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**Μεγάλη Ἑβδομάδα**

**Ἀκολουθία τοῦ Νυμφίου  
τῆ Κυριακῆ τὸ Βράδυ**

*Ὅρθρος τῆς Μεγάλης Δευτέρας*

**ΑΚΟΛΟΥΘΙΑ ΤΟΥ ΟΡΘΡΟΥ**

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν  
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Βασιλεῦ οὐράνιε, Παράκλητε, τὸ  
Πνεῦμα τῆς ἀληθείας, ὁ πανταχοῦ παρῶν  
καὶ τὰ πάντα πληρῶν, ὁ θησαυρὸς τῶν  
ἀγαθῶν καὶ ζωῆς χορηγός, ἐλθέ καὶ  
σκηνώσον ἐν ἡμῖν καὶ καθάρισον ἡμᾶς  
ἀπὸ πάσης κηλίδος καὶ σῶσον, Ἀγαθέ, τὰς  
ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

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.

Παναγία Τριάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύριε,  
ἰλάσθητι ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα,  
συγχώρησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῖν. Ἅγιε,  
ἐπίσκεψαι καὶ ἴασαι τὰς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν,  
ἐνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε,  
ἐλέησον.

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

**Holy Week**

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**SERVICE OF MATINS**

**PRIEST**

Blessed is our God always, now and ever,  
and to the ages of ages.

**READER**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.

Heavenly King, Comforter, Spirit of  
Truth, present in all places and filling all  
things, treasury of good things and giver of  
life: come; take Your abode in us; cleanse us of  
every stain, and save our souls, O Good one.

**READER**

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

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us.  
Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our  
transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our  
infirmities for your name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

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.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ')

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

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν τῷ Βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν Χριστῷ τῷ Βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν αὐτῷ, Χριστῷ τῷ Βασιλεῖ καὶ Θεῷ ἡμῶν.

### ΨΑΛΜΟΣ ΙΘ'

Ἐπακούσαι σου Κύριος ἐν ἡμέρᾳ θλίψεως, ὑπερασπίσαι σου τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ Θεοῦ Ἰακώβ. Ἐξαποστείλαι σοι βοήθειαν ἐξ ἁγίου, καὶ ἐκ Σιών ἀντιλάβοιτό σου. Μνησθεὶ πάσης θυσίας σου, καὶ τὸ ὄλοκαύτωμά σου πιανάτω. Δώῃ σοι Κύριος κατὰ τὴν καρδίαν σου, καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν βουλήν σου πληρῶσαι. Ἀγαλλιασόμεθα ἐν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου, καὶ ἐν ὀνόματι Θεοῦ ἡμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα. Πληρῶσαι Κύριος πάντα τὰ αἰτήματά σου. Νῦν

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.

### PRIEST

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

### READER

Amen.

Lord, have mercy. (12)

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Come, let us worship and bow down before God our King.

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ God our King.

Come, let us worship and bow down before Him, Christ our King and God.

### Psalm 19 (20).

May the Lord hear you in the day of afflictions; may the name of the God of Jacob defend you. May He send you help from His holy place, and may He support you from Zion. May He remember every sacrifice of yours, and may your whole burnt offering be honored. May He give you according to your heart, may He fulfill all your counsel. We will greatly rejoice in Your salvation, and in the name of our God we will be magnified. Now I know the Lord has saved His anointed;

ἐγνων ὅτι ἔσωσε Κύριος τὸν χριστὸν αὐτοῦ· ἐπακούσεται αὐτοῦ ἐξ οὐρανοῦ ἁγίου αὐτοῦ· ἐν δυναστείαις ἢ σωτηρίᾳ τῆς δεξιᾶς αὐτοῦ. Οὗτοι ἐν ἄρμασιν καὶ οὗτοι ἐν ἵπποις, ἡμεῖς δὲ ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου Θεοῦ ἡμῶν μεγαλυνθησόμεθα. Αὐτοὶ συνεποδίσθησαν καὶ ἔπεσαν, ἡμεῖς δὲ ἀνέστημεν καὶ ἀνωρθώθημεν. Κύριε, σῶσον τὸν βασιλέα, καὶ ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν ἐν ἡ ἄν ἡμέρᾳ ἐπικαλεσώμεθά σε.

**ΨΑΛΜΟΣ Κ΄.**

Κύριε, ἐν τῇ δυνάμει σου εὐφρανθήσεται ὁ βασιλεὺς καὶ ἐπὶ τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου ἀγαλλιάσεται σφόδρα. Τὴν ἐπιθυμίαν τῆς καρδίας αὐτοῦ ἔδωκας αὐτῷ καὶ τὴν θέλησιν τῶν χειλέων αὐτοῦ οὐκ ἐστέρησας αὐτόν. Ὅτι προέφθασας αὐτόν ἐν εὐλογίαις χρηστότητος, ἔθηκας ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ στέφανον ἐκ λίθου τιμίου. Ζωὴν ἠτήσατό σε, καὶ ἔδωκας αὐτῷ, μακρότητα ἡμερῶν εἰς αἰῶνα αἰῶνος. Μεγάλη ἡ δόξα αὐτοῦ ἐν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου, δόξαν καὶ μεγαλοπρέπειαν ἐπιθήσεις ἐπ' αὐτόν. Ὅτι δώσεις αὐτῷ εὐλογίαν εἰς αἰῶνα αἰῶνος, εὐφρανεῖς αὐτόν ἐν χαρᾷ μετὰ τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ὅτι ὁ βασιλεὺς ἐλπίζει ἐπὶ Κύριον καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐλέει τοῦ ὑψίστου οὐ μὴ σαλευθῆ. Εὐρεθειῆ ἡ χεὶρ σου πᾶσι τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου, ἢ δεξιὰ σου εὗροι πάντα τοὺς μισοῦντάς σε. Ὅτι θήσεις αὐτούς εἰς κλίβανον πυρὸς εἰς καιρὸν τοῦ προσώπου σου. Κύριος ἐν ὀργῇ αὐτοῦ συνταράξει αὐτούς, καὶ καταφάγεται αὐτούς πῦρ. Τὸν καρπὸν αὐτῶν ἀπὸ γῆς ἀπολεῖς καὶ τὸ σπέρμα αὐτῶν ἀπὸ υἰῶν ἀνθρώπων. Ὅτι ἔκλιναν εἰς σὲ κακά, διελογίσαντο βουλάς, αἷς οὐ μὴ δύνωνται στήναι. Ὅτι θήσεις αὐτούς νῶτον· ἐν τοῖς περιλοίποις σου ἐτοιμάσεις τὸ πρόσωπον αὐτῶν. Ὑψώθητι, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ δυνάμει σου· ἄσομεν καὶ ψαλοῦμεν τὰς δυναστείας σου.

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

He will hear him from His holy heaven; the salvation of His right hand is mighty. Some glory in chariots, some in horses, but in the name of the Lord our God we shall be magnified. Their feet were tied together; so they fell; but we rose up and were restored. O Lord, save Your King, and hear us in the day we call upon You.

**Psalm 20 (21).**

O Lord, the king shall be glad in Your power, and in Your salvation he will greatly rejoice. You gave him his soul's desire, and You did not deprive him of his lips' request. For You anticipated him with blessings of goodness; you placed a crown of precious stones on his head. He asked You for life, and You gave it to him, length of days unto ages of ages. Great is his glory in Your salvation; glory and majesty You shall place upon him. For You shall give him blessing unto ages of ages; You shall fill him with the joy of Your presence. For the king hopes in the Lord, and in the mercy of the Most High he will not be shaken. May Your hand be found on all Your enemies; may Your right hand find all who hate You. You shall make them like a fiery furnace in the time of Your presence; the Lord shall throw them into confusion in His wrath, and the fire shall devour them. You shall destroy their offspring from the earth and their seed from among the sons of men. For they vented all their evils against You; they reasoned through a counsel they could not establish. For You shall make them turn their back; among Your remnants, You shall make ready their countenance. Be exalted, O Lord, in Your power; we will sing and praise Your mighty deeds.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

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

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

Παναγία Τριάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύριε,  
ἰλάσθητι ταῖς ἁμαρτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα,  
συγχώρησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῖν. Ἅγιε,  
ἐπίσκεψαι καὶ ἴασαι τὰς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν,  
ἐνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε,  
ἐλέησον.

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

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.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαὸν σου καὶ  
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, νίκας τοῖς  
βασιλεῦσι κατὰ βαρβάρων δωρούμενος,  
καὶ τὸ σὸν φυλάττων διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου  
πολίτευμα.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us.  
Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our  
transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our  
infirmities for your name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

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.

### PRIEST

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

### READER

Amen.

Save, O Lord, Your people and bless Your  
inheritance, granting victory to the faithful  
over the enemy, and by Your Cross protecting  
Your commonwealth.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit.

Ὁ ὑψωθεὶς ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ ἔκουσίως,  
τῆ ἐπωνύμῳ σου καινῆ πολιτεία τοὺς  
οἰκτιροὺς σου δώρησαι, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός·  
εὐφρανὸν ἐν τῇ δυνάμει σου τοὺς πιστοὺς  
βασιλεῖς ἡμῶν, νίκας χορηγῶν αὐτοῖς κατὰ  
τῶν πολεμίων· τὴν συμμαχίαν ἔχοιεν τὴν  
σὴν, ὄπλον εἰρήνης, ἀήττητον τρόπαιον.

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

Προστασία φοβερὰ καὶ ἀκαταίσχυντε,  
μὴ παρίδης, Ἀγαθή, τὰς ἱκεσίας ἡμῶν,  
πανύμνητε Θεοτόκε· στήριξον Ὁρθοδόξων  
πολιτείαν, σῶζε οὐς ἐκέλευσας βασιλεύειν,  
καὶ χορηγῆσαι αὐτοῖς οὐρανόθεν τὴν νίκην·  
διότι ἔτεκες τὸν Θεόν, μόνη εὐλογημένη.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεός κατὰ τὸ μέγα  
ἐλεός Σου, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ  
ἐλέησον.

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ  
ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου  
ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

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

Ὅτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόφρων Θεός  
ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν,  
τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι,  
νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

### ΨΑΛΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν. Ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου εὐλόγησον,  
Πάτερ.

You who were lifted on the cross  
voluntarily, \* O Christ our God, bestow  
Your tender compassions \* upon Your new  
community to which You gave Your name.  
\* Cause our faithful emperors to be glad in  
Your power, \* granting them the victories  
against their adversaries. \* And for an ally,  
Lord, may they have You, \* peace as their  
armor, the trophy invincible.

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

O awesome and unshamable Protection,  
O good and praiseworthy Theotokos, do  
not despise our petitions; make firm the  
community of the Orthodox; save those  
whom you have called to rule; grant them  
victory from heaven, for you gave birth to  
God and are truly blessed.

### PRIEST

Have mercy on us, O God, according to  
your great mercy; we pray you, hear us and  
have mercy.

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

Let us pray for pious and Orthodox  
Christians.

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

Let us pray for our Archbishop (name).

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

For you are a merciful and loving God,  
and to you we give glory, to the Father and  
the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever  
and to the ages of ages.

### CHANTER

Amen. In the name of the Lord, Father,  
bless!

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα τῇ ἀγία καὶ ὁμοουσίῳ καὶ ζωοποιῷ καὶ ἀδιαιρέτῳ Τριάδι, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἀμήν.

### Ὁ Ἑξάψαλμος.

Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνῃ, ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία. (ἐκ γ')

Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. (δίς.)

### Ψαλμὸς Γ'

Κύριε, τί ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ θλίβοντές με; Πολλοὶ ἐπανίστανται ἐπ' ἐμέ. Πολλοὶ λέγουσι τῇ ψυχῇ μου· οὐκ ἔστι σωτηρία αὐτῷ ἐν τῷ Θεῷ αὐτοῦ. Σὺ δέ, Κύριε, ἀντιλήπτωρ μου εἶ, δόξα μου καὶ ὑψῶν τὴν κεφαλὴν μου. Φωνῇ μου πρὸς Κύριον ἐκέκραξα, καὶ ἐπήκουσέ μου ἐξ ὄρους ἀγίου αὐτοῦ. Ἐγὼ δὲ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὑπνώσα· ἐξηγέρθην, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταιί μου. Οὐ φοβηθήσομαι ἀπὸ μυριάδων λαοῦ τῶν κύκλῳ συνεπιτιθεμένων μοι. Ἀνάστα, Κύριε, σῶσόν με ὁ Θεός μου, ὅτι σὺ ἐπάταξας πάντα τοὺς ἐχθραίνοντάς μοι ματαίως, ὀδόντας ἀμαρτωλῶν συνέτριψας. Τοῦ Κυρίου ἡ σωτηρία, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν λαόν σου ἡ εὐλογία σου.

