

**Μηναῖον - ΤΗΙ ΚΤ' ΔΕΚΕΜΒΡΙΟΥ**

Μνήμη τῶν Ἀγίων δέκα Μαρτύρων τῶν ἐν Κρήτῃ

**ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ**

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εὐλογημένη ἡ Βασιλεία τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ ἢ ΕΙΡΗΝΙΚΑ**

**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.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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**LITURGY**

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**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

**THE LITANY OF PEACE  
OR GREAT LITANY**

**DEACON**

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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,  
ἐαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν  
ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

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.

(To You, O Lord.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Α΄

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὗ τὸ κράτος ἀνείκαστον καὶ ἡ δόξα ἀκατάληπτος, οὗ τὸ ἔλεος ἀμέτρητον καὶ ἡ φιlanθρωπία ἀφατος. Αὐτὸς Δέσποτα, κατὰ τὴν εὐσπλαχνίαν σου, ἐπίβλεψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἅγιον οἶκον τοῦτον καὶ ποιήσον μεθ' ἡμῶν, καὶ τῶν συνευχομένων ἡμῖν, πλούσια τὰ ἐλέη σου καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου.

**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**

**Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. Ὦχος β΄.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ἀγαθὸν τὸ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι τῷ Κυρίῳ, καὶ ψάλλειν τῷ ὀνόματί σου, Ὑψιστε.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Τοῦ ἀναγγέλλειν τῷ πρωῒ τὸ ἔλεός σου, καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου κατὰ νύκτα.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Ὅτι εὐθὺς Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν ἀδικία ἐν αὐτῷ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE FIRST ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, Whose dominion is incomparable and glory incomprehensible; Whose mercy is immeasurable, and love for mankind ineffable: Look upon us and upon this holy house in Your loving-kindness, and grant to us and to those who pray with us Your abundant mercy and compassion.

**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**

**Antiphon I. Mode 2.**

**Verse 1:** It is good to give thanks to the Lord and to sing to Your name, O Most High. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 2:** To proclaim Your mercy in the morning and Your truth at night. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

**Verse 3:** The Lord my God is upright, and there is no wrongdoing in Him. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

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

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

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

## ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Β΄

Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ  
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, τὸ πλήρωμα  
τῆς ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἀγιάσον τοὺς  
ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ  
αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ  
ἐγκαταλίπῃς ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ἀντίφωνον Β΄. Ἦχος β΄.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ὁ Κύριος ἐβασίλευσεν,  
εὐπρέπειαν ἐνεδύσατο, ἐνεδύσατο Κύριος  
δύναμιν καὶ περιεζώσατο.

ἤ·

**Στίχ. α΄.** Δεῦτε ἀγαλλιασώμεθα τῷ Κυρίῳ,  
ἀλαλάξωμεν τῷ Θεῷ τῷ Σωτῆρι ἡμῶν.

## THE SMALL LITANY

### DEACON

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE SECOND ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, save Your people and bless Your  
inheritance. Protect the fullness of Your Church.  
Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house.  
Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and  
forsake us not who have set our hope in You.

### PRIEST

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

(Amen.)

### CHOIR

**Antiphon II. Mode 2.**

**Verse 1:** The Lord reigns; He clothed Himself  
with majesty; the Lord clothed and girded Himself  
with power. [SAAS]

or:

**Verse 1:** Come, let us greatly rejoice in the Lord;  
let us shout aloud to God our savior. [SAAS]

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἐν ἀγίοις  
θαυμαστός, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β'.** Καὶ γὰρ ἐστερέωσε τὴν  
οἰκουμένην, ἥτις οὐ σαλευθήσεται.

ἤ·

**Στίχ. β'.** Προφθάσωμεν τὸ πρόσωπον  
αὐτοῦ ἐν ἐξομολογήσει, καὶ ἐν ψαλμοῖς  
ἀλαλάζωμεν αὐτῷ, ὅτι Θεὸς μέγας, Κύριος καὶ  
Βασιλεὺς μέγας ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἐν ἀγίοις  
θαυμαστός, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. γ'.** Τῷ οἴκῳ σου πρέπει ἀγίασμα,  
Κύριε, εἰς μακρότητα ἡμερῶν.

ἤ·

**Στίχ. γ'.** Ὅτι ἐν τῇ χειρὶ αὐτοῦ τὰ πέρατα  
τῆς γῆς, καὶ τὰ ὕψη τῶν ὀρέων αὐτοῦ εἰσιν· ὅτι  
αὐτοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ θάλασσα, καὶ αὐτὸς ἐποίησεν  
αὐτήν, καὶ τὴν ξηρὰν αἱ χεῖρες αὐτοῦ ἔπλασαν.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἐν ἀγίοις  
θαυμαστός, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Ὁ Μονογενὴς Υἱὸς καὶ Λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ,  
ἀθάνατος ὑπάρχων καὶ καταδεξάμενος διὰ  
τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν σαρκωθῆναι ἐκ τῆς  
ἀγίας Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας,  
ἀτρέπτως ἐνανθρωπήσας, σταυρωθεὶς τε,  
Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας,  
εἰς ὧν τῆς Ἁγίας Τριάδος, συνδοξαζόμενος  
τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, σῶσον  
ἡμᾶς.

Save us, O Son of God, Who are  
wondrous in Your saints. We sing to You,  
Alleluia. [GOA]

**Verse 2:** And He established the world,  
which shall not be moved. [SAAS]

or:

**Verse 2:** Let us come before His face with  
thanksgiving, and let us shout aloud to Him with  
psalms. For the Lord is a great God, a great King over  
all the earth. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, Who are  
wondrous in Your saints. We sing to You,  
Alleluia.

**Verse 3:** Holiness is proper to Your house, O  
Lord, unto length of days. [SAAS]

or:

**Verse 3:** For in His hand are the ends of the  
earth, and the heights of the mountains are His. For  
the sea is His, and He made it, and His hands formed  
the dry land. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, Who are  
wondrous in Your saints. We sing to You,  
Alleluia.

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

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

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

## ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Γ'

Ὁ τὰς κοινὰς ταύτας καὶ συμφῶνους ἡμῖν  
χαρισάμενος προσευχάς, ὁ καὶ δυσὶ καὶ τρισὶ  
συμφωνοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῷ ὀνόματί σου τὰς αἰτήσεις  
παρέχειν ἐπαγγελάμενος. Αὐτός καὶ νῦν τῶν  
δούλων σου τὰ αἰτήματα πρὸς τὸ συμφέρον  
πλήρωσον, χορηγῶν ἡμῖν ἐν τῷ παρόντι αἰῶνι τὴν  
ἐπίγνωσιν τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας καὶ ἐν τῷ μέλλοντι  
ζωὴν αἰώνιον χαριζόμενος.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἀγαθὸς 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.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀντίφωνον Γ'.

Ἀπολυτίκιον. Προεόρτιον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

Ἦχος δ'.

Ἐτοιμάζου Βηθλεέμ, ἡνοικταὶ πᾶσιν  
ἡ Ἐδέμ. Εὐτρεπίζου Ἐφραθᾶ, ὅτι τὸ ξύλον  
τῆς ζωῆς, ἐν τῷ Σπηλαίῳ ἐξήνθησεν ἐκ τῆς

## THE SMALL LITANY

### DEACON

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the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

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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 (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE THIRD ANTIPHON

Lord, You have granted us to offer these common  
prayers in unison and have promised that when two or  
three agree in Your name, You will grant their requests.  
Fulfill now, O Lord, the petitions of Your servants as  
may be of benefit to them, granting us in the present  
age the knowledge of Your truth, and in the age to  
come eternal life.

### 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.)

### CHOIR

Antiphon III.

Apolytikion. For the Forefeast.

From Menaion - - -

Mode 4.

O Bethlehem, prepare, Eden is opened  
unto all. \* And be ready, Ephrata, for the Tree  
of life \* has in the grotto blossomed forth from



Παρθένου. Παράδεισος καὶ γάρ, ἡ ἐκείνης  
γαστήρ, ἐδείχθη νοητός, ἐν ᾧ τὸ θεῖον  
φυτόν, ἐξ οὗ φαγόντες ζήσομεν, οὐχὶ δὲ ὡς  
ὁ Ἀδὰμ τεθνηξόμεθα. Χριστὸς γεννᾶται,  
τὴν πρὶν πεσοῦσαν, ἀναστήσων εἰκόνα.

## ΜΙΚΡΑ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ καταστήσας  
ἐν οὐρανοῖς τάγματα καὶ στρατιάς Ἀγγέλων  
καὶ Ἀρχαγγέλων, εἰς λειτουργίαν τῆς σῆς δόξης,  
ποιήσον σὺν τῇ εἰσόδῳ ἡμῶν εἴσοδον ἁγίων  
Ἀγγέλων γενέσθαι, συλλειτουργούντων ἡμῖν, καὶ  
συνδοξολογούντων τὴν σὴν ἀγαθότητα. 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.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλόγησον Δέσποτα, τὴν ἁγίαν εἴσοδον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλογημένη ἡ εἴσοδος τῶν Ἁγίων σου, πάντοτε,  
νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Εἰσοδικόν. ᾠχος β'.**

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ  
προσπέσωμεν Χριστῷ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ  
Θεοῦ, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις θαυμαστός,

ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**ᾠμοὶ μετὰ τὴν Μικρὰν Εἴσοδον**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀπολυτίκιον. Προεόρτιον.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**ᾠχος δ'.**

Ἐτοιμάζου Βηθλεέμ, ἥνοικται πᾶσιν  
ἡ Ἐδέμ. Εὐτρεπίζου Ἐφραθᾶ, ὅτι τὸ ξύλον

the Virgin. \* Indeed her womb is shown to be  
spiritually \* a Paradise, in which is found the  
God-planted Tree. \* And if we eat from it we  
shall live, and shall not die, as did Adam of  
old. \* Christ is born, so that He might raise up  
\* the formerly fallen image. [SD]

## THE SMALL ENTRANCE

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE ENTRANCE PRAYER

Master, Lord our God, Who has established the  
orders and hosts of angels and archangels in heaven  
to minister to Your glory, grant that holy angels may  
enter with us, that together we may celebrate and  
glorify Your goodness. 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.

