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ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ήχος β'.

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

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

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

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

Απολυτίκιον.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

Ήχος β'.

Μεγάλα τὰ τῆς πίστεως κατορθώματα! ἐν τῆ πηγῆ τῆς φλογός, ὡς ἐπὶ ὕδατος ἀναπαύσεως, ὁ Ἅγιος Μάρτυς Θεόδωρος ἠγάλλετο· πυρὶ γὰρ ὁλοκαυτωθείς, ὡς ἄρτος ἡδύς, τῆ Τριάδι προσήνεκται. Ταῖς αὐτοῦ ἱκεσίαις Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Δόξα. Τὸ αὐτό.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

Ήχος β'.

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Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - -

Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Ήχος β'.

Πάντα ὑπὲς ἔννοιαν, πάντα ὑπες ένδοξα, τὰ σὰ Θεοτόκε μυστήςια, τῆ άγνεία ἐσφςαγισμένη, καὶ παςθενία φυλαττομένη, Μήτης ἐγνώσθης ἀψευδής,

CHOIR

Mode 2.

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

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

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

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

Apolytikion.

From Triodion - - -

Mode 2.

Magnificent are Faith's accomplishments! The holy Martyr Theodore greatly rejoiced as he stood in the fountain of fire as if beside the still waters. He was consumed by fire and offered like sweet bread to the Trinity. At his entreaties, O Christ God, save our souls. (SD)

Glory. Repeat.

From Triodion - - -

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Magnificent are Faith's accomplishments! The holy Martyr Theodore greatly rejoiced as he stood in the fountain of fire as if beside the still waters. He was consumed by fire and offered like sweet bread to the Trinity. At his entreaties, O Christ God, save our souls. (5D)

From Octoechos - - -

Both now. **Theotokion**.

Mode 2.

All surpassing every thought, all surpassing glorious, O Mother of God, are your mysteries. For while bearing the seal of purity and preserved in virginity, you were Θεὸν τεκοῦσα ἀληθινόν· αὐτὸν ἱκέτευε σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

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

Κάθισμα Α'. Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Φωστῆρες νοεροί, ἀνεδείχθητε ἄγιοι Μάρτυρες τὴν γὰρ ἀχλὺν τῆς πλάνης, κατηργήσατε διὰ τῆς πίστεως, τὰς ψυχικὰς ὑμῶν λαμπάδας ἐφαιδρύνατε, καὶ τῷ Νυμφίῳ μετὰ δόξης συνεισήλθετε, εἰς τὸν οὐράνιον νυμφῶνα, καὶ νῦν ἱκετεύσατε, σωθῆναι δεόμεθα τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

deemed a Mother in truth, for to the true God you gave birth. To Him pray fervently, entreating that our souls be saved. (SD)

DEACON

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy upon us and protect us, O God, by your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST

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

(Amen.)

Kathisma I. Mode pl. 4.

Holy Martyrs, you were shown to be spiritual luminaries; for by faith you ended the fogginess of error, you brightened the lamps of our souls, and with glory you entered the celestial bridal hall with the Bridegroom. Now we pray you entreat Him to save our souls. (5D)

Στίχ. Θαυμαστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἐν τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ.

Τὴν Σοφίαν καὶ Λόγον.

Οἰκουμένης φωστῆφες, ἀειλαμπεῖς, ἀνεδείχθητε πίστει, μαφτυφικῆ, ὅλην ἀναθέμενοι, τὴν ἐλπίδα πφὸς Κύφιον, καὶ νοητῷ ἐλαίῳ, τοῦ Πνεύματος Ἅγιοι, τὰς ψυχικάς λαμπάδας, ὑμῶν ἐφαιδφύνατε ὅθεν καὶ κφατῆφες, νοητοὶ τοῖς ἀνθφώποις, ἰάσεις πφοχέοντες, ὥσπεφ νάματα ὤφθητε, Ἀθλοφόφοι πανεύφημοι, πφεσβεύσατε Χφιστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, τῶν πταισμάτων ἄφεσιν δωφήσασθαι, τοῖς ἑοφτάζουσι πόθῳ, τὴν άγίαν μνήμην ὑμῶν.

