**

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

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

## **DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰοήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ποόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

# **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (ἀπὸ τῆς ἁγίας τραπέζης) Έωθινὸν Ι' Ἰωάννην ΚΑ' 1-14

Τῷ καιοῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐφανέρωσεν ἑαυτὸν ό Ἰησοῦς τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ, ἐγερθεὶς ἐκ νεκοῶν, ἐπὶ τῆς θαλάσσης τῆς Τιβεριάδος, ἐφανέρωσε δὲ οὕτως Ἡσαν ὁμοῦ Σίμων Πέτρος, καὶ Θωμᾶς ὁ λεγόμενος Δίδυμος, καὶ Ναθαναὴλ ὁ ἀπὸ Κανᾶ τῆς Γαλιλαίας, καὶ οἱ τοῦ Ζεβεδαίου, καὶ ἄλλοι ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ δύο. Λέγει αὐτοῖς Σίμων Πέτρος: Υπάγω άλιεύειν. Λέγουσιν αὐτῷ: Έρχόμεθα καὶ ἡμεῖς σὺν σοί. Ἐξῆλθον καὶ ανέβησαν εἰς τὸ πλοῖον εὐθύς, καὶ ἐν ἐκείνη τῆ νυκτὶ ἐπίασαν οὐδέν. Ποωϊας δὲ ἤδη γενομένης ἔστη ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς τὸν αἰγιαλόν· οὐ μέντοι ἤδεισαν οἱ μαθηταὶ ὅτι Ἰησοῦς έστι. Λέγει οὖν αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς Παιδία, μή τι προσφάγιον ἔχετε; ἀπεκρίθησαν αὐτῷ· Οὔ ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς Βάλετε εἰς τὰ δεξιὰ μέρη τοῦ πλοίου τὸ δίκτυον, καὶ εύρήσετε. "Εβαλον οὖν, καὶ οὐκέτι αὐτὸ ἑλκύσαι ἴσχυσαν ἀπὸ τοῦ πλήθους τῶν ἰχθύων. Λέγει οὖν ὁ μαθητὴς ἐκεῖνος ὃν ἠγάπα ὁ Ίησοῦς τῷ Πέτοῳ. Ὁ Κύριός ἐστι. Σίμων οὖν Πέτρος, ἀκούσας ὅτι ὁ Κύριός ἐστι, τὸν ἐπενδύτην διεζώσατο - ἦν γὰο γυμνὸς -, καὶ ἔβαλεν ἑαυτὸν εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν,

## **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.

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

## **PRIEST** (from the altar table)

Eothinon 10 John. 21:1-14

At that time, Jesus revealed Himself again to the disciples by the Sea of Tiberias; and He revealed Himself in this way. Simon Peter, Thomas, called the Twin, Nathanael of Cana in Galilee, the sons of Zebedee, and two others of His disciples were together. Simon Peter said to them, "I am going fishing." They said to him, "We will go with you." They went out and got into the boat, but that night they caught nothing. Just as day was breaking, Jesus stood on the beach, yet the disciples did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to them, "Children, have you any fish?" They answered him, "No." He said to them, "Cast the net on the right side of the boat, and you will find some." So they cast it, and now they were not able to haul it in, for the quantity of fish. That disciple whom Jesus loved said to Peter, "It is the Lord!" When Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he put on his clothes, for he was stripped for work, and sprang into the sea. But the other disciples came in the boat, dragging the net full of fish, for they were not far from the land, but about a hundred yards off. When they got out on land, they