Ἐγὼ δὲ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὑπνώσα· ἐξηγέρθην, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταιί μου.

### Ψαλμὸς ΛΖ'

Κύριε, μὴ τῷ θυμῷ σου ἐλέγξης με, μηδὲ τῇ ὀργῇ σου παιδεύσης με. Ὅτι τὰ βέλη σου ἐνεπάγησάν μοι, καὶ ἐπεστήριξας ἐπ' ἐμέ τὴν χειρὰ σου. Οὐκ ἔστιν ἴασις ἐν τῇ σαρκί μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῆς ὀργῆς σου, οὐκ ἔστιν εἰρήνη ἐν τοῖς ὀστέοις μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν μου. Ὅτι αἱ ἀνομίαι μου ὑπερῆραν τὴν κεφαλὴν μου, ὡσεὶ φορτίον βαρὺ ἐβαρύνθησαν ἐπ' ἐμέ. Προσώζεσαν καὶ ἐσάπησαν οἱ μῶλωπές

## PRIEST

Glory to the holy and consubstantial, and life giving, and undivided Trinity, always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

## READER

Amen.

### The Six Psalms.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, goodwill toward men! (3)

O Lord, You shall open my lips, and my mouth will declare Your praise. (2)

### Psalm 3

O Lord, why do those who afflict me multiply? Many are those who rise up against me. Many are those who say to my soul, "There is no salvation for him in his God." But you, O Lord, are my protector, my glory and the One who lifts up my head. I cried to the Lord with my voice, and he heard me from His holy hill. I lay down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord will help me. I will not be afraid of ten thousands of people who set themselves against me all around. Arise, O Lord, and save me, O my God, for You struck all those who were foolishly at enmity with me; You broke the teeth of sinners. Salvation is of the Lord, and Your blessing is upon Your people.

I lay down and slept. I awoke, for the Lord will help me.

### Psalm 37

O Lord, do not rebuke me in Your wrath, nor chasten me in Your anger. For Your arrows are fixed in me, and Your hand rests on me; There is no healing in my flesh because of Your wrath; there is no peace in my bones because of my sins. For my transgressions rise up over my head; like a heavy burden they are heavy on me. My wounds grow foul and fester because of my folly. I suffer misery, and I am utterly bowed down; I go

μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῆς ἀφροσύνης μου. Ἐταλαιπώρησα καὶ κατεκάμφθην ἕως τέλους, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν σκυθρωπάζων ἐπορευόμην. Ὅτι αἱ ψόαι μου ἐπλήσθησαν ἐμπαιγμάτων, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν ἰασις ἐν τῇ σαρκί μου. Ἐκακώθην καὶ ἐταπεινώθην ἕως σφόδρα, ὠρομένη ἀπὸ στεναγμοῦ τῆς καρδίας μου. Κύριε, ἐναντίον σου πᾶσα ἡ ἐπιθυμία μου, καὶ ὁ στεναγμός μου ἀπὸ σοῦ οὐκ ἀπεκρύβη. Ἡ καρδία μου ἐταράχθη, ἐγκατέλιπέ με ἡ ἰσχὺς μου, καὶ τὸ φῶς τῶν ὀφθαλμῶν μου καὶ αὐτὸ οὐκ ἔστι μετ' ἐμοῦ. Οἱ φίλοι μου καὶ οἱ πλησίον μου ἐξεναντίας μου ἤγγισαν καὶ ἔστησαν, καὶ οἱ ἐγγιστά μου ἀπὸ μακρόθεν ἔστησαν. Καὶ ἐξεβιάζοντο οἱ ζητοῦντες τὴν ψυχὴν μου, καὶ οἱ ζητοῦντες τὰ κακά μοι ἐλάλησαν ματαιότητος, καὶ δολιότητος ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν ἐμελέτησαν. Ἐγὼ δὲ ὡσεὶ κωφὸς οὐκ ἤκουον καὶ ὡσεὶ ἄλαλος οὐκ ἀνοίγων τὸ στόμα αὐτοῦ. Καὶ ἐγενόμην ὡσεὶ ἄνθρωπος οὐκ ἀκούων καὶ οὐκ ἔχων ἐν τῷ στόματι αὐτοῦ ἐλεγμούς. Ὅτι ἐπὶ σοί, Κύριε, ἤλπισα· σὺ εἰσακούσῃ, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου. Ὅτι εἶπον· Μήποτε ἐπιχαρῶσιν μοι οἱ ἐχθροί μου· καὶ ἐν τῷ σαλευθῆναι πόδας μου ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐμεγαλορρημόνησαν. Ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰς μάστιγας ἔτοιμος, καὶ ἡ ἀλγηδὼν μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἔστι διὰ παντός. Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ ἀναγγελῶ καὶ μεριμνήσω ὑπὲρ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου. Οἱ δὲ ἐχθροί μου ζῶσι καὶ κεκραταίωνται ὑπὲρ ἐμέ, καὶ ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ μισοῦντές με ἀδίκως. Οἱ ἀνταποδίδοντές μοι κακὰ ἀντὶ ἀγαθῶν ἐνδιέβαλλον με, ἐπεὶ κατεδίωκον ἀγαθωσύνην. Μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ ἀποστῆς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Πρόσχευ εἰς τὴν βοήθειάν μου, Κύριε τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ ἀποστῆς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Πρόσχευ εἰς τὴν βοήθειάν μου, Κύριε τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

### Ψαλμὸς 62'

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Θεός μου, πρὸς σὲ ὀρθρίζω. Ἐδίψησέ σε ἡ ψυχὴ μου, ποσαπλῶς σοὶ ἡ σὰρξ μου, ἐν γῆ ἐρήμῳ καὶ ἀβάτῳ καὶ

all the day long with a sad face. For my loins are filled with mockeries, and there is no healing in my flesh. I am afflicted and greatly humbled; I roar because of the groaning of my heart. O Lord, all my desire is before You, and my groaning is not hidden from You. My heart is troubled; my strength fails me, and the light of my eyes, even this is not with me. My friends and neighbors draw near and stand against me, and my near of kin stand far off; And those who seek my soul use violence, and those who seek evil for me speak folly; and they meditate on deceit all the day long. But I like a deaf man do not hear, and I am like a mute who does not open his mouth. I am like a man who does not hear, and who has no reproofs in his mouth. For in You, O Lord, I hope; You will hear, O Lord my God. For I said, "Let not my enemies rejoice over me, for when my foot was shaken, they boasted against me." For I am ready for wounds, and my pain is continually with me. For I will declare my transgression, and I will be anxious about my sin. But my enemies live, and are become stronger than I; and those who hate me unjustly are multiplied; Those who repaid my evil for good slandered me, because I pursue righteousness; and they threw away my love as though it were a stinking corpse. Do not forsake me, O Lord; O my God, do not depart from me; Give heed to help me, O Lord of my salvation.

Do not forsake me, O Lord; O my God, do not depart from me; Give heed to help me, O Lord of my salvation.

### Psalm 62

O God, my God, I rise early to be with You; my soul thirsts for You. How often my flesh thirsts for You in a desolate, impassable,

ἀνύδρω. Οὕτως ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ ὤφθην σοι τοῦ  
ιδεῖν τὴν δύναμίν σου καὶ τὴν δόξαν σου.  
Ὅτι κρεῖσσον τὸ ἔλεός σου ὑπὲρ ζωάς· τὰ  
χείλη μου ἐπαινέσουσί σε. Οὕτως εὐλογῆσω  
σε ἐν τῇ ζωῇ μου, καὶ ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου  
ἀρῶ τὰς χεῖράς μου. Ὡς ἐκ στέατος καὶ  
πιότητος ἐμπλησθεῖη ἡ ψυχὴ μου, καὶ χεῖλη  
ἀγαλλιάσεως αἰνέσει τὸ στόμα μου. Εἰ  
ἐμνημόνευόν σου ἐπὶ τῆς στρωμνῆς μου, ἐν  
τοῖς ὄρθροις ἐμελέτων εἰς σέ· ὅτι ἐγενήθης  
βοηθός μου, καὶ ἐν τῇ σκέπη τῶν πτερυγῶν  
σου ἀγαλλιάσομαι. Ἐκολλήθη ἡ ψυχὴ μου  
ὀπίσω σου, ἐμοῦ δὲ ἀντελάβετο ἡ δεξιὰ σου.  
Αὐτοὶ δὲ εἰς μάτην ἐζήτησαν τὴν ψυχὴν  
μου, εἰσελεύσονται εἰς τὰ κατώτατα τῆς  
γῆς· παραδοθήσονται εἰς χεῖρας ρομφαίας,  
μερίδες ἀλωπέκων ἔσονται. Ὁ δὲ βασιλεὺς  
εὐφρανθήσεται ἐπὶ τῷ Θεῷ, ἐπαινεθήσεται  
πᾶς ὁ ὀμνῶν ἐν αὐτῷ, ὅτι ἐνεφράγη στόμα  
λαλούντων ἄδικα.

Ἐν τοῖς ὄρθροις ἐμελέτων εἰς σέ· ὅτι  
ἐγενήθης βοηθός μου, καὶ ἐν τῇ σκέπη τῶν  
πτερυγῶν σου ἀγαλλιάσομαι. Ἐκολλήθη ἡ  
ψυχὴ μου ὀπίσω σου, ἐμοῦ δὲ ἀντελάβετο ἡ  
δεξιὰ σου.

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

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός.

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός.

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε,  
ἐλέησον.

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

and waterless land. So in the holy place I  
appear before You, to see Your power and  
Your glory. Because Your mercy is better  
than life, my lips shall praise You. Thus I will  
bless You in my life; I will lift up my hands in  
Your name. May my soul be filled, as if with  
marrow and fatness, and my mouth shall sing  
praise to You with lips filled with rejoicing.  
If I remembered You on my bed, I meditated  
on You at daybreak; For You are my helper,  
and in the shelter of Your wings I will greatly  
rejoice. My soul follows close behind You;  
Your right hand takes hold of me. But they  
seek for my soul in vain; they shall go into the  
lowest parts of the earth. They shall be given  
over to the edge of the sword; they shall be a  
portion for foxes. But the king shall be glad in  
God; all who swear by Him shall be praised,  
for the mouth that speaks unrighteous things  
is stopped.