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Master, bless the holy entrance.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Blessed be the entrance of Your holy ones always,  
now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise.

**CHOIR**

**Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.**

Come, let us worship and bow down  
before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, Who are  
wondrous in Your saints. [GOA]

We sing to You, Alleluia.

**Hymns After the Small Entrance.**

**CHOIR**

**Apolytikion. For the Forefeast.**

From Menaion ---

**Mode 4.**

O Bethlehem, prepare, Eden is opened  
unto all. \* And be ready, Ephrata, for the Tree

τῆς ζωῆς, ἐν τῷ Σπηλαίῳ ἐξήνθησεν ἐκ τῆς Παρθένου. Παράδεισος καὶ γάρ, ἡ ἐκεῖνης γαστήρ, ἐδείχθη νοητός, ἐν ᾧ τὸ θεῖον φυτόν, ἐξ οὗ φαγόντες ζήσομεν, οὐχὶ δὲ ὡς ὁ Ἀδὰμ τεθνηξόμεθα. Χριστὸς γεννᾶται, τὴν πρὶν πεσοῦσαν, ἀναστήσων εἰκόνα.

### Τῶν Μαρτύρων.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἦχος γ΄. Τὴν ὡραιότητα.**

Τὴν πολυθαύμαστον Κρήτην τιμήσωμεν, τὴν ἐξανθήσασαν ἄνθη τὰ τίμια, τοὺς μαργαρίτας τοῦ Χριστοῦ, Μαρτύρων τοὺς ἀκρέμονας. Δέκα γὰρ ὑπάρχοντες, ἀριθμῶ οἱ μακάριοι, δύναμιν μυρίοπλον τῶν δαιμόνων κατήσχυναν· διὸ καὶ τοὺς στεφάνους ἐδέξαντο, Μάρτυρες Χριστοῦ οἱ καρτερόψυχοι.

### Τοῦ Ναοῦ.

(Τὸ Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ναοῦ.)

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

### Κοντάκιον.

**Ἦχος γ΄. Αὐτόμελον.**

Ἡ Παρθένος σήμερον, τὸν προαιώνιον Λόγον, ἐν Σπηλαίῳ ἔρχεται, ἀποτεκεῖν ἀπορρήτως. Χόρευε ἡ οἰκουμένη ἀκουτισθεῖσα, δόξασον μετὰ Ἀγγέλων καὶ τῶν Ποιμένων, βουληθέντα ἐποφθῆναι, Παιδίον νέον, τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων Θεόν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

of life \* has in the grotto blossomed forth from the Virgin. \* Indeed her womb is shown to be spiritually \* a Paradise, in which is found the God-planted Tree. \* And if we eat from it we shall live, and shall not die, as did Adam of old. \* Christ is born, so that He might raise up \* the formerly fallen image. [SD]

### For the Martyrs.

From Menaion ---

**Mode 3. N/M (Seeing how beautiful.)**

Let us show forth our great praise of Crete/ which brought forth these precious Christians: the pearls of Christ! / And these blessed ten, the offspring of martyrs, / who few in number, yet overcame all the deceits of powerful demons. // Therefore these martyrs of Christ have been crowned with victory! [OCA]

### Apolytikion of the Parish Church

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

From Menaion ---

### Kontakion.

**Mode 3. Automelon.**

On this day the Virgin Maid \* goes to the grotto to give birth \* to the pre-eternal Word \* in an ineffable manner. \* Dance for joy, all the inhabited earth, on hearing. \* Glorify along with Angels and with the shepherds \* Him who willed that He appear as \* a newborn Child, \* the pre-eternal God. [SD]

### DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)



**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

**ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ**

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Ἅγιος, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, ὁ τρισαγίῳ φωνῇ ὑπὸ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ ἀννυμνούμενος καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν Χερουβεὶμ δοξολογούμενος, καὶ ὑπὸ πάσης ἐπουρανίου δυνάμεως προσκυνούμενος ὁ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς το εἶναι παραγαγὼν τὰ σύμπαντα ὁ κτίσας τὸν ἄνθρωπον κατ' εἰκόνα σὴν καὶ ὁμοίωσιν καὶ παντὶ σου χαρίσματι κατακοσμήσας, ὁ διδὸν αἰτοῦντι σοφίαν καὶ σύνεσιν, καὶ μὴ παρορῶν ἁμαρτάνοντα, ἀλλὰ θέμενος ἐπὶ σωτηρίᾳ μετάνοιαν, ὁ καταξιώσας ἡμᾶς, τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἀναξίους δούλους σου, καὶ ἐν τῇ ὥρᾳ ταύτῃ στήναι κατενώπιον τῆς δόξης τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου, καὶ τὴν ὀφειλομένην σοι προσκύνῃσιν καὶ δοξολογίαν προσάγειν. Αὐτός, Δέσποτα, πρόσδεξαι καὶ ἐκ στόματος ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν τὸν Τρισάγιον ὕμνον καὶ ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί σου. Συγχώρησον ἡμῖν πᾶν πλημμέλημα, ἐκούσιόν τε καὶ ἀκούσιον, ἁγιάσον ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς καὶ τὰ σώματα καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ὁσιότητι λατρεῦειν σοι πάσας τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, πρεσβείαις τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτόκου, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι Ἅγιος εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ...

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

...καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**Ο ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΣ ΥΜΝΟΣ**

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

**THE PRAYER OF THE TRISAGION HYMN**

O Holy God, Who is resting among the holy ones, praised by the Seraphim with the thrice-holy voice, glorified by the Cherubim, and worshiped by every celestial power, You have brought all things into being out of nothing. You have created man according to Your image and likeness and adorned him with all the gifts of Your grace. You give wisdom and understanding to the one who asks, and You overlook not the sinner, but have set repentance as the way of salvation. You have granted us, Your humble and unworthy servants, to stand even at this hour before the glory of Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to offer to You due worship and praise. Master, accept the Trisagion Hymn also from the lips of us sinners, and visit us in Your goodness. Forgive all our voluntary and involuntary transgressions, sanctify our souls and bodies, and grant that we may worship You in holiness all the days of our lives, through the intercessions of the holy Theotokos and of all the saints who have pleased You throughout the ages.

**PRIEST**

For You, our God, are holy, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever,

**DEACON**

And to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**THE TRISAGION HYMN**

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

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.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Δύναμις.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κέλευσον, Δέσποτα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ευλογημένος ό έρχόμενος έν όνόματι Κυρίου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ευλόγησον, Δέσποτα, τήν άνω καθέδραν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ευλογημένος εί, ό έπί θρόνου δόξης τής βασιλείας σου, ό καθήμενος έπί τών Χερουβείμ, πάντοτε, νύν και άεί και εις τούς αιώνας τών αιώνων. Αμήν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Δύναμις.**

Άγιος ό Θεός, άγιος Ίσχυρός, άγιος Αθάνατος, έλέησον ήμάς.

**Ό Απόστολος**

ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ ΚΗ' ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΟΣ

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Προκείμενον. Ήχος δ'. Ψαλμός 103.

Ό ποιών τούς άγγέλους αύτου πνεύματα και τούς λειτουργούς αύτου πυρός φλόγα.

**Στίχ.** Ευλόγει, ή ψυχή μου, τόν Κύριον. Κύριε ό Θεός μου, έμεγαλύνθης σφόδρα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Πρός Τιμόθεον Β' Έπιστολής Παύλου τó ανάγνωσμα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**DEACON**

Dynamis.

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Command, Master.

**PRIEST**

Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord.

**DEACON**

Master, bless the throne on high.

**PRIEST**

Blessed are You upon the throne of the glory of Your kingdom, enthroned upon the Cherubim always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**CHOIR**

**Dynamis.**

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

**The Epistle**

MONDAY OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH WEEK

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**READER**

Prokeimenon. Mode 4. Psalm 103.

He makes His angels spirits and His ministers a flame of fire. [SAAS]

**Verse:** Bless the Lord, O my soul. O Lord my God, You are magnified exceedingly. [SAAS]

**DEACON**

Wisdom.

**READER**

The reading is from Paul's Second Letter to Timothy.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

2Τι 2:20-26

Τέκνον Τιμόθεε, ἐν μεγάλῃ οἰκίᾳ οὐκ ἔστι μόνον σκεύη χρυσᾶ καὶ ἀργυρᾶ, ἀλλὰ καὶ ξύλινα καὶ ὀστράκινα, καὶ ἃ μὲν εἰς τιμὴν, ἃ δὲ εἰς ἀτιμίαν. ἐὰν οὖν τις ἐκκαθάρῃ ἑαυτὸν ἀπὸ τούτων, ἔσται σκεῦος εἰς τιμὴν, ἡγιασμένον καὶ εὐχρηστον τῷ δεσπότῃ, εἰς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθὸν ἡτοιμασμένον. τὰς δὲ νεωτερικὰς ἐπιθυμίας φεῦγε, δίωκε δὲ δικαιοσύνην, πίστιν, ἀγάπην, εἰρήνην μετὰ τῶν ἐπικαλουμένων τὸν Κύριον ἐκ καθαρᾶς καρδίας. τὰς δὲ μωρὰς καὶ ἀπαιδεύτους ζητήσεις παραιτοῦ, εἰδὼς ὅτι γεννῶσι μάχας· δοῦλον δὲ Κυρίου οὐ δεῖ μάχεσθαι, ἀλλ' ἥπιον εἶναι πρὸς πάντας, διδακτικόν, ἀνεξίκακον, ἐν πραότητι παιδεύοντα τοὺς ἀντιδιατιθεμένους, μήποτε δῶ αὐτοῖς ὁ Θεὸς μετάνοιαν εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν ἀληθείας, καὶ ἀνανήψωσιν ἐκ τῆς τοῦ Διαβόλου παγίδος, ἐξωγρημένοι ὑπ' αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸ ἐκεῖνου θέλημα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ ἀναγινώσκοντι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀλληλούϊα. ᾠχος β'. Ψαλμὸς 148.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. α'.** Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν· αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β'.** Αἰνεῖτε αὐτόν, πάντες οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ· αἰνεῖτε αὐτόν, πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**READER**

2 Tim. 2:20-26

Timothy, my son, in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and silver but also of wood and earthenware, and some for noble use, some for ignoble. If any one purifies himself from what is ignoble, then he will be a vessel for noble use, consecrated and useful to the master of the house, ready for any good work. So shun youthful passions and aim at righteousness, faith, love, and peace, along with those who call upon the Lord from a pure heart. Have nothing to do with stupid, senseless controversies; you know that they breed quarrels. And the Lord's servant must not be quarrelsome but kindly to every one, an apt teacher, forbearing, correcting his opponents with gentleness. God may perhaps grant that they will repent and come to know the truth, and they may escape from the snare of the devil, after being captured by him to do his will. [RSV]

**PRIEST**

Peace be with you.