οί δὲ ἄλλοι μαθηταὶ τῷ πλοιαρίῳ ἦλθον - οὐ γὰο ἦσαν μακοὰν ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς, ἀλλ' ώς ἀπὸ πηχῶν διακοσίων -, σύροντες τὸ δίκτυον τῶν ἰχθύων. Ώς οὖν ἀπέβησαν εἰς τὴν γῆν, βλέπουσιν ἀνθοακιὰν κειμένην καὶ ὀψάριον ἐπικείμενον, καὶ ἄρτον. Λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς: Ἐνέγκατε ἀπὸ τῶν οψαρίων ὧν ἐπιάσατε νῦν. Ἀνέβη οὖν Σίμων Πέτρος, καὶ εἵλκυσε τὸ δίκτυον ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, μεστὸν ἰχθύων μεγάλων ἑκατὸν πεντηκοντατριών, καὶ τοσούτων ὄντων, οὐκ ἐσχίσθη τὸ δίκτυον. Λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Δεῦτε ἀριστήσατε. Οὐδεὶς δὲ ἐτόλμα τῶν μαθητῶν ἐξετάσαι αὐτόν. Σὺ τίς εἶ; εἰδότες ότι ὁ Κύριός ἐστιν. Ἔρχεται οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς, καὶ λαμβάνει τὸν ἄρτον, καὶ δίδωσιν αὐτοῖς, καὶ τὸ ὀψάριον ὁμοίως. Τοῦτο ἤδη τρίτον έφανερώθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ, έγερθείς ἐκ νεκρῶν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ανάστασιν Χοιστοῦ θεασάμενοι, ποοσκυνήσωμεν Άγιον Κύριον Ἰησοῦν, τὸν μόνον ἀναμάρτητον. Τὸν Σταυρόν σου, Χριστέ, προσκυνοῦμεν καὶ τὴν άγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν ὑμνοῦμεν καὶ δοξάζομεν σὺ γὰρ εἶ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐκτός σου ἄλλον οὐκ οἴδαμεν, τὸ ὄνομά σου ὀνομάζομεν. Δεῦτε πάντες οἱ πιστοί, προσκυνήσωμεν τὴν τοῦ Χριστοῦ άγίαν ἀνάστασιν ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἦλθε διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ χαρὰ ἐν ὅλφ τῷ κόσμῳ. Διὰ παντὸς εὐλογοῦντες τὸν Κύριον, ὑμνοῦμεν τὴν ἀνάστασιν αὐτοῦ· Σταυρὸν γὰρ ὑπομείνας δι' ἡμᾶς, θανάτφ θάνατον ἄλεσεν.

saw a charcoal fire there with fish lying on it, and bread. Jesus said to them, "Bring some of the fish that you have just caught." So Simon Peter went aboard and hauled the net ashore, full of large fish, a hundred and fifty-three of them; and although there were so many, the net was not torn. Jesus said to them, "Come and have breakfast." Now none of the disciples dared ask Him, "Who are you?" They knew it was the Lord. Jesus came and took the bread and gave it to them, and so with the fish. This was now the third time that Jesus was revealed to the disciples after He was raised from the dead. [RSV]

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

## **READER**

Having beheld the Resurrection of Christ, let us worship the holy Lord Jesus, the only sinless one. Your Cross, O Christ, we venerate, and Your holy Resurrection we praise and glorify. For You are our God; apart from You we know no other; we call upon Your name. Come, all faithful, let us venerate the holy Resurrection of Christ; for behold, through the Cross, joy has come to the whole world. Ever blessing the Lord, let us praise His Resurrection; for having endured the Cross for us, He destroyed death by death.

[GOA]

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Ψαλμὸς Ν' (50).

<sup>\*</sup>**Ηχος β΄.** (ἢ τῆς ἑβδομάδος.)

[Ἐλεήμων,] 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 ἀπὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με.

Ότι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μού ἐστι διαπαντός.

Σοὶ μόνῳ ἥμαςτον καὶ τὸ πονηςὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε.

Ίδοὺ γὰο ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν άμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου.

Ίδοὺ γὰο ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας, τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κούφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι.

Ραντιεῖς με ὑσσώπω, καὶ καθαοισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲο χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι.

Άκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφοοσύνην, ἀγαλλιάσονται ὀστέα τεταπεινωμένα.

Απόστοεψον τὸ ποόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν άμαοτιῶν μου, καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον.

Καοδίαν καθαράν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου.

## **CHOIR**

## Psalm 50 (51).

**Mode 2.** (or the Mode of the week)

[Merciful,] 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.

Μὴ ἀποξοίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

Άπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῷ στήριξόν με.

Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδούς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι.

Ρῦσαί με ἐξ αίμάτων, ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου.

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

Ότι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν· ὁλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις.

Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετοιμμένον, καοδίαν συντετοιμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει.

Άγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ εὐδοκίᾳ σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ἰερουσαλήμ.

Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὁλοκαυτώματα.

Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους. Καὶ ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός.

Ἰδιόμελα τοῦ Τοιωδίου. Δόξα. Ἰ**Ηχος πλ. δ**΄.