I meditated on You at daybreak; For You  
are my helper, and in the shelter of Your  
wings I will greatly rejoice. My soul follows  
close behind You; Your right hand takes hold  
of me.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

**Ψαλμός ΠΖ'**

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου, ἡμέρας ἐκέκραξα καὶ ἐν νυκτὶ ἐναντίον σου. Εἰσελθέτω ἐνώπιόν σου ἡ προσευχή μου, κλῖνον τὸ οὖς σου εἰς τὴν δέησίν μου. Ὅτι ἐπλήσθη κακῶν ἡ ψυχή μου, καὶ ἡ ζωὴ μου τῷ ἄδῃ ἤγγισε. Προσελογίσθη μετὰ τῶν καταβαινόντων εἰς λάκκον, ἐγενήθη ὡσεὶ ἄνθρωπος ἀβοήθητος, ἐν νεκροῖς ἐλεύθερος, ὡσεὶ τραυματία καθεύδοντες ἐν τάφῳ, ὧν οὐκ ἐμνήσθης ἔτι, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἐκ τῆς χειρὸς σου ἀπώσθησαν. Ἔθεντό με ἐν λάκκῳ κατωτάτῳ, ἐν σκοτεινοῖς καὶ ἐν σκιᾷ θανάτου. Ἐπ' ἐμὲ ἐπεστηρίχθη ὁ θυμὸς σου, καὶ πάντα τοὺς μετεωρισμούς σου ἐπήγαγες ἐπ' ἐμέ. Ἐμάκρυνας τοὺς γνωστούς μου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, ἔθεντό με βδέλυγμα ἑαυτοῖς, παρεδόθη καὶ οὐκ ἐξεπορευόμην. Οἱ ὀφθαλμοί μου ἠσθένησαν ἀπὸ πτωχείας· ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν, διεπέτασα πρὸς σέ τὰς χεῖράς μου. Μὴ τοῖς νεκροῖς ποιήσεις θαυμάσια; ἢ ἰατροὶ ἀναστήσουσι καὶ ἐξομολογήσονται σοι; Μὴ διηγῆσεται τις ἐν τῷ τάφῳ τὸ ἔλεός σου καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου ἐν τῇ ἀπωλείᾳ; Μὴ γνωσθήσεται ἐν τῷ σκότει τὰ θαυμάσιά σου καὶ ἡ δικαιοσύνη σου ἐν γῇ ἐπιλελησμένη; Καγὼ πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, ἐκέκραξα, καὶ τὸ πρωῖ ἡ προσευχή μου προφθάσει σε. Ἴνα τί, Κύριε, ἀπωθεῖς τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ἀποστρέφεις τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ; Πτωχός εἰμι ἐγὼ καὶ ἐν κόποις ἐκ νεότητός μου, ὑψώθεις δὲ ἐταπεινώθην καὶ ἐξηπορήθην. Ἐπ' ἐμὲ διῆλθον αἱ ὄργαι σου, οἱ φοβερισμοί σου ἐξετάραζάν με, ἐκύκλωσάν με ὡσεὶ ὕδωρ ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν, περιέσχον με ἅμα. Ἐμάκρυνας ἀπ' ἐμοῦ φίλον καὶ πλησίον, καὶ τοὺς γνωστούς μου ἀπὸ ταλαιπωρίας.

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου, ἡμέρας ἐκέκραξα καὶ ἐν νυκτὶ ἐναντίον σου. Εἰσελθέτω ἐνώπιόν σου ἡ προσευχή μου, κλῖνον τὸ οὖς σου εἰς τὴν δέησίν μου.

**Psalm 87**

O Lord God of my salvation, I cry day and night before You. Let my prayer come before You; incline Your ear to my supplication, O Lord. For my soul is filled with sorrows, and my soul draws near to Hades; I am counted among those who go down into the pit; I am like a helpless man, free among the dead, Like slain men thrown down and sleeping in a grave, whom You remember no more, but they are removed from Your hand. They laid me in the lowest pit, in dark places and in the shadow of death. Your wrath rested upon me, and You brought all Your billows over me. You removed my acquaintances far from me; they made me an abomination among themselves; I was betrayed, and did not go forth. My eyes weakened from poverty; O Lord, I cry to You the whole day long; I spread out my hands to You. Will You work wonders for the dead? Or will physicians raise them up, and acknowledge You? Shall anyone in the grave describe Your mercy and Your truth in destruction? Shall Your wonders be known in darkness, and Your righteousness in a forgotten land? But I cry to You, O Lord, and in the morning my prayer shall come near to You. Why, O Lord, do You reject my soul, and turn away Your face from me? I am poor and in troubles from my youth; but having been exalted, I was humbled and brought into despair. Your fierce anger passed over me, and Your terrors greatly troubled me; They compassed me like water all the day long; they surrounded me at once. You removed far from me neighbor and friend, and my acquaintances because of my misery.

O Lord God of my salvation, I cry day and night before You. Let my prayer come before You; incline Your ear to my supplication, O Lord.

**Ψαλμὸς ΡΒ΄**

Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον, καί, πάντα τὰ ἐντός μου, τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἅγιον αὐτοῦ. Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον, καὶ μὴ ἐπιλανθάνου πάσας τὰς ἀνταποδόσεις αὐτοῦ. Τὸν εὐλατεύοντα πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας σου, τὸν ἰώμενον πάσας τὰς νόσους σου. Τὸν λυτρούμενον ἐκ φθορᾶς τὴν ζωὴν σου, τὸν στεφανοῦντά σε ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς. Τὸν ἐμπιπλῶντα ἐν ἀγαθοῖς τὴν ἐπιθυμίαν σου, ἀνακαινισθήσεται ὡς ἀετοῦ ἡ νεότης σου. Ποιῶν ἐλεημοσύνας ὁ Κύριος καὶ κριμα πᾶσι τοῖς ἀδικουμένοις. Ἐγνώρισε τὰς ὁδοὺς αὐτοῦ τῷ Μωϋσῆ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραὴλ τὰ θελήματα αὐτοῦ. Οἰκτίρων καὶ ἐλεήμων ὁ Κύριος, μακρόθυμος καὶ πολυέλεος· οὐκ εἰς τέλος ὀργισθήσεται, οὐδὲ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μηνιεῖ. Οὐ κατὰ τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν ἐποίησεν ἡμῖν, οὐδὲ κατὰ τὰς ἀμαρτίας ἡμῶν ἀνταπέδωκεν ἡμῖν, ὅτι κατὰ τὸ ὕψος τοῦ οὐρανοῦ ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς ἐκραταίωσε Κύριος τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν. Καθ' ὅσον ἀπέχουσιν ἀνατολαὶ ἀπὸ δυσμῶν, ἐμάκρυνεν ἀφ' ἡμῶν τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν. Καθὼς οἰκτίζει πατὴρ υἱούς, ὠκτίρησε Κύριος τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν, ὅτι αὐτὸς ἔγνω τὸ πλάσμα ἡμῶν, ἐμνήσθη ὅτι χοῦς ἐσμεν. Ἄνθρωπος, ὡσεὶ χόρτος αἱ ἡμέραι αὐτοῦ· ὡσεὶ ἄνθος τοῦ ἀγροῦ, οὕτως ἐξανθήσει. Ὅτι πνεῦμα διήλθεν ἐν αὐτῷ, καὶ οὐχ ὑπάρξει, καὶ οὐκ ἐπιγνώσεται ἐτι τὸν τόπον αὐτοῦ. Τὸ δὲ ἔλεος τοῦ Κυρίου ἀπὸ τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος ἐπὶ τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν, καὶ ἡ δικαιοσύνη αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ υἱοῖς υἰῶν, τοῖς φυλάσσουσι τὴν διαθήκην αὐτοῦ καὶ μεμνημένοις τῶν ἐντολῶν αὐτοῦ τοῦ ποιῆσαι αὐτάς. Κύριος ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ ἠτοιμάσε τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ πάντων δεσπόζει. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντες οἱ Ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ, δυνατοὶ ἰσχύϊ, ποιοῦντες τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ, τοῦ ἀκοῦσαι τῆς φωνῆς τῶν λόγων αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ, λειτουργοὶ αὐτοῦ, ποιοῦντες τὸ θέλημα αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντα τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ, ἐν παντὶ

**Psalm 102**

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and everything within me, bless His holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His rewards: Who is merciful to all your transgressions, who heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from corruption, who crowns you with mercy and compassion, Who satisfies your desire with good things; and your youth is renewed like the eagle's. The Lord shows mercies and judgment to all who are wronged. He made known His ways to Moses, the things He willed to the sons of Israel. The Lord is compassionate and merciful, slow to anger, and abounding in mercy. He will not become angry to the end, nor will He be wrathful forever; He did not deal with us according to our sins, nor reward us according to our transgressions; For according to the height of heaven from earth, so the Lord reigns in mercy over those who fear Him; As far as the east is from the west, so He removes our transgressions from us. As a father has compassion on his children, so the Lord has compassion on those who fear Him, For He knows how He formed us; He remembers we are dust. As for man, his days are like grass, as a flower of the field, so he flourishes; For the wind passes through it, and it shall not remain; and it shall no longer know its place. But the mercy of the Lord is from age to age upon those who fear Him, and His righteousness upon children's children, To such as keep His covenant and remember His commandments, to do them. The Lord prepared His throne in heaven, and His Kingdom rules over all. Bless the Lord, all you His angels, mighty in strength, who do His word, so as to hear the voice of His words. Bless the Lord, all you His hosts, His ministers who do His will; Bless the Lord, all His works, in all places of His dominion; Bless the Lord, O my soul.

τόπω τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ· εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον.

Ἐν παντὶ τόπω τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ.  
Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον.

**Ψαλμὸς PMB'**

Κύριε, εἰσάκουσον τῆς προσευχῆς μου, ἐνώτισαι τὴν δέησίν μου ἐν τῇ ἀληθείᾳ σου, εἰσάκουσόν μου ἐν τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ σου· καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθῃς εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου, ὅτι οὐ δικαιοθήσεται ἐνώπιόν σου πᾶς ζῶν. Ὅτι κατεδίωξεν ὁ ἐχθρὸς τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ἐταπείνωσεν εἰς γῆν τὴν ζωὴν μου, ἐκάθισέ με ἐν σκοτεινοῖς ὡς νεκροὺς αἰῶνος· καὶ ἠκηδίασεν ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὸ πνεῦμά μου, ἐν ἐμοὶ ἐταράχθη ἡ καρδιά μου. Ἐμνήσθην ἡμερῶν ἀρχαίων, ἐμελέτησα ἐν πᾶσι τοῖς ἔργοις σου, ἐν ποιήμασι τῶν χειρῶν σου ἐμελέτων. Διεπέτασα πρὸς σὲ τὰς χεῖράς μου· ἡ ψυχὴ μου ὡς γῆ ἄνυδρος σοι. Ταχὺ εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐξέλιπε τὸ πνεῦμά μου. Μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, καὶ ὁμοιωθήσομαι τοῖς καταβαίνουσιν εἰς λάκκον. Ἀκουστὸν ποιήσόν μοι τὸ πρῶτὸν τὸ ἔλεός σου, ὅτι ἐπὶ σοὶ ἠλπισα. Γνώρισόν μοι, Κύριε, ὁδόν, ἐν ἣ πορεύσομαι, ὅτι πρὸς σὲ ἦρα τὴν ψυχὴν μου. Ἐξελοῦ με ἐκ τῶν ἐχθρῶν μου, Κύριε, ὅτι πρὸς σὲ κατέφυγον. Δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου. Τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με ἐν γῇ εὐθείᾳ· ἕνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου, Κύριε, ζήσεις με, ἐν τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ σου ἐξάξεις ἐκ θλίψεως τὴν ψυχὴν μου· καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐλέει σου ἐξολοθρεύσεις τοὺς ἐχθροὺς μου καὶ ἀπολεῖς πάντα τοὺς θλίβοντας τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ὅτι ἐγὼ δοῦλός σου εἰμι.

Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ σου· καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθῃς εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου.

Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ σου· καὶ μὴ εἰσέλθῃς εἰς κρίσιν μετὰ τοῦ δούλου σου.

In all places of His dominion; bless the Lord, O my soul.

**Psalm 142**

O Lord, hear my prayer; give ear to my supplication in Your truth; answer me in Your righteousness; Do not enter into judgment with Your servant, for no one living shall become righteous in Your sight. For the enemy persecuted my soul: he humbled my life to the ground; he caused me to dwell in dark places as one long dead, And my spirit was in anguish within me; my heart was troubled within me. I remembered the days of old, and I meditated on all Your works; I meditated on the works of Your hands. I spread out my hands to You; my soul thirsts for You like a waterless land. Hear me speedily, O Lord; my spirit faints within me; turn not Your face from me, lest I become like those who go down into the pit. Cause me to hear Your mercy in the morning, for I hope in You; make me know, O Lord, the way wherein I should walk, for I lift up my soul to You. Deliver me from my enemies, O Lord, for to You I flee for refuge, Teach me to do Your will, for You are my God; Your good Spirit shall guide me in the land of uprightness. For Your name's sake, O Lord, give me life; in Your righteousness You shall bring my soul out of affliction. In Your mercy You shall destroy my enemies; You shall utterly destroy all who afflict my soul, for I am Your servant.

Answer me in Your righteousness; do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

Answer me in Your righteousness; do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

Τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με  
ἐν γῆ εὐθείᾳ.

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

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός.

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός.

