

Elevation of the Cross

Troparion, tone 1

Save, O Lord Thy people,
and bless Thine inheritance,
grant Thou unto Ortodox Christians victory
over enemies,
and by the power of Thy Cross do Thou
preserve Thy commonwealth.

Kontakion, tone 4

O Thou Who wast lifted up willingly on the Cross,
bestow Thy mercies upon the new community
named after Thee, O Christ God;
gladden with Thy power the Orthodox
Christians,
granting them victory over enemies;
may they have as Thy help the weapon of peace,
the invincible trophy.

Magnification

We magnify Thee,
O Christ, the Giver of life,
and we honor Thy holy Cross,
whereby Thou hast saved us from bondage
to the enemy.