Τῆς μετανοίας ἄνοιξόν μοι πύλας Ζωοδότα· ὀρθρίζει γὰρ τὸ πνεῦμά μου, πρὸς ναὸν τὸν ἄγιόν σου, ναὸν φέρον τοῦ σώματος, ὅλον ἐσπιλωμένον· ἀλλ' ὡς οἰκτίρμων κάθαρον, εὐσπλάγχνῷ σου ἐλέει.

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. And have mercy on me, O God. [SAAS]

Idiomela from the Triodion. Glory. Mode pl. 4.

Open to me the gates of repentance, O Giver of Life, for early in the morning my spirit hastens to Your holy temple, bringing the temple of my body all defiled. But as one

# Καὶ νῦν. Ο αὐτός.

Τῆς σωτηρίας εὔθυνόν μοι τρίβους, Θεοτόκε· αἰσχραῖς γὰρ κατερρύπωσα, τὴν ψυχὴν ἁμαρτίαις, ὡς ἑαθύμως τὸν βίον μου, ὅλον ἐκδαπανήσας, ταῖς σαῖς πρεσβείαις ἑῦσαί με, πάσης ἀκαθαρσίας.

# Ίδιόμελον. Ήχος πλ. β'.

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

Τὰ πλήθη τῶν πεποαγμένων μοι δεινῶν, ἐννοῶν ὁ τάλας, το έμω τὴν φοβερὰν ἡμέραν τῆς κοίσεως ἀλλὰ θαροῶν εἰς τὸ ἔλεος τῆς εὐσπλαγχνίας σου, ώς ὁ Δαυΐδ βοῶ σοι Ἐλέησόν με ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα σου ἔλεος.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σῶσον ὁ Θεὸς τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου ἐπίσκεψαι τὸν κόσμον σου ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς. ύψωσον κέρας Χριστιανῶν ὀρθοδόξων καὶ κατάπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου τὰ πλούσια· πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου Δεσποίνης ήμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων ἀσωμάτων, ίκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου ἐνδόξου Ποοφήτου Προδρόμου καὶ Βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Άποστόλων, τῶν ἐν ἁγίοις Πατέρων ἡμῶν μεγάλων Ίεραρχῶν καὶ οἰκουμενικῶν Διδασκάλων, Βασιλείου τοῦ Μεγάλου, Γρηγορίου τοῦ Θεολόγου καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Χουσοστόμου, Ἀθανασίου, Κυρίλλου

compassionate, cleanse me, I pray, by Your loving-kindness and mercy. [5D]

Both now. Same Mode.

Guide me in the paths of salvation, O
Theotokos, for I have befouled my soul with
shameful sins and I heedlessly squandered
all of my life's resources. By your intercession
deliver me from every uncleanness.

## Idiomelon. Mode pl. 2.

**Verse:** Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression.

When I ponder in my wretchedness on the many terrible things that I have done, I tremble for that fearful day, the Day of Judgment. But trusting in the mercy of Your compassion, like David I cry to You, "Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy." [5D]

## **DEACON**

O God, save your people and bless your inheritance. Look upon your world with mercy and compassion. Raise the Orthodox Christians in glory, and send down upon us your rich mercies, through the intercessions of our most pure Lady the Theotokos and ever-Virgin Mary, the power of the precious and life giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless Powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable and glorious prophet, and forerunner John the Baptist, the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy Apostles, our Fathers among the Saints, the great hierarchs and ecumenical teachers, Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian and John Chrysostom, Athanasios, Cyril, and John the Merciful, patriarchs of Alexandria; Nicholas, bishop

καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Ἐλεήμονος Πατριαρχῶν Άλεξανδοίας Νικολάου τοῦ ἐν Μύροις, Σπυρίδωνος Τριμυθοῦντος καὶ Νεκταρίου Πενταπόλεως τῶν θαυματουργῶν τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων Μεγαλομαρτύρων Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου, Δημητρίου τοῦ Μυροβλήτου, Θεοδώρου τοῦ Τήρωνος, Θεοδώρου τοῦ Στρατηλάτου, Μηνᾶ τοῦ θαυματουργοῦ· τῶν Ἱερομαρτύρων Χαραλάμπους καὶ Ἐλευθερίου, τῆς άγίας ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος καὶ πανευφήμου Εὐφημίας: τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων Μαρτύρων Θέκλας, Βαρβάρας, Άναστασίας, Αἰκατερίνης, Κυριακῆς, Φωτεινής, Μαρίνης, Παρασκευής καὶ Εἰρήνης τῶν ὁσίων καὶ Θεοφόρων Πατέρων ήμων (τοῦ Αγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ) των άγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ίωακεὶμ καὶ Άννης, τοῦ ἐν ἁγίοις Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου Άρχιεπισκόπου Θεσσαλονίκνς τοῦ Παλαμᾶ, οὖ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν καὶ πάντων σου τῶν Ἁγίων. Ἱκετεύομέν σε, μόνε πολυέλεε Κύριε, ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν τῶν άμαρτωλῶν δεομένων σου καὶ ἐλέησον ήμᾶς.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ')

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιλανθρωπία τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υίοῦ, μεθ' οὖ εὐλογητὸς εἰ, σὺν τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Άμήν.)

