

Μηναῖον - ΤΗΙ ΚΤ' ΑΥΓΟΥΣΤΟΥ

Απόδοσις τῆς Ἑορτῆς τῆς Κοιμήσεως
τῆς Θεοτόκου

ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένη ἡ Βασιλεία τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ
τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ
ἀεὶ, 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 ἀγίων 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.)

Menaion - August 23

Leave-taking of the Feast of the Dormition
of the Theotokos

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 Ἀγίων 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 φιλανθρωπία ἄφατος. 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΄. Ἀλαλάξατε τῷ Κυρίῳ πᾶσα ἡ γῆ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Στίχ. β΄. Ἐξομολογεῖσθε αὐτῷ, αἰνεῖτε τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Στίχ. γ΄. Ἐν πόλει Κυρίου τῶν δυνάμεων, ἐν πόλει τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Στίχ. δ΄. Ἐγενήθη ἐν εἰρήνῃ ὁ τόπος αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸ κατοικητήριον αὐτοῦ ἐν Σιών.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

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. Psalms 99, 47, 75.

Verse 1: Shout aloud to the Lord, all the earth. [SAAS]

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

Verse 2: Give thanks to Him; praise His name. [SAAS]

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

Verse 3: In the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God. [SAAS]

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

Verse 4: His place was made in peace and His dwelling in Zion. [SAAS]

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

Glory. Both now.

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

ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(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, ἀγίασον 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΄. Ἀγαπᾷ Κύριος τὰς πύλας Σιών,
ὑπὲρ πάντα τὰ σκηνώματα Ἰακώβ.

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

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. Psalms 86, 47, 45.

Verse 1: The Lord loves the gates of Zion
more than all the dwellings of Jacob. [SAAS]

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

Στίχ. β'. Δεδοξασμένα ἐλαλήθη περὶ σοῦ
ἡ πόλις τοῦ Θεοῦ.

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

Στίχ. γ'. Ὁ Θεὸς ἐθεμελίωσεν αὐτὴν εἰς
τὸν αἰῶνα.

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

Στίχ. δ'. Ἦγίασε τὸ σκῆνωμα αὐτοῦ ὁ
Ὑψιστος.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις
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
ἁγίας 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.

ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

Verse 2: *Glorious things were said
concerning you, O city of God.* [SAAS]

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

Verse 3: *God established her forever.* [SAAS]

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

Verse 4: *The Most High sanctified His
tabernacle.* [SAAS]

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

*Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy
Spirit.* [HC]

*Both now and ever and to the ages of ages.
Amen.* [HC]

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]

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.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης
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(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Γ'

Ὁ τὰς κοινὰς ταύτας καὶ συμφώνους ἡμῖν
χαρισάμενος προσευχάς, ὁ καὶ δυοὶ 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'. ᾠδὴ α'.

Στίχ. α'. Ἐτοιμή ἡ καρδιά μου, ὁ Θεός,
ἐτοιμή ἡ καρδιά μου.

Στίχ. β'. Τί ἀνταποδώσω τῷ Κυρίῳ περὶ
πάντων, ὧν ἀνταπέδωκέ μοι;

Στίχ. γ'. Ποτήριον σωτηρίου λήψομαι,
καὶ τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου ἐπικαλέσομαι.

Ἀπολυτίκιον. ᾠδὴ α'.

Ἐν τῇ Γεννήσει τὴν παρθενίαν
ἐφύλαξας, ἐν τῇ Κοιμήσει τὸν κόσμον οὐ
κατέλιπες Θεοτόκε. Μετέστης πρὸς τὴν
ζωὴν, μήτηρ ὑπάρχουσα τῆς ζωῆς, καὶ

(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 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. Mode 1. Psalms 107, 115.

Verse 1: My heart is ready, O God, my heart
is ready. [SAAS]

Verse 2: To the saints on His earth, in them
the Lord magnified all His will. [SAAS]

Verse 3: I will take up the cup of salvation,
and call upon the name of the Lord. [SAAS]

Apolytikion. Mode 1.

In giving birth you retained your
virginity, and in dormition you did not
forsake the world, O Theotokos. You were
translated unto life, being the Mother of Life.

ταῖς πρεσβείαις ταῖς σαῖς λυτρουμένη, ἐκ
θανάτου τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

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.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

ᾠχος α'.