*(chŭma)*

Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.  
Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεός. Ἡ ἐλπίς ἡμῶν, Κύριε, δόξα  
σοι.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ/ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ὑπὲρ τῆς ἄνωθεν εἰρήνης καὶ τῆς  
σωτηρίας τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ὑπὲρ τῆς εἰρήνης τοῦ σύμπαντος  
κόσμου, εὐσταθείας τῶν ἁγίων τοῦ Θεοῦ  
Ἐκκλησιῶν καὶ τῆς τῶν πάντων ἐνώσεως,  
τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

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

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ὑπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν  
(τοῦ δεῖνος), τοῦ τιμίου πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς  
ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας, παντὸς τοῦ κλήρου  
καὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Your good Spirit shall guide me in the  
land of uprightness.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of  
ages. Amen.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God.

*(intoned)*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You,  
O God. Our hope, O Lord, glory to You.

### PRIEST/DEACON

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

For peace in 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 our (episcopal rank) (name), the  
honorable presbyters, the deacons in the  
service of Christ, and all the clergy and laity,  
let us pray to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ἔθνους ἡμῶν, καὶ πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῆς Μεγάλης τοῦ Χριστοῦ Ἐκκλησίας, τῆς Ἱερᾶς ταύτης Μητροπόλεως, τῆς κοινότητος καὶ τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, πάσης πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ εὐκρασίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν καρπῶν τῆς γῆς, καὶ καιρῶν εἰρηνικῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσούντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ρυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, 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

Ὅτι πρόπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

For our country, the president, and all those in public service, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the Holy and Great Church of Christ, for this Holy Metropolis, this parish and city, for every city and town, and for the faithful who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For favorable weather, an abundance of the fruits of the earth, and temperate seasons, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For travelers by land, sea and air, for the sick, the suffering, for captives, and for their salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and distress, 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 to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἦχος πλ. δ'.**

**Στίχ.** Ἐκ νυκτὸς ὀρθρίζει τὸ πνεῦμά μου  
πρὸς σέ, ὁ Θεός, διότι φῶς τὰ προστάγματά  
σου ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ.** Δικαιοσύνην μάθετε, οἱ  
ἐνοικοῦντες ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ.** Ζῆλος λήψεται λαὸν ἀπαίδευτον,  
καὶ νῦν πῦρ τοὺς ὑπεναντίους ἔδεται.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ.** Πρόσθετε αὐτοῖς κακά, Κύριε,  
πρόσθετε αὐτοῖς κακά, τοῖς ἐνδόξοις τῆς γῆς.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Τροπάριον. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.**

Ἴδου ὁ Νυμφίος ἔρχεται ἐν τῷ μέσῳ  
τῆς νυκτός, καὶ μακάριος ὁ δοῦλος, ὃν  
εὐρήσει γρηγοροῦντα, ἀνάξιος δὲ πάλιν,  
ὃν εὐρήσει ῥαθυμοῦντα. Βλέπε οὖν ψυχὴ  
μου, μὴ τῷ ὕπνῳ κατενεχθῆς, ἵνα μὴ τῷ  
θανάτῳ παραδοθῆς, καὶ τῆς βασιλείας ἔξω  
κλεισθῆς· ἀλλὰ ἀνάνηψον κράζουσα· Ἅγιος,  
ἅγιος, ἅγιος εἰ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν. Προστασίαις  
τῶν Ἀσωμάτων σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα.

Ἴδου ὁ Νυμφίος ἔρχεται ἐν τῷ μέσῳ  
τῆς νυκτός, καὶ μακάριος ὁ δοῦλος, ὃν  
εὐρήσει γρηγοροῦντα, ἀνάξιος δὲ πάλιν,  
ὃν εὐρήσει ῥαθυμοῦντα. Βλέπε οὖν ψυχὴ  
μου, μὴ τῷ ὕπνῳ κατενεχθῆς, ἵνα μὴ τῷ

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**CHOIR**

**Mode pl. 4.**

**Verse:** *My spirit rises early in the morning  
to You, O God, for Your commands are a light  
upon the earth.*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse:** *Learn righteousness, you who dwell  
on the earth.*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse:** *Jealousy will seize an untaught  
people; and now fire will devour the adversaries.*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse:** *Bring more evils on them, O Lord,  
bring more evils on them, on the glorious of the  
earth.*

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Troparion. Mode pl. 4.**

Behold, the Bridegroom is coming in the  
middle of the night; and blessed is the servant  
He shall find awake and watching; unworthy  
is the other He shall find being lazy. So  
beware, O soul of mine, be not overcome by  
sleep, so that you not be handed over to death  
and be shut out from the Kingdom. Come to  
your senses and cry aloud: Holy, holy, holy  
are You our God. By the protection of the  
Bodiless Hosts have mercy on us.

Glory.

Behold, the Bridegroom is coming in the  
middle of the night; and blessed is the servant  
He shall find awake and watching; unworthy  
is the other He shall find being lazy. So  
beware, O soul of mine, be not overcome by

θανάτῳ παραδοθῆς, καὶ τῆς βασιλείας ἔξω κλεισθῆς· ἀλλὰ ἀνάνηψον κράζουσα· Ἅγιος, ἅγιος, ἅγιος εἶ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν. Πρεσβείαις τῶν Ἁγίων σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ἴδου ὁ Νυμφίος ἔρχεται ἐν τῷ μέσῳ τῆς νυκτός, καὶ μακάριος ὁ δοῦλος, ὃν εὐρήσει γρηγοροῦντα, ἀνάξιος δὲ πάλιν, ὃν εὐρήσει ῥαθυμοῦντα. Βλέπε οὖν ψυχῆ μου, μὴ τῷ ὕπνῳ κατενεχθῆς, ἵνα μὴ τῷ θανάτῳ παραδοθῆς, καὶ τῆς βασιλείας ἔξω κλεισθῆς· ἀλλὰ ἀνάνηψον κράζουσα· Ἅγιος, ἅγιος, ἅγιος εἶ ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν. Διὰ τῆς Θεοτόκου ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, 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

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 αἰεὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

*(Ἀμήν.)*

sleep, so that you not be handed over to death and be shut out from the Kingdom. Come to your senses and cry aloud: Holy, holy, holy are You our God. By the intercessions of the Saints save us.

Both now.

Behold, the Bridegroom is coming in the middle of the night; and blessed is the servant He shall find awake and watching; unworthy is the other He shall find being lazy. So beware, O soul of mine, be not overcome by sleep, so that you not be handed over to death and be shut out from the Kingdom. Come to your senses and cry aloud: Holy, holy, holy are You our God. Through the Theotokos have mercy on us.

### 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.)*

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Κάθισμα Α΄.**

**Ἦχος α΄.** *Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.*

Τὰ πάθη τὰ σεπτὰ, ἡ παροῦσα ἡμέρα,  
ὡς φῶτα σωστικά, ἀνατέλλει τῷ κόσμῳ·  
Χριστὸς γὰρ ἐπιίγεται, τοῦ παθεῖν  
ἀγαθότητι· ὁ τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐν τῇ δρακί  
περιέχων, καταδέχεται, ἀναρτηθῆναι ἐν  
ξύλῳ, τοῦ σῶσαι τὸν ἄνθρωπον.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Τὸ αὐτό.**

Τὰ πάθη τὰ σεπτὰ, ἡ παροῦσα ἡμέρα,  
ὡς φῶτα σωστικά, ἀνατέλλει τῷ κόσμῳ·  
Χριστὸς γὰρ ἐπιίγεται, τοῦ παθεῖν  
ἀγαθότητι· ὁ τὰ σύμπαντα, ἐν τῇ δρακί  
περιέχων, καταδέχεται, ἀναρτηθῆναι ἐν  
ξύλῳ, τοῦ σῶσαι τὸν ἄνθρωπον.

**Κάθισμα Β΄.**

**Ἦχος α΄.** *Τὸν τάφον σου Σωτήρ.*

Αόρατε Κριτά, ἐν σαρκί πῶς ὠράθης,  
καὶ ἔρχη ὑπ' ἀνδρῶν, παρανόμων  
κτανθῆναι; ἡμῶν τὸ κατάκριμα,  
κατακρίνων τῷ πάθει σου. Ὅθεν αἰνεσιν,  
μεγαλωσύνην καὶ δόξαν, ἀναπέμποντες,  
τῇ ἐξουσίᾳ σου Λόγε, συμφώνως  
προσφέρομεν.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Τὸ αὐτό.**

Αόρατε Κριτά, ἐν σαρκί πῶς ὠράθης,  
καὶ ἔρχη ὑπ' ἀνδρῶν, παρανόμων  
κτανθῆναι; ἡμῶν τὸ κατάκριμα,  
κατακρίνων τῷ πάθει σου. Ὅθεν αἰνεσιν,  
μεγαλωσύνην καὶ δόξαν, ἀναπέμποντες,  
τῇ ἐξουσίᾳ σου Λόγε, συμφώνως  
προσφέρομεν.

**CHOIR**

**Kathisma I.**

**Mode 1.** *The soldiers keeping watch.*

The present day presents the august holy  
Passion \* of Christ as lights that dawn on  
the world for salvation. \* For Christ, in His  
goodness, goes now to suffer and die for us.  
\* He who holds all things within His hand  
condescends now \* to be fixed with nails on to  
a cross and suspended, \* to save all humanity.

Glory. Both now. **Repeat.**

The present day presents the august holy  
Passion \* of Christ as lights that dawn on  
the world for salvation. \* For Christ, in His  
goodness, goes now to suffer and die for us.  
\* He who holds all things within His hand  
condescends now \* to be fixed with nails on to  
a cross and suspended, \* to save all humanity.

**Kathisma II.**

**Mode 1.** *The soldiers keeping watch.*

O Lord, the unseen Judge, You were seen  
with a body! \* And willingly You came to be  
killed by the lawless, \* and thus to condemn  
our own condemnation by suffering? \*  
Therefore sending up magnification and glory  
\* to Your authority, O Word of God, now we  
offer \* our praises in unison.

Glory. Both now. **Repeat.**

O Lord, the unseen Judge, You were seen  
with a body! \* And willingly You came to be  
killed by the lawless, \* and thus to condemn  
our own condemnation by suffering? \*  
Therefore sending up magnification and glory  
\* to Your authority, O Word of God, now we  
offer \* our praises in unison.

**Κάθισμα Γ'.**

**Ἦχος πλ. δ'. Τὴν Σοφίαν καὶ Λόγον.**

Τῶν παθῶν τοῦ Κυρίου τὰς ἀπαρχάς,  
ἢ παροῦσα ἡμέρα λαμπροφορεῖ.  
Δεῦτε οὖν φιλέορτοι, ὑπαντήσωμεν  
ἄσμασιν· ὁ γὰρ Κτίστης ἔρχεται, σταυρὸν  
καταδέξασθαι, ἔτασμούς καὶ μάστιγας,  
Πιλάτῳ κρινόμενος· ὅθεν καὶ ἐκ δούλου  
ῥαπισθεὶς ἐπὶ κόρρης, τὰ πάντα προσίεται,  
ἵνα σώσῃ τὸν ἄνθρωπον. Διὰ τοῦτο  
βοήσωμεν· Φιλάνθρωπε Χριστέ ὁ Θεός,  
τῶν πταισμάτων δώρησαι τὴν ἄφεσιν, τοῖς  
προσκυνοῦσιν ἐν πίστει, τὰ ἄχραντα Πάθη  
σου.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Τὸ αὐτό.**

Τῶν παθῶν τοῦ Κυρίου τὰς ἀπαρχάς,  
ἢ παροῦσα ἡμέρα λαμπροφορεῖ.  
Δεῦτε οὖν φιλέορτοι, ὑπαντήσωμεν  
ἄσμασιν· ὁ γὰρ Κτίστης ἔρχεται, σταυρὸν  
καταδέξασθαι, ἔτασμούς καὶ μάστιγας,  
Πιλάτῳ κρινόμενος· ὅθεν καὶ ἐκ δούλου  
ῥαπισθεὶς ἐπὶ κόρρης, τὰ πάντα προσίεται,  
ἵνα σώσῃ τὸν ἄνθρωπον. Διὰ τοῦτο  
βοήσωμεν· Φιλάνθρωπε Χριστέ ὁ Θεός,  
τῶν πταισμάτων δώρησαι τὴν ἄφεσιν, τοῖς  
προσκυνοῦσιν ἐν πίστει, τὰ ἄχραντα Πάθη  
σου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ καταξιωθῆναι ἡμᾶς τῆς  
ἀκροάσεως τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου, Κύριον  
τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἱκετεύσωμεν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε,  
ἐλέησον.