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

of Myra, Spyridon, bishop of Trimythous, Nektarios of Pentapolis, the wonder-workers; the holy, glorious great Martyrs George the Victorious, Demetrios the Myrobletes, Theodore the Teron, and Theodore the General, Menas the Wonderworker, the Hieromartyrs Haralambos and Eleftherios; the holy, glorious, and victorious martyrs; the glorious great Martyr and all-laudable Euphemia; the holy and glorious Martyrs Thecla, Barbara, Anastasia, Katherine, Kyriake, Fotene, Marina, Paraskeve and Irene; of our holy God-bearing Fathers; (local patron saint); the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, our father among the saints Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessaloniki, whose memory we celebrate, and of all your Saints. We beseech you, only merciful Lord, hear us sinners who pray to you and have mercy on us.

#### **CHOIR**

Lord, have mercy. (12)

## **PRIEST**

Through the mercy, compassion, and love of mankind of your only-begotten Son, with whom you are blessed, together with your all-holy, good and life-giving Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

## **DEACON**

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

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# 'Ωιδὴ θ'. Μεγαλυνάριον. Ἡχος δ'.

**Στίχ.** Μεγαλύνει ή ψυχή μου τὸν Κύριον, καὶ ἠγαλλίασε τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου.

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

**Στίχ.** Ότι ἐπέβλεψεν ἐπὶ τὴν ταπείνωσιν τῆς δούλης αὐτοῦ ἰδού γάρ, ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν μακαριοῦσί με πᾶσαι αἱ γενεαί.

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

Στίχ. Ότι ἐποίησέ μοι μεγαλεῖα ὁ Δυνατός, καὶ ἄγιον τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ, καί το ἔλεος αὐτοῦ εἰς γενεάν, καὶ γενεὰν τοῖς φοβουμένοις αὐτόν.

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

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

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἐνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφείμ, 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. [NK]VI

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. [5D]

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

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. [5D]

**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. [NK]V]

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. [5D]

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

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. [5D]

Στίχ. Καθεῖλε δυνάστας ἀπὸ θρόνων, καὶ ὕψωσε 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. Άντελάβετο Ίσραὴλ παιδὸς αὐτοῦ, μνησθῆναι ἐλέους, καθὼς ἐλάλησε πρὸς τοὺς Πατέρας ἡμῶν, τῷ Ἀβραάμ, καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ ἕως αἰῶνος.

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

# 'Ωιδή θ'. Καταβασία. 'Ήχος δ'.

Άπας γηγενής, σκιοτάτω τῷ πνεύματι λαμπαδουχούμενος, πανηγυοιζέτω δέ, ἀΰλων Νόων φύσις γεραίρουσα, τὰ ἱερὰ θαυμάσια τῆς Θεομήτορος, καὶ βοάτω Χαίροις παμμακάριστε, Θεοτόκε Άγνὴ ἀειπάρθενε.

#### 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 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. [NKIV]

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. [5D]

**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. [NKIVI]

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!" [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 έαυτοὺς 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.

(Άμήν.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Ήχος β'.

Άγιος Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν. (δίς)

Άγιος Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν. Ύψοῦτε Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν καὶ προσκυνεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ότι ἄγιός ἐστι.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - -

# Έξαποστειλάριον. Τὸ Ι' Έωθινόν.

\*Ηχος β'. Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

Τιβεριάδος θάλασσα, σὺν παισὶ Ζεβεδαίου, Ναθαναὴλ τῷ Πέτρῳ τε, σὺν δυσὶν ἄλλοις πάλαι, καὶ Θωμᾶν εἶχε πρὸς ἄγραν, οἱ Χριστοῦ τῇ προστάξει, ἐν δεξιοῖς χαλάσαντες, πλῆθος εἶλκον ἰχθύων, ὃν Πέτρος γνούς, πρὸς αὐτὸν ἐνήχετο, οἷς τὸ τρίτον φανεὶς καὶ ἄρτον ἔδειξε, καὶ ἰχθὺν ἐπ' ἀνθράκων.