Ἐν τῇ Γεννήσει τὴν παρθενίαν
ἐφύλαξας, ἐν τῇ Κοιμήσει τὸν κόσμον οὐ
κατέλιπες Θεοτόκε. Μετέστης πρὸς τὴν
ζωὴν, μήτηρ ὑπάρχουσα τῆς ζωῆς, καὶ
ταῖς πρεσβείαις ταῖς σαῖς λυτρουμένη, ἐκ
θανάτου τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

And thus by virtue of your intercessions you
deliver our souls from death. [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.

From Menaion ---

Mode 1.

In giving birth you retained your
virginity, and in dormition you did not
forsake the world, O Theotokos. You were
translated unto life, being the Mother of Life.
And thus by virtue of your intercessions you
deliver our souls from death. [SD]

Τοῦ Ναοῦ.

(Τὸ Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ναοῦ.)

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Κοντάκιον.

Ἦχος πλ. β'. Ἀντόμελον.

Τὴν ἐν πρεσβείαις ἀκοίμητον Θεοτόκον,
καὶ προστασίαις ἀμετάθετον ἐλπίδα, τάφος
καὶ νέκρωσις οὐκ ἐκράτησεν· ὡς γὰρ ζωῆς
Μητέρα, πρὸς τὴν ζωὴν μετέστησεν, ὁ
μήτραν οἰκήσας ἀειπάρθενον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Ἅγιος, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, ὁ
τρισάγιω φωνῇ ὑπὸ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ ἀννυνοῦμενος
καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν Χερουβεὶμ δοξολογούμενος, καὶ ὑπὸ
πάσης ἐπουρανίου δυνάμεως προσκυνούμενος
ὁ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς τὸ εἶναι παραγαγὼν τὰ
σύμπαντα ὁ κτίσας τὸν ἄνθρωπον κατ' εἰκόνα
σὴν καὶ ὁμοίωσιν καὶ παντὶ σου χαρίσματι
κατακοσμήσας, ὁ διδοὺς 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
προσκύνησιν 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
ὀσιότητι λατρεῦειν σοι πάσας τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς ζωῆς
ἡμῶν, πρεσβείαις τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτόκου, καὶ πάντων
τῶν Ἀγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων.

Apolytikion of the Parish Church

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

From Menaion ---

Kontakion.

Mode pl. 2. Automelon.

The Theotokos, unsleeping in intercession
* and the immovable hope of protection, *
could not be retained by any tomb or death.
* For being Life's own Mother, she was
transferred to life by Him * who dwelt in the
ever-virgin womb. [SD]

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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.

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.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Δύναμις.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κέλευσον, Δέσποτα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εὐλόγησον, Δέσποτα, τὴν ἄνω καθέδραν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένος εἶ, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου δόξης τῆς
βασιλείας σου, ὁ καθημένος ἐπὶ τῶν Χερουβείμ,
πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν
αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δύναμις.

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

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.

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]

Τὰ Αναγνώσματα
Ὁ Ἀπόστολος

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Προκείμενον. Ἦχος γ'. Ὡδὴ Ἑνάτη.

Μεγαλύνει ἡ ψυχὴ μου τὸν Κύριον, καὶ ἠγαλλίασε τὸ πνεῦμά μου ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ τῷ σωτῆρί μου.

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

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Πρὸς Φιλιππισίους Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Φλπ 2:5-11

Ἀδελφοί, τοῦτο γὰρ φρονεῖσθω ἐν ὑμῖν ὁ καὶ ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ· ὃς ἐν μορφῇ θεοῦ ὑπάρχων, οὐχ ἄρπαγμόν ἡγήσατο τὸ εἶναι ἴσα θεῷ, ἀλλ' ἑαυτὸν ἐκένωσεν, μορφὴν δούλου λαβών, ἐν ὁμοιώματι ἀνθρώπων γενόμενος· καὶ σχήματι εὗρεθεὶς ὡς ἄνθρωπος, ἐταπείνωσεν ἑαυτόν, γενόμενος ὑπήκοος μέχρι θανάτου, θανάτου δὲ σταυροῦ. Διὸ καὶ ὁ θεὸς αὐτὸν ὑπερύψωσεν, καὶ ἐχαρίσατο αὐτῷ ὄνομα τὸ ὑπὲρ πᾶν ὄνομα· ἵνα ἐν τῷ ὀνόματι Ἰησοῦ πᾶν γόνυ κάμψῃ ἐπουρανίων καὶ ἐπιγείων καὶ καταχθονίων, καὶ πᾶσα γλῶσσα

The Readings
The Epistle

For the Feast.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

READER

Prokeimenon. Mode 3. Ode ix.