**Kathisma III.**

**Mode pl. 4. By conceiving the wisdom.**

As the Lord's saving Passion begins  
today, \* so this day is illustrious all the more.  
\* O lovers of holy days, let us greet it with  
sacred songs. \* For the Creator is coming to  
accept to be crucified, \* to be judged by Pilate,  
the trials, the buffeting. \* Moreover He is  
struck on the head by a servant. \* In order  
to save mankind, He submissively bears it  
all. \* Let us therefore cry out to Him, \* "O  
Christ our God who loves mankind, \* grant  
forgiveness of offences to us \* who honor  
Your immaculate Passion with faith and love."

Glory. Both now. **Repeat.**

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Your immaculate Passion with faith and love."

**DEACON**

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

**CHOIR**

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία! Ὁρθοί! Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου  
Εὐαγγελίου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἁγίου  
Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν!

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

(κα' 18 - 43)

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐπανάγων εἰς  
τὴν πόλιν ἐπεινάσεν. Καὶ ἰδὼν συκὴν  
μίαν ἐπὶ τῆς ὁδοῦ ἦλθεν ἐπ' αὐτήν, καὶ  
οὐδὲν εὗρεν ἐν αὐτῇ εἰ μὴ φύλλα μόνον,  
καὶ λέγει αὐτῇ· Μηκέτι ἐκ σοῦ καρπὸς  
γένηται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα. Καὶ ἐξηράνθη  
παραχρῆμα ἡ συκὴ. Καὶ ἰδόντες οἱ μαθηταὶ  
ἐθαύμασαν λέγοντες· Πῶς παραχρῆμα  
ἐξηράνθη ἡ συκὴ; Ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς  
εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· Ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν, ἐὰν ἔχητε  
πίστιν καὶ μὴ διακριθῆτε, οὐ μόνον τὸ  
τῆς συκῆς ποιήσετε, ἀλλὰ ἂν τῷ ὄρει  
τούτῳ εἴπητε, Ἄρθητι καὶ βλήθητι εἰς τὴν  
θάλασσαν, γενήσεται· καὶ πάντα ὅσα ἂν  
αἰτήσητε ἐν τῇ προσευχῇ πιστεύοντες  
λήμψεσθε. Καὶ ἐλθόντος αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸ ἱερόν  
προσηλθόν αὐτῷ διδάσκοντι οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς  
καὶ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι τοῦ λαοῦ λέγοντες·  
Ἐν ποίᾳ ἐξουσίᾳ ταῦτα ποιεῖς; καὶ τίς σοι  
ἔδωκεν τὴν ἐξουσίαν ταύτην; Ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ  
ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· Ἐρωτήσω ὑμᾶς καγὼ  
λόγον ἓνα, ὃν ἐὰν εἴπητέ μοι καγὼ ὑμῖν ἐρῶ  
ἐν ποίᾳ ἐξουσίᾳ ταῦτα ποιῶ· τὸ βάπτισμα  
τὸ Ἰωάννου πόθεν ἦν; ἐξ οὐρανοῦ ἢ ἐξ  
ἀνθρώπων; Οἱ δὲ διελογίζοντο ἐν ἑαυτοῖς  
λέγοντες· Ἐὰν εἴπωμεν, Ἐξ οὐρανοῦ, ἐρεῖ

**DEACON**

Wisdom! Arise! Let us hear the holy  
Gospel.

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

**PRIEST**

The reading is from the holy Gospel  
according to St. Matthew.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive!

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

**PRIEST**

(21:18-43)

At that time, Jesus was returning to the  
city, he was hungry. And seeing a fig tree  
by the wayside he went to it, and found  
nothing on it but leaves only. And he said to  
it, "May no fruit ever come from you again!"  
And the fig tree withered at once. When  
the disciples saw it they marveled, saying,  
"How did the fig tree wither at once?" And  
Jesus answered them, "Truly, I say to you,  
if you have faith and never doubt, you will  
not only do what has been done to the fig  
tree, but even if you say to this mountain,  
'Be taken up and cast into the sea,' it will be  
done. And whatever you ask in prayer, you  
will receive, if you have faith." And when he  
entered the temple, the chief priests and the  
elders of the people came up to him as he was  
teaching, and said, "By what authority are  
you doing these things, and who gave you  
this authority?" Jesus answered them, "I also  
will ask you a question; and if you tell me  
the answer, then I also will tell you by what  
authority I do these things. The baptism of  
John, whence was it? From heaven or from  
men?" And they argued with one another, "If  
we say, 'From heaven,' he will say to us, 'Why

ἡμῖν, Διὰ τί οὖν οὐκ ἐπιστεύσατε αὐτῷ; ἔάν δὲ εἴπωμεν, Ἐξ ἀνθρώπων, φοβούμεθα τὸν ὄχλον· πάντες γὰρ ὡς προφήτην ἔχουσιν τὸν Ἰωάννην. Καὶ ἀποκριθέντες τῷ Ἰησοῦ εἶπαν· Οὐκ οἶδαμεν. Ἐφη αὐτοῖς καὶ αὐτός· Οὐδὲ ἐγὼ λέγω ὑμῖν ἐν ποίᾳ ἐξουσίᾳ ταῦτα ποιῶ. Τί δὲ ὑμῖν δοκεῖ; Ἄνθρωπος εἶχεν τέκνα δύο· καὶ προσελθὼν τῷ πρώτῳ εἶπεν· Τέκνον, ὑπάγε σήμερον ἐργάζου ἐν τῷ ἀμπελῶνι. Ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· Οὐ θέλω· ὕστερον δὲ μεταμεληθεὶς ἀπῆλθεν. Προσελθὼν δὲ τῷ ἐτέρῳ εἶπεν ὡσαύτως. Ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· Ἐγὼ, κύριε· καὶ οὐκ ἀπῆλθεν. Τίς ἐκ τῶν δύο ἐποίησεν τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πατρός; Λέγουσιν· Ὁ πρῶτος. Λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι οἱ τελῶναι καὶ αἱ πόρνοι προάγουσιν ὑμᾶς εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ· ἦλθεν γὰρ Ἰωάννης πρὸς ὑμᾶς ἐν ὁδῷ δικαιοσύνης, καὶ οὐκ ἐπιστεύσατε αὐτῷ· οἱ δὲ τελῶναι καὶ αἱ πόρνοι ἐπίστευσαν αὐτῷ· ὑμεῖς δὲ ἰδόντες οὐδὲ μετεμελήθητε ὕστερον τοῦ πιστεῦσαι αὐτῷ. Ἄλλην παραβολὴν ἀκούσατε. Ἄνθρωπος ἦν οἰκοδεσπότης ὅστις ἐφύτευσεν ἀμπελῶνα καὶ φραγμὸν αὐτῷ περιέθηκεν καὶ ὠρυξεν ἐν αὐτῷ ληνὸν καὶ ὠκοδόμησεν πύργον, καὶ ἐξέδοτο αὐτὸν γεωργοῖς, καὶ ἀπεδήμησεν· ὅτε δὲ ἤγγισεν ὁ καιρὸς τῶν καρπῶν, ἀπέστειλεν τοὺς δούλους αὐτοῦ πρὸς τοὺς γεωργοὺς λαβεῖν τοὺς καρπούς αὐτοῦ· καὶ λαβόντες οἱ γεωργοὶ τοὺς δούλους αὐτοῦ, ὃν μὲν ἔδειραν, ὃν δὲ ἀπέκτειναν, ὃν δὲ ἐλιθοβόλησαν. Πάλιν ἀπέστειλεν ἄλλους δούλους πλείονας τῶν πρώτων, καὶ ἐποίησαν αὐτοῖς ὡσαύτως. Ὑστερον δὲ ἀπέστειλεν πρὸς αὐτοὺς τὸν υἱὸν αὐτοῦ λέγων· Ἐντραπήσονται τὸν υἱόν μου. Οἱ δὲ γεωργοὶ ἰδόντες τὸν υἱὸν εἶπον ἐν ἑαυτοῖς· Οὗτός ἐστιν ὁ κληρονόμος· δεῦτε ἀποκτείνωμεν αὐτὸν καὶ σχῶμεν τὴν κληρονομίαν αὐτοῦ. Καὶ λαβόντες αὐτὸν ἐξέβαλον ἔξω τοῦ ἀμπελῶνος καὶ ἀπέκτειναν. Ὅταν οὖν ἔλθῃ ὁ κύριος τοῦ ἀμπελῶνος, τί ποιήσει τοῖς γεωργοῖς ἐκείνοις; Λέγουσιν αὐτῷ· Κακοὺς κακῶς ἀπολέσει αὐτούς, καὶ τὸν ἀμπελῶνα ἐκδώσεται ἄλλοις γεωργοῖς, οἵτινες

then did you not believe him?' But if we say, 'From men,' we are afraid of the multitude; for all hold that John was a prophet." So they answered Jesus, "We do not know." And he said to them, "Neither will I tell you by what authority I do these things. What do you think? A man had two sons; and he went to the first and said, 'Son, go and work in the vineyard today.' And he answered, 'I will not'; but afterward he repented and went. And he went to the second and said the same; and he answered, 'I go, sir,' but did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?" They said, "The first." Jesus said to them, "Truly, I say to you, the tax collectors and the harlots go into the kingdom of God before you. For John came to you in the way of righteousness, and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the harlots believed him; and even when you saw it, you did not afterward repent and believe him. Hear another parable. There was a householder who planted a vineyard, and set a hedge around it, and dug a wine press in it, and built a tower, and let it out to tenants, and went into another country. When the season of fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the tenants, to get his fruit; and the tenants took his servants and beat one, killed another, and stoned another. Again he sent other servants, more than the first; and they did the same to them. Afterward he sent his son to them, saying, 'They will respect my son.' But when the tenants saw the son, they said to themselves, 'This is the heir; come, let us kill him and have his inheritance.' And they took him and cast him out of the vineyard, and killed him. When therefore the owner of the vineyard comes, what will he do to those tenants?" They said to him, "He will put those wretches to a miserable death, and let out the vineyard to other tenants who will give him the fruits in their seasons." Jesus said to them, "Have you never read in the scriptures: 'The very stone which the builders rejected has become the head of the corner; this was the Lord's doing, and it is marvelous in our eyes'? Therefore I tell you, the kingdom of God will

ἀποδώσουσιν αὐτῷ τοὺς καρποὺς ἐν τοῖς καιροῖς αὐτῶν. Λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Οὐδέποτε ἀνέγνωτε ἐν ταῖς γραφαῖς· Λίθον ὃν ἀπεδοκίμασαν οἱ οἰκοδομοῦντες οὗτος ἐγενήθη εἰς κεφαλὴν γωνίας· παρὰ κυρίου ἐγένετο αὕτη, καὶ ἔστιν θαυμαστὴ ἐν ὀφθαλμοῖς ἡμῶν; Διὰ τοῦτο λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι ἀρθήσεται ἀφ' ὑμῶν ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ δοθήσεται ἔθνει ποιοῦντι τοὺς καρποὺς αὐτῆς.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

## ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

### Ὁ Ν΄ Ψαλμός.

Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου. Ἐπὶ πλεῖον πλύνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου, καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἀμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἀμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἔστι διὰ παντός. Σοὶ μόνῳ ἤμαρτον καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα, ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε. Ἴδου γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν ἀμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἴδου γὰρ ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας, τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ραντιεῖς με ὑσώπῳ, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι, πλυνεῖς με, καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Ἀκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην· ἀγαλλιάσονται ὅστέα τεταπεινωμένα. Ἀπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν μου καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον. Καρδίαν καθαρὰν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Απόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῶ στήριξόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδοὺς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ρῦσαί με ἐξ αἱμάτων, ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεός τῆς σωτηρίας μου· ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου

be taken away from you and given to a nation producing the fruits of it."