## Τοῦ Ἱεράρχου.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

# Ήχος β΄. Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

Χαῖφε Πατέφων καύχημα θεολόγων τὸ στόμα, τῆς ἡσυχίας σκήνωμα, τῆς σοφίας ὁ οἶκος, τῶν Διδασκάλων ἀκφότης πέλαγος τὸ τοῦ λόγου, πφάξεως χαῖφε ὄφγανον θεωφίας ἀκφότης θεφαπευτά, καὶ τῶν νόσων τῶν

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**

## Mode 2.

Holy is the Lord our God. (2) [SAAS]

Holy is the Lord our God. Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at the footstool of His feet.

For He is holy.

From Octoechos - - -

# Exaposteilarion. The Tenth Eothinon.

**Mode 2.** On the mountain.

At the Sea of Tiberias \* did Peter with Nathaniel \* also the sons of Zebedee \* and two other disciples and Thomas of old go fishing. \* At Christ's command they let down \* on the right side the net and caught \* a great number of fish. Recognizing Him, \* Peter sprang to meet Him. This was the third time \* that He appeared to them, and showed \* bread and fish on the charcoals.

## For the Hierarch.

From Triodion - - -

## **Mode 2.** *On the mountain.*

Rejoice, the holy fathers' boast, \* mouth of the theologians! \* Rejoice, O wisdom's dwelling place, \* tabernacle of stillness! \* Rejoice, O greatest of teachers! \* Rejoice, O sea of discourse, \* instrument of the active life, \* summit of contemplation, and one

ἀνθοωπίνων, Πνεύματος χαῖοε τέμενος καὶ θανὼν καὶ ζῶν Πάτεο.

# Ποοεόοτιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

# **Ἡχος β΄.** Γυναῖκες ἀκουτίσθητε.

Ώς δῶρα προεόρτια, προσφέρομέν σοι Πάναγνε, φιλοπτωχείας τὸν πλοῦτον, άγνείαν καὶ σωφροσύνην, ὕμνους εὐχὰς καὶ δάκρυα, νηστείαν καὶ ταπείνωσιν, ἐφ' οἶς συμπράττοις Δέσποινα, καὶ ἄπαντας ἐποπτεύοις εὐσπλάγχνως, ὧ Θεομῆτορ.

# Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἡχος β'.

Πᾶσα πνοἡ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις. Σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος τῷ Θεῷ.

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

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

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

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

Έστησεν 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.

who heals,\* illnesses and passions besetting mankind! \* Rejoice, the Holy Spirit's shrine, \* dead and alive, O Father! [5D]

### For the Forefeast.

From Menaion - -

## **Mode 2.** *O Women, hearken.*

O Virgin pure, we bring to you \* the virtues as pre-festal gifts: \* the love for the poor like riches, \* and chastity and self-restraint,\* our sacred hymns and prayers tears, \* our fasting and humility. \* Please help us all to do these works, \* and watch over us, O Lady \* compassionate Theotokos. [5D]

#### Lauds. Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. It is fitting to sing a hymn to You, O God. [SAAS]

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

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

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

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

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.

Τὰ θηρία καὶ πάντα τὰ κτήνη, ἑρπετὰ 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.

Ή ἐξομολόγησις αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ γῆς καὶ οὐφανοῦ. καὶ ὑψώσει κέφας λαοῦ αὐτοῦ.

Ύμνος πᾶσι τοῖς ὁσίοις αὐτοῦ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσοραήλ, λαῷ ἐγγίζοντι αὐτῷ.

Άσατε τῷ Κυρίῳ ᾳσμα καινόν, ἡ αἴνεσις αὐτοῦ ἐν ἐκκλησίᾳ ὁσίων.

Εὐφοανθήτω Ἰσοαὴλ ἐπὶ τῷ ποιήσαντι αὐτόν, καὶ οί υίοὶ Σιὼν ἀγαλλιάσθωσαν ἐπὶ τῷ βασιλεῖ αὐτῶν.

Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐν χοοῷ, ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ ψαλτηρίῳ ψαλάτωσαν αὐτῷ.

Ότι εὐδοκεῖ Κύριος ἐν τῷ λαῷ αὐτοῦ καὶ ύψώσει πραεῖς ἐν σωτηρίᾳ.