Στίχ. Τοῖς ἁγίοις τοῖς ἐν τῆ γῆ αὐτοῦ ἐθαυμάστωσεν ὁ Κύριος, πάντα τὰ θελήματα αὐτοῦ ἐν αὐτοῖς.

Τὸ προσταχθέν.

Δι' ἐγκρατείας τῶν παθῶν, τὰς πυριφλέκτους, ἀπονεκρώσαντες ὁρμάς, καὶ τὰς κινήσεις, τοῦ Χριστοῦ οἱ Μάρτυρες, ἔλαβον τὴν χάριν, τὰς νόσους ἀποδιώκειν, τῶν ἀσθενῶν, καὶ ζῶντες καὶ μετὰ τέλος, θαυματουργεῖν, ὄντως θαῦμα παράδοξον! ὅτι ὀστέα γυμνά, ἐκβλύζουσιν ἰάματα. Δόξα τῷ μόνῳ Θεῷ ἡμῶν.

Δόξα καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Σὲ καὶ τεῖχος καὶ λιμένα ἔχομεν, καὶ ποέσβυν εὐποόσδεκτον, ποὸς ὃν ἔτεκες Θεόν, Θεοτόκε ἀνύμφευτε, τῶν πιστῶν ἡ σωτηρία.

Verse: God is wondrous in His saints. (SAAS)

By conceiving the wisdom.

By your strong faith as martyrs you have become * ever radiant torches for all the world, * for you placed your every hope * in the Lord, who enabled you; * you kept your souls, like lamps, lit * with the spiritual oil * of the all-holy Spirit, * O Martyrs extolled by all. * Therefore you are also known as spiritual wine bowls * that serve up as beverages * cures and healings to all mankind, * O victorious martyr saints. * Intercede with Christ our God * that He grant forgiveness of offences * to us observing your holy * memory with faith and love. (SD)

Verse: To the saints on His earth, in them the Lord magnified all His will. (SAAS)

When he perceived.

When they had deadened burning impulses and movements * of sinful passions by their self-control and virtue, * then the Martyrs of Christ were given the divine grace * of driving away the illnesses of the sick * and working wonders, alive and after their death. * Paradoxical miracle it is indeed, that naked bones * should pour out cures abundantly. * Glory be to our only God. (SD)

Glory. Both now. **Theotokion.**

We have you as a fortress and a port and an acceptable intercessor with God, whom you bore, O unwedded Theotokos, the salvation of the faithful. (SD)

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

Κάθισμα Β'.

Ήχος γ΄. Θείας πίστεως.

Ζέων πίστεως ὀρθοδοξία, πλάνην ἔσβεσας κακοδοξίας, καταργήσας τῶν εἰδώλων τὸ ἄθεον, καὶ ὁλοκαύτωμα θεῖον γενόμενος, θαυματουργίαις δροσίζεις τὰ πέρατα. Μάρτυς ἔνδοξε, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἱκέτευε, δωρήσασθαι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Δόξα. Θείας πίστεως.

Θεῖον δῶρόν σε πρὸς σωτηρίαν, πάση δέδωκε τῆ οἰκουμένη, ὁ ἐν τοῖς ἄθλοις δυναμώσας σε Κύριος, τὰς ψυχικὰς ἡμῶν νόσους ἰώμενος, καὶ τῶν σωμάτων τὰ πάθη τροπούμενος. Μάρτυς Θεόδωρε, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἱκέτευε, δωρήσασθαι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον. Τὴν ὡραιότητα.

Ή τὸν ἀχώρητον, Θεὸν ἐν μήτρᾳ σου, Παρθένε ἄχραντε, κυοφορήσασα, τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων ἐκ Πατρὸς ἀρρεύστως ἀνατείλαντα, Λόγον ἐνυπόστατον, καὶ Υίὸν ὁμοούσιον, τοῦτον ἐκδυσώπησον, σὺν Προφήταις καὶ Μάρτυσιν. Όσίοις, Ἀσκηταῖς, καὶ Δικαίοις, δοῦναι ἡμῖν λύσιν πλημμελημάτων.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ψαλμὸς N' (50).

Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιομῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου. Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου, καὶ απὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ότι τὴν

From Triodion - - -

Kathisma II.

Mode 3. Your confession.

As you boiled hot with Orthodoxy, * you extinguished heresy's delusion * and arrested idolatry's godlessness. * You became a whole-burnt offering unto God, * and you refresh the whole world with your miracles. * Pray to Christ our God, O glorious Martyr, fervently, * entreating Him to grant us His great mercy.

Glory. Your confession.

The Lord, who strengthened you when in the contests, * gave you to the world for our salvation, * as a divine gift, which is what your name denotes. * You heal the illness and passions that plague our souls * and ward off physical trauma and suffering. * Martyr Theodore, to Christ our God pray fervently, * entreating Him to grant us His great mercy.

Both now. **Theotokion.** *Seeing how beautiful.*

You carried in your womb the uncontainable God, * the hypostatic Word and consubstantial Son, * who pre-eternally shone forth from the Father without flux or change. * Virgin all-immaculate, now entreat Him on our behalf, * bringing with you all the saints, Prophets, Martyrs, and Monastics all, * Ascetics and the Righteous, and pray Him * to grant us forgiveness of offences. (5D)

READER

Psalm 50 (51).

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression. Wash me thoroughly from my lawlessness and cleanse me from my sin. For

ανομίαν μου έγω γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ άμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μού ἐστι διὰ παντός. Σοὶ μόνω ήμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε. Ίδοὺ γὰο ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν άμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἰδοὺ γὰο ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας, τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κούφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ραντιεῖς με ὑσσώπω, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲο χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Ακουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφοοσύνην άγαλλιάσονται ὀστέα τεταπεινωμένα. Απόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν άμαςτιῶν μου καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου έξάλειψον. Καρδίαν καθαράν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον έν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ το Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἄγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Άπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῷ στήριξόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδούς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ρῦσαί με έξ αίμάτων, ὁ Θεὸς, ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χείλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. Ότι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν όλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον, καρδίαν συντετοιμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει. Ἁγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῆ εὐδοκία σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ίερουσαλήμ. Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὁλοκαυτώματα. Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους.

I know my lawlessness, and my sin is always before me. Against You only have I sinned and done evil in Your sight; that You may be justified in Your words, and overcome when You are judged. For behold, I was conceived in transgressions, and in sins my mother bore me. Behold, You love truth; You showed me the unknown and secret things of Your wisdom. You shall sprinkle me with hyssop, and I will be cleansed; You shall wash me, and I will be made whiter than snow. You shall make me hear joy and gladness; my bones that were humbled shall greatly rejoice. Turn Your face from my sins, and blot out all my transgressions. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me. Do not cast me away from Your presence, and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with Your guiding Spirit. I will teach transgressors Your ways, and the ungodly shall turn back to You. Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall greatly rejoice in Your righteousness. O Lord, You shall open my lips, and my mouth will declare Your praise. For if You desired sacrifice, I would give it; You will not be pleased with whole burnt offerings. A sacrifice to God is a broken spirit, a broken and humbled heart God will not despise. Do good, O Lord, in Your good pleasure to Zion, and let the walls of Jerusalem be built; then you will be pleased with a sacrifice of righteousness, with offerings and whole burnt offerings; then shall they offer young bulls on Your altar. (SAAS)

Κοντάκιον.

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου - - -

Ήχος πλ. δ΄. Αὐτόμελον.

Πίστιν Χριστοῦ ώσεὶ θώρακα, ἔνδον λαβὼν ἐν καρδία σου, τὰς ἐναντίας δυνάμεις κατεπάτησας Πολύαθλε, καὶ στέφει οὐρανίω ἐστέφθης αἰωνίως, ώς ἀήττητος.

Ό Οἶκος.

Τὸν ἐν θοόνῷ φωτὸς ἐποχούμενον, εὐχαρίστως ἐν πίστει ὑμνοῦμέν σε, ὅτι δώρημα θεῖον δεδώρησαι, τὸν γενναῖον τοῖς ἄθλοις Θεόδωρον, τὸν ἐν τῷ βίῷ τρισμακάριστον, ὡς ὑπέρμαχον ὄντα τῆς ἀληθείας, εὐσεβεῖ λογισμῷ κεκτημένος Χριστόν, ἀνεδείχθη κραταιὸς νικητὴς κατὰ τοῦ δολεροῦ, ὡς ἀήττητος.