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

## 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 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

ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου. Ὅτι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν' ὀλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον, καρδίαν συντετριμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει. Ἀγάθυνον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ εὐδοκίᾳ σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθῆτω τὰ τείχη Ἱερουσαλήμ. Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὀλοκαυτώματα. Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ὁ Κανὼν.**

**Ποίημα Κοσμᾶ Μοναχοῦ.**

**Ὡδὴ α'. Ἦχος β'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.**

Τῷ τὴν ἄβατον, κυμαινομένην θάλασσαν, θεῖω αὐτοῦ προστάγματι, ἀναξηράναντι, καὶ πεζεῦσαι δι' αὐτῆς, τὸν Ἰσραηλίτην λαὸν καθοδηγήσαντι, Κυρίω ἄσωμεν· ἐνδόξως γὰρ δεδόξασται. (δίς.)

**Τροπάρια.**

*Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.*

Ἡ ἀπόρρητος, Λόγου Θεοῦ κατάβασις, ὅπερ Χριστὸς αὐτὸς ἐστὶ, Θεὸς καὶ ἄνθρωπος. Τὸ Θεὸς οὐχ ἀρπαγμόν, εἶναι ἡγησάμενος, ἐν τῷ μορφοῦσθαι δοῦλον, δεικνύει τοῖς Μαθηταῖς· ἐνδόξως γὰρ δεδόξασται. (δίς.)

*Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.*

Διακονῆσαι, αὐτὸς ἐλήλυθα, οὗ τὴν μορφήν ὁ Πλαστοργός, ἐκὼν περὶκειμαι, τῷ πτωχεύσαντι Ἀδάμ, ὁ πλουτῶν Θεότητι, θεῖναι ἐμὴν τε αὐτοῦ, ψυχὴν ἀντίλυτρον, ὁ ἀπαθῆς Θεότητι. (δίς.)

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)

## CHOIR

**The Canon.**

**By Cosmas the Monk.**

**Ode i. Mode 2. Heirmos.**

Let us sing to the Lord, who dried up the impassable \* surging waters of the Sea by His divine command, \* and who also led the way \* for the chosen people of Israel to cross on foot. \* Come let us sing to Him, for He is greatly glorified. (2)

**Troparia.**

*Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.*

The inscrutable descent of God the Logos \* is Christ, who is God and man in one hypostasis. \* He took on a servant's form, \* showing His disciples that He does not regard the fact that He is God \* something to be grasped. For He is greatly glorified. (2)

*Glory. Both now.*

I, the Creator, who voluntarily \* put on impoverished Adam's form, came to minister to him \* yes, I who am rich in Divinity, \* and I lay down My life for him as ransom, \* I who am impassible in Divinity. (2)

### Καταβασία.

Τῷ τὴν ἄβατον, κυμαιομένην  
θάλασσαν, θείῳ αὐτοῦ προστάγματι,  
ἀναξηράναντι, καὶ πεζεῦσαι δι' αὐτῆς, τὸν  
Ἰσραηλίτην λαὸν καθοδηγήσαντι, Κυρίῳ  
ἄσωμεν· ἐνδόξως γὰρ δεδόξασται.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, 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

Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ Βασιλεὺς τῆς εἰρήνης καὶ  
σωτῆρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν  
ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ  
Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς  
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

*(Ἀμήν.)*

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

#### Κοντάκιον.

Ὁ Ἰακώβ ὠδύρευτο τοῦ Ἰωσήφ τὴν  
στέρησιν, καὶ ὁ γενναῖος ἐκάθητο ἄρματι,  
ὡς βασιλεὺς τιμώμενος· τῆς Αἰγυπτίας  
γὰρ τότε ταῖς ἡδοναῖς μὴ δουλεύσας,  
ἀντεδοξάζετο παρὰ τοῦ βλέποντος τὰς τῶν  
ἀνθρώπων καρδίας, καὶ νέμοντος στέφος  
ἄφθαρτον.

### Katavasia.

Let us sing to the Lord, who dried up the  
impassable \* surging waters of the Sea by  
His divine command, \* and who also led the  
way \* for the chosen people of Israel to cross  
on foot. \* Come let us sing to Him, for He is  
greatly glorified.

### 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 You are the King of peace and the  
savior of our souls, and to You we give glory,  
to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit,  
now and forever and to the ages of ages.

*(Amen.)*

### READER

#### Kontakion.

Jacob lamented the loss of Joseph; yet the  
courageous one sat on a chariot, honored as  
a king. For by refusing to be enslaved by the  
pleasures of the Egyptian woman, he was  
later glorified in return by Him who sees  
men's hearts and deals out the imperishable  
crown.

**Ὁ Οἶκος.**

Ἐπὶ τῷ ὄδυρμῳ νῦν προσθήσωμεν ὄδυρμόν, καὶ ἐκχέωμεν δάκρυα, μετὰ τοῦ Ἰακώβ συγκοπτόμενοι Ἰωσήφ τὸν αἰδίμον καὶ σώφρονα, τὸν δουλωθέντα μὲν τῷ σώματι, τὴν ψυχὴν δὲ ἀδούλωτον συντηροῦντα, καὶ Αἰγύπτου παντὸς κυριεύσαντα. Ὁ Θεὸς γὰρ παρέχει τοῖς δούλοις αὐτοῦ στέφος ἀφθαρτον.

**Συναξάριον.**

Τῇ ἸΔ' τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τῶν Ἁγίων Ἀποστόλων ἐκ τῶν ἑβδομήκοντα, Ἀριστάρχου, Πούδη καὶ Τροφίμου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Μάρτυρος Ἀρδαλίωνος τοῦ Μίμου.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τῆς Ἁγίας Μάρτυρος Θωμαΐδος.

Τῇ αὐτῇ ἡμέρᾳ, ἡ ἄθλησις τοῦ Ἁγίου Νεομάρτυρος Δημητρίου τοῦ Πελοποννησίου, τοῦ ἐκ Λιγυδίστης τῆς Τριφυλίας καταγομένου, κατὰ τὸ ἔτος ,αωγ' (1803) ἐν Τριπόλει ξίφει τελειωθέντος.

Τῇ ἀγία καὶ μεγάλη Δευτέρᾳ, μνεῖαν ποιούμεθα τοῦ μακαρίου Ἰωσήφ τοῦ παγκάλου, καὶ τῆς ὑπὸ τοῦ Κυρίου καταραθείσης καὶ ξηρανθείσης συκῆς.

Ταῖς τοῦ παγκάλου Ἰωσήφ πρεσβείαις, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ὡδὴ η'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.**

Ἐφριξε παίδων εὐαγῶν, τὸ ὁμόστολον ψυχῆς ἄσπιλον σῶμα, καὶ εἶξε τὸ τραφέν, ἐν ἀπειρῷ ὕλῃ, ἀκάματον πῦρ. Αἰεζῶου δὲ ἐκμαρανθείσης φλογός, διαιωνίζων ὕμνος ἀνεμέλετο. Τὸν Κύριον πάντα τὰ ἔργα ὑμνεῖτε, καὶ ὑπερψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας. (δίς.)

**Oikos.**

To lamentation let us now add lamentation, and with Jacob shed tears, and mourn with him over Joseph, the famous and chaste, who was enslaved in body but preserved his soul unenslaved, and became the lord over all of Egypt. For God grants His servants the imperishable crown.

**Synaxarion.**

On April 14 we commemorate the holy Apostles of the Seventy, Aristarchos, Pudens, and Trophimos.

On this day we also commemorate the holy Martyr Ardalion the Mime.

On this day we also commemorate the holy woman Martyr Thomais.

On this day was the contest and martyrdom of the holy Neo-martyr Demetrios of Peloponnesos, who was from Ligudista, Tryphilia, and who died by the sword in Tripoli in the year 1803.

On great and holy Monday we commemorate blessed Joseph the handsome; and also the fig tree that was cursed by the Lord and then withered.

At the intercession of the handsome Joseph, O Christ our God, have mercy on us. Amen.

**CHOIR**

**Ode viii. Heirmos.**

Fed with unending fuel, the fire \* that wearied not shuddered at the spotless bodies, \* adorned as were the souls, \* of the pious Servants and yielded to them. \* When the ever-living flame had shrunken away, \* they sang the hymn that henceforth was immortalized: \* O bless the Lord, all you His

**Τροπάρια.**

*Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.*

Ἵμᾶς μου τότε Μαθητάς, πάντες  
γνώσκονται, εἰ τὰς ἐμᾶς ἐντολάς τηρήσητε,  
φησὶν ὁ Σωτὴρ τοῖς φίλοις πρὸς πάθος  
μολῶν. Εἰρηνεύετε ἐν ἑαυτοῖς καὶ πᾶσι,  
καὶ ταπεινὰ φρονοῦντες, ἀνυψώθητε·  
καὶ Κύριον γινώσκοντές με ὑμνεῖτε, καὶ  
ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας. (δίς.)

*Εὐλογοῦμεν Πατέρα, Υἱὸν καὶ Ἅγιον  
Πνεῦμα, τὸν Κύριον.*

Τάξεως ἔμπαλιν ὑμῖν, ἐθνικῆς ἔστω  
τὸ κράτος ὁμογενῶν, οὐ κληρὸς γὰρ ἐμός,  
τυραννὶς δὲ γνώμη ἀυθαίρετος. Ὁ οὖν  
πρόκριτος ἐν ὑμῖν εἶναι θέλων, τῶν ἄλλων  
ἔστω πάντων ἐσχατώτερος· καὶ Κύριον  
γινώσκοντές με ὑμνεῖτε, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς  
πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

*Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν  
αἰῶνων. Ἀμήν.*

Τάξεως ἔμπαλιν ὑμῖν, ἐθνικῆς ἔστω  
τὸ κράτος ὁμογενῶν, οὐ κληρὸς γὰρ ἐμός,  
τυραννὶς δὲ γνώμη ἀυθαίρετος. Ὁ οὖν  
πρόκριτος ἐν ὑμῖν εἶναι θέλων, τῶν ἄλλων  
ἔστω πάντων ἐσχατώτερος· καὶ Κύριον  
γινώσκοντές με ὑμνεῖτε, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε εἰς  
πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

works, and sing a hymn to Him, \* and exalt  
Him beyond measure unto all the ages. (2)

**Troparia.**

*Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.*

"By this shall all know that you  
are \* My disciples, if you keep all My  
commandments."\* So did Christ declare to  
His friends, as He was heading towards His  
Passion. \* "Be at peace within yourselves and  
likewise with all, \* and you shall be exalted  
thinking humble thoughts. \* And knowing  
Me to be the Lord, bless Me and sing a hymn  
to Me, \* and exalt Me beyond measure unto  
all the ages." (2)

*We bless Father, Son and Holy Spirit, the  
Lord.*

In ruling over fellow men, \* let the order  
of the Gentiles be inverted; \* for tyranny has  
no part with Me nor does arbitrariness. \* So  
whoever would be great among you and first,  
\* let him be least and servant of the others  
all. \* And knowing Me to be the Lord, bless  
Me and sing a hymn to Me, \* and exalt Me  
beyond measure unto all the ages.

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

In ruling over fellow men, \* let the order  
of the Gentiles be inverted; \* for tyranny has  
no part with Me nor does arbitrariness. \* So  
whoever would be great among you and first,  
\* let him be least and servant of the others  
all. \* And knowing Me to be the Lord, bless  
Me and sing a hymn to Me, \* and exalt Me  
beyond measure unto all the ages.

**Καταβασία.**

*Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸ Κύριον.*

Ἐφριξε παίδων εὐαγῶν, τὸ ὁμόστολον ψυχῆς ἄσπιλον σῶμα, καὶ εἶξε τὸ τραφέν, ἐν ἀπειρῶ ὕλῃ, ἀκάματον πῦρ. Ἀειζῶου δὲ ἐκμαρανθείσης φλογός, διαωνίζων ὕμνος ἀνεμέλπετο. Τὸν Κύριον πάντα τὰ ἔργα ὕμνεῖτε, καὶ ὑπερυψοῦτε, εἰς πάντας τοὺς αἰῶνας.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ/ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτός ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ὡιδὴ θ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.**

Ἐμεγάλυνας Χριστέ, τὴν τεκοῦσάν σε Θεοτόκον, ἀφ' ἧς ὁ πλάστης ἡμῶν, ὁμοιοπαθὲς περιέθου σῶμα, τὸ τῶν ἡμετέρων λυτήριον ἀγνοημάτων. Ταύτην μακαρίζοντες, πᾶσαι γενεαὶ σὲ μεγαλύνωμεν. (δίς.)