Καυχήσονται ὅσιοι ἐν δόξη καὶ ἀγαλλιάσονται ἐπὶ τῶν κοιτῶν αὐτῶν.

Αἱ ὑψώσεις τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν τῷ λάουγγι αὐτῶν, καὶ ὁομφαῖαι δίστομοι ἐν ταῖς χεοσὶν αὐτῶν.

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

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

# Στιχηοὰ Ἀναστάσιμα. Τῆς Ὁκτωήχου - - Στιχηοὸν Α΄. Ἡχος β΄.

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

Πᾶσα πνοή, καὶ πᾶσα κτίσις, σὲ δοξάζει Κύριε, ὅτι διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ τὸν θάνατον κατήργησας, ἵνα δείξης τοῖς λαοῖς, τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν σου Ἀνάστασιν, ὡς μόνος φιλάνθρωπος.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## Resurrectional Stichera.

From Octoechos - - - Sticheron 1. Mode 2.

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

Every breath and all creation glorifies You, O Lord. For by means of the Cross You rendered death powerless, so that You might show the peoples Your Resurrection from the dead, as the only One who loves humanity.

# Στιχηφὸν Β'. Ἡχος β'.

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

Εἰπάτωσαν Ἰουδαῖοι, πῶς οἱ στρατιῶται ἀπώλεσαν τηροῦντες τὸν Βασιλέα; διατὶ γὰρ ὁ λίθος οὐκ ἐφύλαξε τὴν πέτραν τῆς ζωῆς; ἢ τὸν ταφέντα δότωσαν, ἢ ἀναστάντα προσκυνείτωσαν, λέγοντες σὺν ἡμῖν Δόξα τῷ πλήθει τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου. Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

# Ποοεόοτιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

# Ήχος δ'. Ὁ ἐξ ὑψίστου κληθείς.

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

Κατοικτειοήσας τὸ ποίημα ὁ Πλάστης, σπλάγχνοις τοῖς οἰκείοις τε κατακαμπτόμενος, Κόρης ἐν μήτρα Θεόπαιδος, οἰκῆσαι σπεύδει, πρὸς ἣν ὁ μέγας ἦλθεν Ἀρχάγγελος. Χαῖρε προσφθεγγόμενος, Θεοχαρίτωτε, νῦν μετὰ σοῦ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, μὴ πτοηθῆς με, τοῦ Βασιλέως τὸν Ἀρχιστράτηγον εὖρες γὰρ χάριν, ἣν ἀπώλεσεν, Εὔα τὸ πρὶν ἡ Προμήτωρ σου, καὶ συλλήψη καὶ τέξη, τοῦ Πατρὸς τὸν ὁμοούσιον.

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

Ξένος ἐστί σου ὁ λόγος καὶ ἡ θέα, ξένα σου τὰ ἡματα καὶ τὰ μηνύματα, ἡ Μαριὰμ πρὸς τὸν Ἄγγελον, μὴ με πλανήσης, Κόρη ὑπάρχω γάμου ἀμύητος, λέγεις ὡς συλλήψομαι τὸν ἀπερίληπτον, καὶ

#### Sticheron 2. Mode 2.

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

Let the Judeans explain it, how the soldiers lost the King, since they were watching. And why did not the stone guard the Rock of life? Let them surrender Him who was buried or, if He has risen, let them worship Him and say with us: Glory to the abundance of Your tender mercies. O our Savior, glory to You. [5D]

# For the Forefeast.

From Menaion - - -

## **Mode 4.** When you were called.

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

The Maker, pitying that which He created \* and yielding unto the tender love He has for it, \* hastens to take up His dwelling in \* the virgin womb of \* a damsel, namely the child of God, to whom \* came the great Archangel saying unto her, "Rejoice, \* O Maiden full of the grace of God. \* Our God is with you. \* Fear not, for I am the King's commanding Chief. \* You have again found favor, which was lost \* by Eve your ancestral mother in times of old. \* You shall conceive and shall give birth \* to the Father's consubstantial Son." [SD]

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

"Strange is your speech as is also your appearance. \* And your words and messages are likewise strange to me," \* unto the Angel did Mary say. \* "Do not beguile me. \* I am a maiden, a virgin yet unwed. \* You tell me

πῶς χωρήσει ἡ μήτρα μου, ὃν τὰ μεγέθη, τῶν οὐρανῶν χωρῆσαι οὐ δύνανται; Τοῦ Αβραὰμ σε διδαξάτω πρίν, ἡ καλύβη, Θεὸν ἡ χωρήσασα, προτυποῦσα Παρθένε, τὴν Θεόδεκτον γαστέρα σου.