Συναξάριον.

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῆ ΙΘ΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τῶν Άγίων Μαρτύρων Χρυσάνθου καὶ Δαρείας.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, ὁ Ἅγιος Κλαύδιος ὁ Τριβοῦνος, ἐν θαλάσση βληθείς, τελειοῦται.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, ἡ Ἁγία Μάρτυς Ἱλαρία, ἡ τούτου σύζυγος, ξίφει τελειοῦται.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, οἱ Ἅγιοι Μάρτυρες Ἰάσων καὶ Μαῦρος, οἱ υἱοὶ αὐτῶν, ξίφει τελειοῦνται.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, μνήμη τοῦ Άγίου Μάρτυρος Παγχαρίου.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, οἱ Ἅγιοι Διόδωρος Πρεσβύτερος, καὶ Μαριανὸς Διάκονος, σπηλαίω ἐγκλεισθέντες, τελειοῦνται.

Μνήμη τοῦ Άγίου Νεομάρτυρος Δημητρίου τοῦ Τορναρᾶ, ξίφει τελειωθέντος ἐν ἔτει ᾳψξδ' (1564).

Kontakion.

From Triodion - - -

Mode pl. 4. Automelon.

Once you had taken the Faith of Christ into your heart like a suit of armor, you trampled the hostile forces underfoot, having contended much, and you were crowned with heavenly laurels forever, as one invincible. (5D)

Oikos.

We gladly in faith extol You, who are carried on a throne of light. For You have given us a divine gift, Theodore, who was brave in the contests and thrice-blessed in his life, as being a champion of the truth. Having a pious frame of mind, he obtained You, O Christ; and against the deceiver he proved to be a mighty victor, as one invincible. (5D)

Synaxarion.

From the Menaion.

On March 19 we commemorate the holy martyrs Chrysanthos and Daria.

On this day St. Claudius the tribune died after being cast into the sea.

On this day the holy martyr Hilary, the wife of St. Claudius, died by the sword.

On this day the holy martyrs Jason and Maurus, their sons, died by the sword.

On this day we also commemorate the holy martyr Pancharios.

On this day the Sts. Diodore the priest and Marian the deacon reposed after being closed up in a cave.

We also commemorate the holy new martyr Demetrios the joiner who died by the sword in the year 1564.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, Σαββάτω τῆς πρώτης Έβδομάδος τῶν Νηστειῶν, τὸ διὰ τῶν Κολλύβων παράδοξον θαῦμα τοῦ άγίου καὶ ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος Θεοδώρου τοῦ Τήρωνος ἑορτάζομεν.

Στίχοι.

Τοοφῆ κολλύβων, έστιᾶ Τήρων πόλιν,

From the Triodion.

On this day, Saturday of the first week of Lent, we celebrate the marvelous wonder involving Kolyva by the holy and glorious Great Martyr Theodore Tyro.

Verses

With Kollyva the Tyro feeds the City

Τροφήν τιθείς ἄπρακτον, ήλιγισμένην.

Ταῖς αὐτοῦ ποεσβείαις, ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον, καὶ σῶσον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καταβασίαι τῆς Θεοτόκου Ὠιδὴ α'. Ἡχος δ'.

Άνοίξω τὸ στόμα μου, καὶ πληρωθήσεται Πνεύματος, καὶ λόγον ἐρεύξομαι, τῆ Βασιλίδι Μητρί, καὶ ὀφθήσομαι, φαιδρῶς πανηγυρίζων, καὶ ἄσω γηθόμενος, ταύτης τὰ θαύματα.

'Ωιδή γ'.

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

'Ωιδή δ'.

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

Ω ιδ $\dot{\eta}$ ε'.