My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior. [RSV]

Verse: For he has regarded the low estate of his handmaiden. For behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed. [RSV]

DEACON

Wisdom.

READER

The reading is from Paul's Letter to the Philippians.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

READER

Phil. 2:5-11

Brethren, have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form he humbled himself and became obedient unto death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and

ἐξομολογήσεται ὅτι κύριος Ἰησοῦς Χριστός,
εἰς δόξαν θεοῦ πατρός.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ ἀναγινώσκοντι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ὦχος πλ. δ'. Ψαλμός 131.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

Στίχ. α'. Ἀνάστηθι, Κύριε, εἰς τὴν
ἀνάπαυσίν σου, σὺ καὶ ἡ κιβωτὸς τοῦ
ἁγιάσματος σου.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

Στίχ. β'. Ὡμοσε Κύριος τῷ Δαυΐδ
ἀλήθειαν καὶ οὐ μὴ ἀθετήσῃ αὐτήν· Ἐκ
καρποῦ τῆς κοιλίας σου θήσομαι ἐπὶ τοῦ
θρόνου σου.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Ἑλλαμψον ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, φιλόφρονε
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 φρονούντες 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 ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου
Εὐαγγελίου.

every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father. [RSV]

PRIEST

Peace be with you.

CHOIR

Alleluia. Mode pl. 4. Psalm 131.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Verse 1: Arise, O Lord, into Your rest, You
and the ark of Your holiness. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Verse 2: The Lord swore to David this truth,
and He shall not reject it, "I shall set upon your
throne one from the fruit of your loins." [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

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

For the Feast.

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy
Gospel.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ειρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου
τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Λου ι' 38-42, ια' 27-28

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, εἰσῆλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς
εἰς κώμην τινά· γυνή δέ τις ὀνόματι Μάρθα
ὑπεδέξατο αὐτὸν εἰς τὸν οἶκον αὐτῆς.
Καὶ τῇδε ἦν ἀδελφή καλουμένη Μαρία,
ἥ καὶ παρακαθίσασα παρὰ τοὺς πόδας
τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἤκουε τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ. Ἡ δὲ
Μάρθα περιεσπᾶτο περὶ πολλὴν διακονίαν·
ἐπιστᾶσα δὲ εἶπε· Κύριε, οὐ μέλει σοι ὅτι ἡ
ἀδελφή μου μόνην με κατέλιπε διακονεῖν;
εἰπέ οὖν αὐτῇ ἵνα μοι συναντιλάβηται.
Ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ εἶπεν αὐτῇ ὁ Ἰησοῦς·
Μάρθα Μάρθα, μεριμνᾷς καὶ τυρβάζῃ
περὶ πολλά· ἑνὸς δέ ἐστι χρεία· Μαρία δὲ
τὴν ἀγαθὴν μερίδα ἐξελέξατο, ἣτις οὐκ
ἀφαιρεθήσεται ἀπ' αὐτῆς. Ἐγένετο δὲ ἐν
τῷ λέγειν αὐτὸν ταῦτα ἐπάρασά τις γυνή
φωνήν ἐκ τοῦ ὄχλου εἶπεν αὐτῷ· μακαρία
ἡ κοιλία ἡ βαστάσασά σε καὶ μαστοὶ
οὓς ἐθήλασας. αὐτὸς δὲ εἶπε· μενοῦνγε
μακάριοι οἱ ἀκούοντες τὸν λόγον τοῦ Θεοῦ
καὶ φυλάσσοντες αὐτόν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ειρήνη σοι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

DEACON

The reading is from the Holy Gospel
according to Luke.

PRIEST

Let us be attentive.

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

DEACON

Lk. 10:38-42; 11:27-28

At that time, Jesus entered a village; and
a woman called Martha received him into
her house. And she had a sister called Mary,
who sat at the Lord's feet and listened to his
teaching. But Martha was distracted with
much serving; and she went to him and said,
"Lord, do you not care that my sister has left
me to serve you alone? Tell her then to help
me." But the Lord answered her, "Martha,
Martha, you are anxious and troubled about
many things; one thing is needful. Mary has
chosen the good portion, which shall not
be taken away from her." As he said this, a
woman in the crowd raised her voice and said
to him, "Blessed is the womb that bore you,
and the breasts that you sucked!" But he said,
"Blessed rather are those who hear the word
of God and keep it!" [RSV]

PRIEST

Peace be with you.

CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

ΤΟ ΚΗΡΥΓΜΑ

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

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 ἁγίου ναοῦ τούτου.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας 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 ἐχηματίσας, 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 θρόνον
Χερουβικοῦ ἐποχοῦμενος, ὁ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ Κύριος,
καὶ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ, ὁ Μόνος Ἅγιος καὶ ἐν
ἀγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, σὲ τοίνυν δυσωπῶ τὸν
μόνον ἀγαθὸν καὶ εὐήκοον, ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμέ
τὸν ἁμαρτωλὸν καὶ ἄχρεϊον δούλόν σου, καὶ
καθάρισόν μου τὴν ψυχὴν καὶ τὴν καρδίαν ἀπὸ
συνειδήσεως πονηρᾶς, καὶ ἱκάνωσόν 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, ἀπερίνοητος, 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
πᾶσαν 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 εὐλόγησας, 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 οὐρανούς 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*)

Ἐτι 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 παρρησίαν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κριμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα. Ἐτι προσφέρομέν 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.
Ὡδὴ θ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.
Ἦχος α'.**

Αἱ γενεαὶ πᾶσαι, μακαρίζομέν σε, τὴν μόνην Θεοτόκον.

Νενίκηνται τῆς φύσεως οἱ ὄροι, ἐν σοὶ Παρθένε ἄχραντε, παρθενεὺει γὰρ τόκος, καὶ ζωὴν προμνηστεύεται θάνατος. Ἡ μετὰ τόκον Παρθένος, καὶ μετὰ θάνατον ζῶσα, σῶζοις αἰεὶ, Θεοτόκε, τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἰωάννου, προφήτου προδρόμου καὶ Βαπτιστοῦ, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφύμων Ἀποστόλων, (τοῦ ἁγίου τῆς ἡμέρας) οὗ 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 [ᾧδε λέγονται τὰ ὀνόματα τῶν κεκοιμημένων] καὶ ἀνάπαυσον αὐτούς, 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, παντὸς τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας καὶ παντὸς ἱερατικοῦ καὶ μοναχικοῦ τάγματος. Ἐτι προσφέρομέν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῆς οἰκουμένης, ὑπὲρ τῆς ἁγίας σου Καθολικῆς καὶ Ἀποστολικῆς

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.
Ode ix. Heirmos.
Mode 1.**

Now all generations call you blessed, O only Theotokos. [SD]

In you the laws of nature are defeated,* O undefiled Virgin pure. * In virginity childbirth was accomplished, and death introduces life. * You, after bearing, are virgin, and after dying are living. * Mother of God, * ever save your inheritance. [SD]

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

Ἐκκλησίας, ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν ἀγνείᾳ καὶ σεμνῇ πολιτείᾳ διαγόντων· ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀρχόντων καὶ τοῦ στρατοῦ ἡμῶν. Δὸς αὐτοῖς, Κύριε, εἰρηνικὸν τὸ Βασίλειον, ἵνα 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, σῶρον, ἔντιμον, ὑγιᾶ, 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 πάντα 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 αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

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.

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προσκομισθέντων καὶ
ἁγιασθέντων 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 ὁσμήν εὐωδίας
πνευματικῆς, ἀντικαταπέμψη ἡμῖν τὴν
θείαν Χάριν καὶ τὴν δωρεάν 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 παρρησίαν
τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κρίμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

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.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς, Δέσποτα, μετὰ παρρησίας, ἀκατακρίτως, τολμᾶν ἐπικαλεῖσθαι σὲ τὸν ἐπουράνιον Θεὸν Πατέρα, καὶ λέγειν·

ΛΑΟΣ

ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΗ

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἁγιασθήτω 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 ἔπιδε ἐπὶ τοὺς ὑποκεκλικότας 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

PRIEST

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

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

συνόδευσον, τοὺς νοσοῦντας ἰᾶσαι, ὁ ἰατρός τῶν
ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν.

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)

Πρόσχεε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐξ
ἀγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ ἀπὸ θρόνου δόξης
τῆς Βασιλείας σου, καὶ ἐλθέ εἰς τὸ ἀγιάσαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ
ἄνω τῷ Πατρὶ συγκαθήμενος καὶ ὧδε ἡμῖν ἀοράτως
συνών. Καὶ καταξιώσον τῇ κραταίᾳ 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

who sail, travel with those who travel, heal the sick,
Physician of our souls and bodies.