**CHOIR**

Alleluia. Mode 2. Psalm 148.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 1:** Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 2:** Praise Him, all you His angels; praise Him, all you His hosts. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Ἐλλαμψον ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, φιλάνθρωπε Δέσποτα, τὸ τῆς σῆς θεογνωσίας ἀκήρατον φῶς, καὶ τοὺς τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν ὀφθαλμοὺς διάνοιξον εἰς τὴν τῶν εὐαγγελικῶν σου κηρυγμάτων κατανόησιν. Ἐνθες ἡμῖν καὶ τὸν τῶν μακαρίων σου ἐντολῶν φόβον, ἵνα τὰς σαρκικὰς ἐπιθυμίας πάσας καταπατήσαντες, πνευματικὴν πολιτείαν μετέλθωμεν, πάντα τὰ πρὸς εὐαρέστησιν τὴν σὴν καὶ φρονοῦντες καὶ πράττοντες. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ φωτισμὸς τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον**

Τῇ ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑΙ ΤΗΣ ΙΕ΄ ΕΒΔΟΜΑΔΟΣ ΤΟΥ ΛΟΥΚΑ

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μάρκον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Μαρκ' 46 - 52

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐκπορευομένου τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἀπὸ Ἱεριχὼ καὶ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ καὶ ὄχλου ἱκανοῦ, ὁ υἱὸς Τιμαίου Βαρτιμαῖος τυφλὸς ἐκάθητο παρὰ τὴν ὁδὸν προσαιτῶν. καὶ ἀκούσας ὅτι Ἰησοῦς ὁ Ναζωραῖός ἐστιν, ἤρξατο κρᾶζειν καὶ λέγειν· Υἱὲ Δαυὶδ Ἰησοῦ, ἐλέησόν με. καὶ ἐπετίμων αὐτῷ πολλοὶ ἵνα

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

Shine in our hearts, O Master Who loves mankind, the pure light of Your divine knowledge, and open the eyes of our mind that we may comprehend the proclamations of Your Gospels. Instill in us also reverence for Your blessed commandments so that, having trampled down all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing all those things that are pleasing to You. For You, Christ our God, are the illumination of our souls and bodies, and to You we offer up glory, together with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**The Gospel**

Monday of the Fifteenth Week of Luke

**DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

**DEACON**

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Mark.

**PRIEST**

Let us be attentive.

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

**DEACON**

Mk. 10:46-52

At that time, as Jesus was leaving Jericho with his disciples and a great multitude, Bartimaios, a blind beggar, the son of Timaios, was sitting by the roadside. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" And many rebuked him,

σιωπήσῃ· ὁ δὲ πολλῶ μαλλον ἔκραζεν· Υἱὲ  
Δαυΐδ, ἐλέησόν με. καὶ σταῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπε·  
Φωνήσατε αὐτόν· καὶ φωνοῦσιν τὸν τυφλὸν  
λέγοντες αὐτῷ· Θάρσει, ἔγειρε· φωνεῖ σε.  
ὁ δὲ ἀποβαλὼν τὸ ἱμάτιον αὐτοῦ ἀναστὰς  
ἦλθε πρὸς τὸν Ἰησοῦν. καὶ ἀποκριθεὶς  
λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Τί σοι θέλεις ποιήσω;  
ὁ δὲ τυφλὸς εἶπεν αὐτῷ· Ραββουνι, ἵνα  
ἀναβλέψω. καὶ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν αὐτῷ·  
Ὑπάγε, ἡ πίστις σου σέσωκέ σε. καὶ εὐθέως  
ἀνέβλεψε, καὶ ἠκολούθει τῷ Ἰησοῦ ἐν τῇ  
ὁδῷ.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη σοι.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

### ΤΟ ΚΗΡΥΓΜΑ

(Κατὰ τὴν ἀρχαιοτάτην παράδοσιν, τὸ  
κήρυγμα τοῦ Θείου λόγου ἐγίνετο εὐθὺς μετὰ τὰ  
ἀναγνώσματα.)

telling him to be silent; but he cried out all the  
more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" And  
Jesus stopped and said, "Call him." And they  
called the blind man, saying to him, "Take  
heart; rise, he is calling you." And throwing  
off his mantle he sprang up and came to Jesus.  
And Jesus said to him, "What do you want  
me to do for you?" And the blind man said to  
him, "Master, let me receive my sight." And  
Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith  
has made you well." And immediately he  
received his sight and followed him on the  
way. [RSV]

### PRIEST

Peace be with you.

### CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

### THE SERMON

(According to ancient tradition, the sermon was  
delivered following the readings.)

*Οί ακόλουθες λιτανίες συνήθως παραλείπονται.*

## Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΚΤΕΝΗΣ ΙΚΕΣΙΑ ἢ ΔΕΗΣΙΣ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εἴπωμεν πάντες ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν εἴπωμεν.

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

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

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνός).

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, υἱείας, 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 ἀγίου ναοῦ τούτου.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἀγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν προαναπαυσασμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς, κειμένων, καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ ὀρθοδόξων.

Ἔτι 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.

*The following litanies are usually omitted.*

## THE LITANY OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION

### DEACON

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

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

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

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

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

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

*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.*

*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.*

*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.*



**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΚΤΝΟΥΣ ΙΚΕΣΙΑΣ*

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, τὴν ἐκτενὴ ταύτην ἰκεσίαν  
πρόσδεξαι παρὰ τῶν σῶν δούλων καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς  
κατὰ τὸ πλήθος τοῦ ἐλέους σου, καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς  
σου κατὰπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν  
σου, ἀπεκδεχόμενον τὸ παρά σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον  
ἔλεος.

**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.)

**ΔΕΗΣΙΣ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΩΝ ΚΑΤΗΧΟΥΜΕΝΩΝ  
ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Εὐξασθε οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Οἱ πιστοί, ὑπὲρ τῶν Κατηχουμένων  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἵνα ὁ Κύριος αὐτοὺς ἐλεήσῃ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Κατηχήσῃ αὐτοὺς τὸν λόγον τῆς  
ἀληθείας.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀποκαλύψῃ αὐτοῖς τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον τῆς  
δικαιοσύνης.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐνώσῃ αὐτοὺς τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ Καθολικῇ  
καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σῶσον, ἐλέησον, ἀντιλαβοῦ, καὶ  
διαφύλαξον αὐτούς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE PRAYER OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION*

Lord our God, accept this fervent supplication from  
Your servants, and have mercy on us in accordance with the  
abundance of Your mercy, and send down Your compassion  
upon us and upon all Your people who await Your great and  
rich 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.)

**THE PRAYERS FOR THE CATECHUMENS  
DEACON**

Catechumens, pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Let us, the faithful, pray for the catechumens.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That the Lord will have mercy on them.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will teach them the word of truth.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will reveal to them the gospel of  
righteousness.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will unite them to His holy, catholic,  
and apostolic Church.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Save them, have mercy on them, help them,  
and protect them, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τὰς κεφαλὰς ὑμῶν τῷ  
Κυρίῳ κλίνετε.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΚΑΤΗΧΟΥΜΕΝΩΝ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ ἐν ὑψηλοῖς κατοικῶν, καὶ  
τὰ ταπεινὰ ἐφορῶν, ὁ διὰ τὴν σωτηρίαν τῷ γένει  
τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἐξαποστείλας, τὸν μονογενῆ σου  
Υἱὸν καὶ Θεόν, τὸν Κύριον ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν,  
ἐπίβλεψον ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου τοὺς Κατηχουμένους,  
τοὺς ὑποκεκλικότας σοι τὸν ἑαυτῶν ἀχένα, καὶ  
καταξίωσον αὐτούς, ἐν καιρῷ εὐθέτω, τοῦ λουτροῦ  
τῆς παλιγγενεσίας, τῆς ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ  
τοῦ ἐνδύματος τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἔνωσον αὐτούς τῇ  
ἀγία σου, Καθολικῇ καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ καὶ  
συγκαταρίθμησον αὐτούς τῇ ἐκλεκτῇ σου ποιμνῇ.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἵνα καὶ αὐτοὶ σὺν ἡμῖν δοξάζωσι τὸ  
πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου,  
τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου  
Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας  
τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὅσοι κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε.  
Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε. Ὅσοι  
κατηχούμενοι προέλθετε. Μὴ τις τῶν  
κατηχουμένων.