Ἐξέστη τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐπὶ τῆ θεία δόξη σου· σὺ γὰο ἀπειοόγαμε Παοθένε, ἔσχες ἐν μήτοα, τὸν ἐπὶ πάντων Θεόν, καὶ τέτοκας ἄχοονον Υίόν, πᾶσι τοῖς ὑμνοῦσί σε, σωτηρίαν βοαβεύοντα.

ωιδή ζ'.

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

And makes ineffectual the food that was defiled.

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

CHOIR

Katavasias of Theotokos Ode i. Mode 4.

My mouth shall I open wide, * and it will thus be with Spirit filled. * A word shall I then pour out * unto the Mother and Queen. * I will joyously * attend the celebration * and sing to her merrily, * lauding her miracles. (SD)

Ode iii.

* O Mother of God, for they have formed * a spiritual choir for you * the living and abundant fount; * and crowns of glory graciously * in your divine glory grant to them. (SD)

Ode iv.

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

Ode v.

Amazed was the universe * by your divine magnificence. * For while never consummating wedlock, * you held, O Virgin, the God of all in your womb, * and gave birth unto a timeless Son * Who awards salvation to * all who chant hymns of praise to you. (5D)

Ode vi.

Let us possessed of a godly mind, * observing this divine and all-venerable feast in honor of * the Theotokos, come clap our

'Ωιδή ζ'.

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

'Ωιδή η'.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

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

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

'Ωιδὴ θ'. Μεγαλυνά<mark>οιον. Ήχος δ</mark>'.

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

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

hands, * while glorifying God who was truly born of her. (SD)

Ode vii.

Godly-minded three * did not adore created things * in the Creator's stead, * but bravely trampling upon * the threat of the furnace fire chanted joyfully: * "O supremely praised * and most exalted Lord and God * of the fathers, You are blessed." (SD)

Ode viii.

We praise and we bless and we worship the Lord.

Pious Servants stood within the furnace.

* The Son of the Theotokos went and rescued them. * He who was prefigured then, * manifestly active now, * is gathering together the entire universe * to sing the hymn: * "O praise and supremely * exalt the Lord, O all you His works, unto the ages." (SD)

DEACON

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

CHOIR

Ode ix. Megalynarion. Mode 4.

Verse: My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior. (RSV)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Στίχ. Άντελάβετο Ίσραὴλ παιδὸς αὐτοῦ, μνησθῆναι ἐλέους, καθὼς ἐλάλησε πρὸς τοὺς

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

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

Verse: For he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name. And his mercy is on those who fear him from generation to generation. (RSV)

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

Verse: He has shown strength with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. (RSV)

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

Verse: He has put down the mighty from their thrones, and exalted those of low degree; he has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away. (RSV)

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

Verse: He has helped his servant Israel, in remembrance of his mercy, as he spoke to our

Πατέρας ήμῶν, τῷ Ἀβραάμ, καὶ τῷ σπέρματι αὐτοῦ ἕως αἰῶνος.

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

Καταβασία. Ήχος δ'.

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

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνη τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σὲ αἰνοῦσι πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπουσι, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰωνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

fathers, to Abraham and to his posterity for ever.

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

Katavasia. Mode 4.

All you born on earth, * with festival lamps in hand, in spirit leap for joy; * heavenly intelligences * of incorporeal Angels, celebrate * and honor thus the sacred feast of the Mother of God, * crying loudly: * O rejoice, all-blessed one, * ever-virgin and pure, who gave birth to God. (SD)

DEACON

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy upon us and protect us, O God, by your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

PRIEST

For all the powers of heaven praise You and give You glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Έξαποστειλάοιον.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

Ήχος β΄. Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

Στεφανηφόρος Άγιε, παρεστώς σὺν Αγγέλοις, τῷ τοῦ Χριστοῦ νῦν Βήματι, καὶ φωτὸς τοῦ ἐκεῖθεν, πληρούμενος Αθλοφόρε, τὴν εἰρήνην τῷ Κόσμῳ, ἀδιαλείπτως πρέσβευε, καὶ ἡμῖν σωτηρίαν τοῖς εὐσεβῶς, τὴν φωσφόρον μνήμην σου ἐκτελοῦσι, Θεόδωρε πανόλβιε, Μάρτυς ἠγλαϊσμένε.

Έτερον.