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 ἁγιασμόν ψυχῆς τε καὶ σώματος, καὶ εἰς ἀρῶαβῶνα τῆς μελλούσης ζωῆς καὶ βασιλείας. Ἐμοὶ δὲ τὸ προσκολλᾶσθαι τῷ Θεῷ ἀγαθόν ἐστι, τίθεσθαι ἐν τῷ Κυρίῳ τὴν ἐλπίδα τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Ὑιὲ 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 115.

Ποτήριον σωτηρίου λήψομαι καὶ τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου ἐπικαλέσομαι. Ἀλληλουῖα.

Ἐκλογή εἰς τὴν Κοίμησιν τῆς Θεοτόκου

1. Ἀλαλάξατε τῷ Θεῷ, πᾶσα ἡ γῆ, ἄσατε καὶ ἀγαλλιᾶσθε καὶ ψάλατε. (97:4)

2. Ἀλαλάξατε ἐνώπιον τοῦ Βασιλέως Κυρίου. (97:6)

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 115.

I will take up the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord. Alleluia. [SAAS]

Selected Psalm Verses for the Dormition of the Theotokos

1. Shout aloud to God, all the earth; sing and greatly rejoice, and sing psalms. (97:4) [SAAS]

2. Shout aloud before the Lord our King. (97:6) [SAAS]

3. Ἐν πόλει Κυρίου τῶν δυνάμεων, ἐν πόλει τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν. (47:9)

4. Δεδοξασμένα ἐλαλήθη περὶ σοῦ, ἡ πόλις τοῦ Θεοῦ. (86:3)

5. Ἐγενήθη ἐν εἰρήνῃ ὁ τόπος αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸ κατοικητήριον αὐτοῦ ἐν Σιών. (75:3)

6. Ὁ Θεὸς ἐθεμελίωσεν αὐτὴν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα. (47:9)

7. Ὁ Θεὸς ἐν μέσῳ αὐτῆς, καὶ οὐ σαλευθήσεται. (45:6)

8. Ἦγίασε τὸ σκηνῶμα αὐτοῦ ὁ Ὑψιστος. (45:5)

9. Ἀγιωσύνη καὶ μεγαλοπρέπεια ἐν τῷ ἁγιάσματι αὐτοῦ. (95:6)

10. Ὅρος Σιών τοῦτο, ὃ κατεσκήνωσας ἐν αὐτῷ. (73:2)

11. Ποτήριον σωτηρίου λήψομαι, καὶ τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου ἐπικαλέσομαι (115:4)

12. Ἐν εἰρήνῃ ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτὸ κοιμηθήσομαι καὶ ὑπνώσω. (4:9)

13. Ἐπίστρεψον, ψυχὴ μου, εἰς τὴν ἀνάπαυσίν σου. (114:7)

14. Αἰσχυνθήτωσαν καὶ ἀποστραφήτωσαν εἰς τὰ ὀπίσω, πάντες οἱ μισοῦντες Σιών. (128:5)

15. Σὺ ἔπλασάς με, καὶ ἔθηκας ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὴν χειρὰ σου. (138:5)

16. Ἐκράτησας τῆς χειρὸς τῆς δεξιᾶς μου, καὶ μετὰ δόξης προσελάβου με. (72:23)

17. Κύριε, εἰς χειρὰς σου παραθήσομαι τὸ πνεῦμά μου. (30:6)

18. Διελεύσομαι ἐν τόπῳ σκηνῆς θαυμαστῆς, ἕως τοῦ οἴκου τοῦ Θεοῦ. (41:5)

3. In the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city of our God. (47:9) [SAAS]

4. Glorious things were said concerning you, O city of God. (86:3) [SAAS]

5. His place was made in peace, and His dwelling in Zion. (75:3) [SAAS]

6. God established her forever. (47:9) [SAAS]

7. God is in her midst; she shall not be shaken. (45:6) [SAAS]

8. The Most High sanctified His tabernacle. (45:5) [SAAS]

9. Holiness and majesty are in His holy place. (95:6) [SAAS]

10. This Mount Zion, where You encamped. (73:2) [SAAS]

11. I will take up the cup of salvation, and call upon the name of the Lord. (115:4) [SAAS]

12. I will both sleep and rest in peace. (4:9) [SAAS]

13. Return, O my soul, to your rest. (114:7) [SAAS]

14. Let all who hate Zion be shamed and turned back. (128:5) [SAAS]

15. You fashioned me, and placed Your hands on me. (138:5) [SAAS]

16. You hold fast my right hand; and with glory You take hold of me. (72:23) [SAAS]

17. O Lord, into Your hands I shall entrust my spirit (30:6) [SAAS]

18. I shall enter the place of the wondrous tabernacle, even the house of God. (41:5) [SAAS]

19. Ἐν φωνῇ ἀγαλλιάσεως, καὶ ἐξομολογήσεως ἤχου ἑορτάζοντος. (41:5)