### ΔΕΗΣΕΙΣ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὅσοι πιστοί, ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ  
Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

Catechumens, bow your heads to the Lord.

(To You, O Lord.)

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER FOR THE CATECHUMENS

Lord our God, Who dwells on high and watches over  
the humble, You sent forth Your only-begotten Son and  
God, our Lord Jesus Christ, for the salvation of the human  
race. Look down upon Your servants, the catechumens, who  
have inclined their necks to You, and grant them at a proper  
time the baptism of rebirth, the remission of sins, and the  
garment of incorruption. Unite them to Your holy, catholic,  
and apostolic Church, and number them among Your chosen  
flock.

### PRIEST

So that with us they also may glorify Your  
most honorable and majestic name, of the Father  
and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and  
forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### DEACON

Those who are catechumens, depart,  
catechumens depart, all those who are  
catechumens, depart. Let none of the catechumens  
remain.

### THE SUPPLICATION OF THE FAITHFUL

### DEACON

Again and again, in peace, let all of us, the  
faithful, 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.)

Wisdom.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Α'*

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Κύριε, ὁ Θεός τῶν δυνάμεων, τῷ καταξιώσαντι ἡμᾶς παραστῆναι καὶ νῦν τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ καὶ προσπεσεῖν τοῖς οἰκτιρμοῖς σου ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων. Πρόσδεξαι, ὁ Θεός, τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ποιήσον ἡμᾶς ἀξιῶν γενέσθαι τοῦ προσφέρειν σοι δεήσεις καὶ ἱκεσίας καὶ θυσίας ἀναιμάκτους ὑπὲρ παντός τοῦ λαοῦ σου, καὶ ἰκάνωσον ἡμᾶς, οὓς ἔθου εἰς τὴν διακονίαν σου ταύτην, ἐν τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Πνεύματός σου τοῦ Ἁγίου, ἀκαταγνώστως καὶ ἀπροσκόπτως, ἐν καθαρῷ τῷ μαρτυρίῳ τῆς συνειδήσεως ἡμῶν, ἐπικαλεῖσθαί σε ἐν παντὶ καιρῷ καὶ τόπῳ, ἵνα εἰσακούων ἡμῶν, ἴλεως ἡμῖν εἴης, ἐν τῷ πλήθει τῆς σῆς ἀγαθότητος.

**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.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἦτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE FIRST PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL*

We give thanks to You, O Lord God of Hosts, Who has made us worthy to stand even now before Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to fall down before You seeking Your compassion for our sins and those committed in ignorance by the people. Accept, O God, our supplication. Make us worthy to offer You prayers, supplications, and bloodless sacrifices for all Your people. By the power of Your Holy Spirit, make us, whom You have appointed to this, Your ministry, free of blame or stumbling and, with the witness of a clear conscience, able to call upon You at every time and in every place, so that, hearing us, You may be merciful to us in the abundance of Your goodness.

**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.)

**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.)

Wisdom.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Β'

Πάλιν και πολλάκις σοι προσπίπτομεν και σοῦ δεόμεθα, ἀγαθὲ και φιλάνθρωπε, ὅπως, ἐπιβλέψας ἐπὶ τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, καθαρῶς ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς και τὰ σώματα ἀπὸ παντὸς μολυσμοῦ σαρκὸς και πνεύματος, και δώης ἡμῖν ἀνένοχον και ἀκατάκριτον τὴν παράστασιν τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου. Χάρισαι δέ, ὁ Θεός, και τοῖς συνευχομένοις ἡμῖν προκοπὴν βίου και πίστεως και συνέσεως πνευματικῆς, δὸς αὐτοῖς πάντοτε, μετὰ φόβου και ἀγάπης λατρεύειν σοι, ἀνενόχως και ἀκατακρίτως μετέχειν τῶν ἁγίων σου μυστηρίων, και τῆς ἐπουρανίου σου βασιλείας ἀξιωθῆναι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅπως ὑπὸ τοῦ κράτους σου πάντοτε φυλαττόμενοι, σοὶ δόξαν ἀναπέμπωμεν, τῷ Πατρὶ και τῷ Υἱῷ και τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν και ἀεὶ και εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Τὸ Χερουβικόν.**

Οἱ τὰ Χερουβεὶμ μυστικῶς εἰκονίζοντες, και τῇ ζωοποιῷ Τριάδι τὸν τρισάγιον ὕμνον προσάδοντες, παῖσαν τὴν βιοτικὴν ἀποθώμεθα μέριμναν. Ὡς τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὅλων ὑποδεξόμενοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΧΕΡΟΥΒΙΚΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Οὐδεὶς ἄξιος τῶν συνδεδεμένων ταῖς σαρκικαῖς ἐπιθυμίαις και ἡδοναῖς προσέρχεσθαι ἢ προσεγγίζειν, ἢ λειτουργεῖν σοι, Βασιλεῦ τῆς δόξης· τὸ γὰρ διακονεῖν σοι μέγα και φοβερόν, και αὐταῖς ταῖς ἐπουρανίαις δυνάμεσιν. Ἀλλ' ὁμως, διὰ τὴν ἄφατον και ἀμέτρητόν σου φιλάνθρωπίαν, ἀτρέπτως και ἀναλλοιώτως γέγονας ἄνθρωπος και ἀρχιερεὺς ἡμῶν ἐχηρμάτισας, και τῆς λειτουργικῆς ταύτης και ἀναιμάκτου θυσίας τὴν ἱερουργίαν παρέδωκας ἡμῖν, ὡς Δεσπότης τῶν ἀπάντων. Σὺ γὰρ μόνος, Κύριε ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, δεσπάζεις

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE SECOND PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Again and countless times we fall down before You, and we implore You, O Good One, Who loves mankind: That You, having regarded our prayer, may cleanse our souls and bodies from every defilement of flesh and spirit, and grant to us to stand before Your holy Altar of sacrifice, free of guilt and condemnation. Grant also, O God, to those who pray with us, progress in life, faith, and spiritual understanding. Grant that they always worship You with awe and love, partake of Your Holy Mysteries without guilt or condemnation, and be deemed worthy of Your celestial Kingdom.

**PRIEST**

That, ever guarded by Your might, we may ascribe glory to You, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE GREAT ENTRANCE**

**CHOIR**

**The Cherubic Hymn.**

Let us, who mystically represent the Cherubim and who sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-creating Trinity, now lay aside every worldly care. So that we may receive the King of all. [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE CHERUBIC HYMN

No one bound by carnal desires and pleasures is worthy to approach, draw near, or minister to You, the King of Glory. For to serve You is great and awesome even for the heavenly powers. Yet, because of Your ineffable and immeasurable love for mankind, You impassibly and immutably became man. You, as the Master of all, became our high priest and delivered unto us the sacred service of this liturgical sacrifice without the shedding of blood. Indeed, Lord our God, You alone reign over the celestial and the terrestrial; borne aloft on the cherubic throne, Lord

τῶν ἐπουρανίων καὶ τῶν ἐπιγείων, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου  
 Χερουβικοῦ ἐποχοῦμενος, ὁ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ Κύριος,  
 καὶ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ, ὁ Μόνος Ἅγιος καὶ ἐν  
 ἁγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, σὲ τοίνυν δυσωπῶ τὸν  
 μόνον ἀγαθὸν καὶ εὐήκοον, ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμὲ  
 τὸν ἁμαρτωλὸν καὶ ἄχρεϊον δούλόν σου, καὶ  
 καθάρισόν μου τὴν ψυχὴν καὶ τὴν καρδίαν ἀπὸ  
 συνειδήσεως πονηρᾶς, καὶ ἰκάνωσόν με τῇ δυνάμει  
 τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, ἐνδεδυμένον τὴν τῆς  
 ἱερατείας χάριν, παραστῆναι τῇ ἀγία σου ταύτῃ  
 τραπέζῃ καὶ ἱερουργῆσαι τὸ ἅγιον καὶ ἄχραντόν  
 σου Σῶμα καὶ τὸ τίμιον Αἷμα. Σοὶ γὰρ προσέρχομαι,  
 κλίνας τὸν ἑμαυτοῦ αὐχένα καὶ δέομαί σου, μὴ  
 ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, μηδὲ  
 ἀποδοκιμάσῃς με ἐκ παίδων σου, ἀλλ' ἀξίωσον  
 προσενεχθῆναί σοι ὑπ' ἐμοῦ τοῦ ἁμαρτωλοῦ καὶ  
 ἀναξίου δούλου σου τὰ δῶρα ταῦτα. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ  
 προσφέρων καὶ προσφερόμενος καὶ προσδεχόμενος  
 καὶ διαδιδόμενος, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν  
 δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ  
 τῷ Παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι,  
 νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων ἡμῶν μνησθεὶς Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς  
 ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ Αὐτοῦ, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ  
 καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ταῖς ἀγγελικαῖς ἀοράτως  
 δορυφορούμενον τάξεσιν. Ἀλληλούϊα.  
 Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

### ΤΑ ΠΛΗΡΩΤΙΚΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ  
 Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προτεθέντων τιμίων Δώρων,  
 τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

of the Seraphim and King of Israel, the only holy and  
 resting among the holy ones. I now beseech You, Who  
 alone are good and inclined to hear: Look down upon  
 me, Your sinful and unprofitable servant, and cleanse  
 my soul and heart of a wicked conscience; and enable  
 me, by the power of Your Holy Spirit, clothed with  
 the grace of the priesthood, to stand before Your holy  
 Table and celebrate the Mystery of Your holy and pure  
 Body and Your precious Blood. I come before You  
 with my head bowed, and I implore You: Turn not  
 Your face away from me, nor reject me from among  
 Your children, but make me, Your sinful and unworthy  
 servant, worthy to offer these gifts to You. For You are  
 the One Who both offers and is offered, the One Who  
 is received and is distributed, O Christ our God, and  
 to You we offer up glory, with Your Father, Who is  
 without beginning, and Your all-holy and good and  
 life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of  
 ages. Amen.