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

Εἰς Ναζαρὲτ νῦν τὴν Πόλιν ἐπιφθάσας, Πόλιν σὲ τὴν ἔμψυχον τοῦ Βασιλέως Χριστοῦ, ὁ Γαβριὴλ κατασπάζεται, βοῶν σοι Χαῖρε, εὐλογημένη Θεοχαρίτωτε, ἔξεις ἐν νηδύϊ σου Θεὸν σαρκούμενον, καὶ διὰ σοῦ τὸ ἀνθρώπινον, πρὸς τὸ ἀρχαῖον, δι' εὐσπλαγχνίαν ἀνακαλούμενον Εὐλογημένος τῆς κοιλίας σου, θεῖος καρπὸς ὁ ἀθάνατος, ὁ παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ, διὰ σοῦ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

# Τοῦ Ἱεράρχου.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

\*Ήχος α΄. Τῶν οὐρανίων ταγμάτων.

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

Τὴν μακαρίαν ἐν Κόσμῳ ζωὴν διήνυσας, καὶ νῦν τῶν μακαρίων συνευφραίνη τοῖς δήμοις, καὶ γῆν τὴν τῶν πραέων, ὡς πρᾶος οἰκεῖς Ἱεράρχα Γρηγόριε, χάριν θαυμάτων πλουτεῖς δὲ παρὰ Θεοῦ ἣν παρέχεις τοῖς τιμῶσί σε.

that I am to conceive the Uncircumscribed. \*
How is my womb to contain the One \* Whom
the expanses \* of heaven's heights are unable
to contain?" \* He answered, "Let the tent
of Abraham \* now instruct you. For God it
contained of old, \* and prefigured, O Virgin,
\* your own womb which now receives our
God." [SD]

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

Reaching the city of Nazareth, the Angel
\* Gabriel salutes you now, the living City
of Christ \* the King, and cries out to you,
"Rejoice, \* O blessed Maiden \* who are
endowed with abundant grace from God. \*
You shall carry God within your womb as He
takes flesh \* and as He calls back the human
race, \* in His compassion, \* to its original
ancient state through you. \* And therefore
blessed is the most divine \* and immortal
fruit of your virgin womb, \* who is Christ
God bestowing \* the great mercy on the world
through you." [SD]

#### For the Hierarch.

From Triodion - - -

**Mode 1.** For the celestial orders.

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

While in the world, you attained to a life of blessedness. \* And now you are exulting with the ranks of the blessed \* and dwell, O Bishop Gregory, in the land of the meek, being meek yourself. \* And you are rich in God's miracle-working grace, \* which you grant to those who honor you.

**Στίχ.** Στόμα δικαίου ἀποστάζει σοφίαν, χείλη δὲ ἀνδρῶν ἐπίστανται χάριτας.

Όρθοδοξίας τὰ δόγματα κατεφύτευσας, κακοδοξίας Μάκαρ ἐκτεμῶν τὰς ἀκάνθας, καὶ Πίστεως τὸν σπόρον πληθύνας καλῶς, τῆ ἑπομβρία τῶν λόγων σου, ἑκατοστεύοντα στάχυν ὡς πρακτικὸς γεωργὸς Θεῷ προσήνεγκας.

**Στίχ.** Οἱ ἱερεῖς σου, Κύριε, ἐνδύσονται δικαιοσύνην, καὶ οἱ ὅσιοἱ σου ἀγαλλιάσονται.

Τὴν τοῦ ἀμέμπτου σου βίου Μάκας λαμπρότητα, ἐθαύμασαν, Άγγέλων, καὶ ἀνθρώπων οἱ δῆμοι, καὶ γὰς τῆ προαιρέσει, στερρὸς ἀθλητής, καὶ ἀσκητὴς ἀναδέδειξαι, καὶ Ἱεράρχης καὶ ἄξιος λειτουργός, τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ φίλος γνήσιος.