20. Πληρώσεις με εὐφροσύνης, μετὰ τοῦ προσώπου σου. (15:11)

21. Χορτασθήσομαι ἐν τῷ ὀφθῆναί μοι τὴν δόξαν σου. (16:15)

22. Ἐξηγέρθην, καὶ ἔτι εἰμι μετὰ σοῦ. (138:18)

23. Αὕτη ἡ ἀλλοίωσις τῆς δεξιᾶς τοῦ Ὑψίστου. (76:11)

24. Κύκλω αὐτοῦ ἡ σκηνὴ αὐτοῦ. (17:12)

25. Μνησθήσομαι τοῦ ὀνόματός σου, ἐν πάσῃ γενεᾷ καὶ γενεᾷ. (44:18)

26. Ἀνάστηθι, Κύριε, εἰς τὴν ἀνάπαυσίν σου, σὺ καὶ ἡ κιβωτὸς τοῦ ἁγιάσματος σου. (131:8)

27. Ἅγιος ὁ ναὸς σου, θαυμαστὸς ἐν δικαιοσύνῃ. (64:5)

28. Τῷ οἴκῳ σου πρόπει ἁγίασμα, Κύριε, εἰς μακρότητα ἡμερῶν. (92:5)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Μετὰ φόβου Θεοῦ, πίστεως καὶ ἀγάπης προσέλθετε.

Καὶ γίνεται ἡ μετάληψις τοῦ Λαοῦ. Λαμβάνει ὁ Τερεὺς 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

Ὑμνοι καθὼς μεταλαμβάνει ὁ λαός.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

19. To celebrate a festival, with a voice of great joy and praise. (41:5) [SAAS]

20. You will fill me with gladness in Your presence. (15:11) [SAAS]

21. I shall be satisfied when Your glory is revealed. (16:15) [SAAS]

22. I awakened, and I am still with You. (138:18) [SAAS]

23. This change is by the right hand of the Most High. (76:11) [SAAS]

24. His tabernacle was around Him. (17:12) [SAAS]

25. I will remember your name from generation to generation. (44:18) [SAAS]

26. Arise, O Lord, into Your rest, You and the ark of Your holiness. (131:8) [SAAS]

27. Holy is Your temple, wondrous in righteousness. (64:5) [SAAS]

28. Holiness is proper to Your house, O Lord, unto length of days. (92:5) [SAAS]

DEACON

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

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.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ὕμνος 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 Αἵματί σου τῷ
ἀγίῳ· πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου καὶ πάντων σου τῶν
Αγίων. Ἀμήν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὑψωσον, Δέσποτα.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς 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,
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.

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, worshipping 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
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.

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, ἀγίαν,
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 παρουσίᾳ
ἡμέρᾳ κατηξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ
ἀθανάτων μυστηρίων. Ὁρθοτόμησον ἡμῶν τὴν ὁδόν,
στήριξον πάντας ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ φόβῳ σου, φρουρήσον
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.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ προέλθωμεν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

ΕΥΧΗ ΟΠΙΣΘΑΜΒΩΝΟΣ

Ὁ εὐλογῶν τοὺς εὐλογοῦντάς σε, Κύριε
καὶ ἁγιάζων τοὺς ἐπὶ σοὶ πεποιθότας,

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.)

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

σωσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον
τὴν κληρονομίαν σου. Τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς
Ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἀγίασον 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
δώρημα τέλειον ἄνωθέν ἐστι καταβαῖνον
ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Πατρὸς 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, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ πληρῶσας
πᾶσαν τὴν πατρικὴν οἰκονομίαν, πλήρωσον χαρᾶς
καὶ εὐφροσύνης τὰς καρδίας ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ
ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

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.)

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-

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 πανευφήμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων
ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων τῶν
όσιων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ
Ἀγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων
Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ
πάντων τῶν Ἀγίων, ἐλεῆσαι 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.)

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.)