### DEACON

May the Lord God remember all of us in  
 His Kingdom always, now and forever and to  
 the ages of ages.

### CHOIR

Amen.

Who is invisibly escorted by the angelic  
 hosts. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. [GOA]

### THE LITANY OF COMPLETION

### DEACON

Let us complete our prayer to the Lord.

### CHOIR

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented, let  
 us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

(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.

(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 ἀπολογίαν τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

For 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.)

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

## CHOIR

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(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.)



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** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἡ ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΠΡΟΣΚΟΜΙΑΣ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ, ὁ μόνος  
ἅγιος, ὁ δεχόμενος θυσίαν αἰνέσεως παρὰ τῶν  
ἐπικαλουμένων σε ἐν ὅλῃ καρδίᾳ, πρόσδεξαι καὶ  
ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν τὴν δέησιν καὶ προσάγαγε  
τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, καὶ ἱκάνωσον ἡμᾶς  
προσενεγκεῖν σοι δῶρα τε καὶ θυσίας πνευματικὰς  
ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἁμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ  
λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων. Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς εὐρεῖν  
χάριν ἐνώπιόν σου, τοῦ γενέσθαι σοι εὐπρόσδεκτον  
τὴν θυσίαν ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐπισκηνῶσαι τὸ Πνεῦμα  
τῆς χάριτός σου τὸ ἀγαθόν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ  
προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Διὰ τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου  
Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ Παναγίῳ  
καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν  
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἀγαπήσωμεν ἀλλήλους, ἵνα ἐν ὁμονοίᾳ  
ὁμολογήσωμεν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Πατέρα, Υἱὸν καὶ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, Τριάδα  
ὁμοούσιον καὶ ἀχώριστον.

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** (in a low voice)

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Lord God Almighty, You alone are holy. You  
accept the sacrifice of praise from those who call upon  
You with their whole heart, even so, accept from us  
sinners our supplication, and bring it to Your holy  
Altar of sacrifice. Enable us to offer You gifts and  
spiritual sacrifices for our own sins and the failings of  
Your people. Deem us worthy to find grace in Your  
sight, that our sacrifice may be well pleasing to You,  
and that the good Spirit of Your grace may rest upon  
us and upon these gifts presented and upon all Your  
people.

**PRIEST**

Through the mercies of Your only  
begotten Son, with Whom You are blessed,  
together with Your all-holy, good, and life-  
creating Spirit, now and forever and to the  
ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

**DEACON**

Let us love one another, that with oneness  
of mind we may confess:

**CHOIR**

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: Trinity, one  
in essence and undivided. [GOA]

*Ἦ, ἐν συλλειτουργῳ, τὸ ἐξῆς·*

Ἀγαπήσω σε, Κύριε, ἡ ἰσχὺς μου. Κύριος στερέωμά μου καὶ καταφυγή μου καὶ ῥύστης μου.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς θύρας, τὰς θύρας. Ἐν σοφίᾳ πρόσχωμεν.

## ΛΑΟΣ

Πιστεύω εἰς ἓνα Θεόν, Πατέρα, Παντοκράτορα, ποιητὴν οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς, ὁρατῶν τε πάντων καὶ ἀοράτων. Καὶ εἰς ἓνα Κύριον Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν, τὸν Υἱὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ, τὸν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα πρὸ πάντων τῶν αἰώνων· φῶς ἐκ φωτός, Θεὸν ἀληθινὸν ἐκ Θεοῦ ἀληθινοῦ, γεννηθέντα οὐ ποιηθέντα, ὁμοούσιον τῷ Πατρί, δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα ἐγένετο. Τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἀνθρώπους καὶ διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν κατελθόντα ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σαρκωθέντα ἐκ Πνεύματος Ἁγίου καὶ Μαρίας τῆς Παρθένου καὶ ἐνανθρωπήσαντα. Σταυρωθέντα τε ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου, καὶ παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα. Καὶ ἀναστάντα τῇ τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ κατὰ τὰς Γραφάς. Καὶ ἀνελθόντα εἰς τοὺς οὐρανοὺς καὶ καθεζόμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τοῦ Πατρὸς. Καὶ πάλιν ἐρχόμενον μετὰ δόξης κρῖναι ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, οὗ τῆς βασιλείας οὐκ ἔσται τέλος. Καὶ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἅγιον, τὸ Κύριον, τὸ ζωοποιόν, τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον, τὸ σὺν Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ συμπροσκυνούμενον καὶ συνδοξαζόμενον, τὸ λαλῆσαν διὰ τῶν προφητῶν. Εἰς μίαν, Ἁγίαν, Καθολικὴν καὶ Ἀποστολικὴν Ἐκκλησίαν. Ὁμολογῶ ἓν βάπτισμα εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν. Προσδοκῶ ἀνάστασιν

*Or, for concelebrations:*

I will love You, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my foundation, my refuge, my deliverer.

[SAAS]

## DEACON

The doors! The doors! In wisdom, let us be attentive!

## PEOPLE

### THE SYMBOL OF OUR FAITH

I believe in one God, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all ages; Light of Light, true God of true God, begotten, not created, of one essence with the Father through Whom all things were made. Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became man. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered and was buried; And He rose on the third day, according to the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father; And He will come again with glory to judge the living and dead. His kingdom shall have no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Creator of life, Who proceeds from the Father, Who together with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, Who spoke through the prophets. In one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the age to come. Amen. [GOA]

νεκρῶν. Καὶ ζωὴν τοῦ μέλλοντος αἰῶνος.  
Ἀμήν.

## Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΦΟΡΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Στῶμεν καλῶς, στῶμεν μετὰ φόβου,  
πρόσχωμεν, τὴν ἁγίαν ἀναφοράν, ἐν εἰρήνῃ  
προσφέρειν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐλεον εἰρήνης, θυσίαν αἰνέσεως.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἡ χάρις τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ  
Χριστοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀγάπη τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς  
καὶ ἡ κοινωνία τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος εἴη  
μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἄνω σχῶμεν τὰς καρδίας.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐχομεν πρὸς τὸν Κύριον.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον σὲ ὑμνεῖν, σὲ εὐλογεῖν,  
σὲ αἰνεῖν, σοὶ εὐχαριστεῖν, σὲ προσκυνεῖν ἐν  
παντὶ τόπῳ τῆς δεσποτείας σου. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ Θεὸς  
ἀνέκφραστος, ἀπερινόητος, ἀόρατος, ἀκατάληπτος,  
αἰεὶ ὢν, ὡσαύτως ὢν, σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενὴς σου Υἱός,  
καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον. Σὺ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος  
εἰς το εἶναι ἡμᾶς παρήγαγες, καὶ παραπεσόντας  
ἀνέστησας πάλιν καὶ οὐκ ἀπέστης πάντα ποιῶν, ἕως  
ἡμᾶς εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνήγαγες, καὶ τὴν βασιλείαν  
σου, ἐχαρίσω τὴν μέλλουσαν. Ὑπὲρ τούτων  
ἀπάντων εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, καὶ τῷ μονογενεῖ σου  
Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ Ἁγίῳ. Ὑπὲρ πάντων,  
ὧν ἴσμεν, καὶ ὧν οὐκ ἴσμεν, τῶν φανερῶν καὶ

## THE HOLY ANAPHORA

### DEACON

Let us stand aright! Let us stand in awe!  
Let us be attentive, that we may present the  
Holy Offering in peace.

### CHOIR

A mercy of peace, a sacrifice of praise.

### PRIEST

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God and Father, and the  
communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you  
all.

### CHOIR

And with your spirit.

### PRIEST

Let us lift up our hearts.

### CHOIR

We lift them up to the Lord.

### PRIEST

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

### CHOIR

It is proper and right.

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

It is proper and right to hymn You, to bless You, to  
praise You, to give thanks to You, and to worship You  
in every place of Your dominion. For You, O God, are  
ineffable, inconceivable, invisible, incomprehensible,  
existing forever, forever the same, You and Your only  
begotten Son and Your Holy Spirit. You brought us  
out of nothing into being, and when we had fallen  
away, You raised us up again. You left nothing undone  
until you had led us up to heaven and granted us Your  
Kingdom, which is to come. For all these things, we  
thank You and Your only begotten Son and Your Holy  
Spirit: for all things we know and do not know, for  
blessings manifest and hidden that have been bestowed

ἀφανῶν εὐεργεσιῶν, τῶν εἰς ἡμᾶς γεγεννημένων.  
Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι καὶ ὑπὲρ τῆς λειτουργίας ταύτης,  
ἣν ἐκ τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν δέξασθαι καταξιώσας,  
καίτοι σοι παρεστήκασι χιλιάδες Ἀρχαγγέλων καὶ  
μυριάδες Ἀγγέλων, τὰ Χερουβείμ καὶ τὰ Σεραφεῖμ,  
ἑξαπτέρυγα, πολυόμματα, μετάρσια, πτερωτά.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὸν ἐπινίκιον ὕμνον ᾄδοντα, βοῶντα,  
κεκραγότα, καὶ λέγοντα·