Θεοτοκίον.

Ἡχος β΄. Τοῖς Μαθηταῖς συνέλθωμεν.

Έν τῆ γαστρί σου Κύριος, ἀπολλύμενον Κόσμον, φθορᾶς ἀνακαλέσασθαι, βουληθεὶς ὥσπερ οἶδεν, ἐσκήνωσε Θεοτόκε. Σωτηρίαν οὖν πάντες, εὑρόντες ἐκβοῶμέν σοι Χαῖρε τὸ τοῦ Ἀγγέλου, πανευκλεές, γυναιξὶν ἐν πάσαις εὐλογημένη καὶ γὰρ χαρὰν ἐκύησας, πάση τῆ οἰκουμένη.

Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἡχος α'.

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

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

CHOIR

Exaposteilarion.

From Triodion - - - **Mode 2.** *On the mountain.*

illustrious Martyr. (SD)

Wearing a crown, O Saint, you now * stand beside Christ's tribunal * together with angelic hosts. * Prize-winner, you are filled with the light that originates there. * Never cease interceding * for the peace of the whole wide world, * and salvation for us who with pious faith * celebrate your memory, which is radiant, * O Theodore, all-glorious * and

Another.

Theotokion.

Mode 2. *On the mountain.*

The Lord resided in your womb, *
Theotokos, as He knew, * wishing to call the world He made * back from corruption, for it was lost and perishing. Lady, * now having found salvation, * all together we cry to you * the Angel's famous salutation, "Rejoice, * you are truly blessed among all women!" * For you, O Virgin, have brought forth * holy joy to the whole world. (SD)

Lauds. Mode 1.

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

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

Τοῦ Τοιωδίου.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

Ἡχος α΄. Τῶν οὐρανίων ταγμάτων.

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

Τὸν ἀριστέα τῆς ἄνω, στρατολογίας πιστοί, ὡς καρτερὸν ὁπλίτην, τῆς ἡμῶν εὐσεβείας, συμφώνως συνελθόντες, ἀδαῖς μυστικαῖς, εὐφημήσωμεν λέγοντες Αξιοθαύμαστε Μάρτυς τοῦ Ἰησοῦ, εὕχου ὑπὲρ τῶν τιμώντων σε.

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

Τῆ φερωνύμω σου κλήσει, δῶρον Θεοῦ ἀληθῶς, τοῖς θλιβομένοις πᾶσι, θυμηδία ἐδόθης, Θεόδωρε τρισμάκαρ πᾶς γὰρ τῷ σῷ, προσπελάζων Ναῷ ἀληθῶς, μέτ' εὐφροσύνης λαμβάνων τὰς ἀμοιβάς, τῶν θαυμάτων σου γεραίρει Χριστόν.

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

Τῆς εὐσεβείας τὸν πλοῦτον, καὶ τὴν λαμπρότητα, ἀθλητικοῖς καμάτοις, σεαυτῷ θησαυρίσας, πᾶσαν τὴν ἰσχύν σου, δῶρον δεκτόν, τῷ Θεῷ προσενήνοχας, ἀναπληρῶν ἐν τοῖς ἄθλοις μετὰ σπουδῆς, Θεοδώρητόν σου πρόσκλησιν.

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

Τῆ παμφαεῖ πανηγύσει, τοῦ θείου Μάρτυσος, εὐωχηθῶμεν πάντες, καὶ πιστῶς εὐφρανθῶμεν, φιλέορτοι τιμῶντες, φαιδρὰν

From the Triodion.

From Triodion - -

Mode 1. *For the celestial orders.*

Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him according to the abundance of His greatness. (SAAS)

O faithful, let us unite now and using one voice extol * that valiant heavy-armed soldier of the heavenly army, * St. Theodore, the strong hoplite of our faith, singing mystical odes to him, * "Martyr of Jesus, you are worthy of our awe. * Will you pray for us who honor you." (SD)

Praise Him with the sound of trumpet, praise Him with the harp and lyre. (SAAS)

Your name denotes it, and truly You are a gift from God, * and you were given as comfort to all who are in trouble, * O thrice-blessed Theodore. For everyone * who comes in truth to your holy church, * and who with gladness receives the divine rewards * of your miracles, gives honor to Christ. (SD)