**Τροπάρια.**

*Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.*

Ῥύπον πάντα ἐμπαθῆ, ἀπώσαμενοι, ἐπάξιον τῆς θείας βασιλείας, γνώμη ἀναλάβετε ἔμφρονα, τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοις προέφης, ἢ πάντων σοφία, ἐν ἧ δοξασθήσεσθε, λάμποντες ἡλίου τηλαυγέστερον. (δίς.)

**Katavasia.**

*We praise, and we bless, and we worship the Lord.*

Fed with unending fuel, the fire \* that wearied not shuddered at the spotless bodies, \* adorned as were the souls, \* of the pious Servants and yielded to them. \* When the ever-living flame had shrunken away, \* they sang the hymn that henceforth was immortalized: \* O bless the Lord, all you His works, and sing a hymn to Him, \* and exalt Him beyond measure unto all the ages.

**PRIEST/DEACON**

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

**CHOIR**

**Ode ix. Heirmos.**

You have magnified, O Christ, \* the Theotokos who bore You. \* From her You donned a body \* susceptible to passion like ours, O Maker; \* it delivers us from the ignorance of our offenses. \* All our generations call her blessed, and we magnify You. (2)

**Troparia.**

*Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.*

"Having cast off every stain \* of the passions, take upon yourselves a prudent disposition \* worthy of the Kingdom and rule of God." \* Thus You spoke to Your Apostles beforehand, O Wisdom of all. \* "In which Kingdom, you shall be \* glorified and shining brighter than the sun." (2)

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Ἀφορῶντες εἰς ἐμέ, εἶπας Κύριε  
τοῖς σεαυτοῦ Μαθηταῖς, μὴ φρονεῖτε  
ὑψηλά, ἀλλὰ συναπάχθητε τοῖς ταπεινοῖς·  
ἐμὸν ὅπερ πίνω, πῖετε ποτήριον,  
ὅτι ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τοῦ Πατρὸς, ἐμοὶ  
συνδοξασθήσεσθε. (δίς.)

### Καταβασία.

Ἐμεγάλυνας Χριστέ, τὴν τεκοῦσάν  
σε Θεοτόκον, ἀφ' ἧς ὁ πλάστης ἡμῶν,  
ὁμοιοπαθὲς περιέθου σῶμα, τὸ τῶν  
ἡμετέρων λυτήριον ἀγνοημάτων.  
Ταύτην μακαρίζοντες, πᾶσαι γενεαὶ σὲ  
μεγαλύνομεν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι 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 αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Glory. Both now.

"An example take from Me," \* You, O  
Lord, said to Your disciples. \* "Do not have  
a haughty mind, \* but rather associate with  
whatever is humble. \* And you shall indeed  
drink the cup that I myself am drinking. \*  
And in the Kingdom of My Father \* you shall  
be with Me together glorified." (2)

### Katavasia.

You have magnified, O Christ, \* the  
Theotokos who bore You. \* From her You  
donned a body \* susceptible to passion  
like ours, O Maker; \* it delivers us from  
the ignorance of our offenses. \* All our  
generations call her blessed, and we magnify  
You.

### 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****Ἐξαποστειλάριον****Ἦχος γ'. Αὐτόμελον.**

Τὸν νυμφῶνά σου βλέπω, Σωτήρ μου  
κεκοσμημένον, καὶ ἔνδυμα οὐκ ἔχω, ἵνα  
εἰσέλθω ἐν αὐτῷ· λάμπρυνόν μου τὴν  
στολήν τῆς ψυχῆς, Φωτοδότα, καὶ σῶσόν με.  
(ἐκ γ')

**Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἦχος α'.**

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

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν πάντες οἱ Ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ·  
αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ· Σοὶ  
πρέπει ὕμνος τῷ Θεῷ.

**Ἦχος α'. Ἰδιόμελον.**

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

Ἐρχόμενος ὁ Κύριος, πρὸς τὸ  
ἐκούσιον πάθος, τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις  
ἔλεγεν ἐν τῇ ὁδῷ. Ἴδου ἀναβαίνομεν εἰς  
Ἱεροσόλυμα, καὶ παραδοθήσεται ὁ Υἱὸς  
τοῦ ἀνθρώπου, καθὼς γέγραπται περὶ  
αὐτοῦ. Δεῦτε οὖν καὶ ἡμεῖς, κεκαθαρμέναις  
διανοίαις, συμπορευθῶμεν αὐτῷ, καὶ  
συσταυρωθῶμεν, καὶ νεκρωθῶμεν δι'  
αὐτόν, ταῖς τοῦ βίου ἡδοναῖς· ἵνα καὶ  
συζήσωμεν αὐτῷ, καὶ ἀκούσωμεν βοῶντος  
αὐτοῦ· Οὐκέτι εἰς τὴν ἐπίγειον Ἱερουσαλήμ  
διὰ τὸ παθεῖν, ἀλλὰ ἀναβαίνω πρὸς τὸν  
Πατέρα μου, καὶ Πατέρα ὑμῶν, καὶ Θεόν  
μου καὶ Θεὸν ὑμῶν· καὶ συνανυψῶ ὑμᾶς εἰς  
τὴν ἄνω Ἱερουσαλήμ, ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν  
οὐρανῶν.

**CHOIR****Exaposteilarion****Mode 3. Automelon.**

O my Savior, now I see \* Your wedding  
hall decorated, \* and I have not the garment \*  
needed for me to enter it. \* Make this raiment  
of my soul brightly shine, \* O Giver-of-Light,  
and save me. (3)

**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.

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

**Mode 1. Idiomelon.**

*Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him  
according to the abundance of His greatness.*

As the Lord was coming to His voluntary  
Passion, He said to the Apostles on the way,  
"Behold, we are going up to Jerusalem, and  
the Son of man will be betrayed, as it is  
written of Him." Come, then, and with our  
minds now purified, let us also go with Him  
and be crucified with Him and die for Him  
to the pleasures of this life, so that we may  
also live with Him and hear Him when He  
says, "No longer am I going up to the earthly  
Jerusalem to suffer there, but rather I am  
ascending to my Father and your Father, and  
to my God and your God as well. And I will  
raise you up with me to the Jerusalem on high  
in the Kingdom of heaven."

**Ἦχος πλ. α΄. Ἰδιόμελον.**

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ χορῶ,  
αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν χορδαῖς καὶ ὄργάνῳ.

Φθάσαντες πιστοί, τὸ σωτήριον  
πάθος Χριστοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ, τὴν ἄφατον  
αὐτοῦ μακροθυμίαν δοξάσωμεν· ὅπως τῇ  
αὐτοῦ εὐσπλαγχνία, συνεγείρη καὶ ἡμᾶς,  
νεκρωθέντας τῇ ἁμαρτία, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ  
φιλόανθρωπος.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Ἦχος πλ. α΄.**

Κύριε, ἐρχόμενος πρὸς τὸ πάθος,  
τοὺς ἰδίους στηρίζων Μαθητὰς ἔλεγες,  
κατ' ἰδίαν παραλαβῶν αὐτούς. Πῶς τῶν  
ὀημάτων μου ἀμνημονεῖτε, ὧν πάλαι εἶπον  
ὑμῖν, ὅτι προφήτην πάντα οὐ γέγραπται,  
εἰ μὴ ἐν Ἱερουσαλήμ ἀποκτανθῆναι;  
Νῦν οὖν καιρὸς ἐφέστηκεν, ὃν εἶπον  
ὑμῖν· ἰδοὺ γὰρ παραδίδομαι, ἁμαρτωλῶν  
χερσὶν ἐμπαιχθῆναι, οἳ καὶ σταυρῶ  
με προσπήξαντες, ταφῇ παραδόντες,  
ἐβδελυγμένον λογιῶνται ὡς νεκρόν. Ὅμως  
θαρσεῖτε· τριήμερος γὰρ ἐγείρομαι εἰς  
ἀγαλλίασιν πιστῶν, καὶ ζωὴν τὴν αἰώνιον.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν,  
καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ,  
καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν,  
καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.  
Ἀμήν. Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ, καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς  
εἰρήνη ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία. Ὑμνοῦμέν  
σε, εὐλογοῦμέν σε, προσκυνοῦμέν 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 Υἱὸς τοῦ Πατρὸς, ὁ αἴρων τὴν

**Mode pl. 1. Idiomelon.**

*Praise Him with timbrel and dance, praise  
Him with strings and flute.*

We have arrived, O faithful, at the saving  
Passion of Christ our God. Let us glorify  
His ineffable forbearance, so that in His  
tender mercy He might raise us with himself,  
deadened by sin as we are, for He is good and  
loves humanity.

Glory. Both now. **Mode pl. 1.**

Lord, as You were coming to Your  
Passion, You took Your disciples aside and  
spoke to them privately to strengthen them.  
"How have you forgotten the words that  
I said to you before, that according to the  
Scriptures no prophet should be killed except  
in Jerusalem? The time of which I spoke to  
You is now at hand. Behold, I am betrayed  
into the hands of sinners, to be mocked by  
them. They will nail me to a cross and hand  
me over to be buried, and they will consider  
me an abomination, because I will be dead.  
But you, take courage, for I will rise on the  
third day, bringing the faithful exultant joy  
and eternal life."

**READER**

To you belongs glory, O Lord our God,  
and to you we send up glory, to the Father  
and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and  
forever and to the ages of ages. Amen. Glory  
to God in the highest, and on earth peace,  
good will to men. We praise you, we bless  
you, we worship you, we glorify you, and  
we thank you, for your great glory. Lord,  
King, Heavenly God, Father Almighty; only-  
begotten Son, Lord Jesus Christ and Holy  
Spirit. Lord God, the Lamb of God, the Son  
of the Father, who take away the sin of the  
world, have mercy on us, you who take away

ἀμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἀμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου. Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾷ τοῦ Πατρὸς, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ὅτι σὺ εἶ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ μόνος Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρὸς. Ἀμήν. Καθ' ἐκάστην ἡμέραν εὐλογήσω σε, καὶ αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος. Κύριε, καταφυγὴ ἐγενήθης ἡμῖν ἐν γενεᾷ καὶ γενεᾷ. Ἐγὼ εἶπα· Κύριε, ἐλέησόν με· ἴασαι τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ὅτι ἤμαρτόν σοι. Κύριε, πρὸς σὲ κατέφυγον· δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου. Ὅτι παρὰ σοὶ πηγὴ ζωῆς· ἐν τῷ φωτί σου ὀψόμεθα φῶς. Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε. Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ταύτῃ ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς. Εὐλογητός εἶ, Κύριε, 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. Εὐλογητός εἶ, Κύριε· δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητός εἶ, Δέσποτα· συνέτισόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητός εἶ, Ἅγιε· φώτισόν με τοῖς δικαιώμασί σου. Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα· τὰ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου μὴ παρίδης. Σοὶ πρέπει αἶνος, σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος, σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, τῷ Πατρί, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεί, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν ἑωθινὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

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

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

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

the sins of the world. Accept our supplication, you who sit at the right of the Father, and have mercy on us. For you are the only Holy One, you are the only Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen. Every day I shall bless you, and I shall praise your name forever, and unto the ages of ages. Lord, you have become for us a refuge from generation to generation. I have said: Lord, have mercy on me, heal my soul, for I have sinned against you. Lord, to you I have fled; 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. Extend your mercy to those who know you. Grant, O Lord, that in this day we may be kept without sin. Blessed are you, O Lord, the God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified is your name unto the ages. Amen. Let your mercy, Lord, come upon us, just as we have hoped in you. Blessed are you, O Lord, teach me your commandments. Blessed are you, O Master, make me understand your commandments. Blessed are you, O Holy One, enlighten me with your commandments. Lord, your mercy remains forever, do not turn away from the works of your hands. To you belongs praise, to you belongs a hymn, to you belongs glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### DEACON

Let us complete our morning prayer 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.)*

For a perfect, holy, peaceful, and sinless day, let us ask the Lord.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Ἄγγελον εἰρήνης, πιστὸν ὁδηγόν,  
φύλακα τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων  
ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Συγγνώμην καὶ ἄφεσιν τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν  
καὶ τῶν πλημμελημάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ  
Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς  
ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ  
Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν  
ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετανοίᾳ ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ  
Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Χριστιανὰ τὰ τέλη τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν,  
ἀνώδυνα, ἀνεπαίσχυντα, εἰρηνικά, καὶ  
καλὴν ἀπολογία τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ  
βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ αἰτησώμεθα.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

Ὅτι Θεὸς ἐλέους, οἰκτιρῶν, καὶ  
φιλανθρωπίας 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.)