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἅγιος, ἅγιος, ἅγιος, Κύριος Σαβαώθ·  
πλήρης, ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ τῆς δόξης σου.  
Ὡσαννά, ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις· εὐλογημένος ὁ  
ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου. Ὡσαννά, ὁ ἐν  
τοῖς ὑψίστοις.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μετὰ τούτων καὶ ἡμεῖς τῶν μακαρίων  
δυνάμεων, Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε, βοῶμεν καὶ  
λέγομεν· Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ πανάγιος, σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενὴς  
σου Υἱὸς καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον. Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ  
πανάγιος καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὴς ἡ δόξα σου. Ὃς τὸν  
κόσμον σου οὕτως ἠγάπησας, ὥστε τὸν Υἱόν σου τὸν  
μονογενῆ δοῦναι, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ  
ἀπόλυται, ἀλλ' ἔχῃ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ὃς ἐλθὼν καὶ  
παᾶσαν τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν οἰκονομίαν πληρώσας, τῇ  
νυκτί, ἣ παρεδίδοτο, μᾶλλον δὲ ἑαυτὸν παρεδίδου  
ὑπὲρ τῆς τοῦ κόσμου ζωῆς, λαβὼν ἄρτον ἐν ταῖς  
ἀγίαις αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀχράντοις καὶ ἀμωμήτοις χερσίν,  
εὐχαριστήσας καὶ εὐλογήσας, ἀγιάσας, κλάσας,  
ἔδωκε τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς καὶ Ἀποστόλοις,  
εἰπὼν·

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Λάβετε, φάγετε, τοῦτό μου ἐστὶ τὸ  
Σῶμα, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν κλῶμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν  
ἁμαρτιῶν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ὁμοίως καὶ τὸ ποτήριον μετὰ τὸ δειπνῆσαι,  
λέγων·

on us. We thank You also for this Liturgy, which You  
have deigned to receive from our hands, even though  
thousands of archangels and tens of thousands of  
angels stand around You, the Cherubim and Seraphim,  
six-winged, many eyed, soaring aloft upon their wings,

### PRIEST

Singing the triumphal hymn, exclaiming,  
proclaiming, and saying...

### CHOIR

Holy, holy, holy, Lord Sabaoth, heaven  
and earth are filled with Your glory. Hosanna  
in the highest. Blessed is He Who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. [GOA]

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Together with these blessed powers, Master, Who  
loves mankind, we also exclaim and say: Holy are You  
and most holy, You and Your onlybegotten Son and  
Your Holy Spirit. Holy are You and most holy, and  
sublime is Your glory. You so loved Your world that  
You gave Your only begotten Son so that everyone who  
believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal  
life. When He had come and fulfilled for our sake the  
entire plan of salvation, on the night in which He was  
delivered up, or rather when He delivered Himself  
up for the life of the world, He took bread in His holy,  
pure, and blameless hands, and, giving thanks and  
blessing, He hallowed and broke it, and gave it to His  
holy disciples and apostles, saying:

### PRIEST

Take, eat, this is My Body, which is  
broken for you for the remission of sins.

### CHOIR

Amen.

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Likewise, after partaking of the supper, He took  
the cup, saying,

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πίετε ἐξ αὐτοῦ πάντες, τοῦτό ἐστι τὸ Αἷμά μου, το τῆς Καινῆς Διαθήκης, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν καὶ πολλῶν ἐκχυνόμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Μεμνημένοι τοίνυν τῆς σωτηρίου ταύτης ἐντολῆς, καὶ πάντων τῶν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν γεγενημένων, τοῦ σταυροῦ, τοῦ τάφου, τῆς τριημέρου ἀναστάσεως, τῆς εἰς οὐρανοὺς ἀναβάσεως, τῆς ἐκ δεξιῶν καθέδρας, τῆς δευτέρας καὶ ἐνδόξου πάλιν παρουσίας,

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τὰ Σὰ ἐκ τῶν Σῶν, σοὶ προσφέρομεν κατὰ πάντα, καὶ διὰ πάντα.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Σὲ ὑμνοῦμεν, σὲ εὐλογοῦμεν, σοὶ εὐχαριστοῦμεν, Κύριε, καὶ δεόμεθά σου, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Ἔτι προσφερόμεν σοὶ τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην καὶ ἀναίμακτον λατρείαν, καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα, καὶ ἱκετεύομεν. Κατάπεμψον τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα.

Καὶ ποιήσον τὸν μὲν ἄρτον τοῦτον, τίμιον Σῶμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἀμήν.)

Τὸ δὲ ἐν τῷ ποτηρίῳ τούτῳ, τίμιον Αἷμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἀμήν.)

Μεταβαλὼν τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ Ἁγίῳ.

(Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν.)

Ὅστε γενέσθαι τοῖς μεταλαμβάνουσιν εἰς νῆψιν ψυχῆς, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν, εἰς κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, εἰς Βασιλίαν οὐρανῶν

**PRIEST**

Drink of this, all of you; this is My Blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

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

Remembering, therefore, this saving commandment and all that has been done for our sake: the Cross, the tomb, the Resurrection on the third day, the Ascension into heaven, the enthronement at the right hand, and the second and glorious coming again.

**PRIEST**

Your own of Your own we offer to You, in all and for all.

**CHOIR**

We praise You, we bless You, we give thanks to You, and we pray to You, Lord our God. [GOA]

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

Once again we offer to You this spiritual worship without the shedding of blood, and we beseech and pray and entreat You: Send down Your Holy Spirit upon us and upon the gifts here presented,

And make this Bread the precious Body of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

And that which is in this Cup, the precious Blood of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

Changing them by Your Holy Spirit.

(Amen. Amen. Amen.)

So that they may be for those who partake of them for vigilance of soul, remission of sins, communion of Your Holy Spirit, fullness of the Kingdom of



πλήρωμα, εἰς παρόρησιν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κριμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα. Ἐτι προσφέρον σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν πίστει ἀναπαυσαμένων Προπατόρων, Πατέρων, Πατριαρχῶν, Προφητῶν, Ἀποστόλων, Κηρύκων, Εὐαγγελιστῶν, Μαρτύρων, Ὁμολογητῶν, Ἐγκρατευτῶν, Διδασκάλων, καὶ παντὸς πνεύματος δικαίου ἐν πίστει τετελειωμένου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐξαιρέτως τῆς Παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

#### Ὕμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.

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

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἰωάννου, προφήτου προδρομοῦ καὶ Βαπτιστοῦ, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφύμων Ἀποστόλων, (τοῦ ἁγίου τῆς ἡμέρας) οὐ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν Ἁγίων, ὧν ταῖς ἱκεσίαις ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός. Καὶ μνήσθητι πάντων τῶν κεκοιμημένων, ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ἀναστάσεως, ζωῆς αἰωνίου [ὧδε λέγονται τὰ ὀνόματα τῶν κεκοιμημένων] καὶ ἀνάπαυσον αὐτοὺς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὅπου ἐπισκοπεῖ τὸ φῶς τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ἐτι παρακαλοῦμέν σε, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πάσης ἐπισκοπῆς ὀρθοδόξων, τῶν ὀρθοτομούντων τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας, παντός τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας καὶ παντὸς ἱερατικοῦ καὶ μοναχικοῦ τάγματος. Ἐτι προσφέρον σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῆς οἰκουμένης, ὑπὲρ τῆς ἁγίας σου Καθολικῆς καὶ Ἀποστολικῆς Ἐκκλησίας, ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν ἀγνείᾳ καὶ σεμνῇ πολιτείᾳ διαγόντων ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀρχόντων καὶ τοῦ στρατοῦ ἡμῶν. Δὸς αὐτοῖς, Κύριε, εἰρηνικὸν τὸ Βασίλειον, ἵνα

Heaven, boldness before You, not for judgment or condemnation. Again, we offer You this spiritual worship for those who have reposed in the faith: forefathers, fathers, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, preachers, evangelists, martyrs, confessors, ascetics, and for every righteous spirit made perfect in faith,

### PRIEST

Especially for our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary.

### CHOIR

#### Hymn to the Theotokos.

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

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

For Saint John the prophet, forerunner, and Baptist; for the holy, glorious, and most praiseworthy apostles; for Saint(s) (Name), whose memory we celebrate; and for all Your saints, through whose supplications, visit us, O God. And remember all who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection to life eternal (here the Priest commemorates by name those departed whom he wishes). Grant them rest, O our God, where the light of Your countenance keeps watch. Again we beseech You, Lord, remember all Orthodox bishops who rightly teach the word of Your truth, the presbyterate, the diaconate in Christ, and every priestly and monastic order. Again we offer You this spiritual worship for the whole world, for the holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, and for those living pure and reverent lives. For civil authorities and our armed forces, grant that they may govern in peace, Lord, so that in their tranquility we, too, may live calm and serene lives, in all piety and virtue.



καὶ ἡμεῖς, ἐν τῇ γαλήνῃ αὐτῶν, ἡρεμον καὶ ἡσύχιον  
βίον διάγωμεν, ἐν πάσῃ εὐσεβείᾳ καὶ σεμνότητι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐν πρώτοις, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ  
(ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ  
δεῖνος). ὃν χάρισαι ταῖς ἀγίαις σου  
Ἐκκλησίαις ἐν εἰρήνῃ, σῶον, ἔντιμον, ὑγιά,  
μακροημερεύοντα, καὶ ὀρθοτομοῦντα τὸν  
λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Καὶ ὧν ἕκαστος κατὰ διάνοιαν ἔχει, καὶ  
πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, ἐν ἣ  
παροικοῦμεν καὶ πάσης πόλεως καὶ χώρας καὶ  
τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε,  
πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσούντων, καμνόντων,  
αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν. Μνήσθητι,  
Κύριε, τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων  
ἐν ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἐκκλησίαις καὶ μεμνημένων  
τῶν πενήτων, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντας ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου  
ἐξαπόστειλον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ἐνὶ στόματι καὶ μιᾷ  
καρδίᾳ, δοξάζειν καὶ ἀνυμνεῖν τὸ πάντιμον  
καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου, τοῦ Πατρὸς  
καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν  
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Καὶ ἔσται τὰ ἐλέη τοῦ μεγάλου Θεοῦ καὶ  
Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, μετὰ πάντων  
ὕμῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

**PRIEST**

Among the first remember, Lord,  
(episcopal rank) (name). grant him to Your  
holy churches in peace, safety, honor, and  
health, unto length of days, rightly teaching  
the word of Your truth.