Praise Him with timbrel and dance, praise Him with strings and flute. (SAAS)

By your great feats as a martyr, you did amass in yourself * the holy wealth and brilliance of the Orthodox doctrine. * You gave all your might as an acceptable gift * unto God, O Saint Theodore. And in your contests you truly fulfilled your name, * for it also means a gift to God. (SD)

Praise Him with resounding cymbals, praise Him with triumphant cymbals. Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. (SAAS)

Let us, O feast-lovers, all now observe a sumptuous feast * on this most gay occasion, the festival of the Martyr, * and faithfully έοοτήν, τῆς αὐτοῦ τελειώσεως, ἀσματικῶς ἀνυμνοῦντες τὸν Ἰησοῦν, τὸν δοξάσαντα τὴν μνήμην αὐτοῦ.

Δόξα. Τοῦ Τοιωδίου.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

Ήχος πλ. β'.

Άγιωσύνης δωρεά, καὶ πλοῦτος θείας ζωῆς, πεφανέρωσαι τῷ Κόσμῷ Θεόδωρε. Χριστὸς γάρ σου σοφέ, τὴν μνήμην ἐδόξασεν ἐν ἦ συμφώνως οἱ πιστοί, γεγηθότες ὑμνοῦμεν, τοὺς ἀγῶνας τῶν πόνων σου.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Θεοτόκε, σὺ εἶ ἡ ἄμπελος ἡ ἀληθινή, ἡ βλαστήσασα τὸν καρπὸν τῆς ζωῆς, σὲ ἱκετεύομεν, πρέσβευε Δέσποινα, μετὰ τοῦ Ἀθλοφόρου καὶ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων, ἐλεηθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΔΟΞΟΛΟΓΙΑ

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

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

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

Κύριε ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἀμνὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υίὸς τοῦ Πατρός, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἁμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἁμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου. rejoice as we honor the bright * holy feast-day of his demise. * Let us extol the Lord Jesus with sacred songs, * for He glorified his memory. (SD)

Glory. From the Triodion.

From Triodion - - -

Mode pl. 2.

You have revealed to the world the gift of holiness and the riches of divine life, O Theodore. For Christ has glorified your memory, O wise Martyr. We the faithful rejoice in it and with one voice we sing in praise of your contests and labors. (SD)

From Octoechos - - -

Both now. Theotokion.

Theotokos, you are the true vine that produced the fruit of life. Lady, we fervently entreat you to intercede along with the Martyr and all the saints, that our souls be treated mercifully. (SD)

GREAT DOXOLOGY

Glory be to You who showed the light. Glory in the highest to God. His peace is on earth, His good pleasure in mankind. (5D)

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

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

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

Ποόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾳ τοῦ Πατοός, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

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

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

Καταξίωσον, Κύοιε, ἐν τῆ ἡμέοᾳ ταύτη, ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

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

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

Εὐλογητὸς εἶ Κύοιε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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

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

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

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Continue Your mercy to those who know You.

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

Δόξα Πατοὶ καὶ Υίῷ καὶ Άγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Άγιος Άθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Άγιος ὁ Θεός, Άγιος Ἰσχυφός, Άγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Άπολυτίκιον.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

Ήχος β'.

Μεγάλα τὰ τῆς πίστεως κατορθώματα! ἐν τῆ πηγῆ τῆς φλογός, ὡς ἐπὶ ὕδατος ἀναπαύσεως, ὁ Ἅγιος Μάρτυς Θεόδωρος ἠγάλλετο πυρὶ γὰρ ὁλοκαυτωθείς, ὡς ἄρτος ἡδύς, τῆ Τριάδι προσήνεκται. Ταῖς αὐτοῦ ἱκεσίαις Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

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

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

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

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

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

Apolytikion.

From Triodion - - -

Mode 2.

Magnificent are Faith's accomplishments! The holy Martyr Theodore greatly rejoiced as he stood in the fountain of fire as if beside the still waters. He was consumed by fire and offered like sweet bread to the Trinity. At his entreaties, O Christ God, save our souls. (SD)