(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 forgiveness and remission of our sins  
and transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

For the completion of our life in peace and  
repentance, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

For a Christian end to our life, peaceful,  
without shame and suffering, and for a good  
account before the awesome judgment seat of  
Christ, let us ask.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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 You are the God of mercy and  
compassion and love for mankind, and to You  
we give glory, to the Father and the Son and  
the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to ages  
of ages.

(Amen.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ειρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματι σου.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ὑμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνομεν.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

Κύριε, Ἄγιε, ὁ ἐν ὑψηλοῖς κατοικῶν καὶ τὰ ταπεινὰ ἐφορῶν, καὶ τῷ παντεφώρῳ σου ὄμματι ἐπιβλέπων ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν κτίσιν, σοὶ ἐκλίναμεν τὸν ἀνχένα τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ τοῦ σώματος, καὶ δεόμεθά σου Ἄγιε Ἁγίων· ἔκτεινον τὴν χειρὰ σου τὴν ἀόρατον ἐξ ἁγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ εὐλόγησον πάντα ἡμᾶς· καὶ εἴτι ἡμάρτομεν ἐκουσίως ἢ ἀκουσίως, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς συγχώρησον, δωροῦμενος ἡμῖν τὰ ἐγκόσμια καὶ ὑπερκόσμια ἀγαθὰ σου.

Σὸν γὰρ ἐστὶ τὸ ἐλεεῖν καὶ σώζειν ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀπόστιχα.**

**Ἦχος πλ. α'. Ἰδιόμελον.**

Κύριε, πρὸς τὸ μυστήριον τὸ ἀπόρρητον τῆς σῆς οικονομίας, οὐκ ἐξαρκούσα ἡ τῶν ἐκ Ζεβεδαίου μήτηρ, ἠτεῖτό σοι προσκαίρου βασιλείας τιμὴν, τοῖς ἑαυτῆς δωρήσασθαι τέκνοις· ἀλλ' ἀντὶ ταύτης, ποτήριον θανάτου ἐπηγγείλω πιεῖν τοῖς φίλοις σου· ὁ ποτήριον πρὸ τούτων, πιεῖν ὁ αὐτὸς ἔλεγες, ἀμαρτημάτων καθαρτήριο. Διὸ σοι

**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)**

O holy Lord, who dwell on high and regard the humble of heart, and with Your all-seeing eye behold all creation, to You we have bowed the neck of our soul and body, and we entreat You. O Holy of Holies, extend Your invisible hand from Your holy dwelling-place and bless us all. And if in anything we have sinned, voluntarily or involuntarily, forgive us, since You are a good God who loves humanity, granting us Your earthly and heavenly blessings.

For Yours it is to show mercy and to save us, O our God, and to You we give glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**CHOIR**

**Aposticha.**

**Mode pl. 1. Idiomelon.**

Lord, the mother of the sons of Zebedee did not grasp the ineffable mystery of Your dispensation; she asked You to give her sons the honors of a temporal kingdom. But instead of this, You promised Your friends that they would drink the cup of death; and You said that before they would drink this cup, You yourself would drink it, for the

βοῶμεν· Ἡ σωτηρία τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

**Ἦχος πλ. α΄. Ἰδιόμελον.**

**Στίχ.** Ἐνεπλήσθημεν τὸ πρωῖ τοῦ ἐλέους σου, Κύριε, καὶ ἠγαλλιασάμεθα καὶ εὐφράνθημεν ἐν πάσαις ταῖς ἡμέραις ἡμῶν. Εὐφρανθήημεν, ἀνθ' ὧν ἡμερῶν ἐταπεινώσας ἡμᾶς, ἐτῶν ὧν εἶδομεν κακά· καὶ ἴδε ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ ἔργα σου, καὶ ὁδήγησον τοὺς υἱοὺς αὐτῶν.

Κύριε, τὰ τελεώτατα φρονεῖν, τοὺς οἰκείους παιδεύων Μαθητάς, μὴ ὁμοιοῦσθαι τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἔλεγες, εἰς τὸ κατάρχειν τῶν ἐλαχιστοτέρων· οὐχ οὕτω γὰρ ἔσται ὑμῖν τοῖς ἐμοῖς Μαθηταῖς, ὅτι πτωχὸς θέλων ὑπάρχω· ὁ πρῶτος οὖν ὑμῶν, ἔστω πάντων διάκονος, ὁ δὲ ἄρχων, ὡς ὁ ἀρχόμενος, ὁ προκριθεὶς δὲ ὡς ὁ ἔσχατος· καὶ γὰρ ἐλήλυθα αὐτὸς τῷ πτωχεύσαντι Ἀδὰμ διακονῆσαι, καὶ λύτρον δοῦναι ἀντὶ πολλῶν, τὴν ψυχὴν τῶν βοῶντων μοι· Δόξα σοι.

**Ἦχος πλ. δ΄. Ἰδιόμελον.**

**Στίχ.** Καὶ ἔστω ἡ λαμπρότης Κυρίου τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ τὰ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν κατεύθυνον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ τὸ ἔργον τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν κατεύθυνον.

Τῆς ξηρανθείσης συκῆς διὰ τὴν ἀκαρπίαν, τὸ ἐπιτίμιον φοβηθέντες ἀδελφοί, καρποὺς ἀξίους τῆς μετανοίας, προσάξωμεν Χριστῷ, τῷ παρέχοντι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν. **Ἦχος πλ. δ΄.**

Δευτέραν Εὐάν τὴν Αἰγυπτίαν, εὐρῶν ὁ δράκων, διὰ ῥημάτων, ἔσπευδε κολακείας, ὑποσκελῖσαι τὸν Ἰωσήφ· ἀλλ'

expiation of sins. Therefore we cry out to You, the salvation of our souls: Glory to You.

**Mode pl. 1. Idiomelon.**

**Verse:** *We were filled with Your mercy in the morning, and in all our days we greatly rejoiced and were glad; gladden us in return for the days You humbled us, for the years we saw evil things. And behold Your servants and Your works, and guide their sons.*

Lord, as You were training Your disciples to have their mind set on perfection, You told them not to imitate the Gentiles in lording it over the least of Your servants. "It shall not be so with You, my disciples; for I am poor because I want to be. So let the first among you be the minister and servant of all. Let the ruler be as the one being ruled, the preeminent as the one who is last; for I myself have come to minister to Adam in his poverty, and to give my life as a ransom for the many who cry to me: Glory to You."

**Mode pl. 4. Idiomelon.**

**Verse:** *And let the brightness of the Lord our God be upon us, and prosper for us the works of our hands, prosper for us the work of our hands.*

Being frightened by the punishment of the fig tree, which withered because it did not bear fruit, O brethren, let us bring worthy fruits of repentance to Christ, who grants us His great mercy.

Glory. Both now. **Mode pl. 4.**

The serpent, finding the Egyptian woman to be a second Eve through the words she spoke, hastened through flattery to cause

αὐτὸς καταλιπὼν τὸν χιτῶνα, ἔφυγε τὴν ἁμαρτίαν, καὶ γυμνὸς οὐκ ἠσχύνετο, ὡς ὁ πρωτόπλαστος πρὸ τῆς παρακοῆς· αὐτοῦ ταῖς ἱκεσίαις Χριστέ, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἀγαθὸν τὸ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι τῷ Κυρίῳ καὶ ψάλλειν τῷ ὀνόματί σου, Ὑψίστε· τοῦ ἀναγγέλλειν τὸ πρωῖ τὸ ἐλεός σου, καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου κατὰ νύκτα.

### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

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.

Παναγία Τριάς, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Κύριε, ἰλάσθητι ταῖς ἁμαρτίαις ἡμῶν. Δέσποτα, συγχώρησον τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῖν. Ἄγιε, ἐπίσκεψαι καὶ ἴασαι τὰς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν, ἕνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

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

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

Joseph to fall. But Joseph abandoned his garment, and thus he fled from sin. And though he was naked, he was unashamed, like Adam, the first man, was before he disobeyed. At his entreaties, O Christ, have mercy on us.

### PRIEST

It is good to give thanks to the Lord and to sing to Your name, O Most High, to proclaim Your mercy in the morning and Your truth at night.

### READER

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

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, forgive our sins. Master, pardon our transgressions. Holy One, visit and heal our infirmities for your name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

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.

### PRIEST

For thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory of the Father, and the Son and

Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**Κοντάκιον.**

Ὁ Ἰακώβ ᾠδύρευτο τοῦ Ἰωσήφ τὴν στέρησιν, καὶ ὁ γενναῖος ἐκάθητο ἄρματι, ὡς βασιλεὺς τιμώμενος· τῆς Αἰγυπτίας γὰρ τότε ταῖς ἡδοναῖς μὴ δουλεύσας, ἀντεδοξάζετο παρὰ τοῦ βλέποντος τὰς τῶν ἀνθρώπων καρδίας, καὶ νέμοντος στέφος ἄφθαρτον.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (μ')

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

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

Ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου εὐλόγησον, Πάτερ.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὁ ὢν εὐλογητός, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, πάντοτε, νῦν, καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

**Εὐχή τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἐφραίμ**

Κύριε καὶ Δέσποτα τῆς ζωῆς μου, πνεῦμα ἀργίας, περιεργίας, φιλαρχίας καὶ ἀργολογίας μὴ μοι δῶς.

Πνεῦμα δὲ σωφροσύνης, ταπεινοφροσύνης, ὑπομονῆς καὶ ἀγάπης χάρισαί μοι τῷ σῶ δούλω.

the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**READER**

Amen.

**Kontakion.**

Jacob lamented the loss of Joseph; yet the courageous one sat on a chariot, honored as a king. For by refusing to be enslaved by the pleasures of the Egyptian woman, he was later glorified in return by Him who sees men's hearts and deals out the imperishable crown.

Lord, have mercy. (40)

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

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.

In the name of the Lord, Father, bless!

**PRIEST**

Blessed are You, Christ our God, always now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**READER**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

**Prayer of St. Ephraim**

O Lord and Master of my life, do not permit the spirit of laziness and meddling, the lust for power and idle talk to come into me.

Instead, grant me, your servant, the spirit of prudence, humility, patience and love.

Ναί, Κύριε Βασιλεῦ, δώρησαί μοι τοῦ ὀρᾶν τὰ ἐμὰ πταισµατα, καὶ μὴ κατακρίνειν τὸν ἀδελφόν μου.

Ὅτι εὐλογητὸς εἶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δόξα σοι, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, ἡ ἐλπίς ἡµῶν, δόξα σοι.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

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

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ἐκ γ')

Δέσποτα ἅγιε, εὐλόγησον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐρχόμενος ὁ Κύριος ἐπὶ τὸ ἐκούσιον πάθος, διὰ τὴν ἡµῶν σωτηρίαν, Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡµῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναµώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρὸς, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Ἀσωμάτων, ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδροµοῦ καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν ὀσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡµῶν· (τοῦ ἁγίου τοῦ ναοῦ) τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι ἡµᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόνητος καὶ ἐλεήμων Θεός.

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

(Ἀμήν.)

Yes, Lord and King, give me the power to see my own faults and not to judge my brother.

For you are blessed unto the ages of ages. Amen.

**READER**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

Glory to You, O Christ God, our hope. Glory to You.

**READER**

Glory to Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

Lord, have mercy. (3)

Holy Master, bless.

**PRIEST**

May He who is coming to His voluntary Passion for our salvation, Christ our true God, through the intercessions of his most pure and 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, the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy Apostles, the holy, glorious, and triumphant Martyrs, our holy and God-bearing Fathers, (the patron saint of the church;) the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, and all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, as a good, loving and merciful God.

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

(Amen.)