**DEACON**

And remember those whom each one of  
us has in mind, and all the people.

**CHOIR**

And all the people.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Remember, Lord, this city in which we live, and  
every city and land, and the faithful who live in them.  
Remember, Lord, those who travel by land, sea, and  
air; the sick; the suffering; the captives; and their  
salvation. Remember those who bear fruit and do  
good works in Your holy churches and those who are  
mindful of the poor, and upon us all send forth Your  
mercies.

**PRIEST**

And grant that with one voice and one  
heart we may glorify and praise Your most  
honorable and majestic name, of the Father  
and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now  
and forever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

And the mercies of our great God and  
Savior, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων τῶν ἀγίων μνημονεύσαντες,  
ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προσκομισθέντων καὶ  
ἀγιασθέντων τιμίων δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὅπως ὁ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ἡμῶν,  
ὁ προσδεξάμενος αὐτὰ εἰς τὸ ἅγιον  
καὶ ὑπερουράνιον καὶ νοερὸν αὐτοῦ  
θυσιαστήριον εἰς ὁσμὴν εὐωδίας  
πνευματικῆς, ἀντικαταπέμψῃ ἡμῖν τὴν  
θεῖαν Χάριν καὶ τὴν δωρεὰν τοῦ Ἁγίου  
Πνεύματος δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἐνότητα τῆς πίστεως καὶ  
τὴν κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος  
αἰτησάμενοι, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ  
πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ  
παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Σοὶ παρακατατιθέμεθα τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν  
ἅπασαν καὶ τὴν ἐλπίδα, Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε,  
καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα καὶ ἱκετεύομεν,  
καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς μεταλαβεῖν τῶν ἐπουρανίων  
σου καὶ φρικτῶν μυστηρίων ταύτης τῆς ἱερᾶς  
καὶ πνευματικῆς τραπέζης, μετὰ καθαροῦ  
συνειδότος, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν, εἰς συγχώρησιν  
πλημμελημάτων, εἰς Πνεύματος Ἁγίου κοινωνίαν,  
εἰς Βασιλείας οὐρανῶν κληρονομίαν, εἰς παρῴρησιν  
τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κρίμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς, Δέσποτα,  
μετὰ παρῴρησίας, ἀκατακρίτως, τολμᾶν

## DEACON

Having commemorated all the saints,  
again and again, in peace, let us pray to the  
Lord.

## CHOIR

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented and  
consecrated, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That our God Who loves mankind, having  
accepted them at His holy and celestial and  
mystical altar as an offering of spiritual  
fragrance, may in return send down upon  
us the divine grace and the gift of the Holy  
Spirit, let us pray.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Having asked for the unity of the faith  
and for the communion of the Holy Spirit, let  
us commend ourselves and one another and  
our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

## PRIEST (in a low voice)

We entrust to You, loving Master, our whole  
life and hope, and we beseech, pray, and implore  
You: Grant us to partake of Your heavenly and  
awesome Mysteries from this sacred and spiritual  
table with a clear conscience for the remission of sins,  
the forgiveness of transgressions, the communion of  
the Holy Spirit, the inheritance of the Kingdom of  
Heaven, and boldness before You, not unto judgment  
or condemnation.

## PRIEST

And grant us, Master, with boldness and  
without condemnation, to dare call You, the  
heavenly God, Father, and to say:

ἐπικαλεῖσθαι σὲ τὸν ἐπουράνιον Θεὸν  
Πατέρα, καὶ λέγειν·

**ΛΑΟΣ**

**ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΗ**

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς,  
ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ  
βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου,  
ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄρτον  
ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον. Καὶ  
ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ  
ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ  
εἰσενέγκῃς ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι  
ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι σοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις  
καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ  
Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ 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*)

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Βασιλεῦ ἀόρατε, ὁ τῇ  
ἀμετρήτῳ σου δυνάμει τὰ πάντα δημιουργήσας καὶ  
τῷ πλήθει τοῦ ἐλέους σου ἐξ οὐκ ὄντων εἰς τὸ εἶναι  
τὰ πάντα παραγαγών· Αὐτὸς Δέσποτα, οὐρανόθεν  
ἐπιθεῖς ἐπὶ τοὺς ὑποκεκλιότας τὰς ἑαυτῶν κεφαλὰς.  
Οὐ γὰρ ἔκλιναν σαρκὶ καὶ αἵματι, ἀλλὰ σοί, τῷ  
φοβερῷ Θεῷ. Σὺ οὖν, Δέσποτα, τὰ προκείμενα πᾶσιν  
ἡμῖν εἰς ἀγαθὸν ἐξομάλισον, κατὰ τὴν ἐκάστου ἰδίαν  
χρείαν, τοῖς πλείουσι σύμπλευσον, τοῖς ὁδοιποροῦσι  
συνόδευσον, τοὺς νοσοῦντας ἰᾶσαι, ὁ ἰατρός τῶν  
ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν.

**PEOPLE**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

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

**PRIEST**

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

(*Amen.*)

**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*)

We give thanks to You, invisible King, Who by  
Your boundless power fashioned the universe, and in  
the multitude of Your mercy brought all things from  
nothing into being. Look down from heaven, O Master,  
upon those who have bowed their heads before You,  
for they have not bowed before flesh and blood, but  
before You, the awesome God. Therefore, O Master,  
make smooth and beneficial for us all, whatever lies  
ahead, according to the need of each: Sail with those  
who sail, travel with those who travel, heal the sick,  
Physician of our souls and bodies.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

(Ἀμήν.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Πρόσχες, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐξ  
ἀγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ ἀπὸ θρόνου δόξης  
τῆς Βασιλείας σου, καὶ ἐλθε εἰς τὸ ἀγιάσαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ  
ἄνω τῷ Πατρὶ συγκαθήμενος καὶ ὧδε ἡμῖν ἀοράτως  
συνών. Καὶ καταξιώσον τῇ κραταιᾷ σου χειρὶ  
μεταδοῦναι ἡμῖν τοῦ ἀχράντου Σώματός σου καὶ τοῦ  
τιμίου Αἵματος καὶ δι' ἡμῶν παντὶ τῷ λαῷ.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὰ Ἅγια τοῖς Ἁγίοις.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἷς ἅγιος, εἷς Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς  
δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν.

## ΛΑΟΣ

### ΕΥΧΑΙ ΠΡΟ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΚΟΙΝΩΝΙΑΣ

Πιστεύω, Κύριε, καὶ ὁμολογῶ, ὅτι σὺ  
εἶ ἀληθῶς ὁ Χριστός, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ  
τοῦ ζῶντος, ὁ ἐλθὼν εἰς τὸν κόσμον  
ἁμαρτωλοὺς σῶσαι, ὧν πρῶτός εἰμι  
ἐγώ. Ἔτι πιστεύω, ὅτι τοῦτο αὐτό ἐστι τὸ  
ἄχραντον Σῶμά σου καὶ τοῦτο αὐτό ἐστι τὸ  
τίμιον Αἷμά σου. Δέομαι οὖν σου· ἐλέησόν  
με καὶ συγχώρησόν μοι τὰ παραπτώματά  
μου, τὰ ἐκούσια καὶ τὰ ἀκούσια, τὰ ἐν  
λόγῳ, τὰ ἐν ἔργῳ, τὰ ἐν γνώσει καὶ ἀγνοίᾳ·  
καὶ ἀξιώσόν με ἀκατακρίτως μετασχεῖν

## PRIEST

Through the grace, compassion, and love  
for mankind of Your only begotten Son, with  
whom You are blessed, together with Your  
all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now  
and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Hearken, O Lord Jesus Christ our God, from Your  
holy dwelling place and from the throne of glory of  
Your Kingdom, and come to sanctify us, You Who are  
enthroned with the Father on high and are present  
among us invisibly here. And with Your mighty  
hand, grant Communion of Your most pure Body and  
precious Blood to us, and through us to all the people.

## DEACON

Let us be attentive.

## PRIEST

The Holy Gifts for the holy people of God.

## CHOIR

One is Holy, one is Lord, Jesus Christ, to  
the glory of God the Father. Amen. [GOA]

## PEOPLE

### Prayers of Holy Communion

I believe and confess, Lord, that You are  
truly the Christ, the Son of the living God,  
Who came into the world to save sinners,  
of whom I am the first. I also believe that  
this is truly Your pure Body and that this  
is truly Your precious Blood. Therefore,  
I pray to You, have mercy upon me, and  
forgive my transgressions, voluntary and  
involuntary, in word and deed, in knowledge  
or in ignorance. And make me worthy,  
without condemnation, to partake of Your

τῶν ἀχράντων σου μυστηρίων, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

Ἐν ταῖς λαμπρότησι τῶν Ἀγίων σου, πῶς εἰσελεύσομαι ὁ ἀνάξιος; ἔὰν γὰρ τολμήσω συνεισελθεῖν εἰς τὸν νυμφῶνα, ὁ χιτῶν μὲ ἐλέγχει, ὅτι οὐκ ἔστι τοῦ γάμου, καὶ δέσμιος ἐκβαλοῦμαι ὑπὸ τῶν Ἀγγέλων. Καθάρισον, Κύριε, τὸν ῥύπον τῆς ψυχῆς μου, καὶ σῶσόν με ὡς φιλάνθρωπος.

Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ εἰς κριμὰ μοι γένοιτο τὰ ἅγια ταῦτα, διὰ τὸ ἀνάξιον εἶναί με, ἀλλ' εἰς κάθαρσιν καὶ ἁγιασμὸν ψυχῆς τε καὶ σώματος, καὶ εἰς ἀρῶαβῶνα τῆς μελλούσης ζωῆς καὶ βασιλείας. Ἐμοὶ δὲ τὸ προσκολλᾶσθαι τῷ Θεῷ ἀγαθὸν ἔστι, τίθεσθαι ἐν τῷ Κυρίῳ τὴν ἐλπίδα τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἶπω, οὐ φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ὁ Ληστής ὁμολογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθης] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

##### Κοινωνικόν. Ψαλμὸς 103.

Ὁ ποιῶν τοὺς ἀγγέλους αὐτοῦ πνεύματα καὶ τοὺς λειτουργοὺς αὐτοῦ πυρὸς φλόγα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Μετὰ φόβου Θεοῦ, πίστεως καὶ ἀγάπης προσέλθετε.

pure Mysteries for the remission of sins and for eternal life. Amen.

How shall I, who am unworthy, enter into the splendor of Your saints? If I should dare to enter into the bridal chamber, my vesture will condemn me, since it is not a wedding garment; and being bound up, I shall be cast out by the angels. Cleanse, O Lord, the filth of my soul, and save me, as You are the one Who loves mankind. In Your love, Lord, cleanse my soul, and save me.

Master Who loves mankind, Lord Jesus Christ, my God, let not these Holy Gifts be to my judgment because I am unworthy, but rather for the purification and sanctification of both soul and body and the pledge of the life and Kingdom to come. It is good for me to cleave unto God and to place in Him the hope of my salvation.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

#### CHOIR

##### Communion Hymn. Psalm 103.

He makes His angels spirits and His ministers a flame of fire. Alleluia. [SAAS]

#### DEACON

With the fear of God, faith, and love, draw near.

*Καὶ γίνεται ἡ μετάληψις τοῦ Λαοῦ. Λαμβάνει ὁ Ἱερεὺς ἀπὸ τῶν τοῦ Διακόνου χειρῶν τὸ ἅγιον Ποτήριον καὶ μεταδίδωσιν αὐτοῖς λέγων·*

Μεταλαμβάνει ὁ δοῦλος τοῦ Θεοῦ (Ὄνομα)  
Σῶμα καὶ Αἷμα Χριστοῦ, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ  
ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

*Ὑμνοὶ καθὼς μεταλαμβάνει ὁ λαός.*

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σῶσον, ὁ Θεός, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ  
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

*Ὑμνος μετὰ τὴν Θ. Κοινωνίαν.  
Ἦχος β'.*

Εἶδομεν τὸ φῶς τὸ ἀληθινόν, ἐλάβομεν  
Πνεῦμα ἐπουράνιον, εὗρομεν πίστιν ἀληθῆ,  
ἀδιαίρετον Τριάδα προσκυνοῦντες· αὕτη  
γὰρ ἡμᾶς ἔσωσεν.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

*(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Απόπλυνον, Κύριε, τὰ ἁμαρτήματα τῶν ἐνθάδε  
μνημονευθέντων δούλων σου τῷ Αἱματί σου τῷ  
ἁγίῳ· πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου καὶ πάντων σου τῶν  
Ἁγίων. Ἀμήν.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

*Ὑψωσον, Δέσποτα.*

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

*Ὑψώθητι ἐπὶ τοὺς οὐρανοὺς ὁ Θεός καὶ ἐπὶ  
πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἡ δόξα σου.*

*Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν.*

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

*Πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς  
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.*

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

*Ἀμήν.*

Πληρωθήτω τὸ στόμα ἡμῶν αἰνέσεως  
Κύριε, ὅπως ἀνυμνήσωμεν τὴν δόξαν σου,

*And the people receive Holy Communion. The Priest  
receives the holy Chalice from the hands of the Deacon and  
begins communing the people, saying to each one:*

The servant of God (Name) partakes of the Body  
and Blood of Christ for the remission of sins and life  
eternal.

## CHOIR

*Hymns During Holy Communion*

## PRIEST

Save, O God, Your people, and bless Your  
inheritance.

## CHOIR

*Hymn after Holy Communion.  
Mode 2.*

We have seen the true light; we have  
received the heavenly Spirit; we have found  
the true faith, worshiping the undivided  
Trinity, for the Trinity has saved us. [GOA]

## PRIEST

*(in a low voice)*

Wash away, Lord, by Your Holy Blood, the  
sins of Your servants here remembered through the  
intercessions of the Theotokos and all Your saints.  
Amen.

## DEACON

*Exalt, Master.*

## PRIEST

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens, and let  
Your glory be over all the earth.

Blessed is our God.

## PRIEST

Always, now and forever and to the ages  
of ages.

## CHOIR

*Amen.*

Let our mouths be filled with Your  
praise, O Lord, that we may sing of Your



ὅτι ἡξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἁγίων σου μετασχεῖν  
μυστηρίων· τήρησον ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ σῶ  
ἁγιασμῷ, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν μελετῶντας τὴν  
δικαιοσύνην σου. Ἀλληλούϊα, ἀλληλούϊα,  
ἀλληλούϊα.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὁρθοί, μεταλαβόντες τῶν θείων, ἁγίων,  
ἀχράντων, ἀθανάτων, ἐπουρανίων καὶ  
ζωοποιῶν, φρικτῶν τοῦ Χριστοῦ μυστηρίων,  
ἀξίως εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ἤ·

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν, τελείαν, ἁγίαν,  
εἰρηνικὴν καὶ ἀναμάρτητον αἰτησάμενοι,  
ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν  
ἡμῶν, Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΗΡΙΟΣ ΕΥΧΗ

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Δέσποτα φιλόφρονε,  
εὐεργέτα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, ὅτι καὶ τῇ παρούσῃ  
ἡμέρᾳ κατηξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ  
ἀθανάτων μυστηρίων. Ὁρθοτόμησον ἡμῶν τὴν ὁδόν,  
στήριξον πάντας ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ φόβῳ σου, φρούρησον  
ἡμῶν τὴν ζωὴν, ἀσφάλισαι ἡμῶν τὰ διαβήματα,  
εὐχαῖς καὶ ἱκεσίαις τῆς ἐνδόξου Θεοτόκου καὶ  
ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, καὶ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων σου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ ἁγιασμὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν  
δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ  
καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς  
τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

glory, because You have made us worthy to  
partake of Your Holy Mysteries. Keep us in  
Your sanctification, that all day long we may  
meditate upon Your righteousness. Alleluia.  
Alleluia. Alleluia. [GOA]

### DEACON

Arise! Having partaken of the divine,  
holy, pure, immortal, heavenly, life-creating,  
and awesome Mysteries of Christ, let us  
worthily give thanks to the Lord.

### CHOIR

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

or:

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Having prayed for a perfect, holy,  
peaceful, and sinless day, let us commend  
ourselves and one another and our whole life  
to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE THANKSGIVING PRAYER

We give thanks to You, Master Who loves  
mankind, benefactor of our souls, that even on this very  
day You have made us worthy of Your heavenly and  
immortal Mysteries. Make straight our path, fortify  
us in Your fear, guard our life, make secure our steps,  
through the prayers and supplications of the glorious  
Theotokos and ever virgin Mary and of all Your saints.

### PRIEST

For You are our sanctification, and to You  
we give glory, to the Father and to the Son  
and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to  
the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ προέλθωμεν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

**ΕΥΧΗ ΟΠΙΣΘΑΜΒΩΝΟΣ**

Ὁ εὐλογῶν τοὺς εὐλογοῦντάς σε, Κύριε καὶ ἀγιάζων τοὺς ἐπὶ σοὶ πεποιθότας, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου. Τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς Ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἀγιάσον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ. Εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ σου δώρησαι, ταῖς Ἐκκλησίαις σου, τοῖς ἱερεῦσι, τοῖς ἄρχουσιν ἡμῶν, τῷ στρατῷ καὶ παντὶ τῷ λαῷ σου. Ὅτι πᾶσα δόσις ἀγαθὴ καὶ πᾶν δῶρημα τέλειον ἄνωθέν ἐστι καταβαῖνον ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Πατρός τῶν φώτων, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν καὶ εὐχαριστίαν καὶ προσκύνησιν ἀναπέμπομεν τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Εἴη τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου εὐλογημένον ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος. (ἐκ γ')

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τὸ πλήρωμα τοῦ Νόμου καὶ τῶν Προφητῶν, αὐτὸς ὑπάρχων, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ πληρῶσας πᾶσαν τὴν πατρικὴν οἰκονομίαν, πλήρωσον χαρὰς καὶ εὐφροσύνης τὰς καρδίας ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**PRIEST**

Let us go forth in peace.

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**PRIEST**

**THE PRAYER BEHIND THE AMBON**

O Lord, Who blesses those who bless You and sanctifies those who put their trust in You, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Protect the whole body of Your Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house. Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and forsake us not who have set our hope in You. Grant peace to Your world, to Your churches, to the clergy, to our civic leaders, to the armed forces, and to all Your people. For every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from You, the Father of lights. To You we give glory, thanksgiving, 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**

Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this time forth and to the ages. (3) [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Christ our God, You are the fulfillment of the Law and the Prophets. You have fulfilled the Father's entire plan of salvation. Fill our hearts with joy and gladness always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εὐλογία Κυρίου καὶ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ  
ἔλθοι ἐφ' ὑμᾶς, τῇ αὐτοῦ θεία χάριτι καὶ  
φιλανθρωπία πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς  
τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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 πανευφήμεων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων  
ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν  
οσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ  
Ἁγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων  
Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ  
πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλέησαι καὶ σῶσαι  
ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Τὸν εὐλογοῦντα καὶ ἁγιάζοντα ἡμᾶς,  
Κύριε, φύλαττε εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

(Ἀμήν.)

**PRIEST**

May the blessing and the mercy of the  
Lord come upon you by His divine grace and  
love for mankind, always, now and forever  
and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.

**PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR**

Lord, protect for many years the one who  
blesses and sanctifies us. [GOA]

**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)