Τοῖς ἐν σκότει ἁμαφτημάτων ποφευομένοις φῶς ἀνέτειλας Χφιστέ, τῷ καιρῷ τῆς ἐγκφατείας, καὶ τὴν εὔσημον ἡμέφαν τοῦ Πάθους σου δεῖξον ἡμῖν, ἵνα βοῶμέν σοι ἀλάστα ὁ Θεὸς ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Τής Όκτωήχου - - - Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Υπεφευλογημένη ὑπάφχεις, Θεοτόκε Παφθένε· διὰ γὰφ τοῦ ἐκ σοῦ σαφκωθέντος, ὁ ἄδης ἠχμαλώτισται, ὁ Ἀδὰμ ἀνακέκληται, ἡ κατάφα νενέκφωται, ἡ Εὔα ἠλευθέφωται, ὁ θάνατος τεθανάτωται, καὶ ἡμεις ἐζωοποιήθημεν· διὸ ἀνυμνοῦντες βοῶμεν·

**Verse:** The mouth of a righteous man distills wisdom; the lips of righteous men distill grace.

[SAAS]

O blessed father, you cut down the thorns of heresy, \* and in their place you planted sacred Orthodox dogmas. \* And with your words you watered the seed of the Faith, thus increasing it splendidly. \* And as a practical farmer you brought to God \* ears of wheat increased a hundredfold. [5D]

**Verse:** O Lord, Your priests shall clothe themselves in righteousness; Your saints shall greatly rejoice. [SAAS]

The ranks of angels and mankind marveled, O blessed one, \* at the illustrious glory of your life which was blameless. \* For as a steadfast athlete by your resolve you distinguished yourself indeed \* as an ascetic and hierarch, and of God \* a worthy minister and genuine friend. [SD]

Glory. From the Triodion.
From Triodion - - - Mode pl. 2.

To those walking in the da

To those walking in the darkness of their sins You have shone as light, O Christ, during the season of self-control. And reveal to us the auspicious day of Your Passion, so that we may cry to You, "Arise, O God, have mercy on us." [SD]

From Octoechos - - -

Both now. **Theotokion.** 

You are supremely blessed, O Virgin Theotokos. For through Him who from you became incarnate was Hades taken prisoner, and Adam has been summoned back; the curse has been neutralized, and Eve has been liberated; death has been put to death, and we have been brought to life. Therefore

Εὐλογητὸς Χοιστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ οὕτως εὐδοκήσας δόξα σοι.

# Ή Μεγάλη Δοξολογία

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

Υμνοῦμέν σε, εὐλογοῦμέν σε, ποοσκυνοῦμέν σε, δοξολογοῦμέν σε, εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, διὰ τὴν μεγάλην σου δόξαν.

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

Κύ οιε ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἀμνὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Πατοός, ὁ αἴοων τὴν ἁμα οτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴοων τὰς ἁμα οτίας τοῦ κόσμου.

Ποόσδεξαι την δέησιν ήμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾳ τοῦ Πατοός, καὶ ἐλέησον ήμᾶς.

Ότι σὺ εἶ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ μόνος Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν.

Καθ' έκάστην ήμέραν εὐλογήσω σε καὶ αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος.

Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ ἡμέρα ταύτη, ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

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

extolling we cry out: O Christ our God, You are blessed, for so was Your good pleasure. Glory to You! [5D]

# **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.

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.

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

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύοιε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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Κύοιε, καταφυγή ἐγενήθης ἡμῖν ἐν γενεᾳ̃ καὶ γενεᾳ̃. Ἐγὼ εἶπα· Κύοιε, ἐλέησόν με, ἴασαι τὴν ψυχήν μου, ὅτι ἥμαοτόν σοι.

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

Ότι παρὰ σοὶ πηγὴ ζωῆς, ἐν τῷ φωτί σου ὀψόμεθα φῶς.

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε.

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

Δόξα Πατοὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Άγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Άγιος ὁ Θεός, Άγιος Ἰσχυρός, Άγιος Άθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Μετὰ τὸ τέλος τῆς Δοξολογίας λέγομεν Τροπάριον Άναστάσιμον.

ဪ **Ηχος δ΄.** (ἢ τῆς ἑβδομάδος.)

Σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ κόσμῳ γέγονεν. ᾿Αισωμεν τῷ ἀναστάντι ἐκ τάφου καὶ ἀρχηγῷ τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν καθελὼν γὰρ τῷ Let Your mercy be on us, O Lord, as we have set our hope on You.

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

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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.

After the Doxology, sing the following Resurrectional Troparion.

# **Mode 4.** (or the Mode of the week)

Today has salvation come to pass in the world. Let us sing to Him who resurrected from the tomb and is the Author of our life.

θανάτω τὸν θάνατον, τὸ νῖκος ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος. For, destroying death by death, He gave us the victory and the great mercy. [SD]