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Part I

Matins Ordinary

Ἀρχὴ τοῦ Ὁρθρου

(The Faithful Stand)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

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

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

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἄμήν.

Amen.

A. Heavenly King

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O God, glory to You.

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

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.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἄμήν.

Amen.

B. Trisagion Prayers.

Τρισάγιον.

Trisagion Prayers.

Ἅγιος ὁ Θεός, ἅγιος Ἰσχυρός, ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (3)

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι· καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμήν.

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

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

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.

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

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι· καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμήν.

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

1. Lord's prayer

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 ὀφειλόμενα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκῃς ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

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.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

By the prayers of the Holy Fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy on us.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἄμήν.

Amen.

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ')

Lord, have mercy. (12)

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἄμήν.

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

2. Come let us worship...

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν τῷ βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

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

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν Χριστῷ τῷ βασιλεῖ ἡμῶν Θεῷ.

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

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

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

C. Psalm 19 (20).

Ψαλμὸς ΙΘ' (19).

(This Psalm is chanted in monotone, while the Priest censures the Iconostas and the Congregation with the "Katzion," a small hand-censer.

Psalm 19 (20).

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. Δώη 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 ἔγνω ὅτι ἔσωσε Κύριος τὸν χριστὸν αὐτοῦ· ἐπακούσεται αὐτοῦ ἐξ οὐρανοῦ ἁγίου αὐτοῦ· ἐν δυναστείαις ἢ σωτηρία 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 ἧ ἂν ἡμέρᾳ ἐπικαλεσώμεθά σε.

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; 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.

D. Psalm 20 (21).

Ψαλμὸς Κ' (20).

Psalm 20 (21).

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 ἔστέρησας αὐτόν. Ὅτι προσέφθασας αὐτόν ἐν εὐλογίαις χρηστότητος, ἔθηκας ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ στέφανον ἐκ λίθου τιμίου. Ζωὴν ἠτήσατό σε, καὶ ἔδωκας αὐτῷ, μακρότητα ἡμερῶν εἰς αἶωνα αἰῶνος. Μεγάλῃ ἢ δόξᾳ αὐτοῦ ἐν τῷ σωτηρίῳ σου, δόξαν καὶ μεγαλοπρέπειαν ἐπιθήσεις ἐπ' αὐτόν. Ὅτι δώσεις αὐτῷ εὐλογίαν εἰς αἶωνα αἰῶνος, εὐφρανεῖς αὐτόν ἐν χαρᾷ μετὰ τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ὅτι ὁ βασιλεὺς ἐλπίζει ἐπὶ Κύριον καὶ ἐν τῷ ἑλέει τοῦ ὑψίστου οὐ μὴ σαλευθῆ. Εὐρεθεὶ ἡ χεὶρ σου πᾶσι τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου, ἡ δεξιὰ σου εὖροι πάντας τοὺς μισοῦντάς σε. Ὅτι θήσεις αὐτοὺς εἰς κλίβανον πυρὸς εἰς καῖρὸν τοῦ προσώπου σου. Κύριε ἐν ὀργῇ αὐτοῦ συνταράξει αὐτούς, καὶ καταφάγεται αὐτοὺς πῦρ. Τὸν καρπὸν αὐτῶν ἀπὸ γῆς ἀπολεῖς καὶ τὸ σπέρμα αὐτῶν ἀπὸ

οὐρανῶν ἀνθρώπων. Ὅτι ἐκλιναν εἰς σὲ κακά, διελογίσαντο βουλάς, αἷς οὐ μὴ δύνωνται στῆναι. Ὅτι θήσεις αὐτοὺς νῶτον· ἐν τοῖς περιλοίοις σου ἐτοιμάσεις τὸ πρόσωπον αὐτῶν. Ὑψώθητι, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ δυνάμει σου· ἔσομεν καὶ φαλοῦμεν τὰς δυναστείας σου.

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.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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

E. Trisagion Prayers.

Τρισάγιον.

Trisagion Prayers.

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

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι· καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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

1. Lord's prayer

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 ῥύσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

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.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

By the prayers of the Holy Fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy on us.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

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

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Ὁ ὑψωθείς ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ ἐκουσίως, τῇ ἐπωνύμῳ σου καινῇ πολιτείᾳ τοὺς οἰκτιροῦσά σου δώρησαι, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός· εὐφρανόν ἐν τῇ δυνάμει σου τοὺς πιστοὺς βασιλεῖς ἡμῶν, νίκας χορηγῶν αὐτοῖς κατὰ τῶν πολεμίων· τὴν συμμάχίαν ἔχουσαν τὴν σὴν, ὅπλον εἰρήνης, ἀήττητον τρόπαιον.

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.

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

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

Προστασία φοβερὰ καὶ ἀκαταίσχυντε, μὴ παρίδῃς, Ἀγαθὴ, τὰς ἱκεσίας ἡμῶν, πανύμνητε Θεοτόκε· στήριξον Ὁρθοδόξων πολιτείαν, σῶζε οὐδὲν ἐκέλευσας βασιλεύειν, καὶ χορηγῇ αὐτοῖς οὐρανόθεν τὴν νίκη· διότι ἔτεκες τὸν Θεόν, μόνη εὐλογημένη.

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.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, δεόμεθά σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

Again we pray for pious and Orthodox Christians.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν (δεῖνος).

Again we pray for our Archbishop (name).

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ὅτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόνητος 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.

For You are merciful and benevolent God, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἀμήν. Ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου εὐλόγησον, πάτερ.

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

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Δόξα τῇ ἁγίᾳ καὶ ὁμοουσίῳ καὶ ζωοποιῷ καὶ ἀδιαίρετῳ Τριάδι πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

Glory to the holy and consubstantial and life-creating and undivided Trinity always, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

1. THE SIX PSALMS

Ὁ Ἐξαψαλμος.

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Ἐξαψάλμου.
Stand for the reading of the Six Psalms.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνη, ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία. (3)

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will among men. (3)

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

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

A. Psalm 3.

Ψαλμὸς Γ' (3).

(The Faithful Sit)

Psalm 3.

Κύριε, τί ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ θλιβόντές 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 ἁγίου αὐτοῦ. Ἐγὼ δὲ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὑπνωσα. ἐξηγέρθη, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταιί μου. Οὐ φοβηθήσομαι ἀπὸ μυριάδων λαοῦ τῶν κύκλῳ συνεπιτιθεμένων μοι. Ἀνάστα, Κύριε, σῶσόν με ὁ Θεός μου, ὅτι σὺ ἐπάταξας πάντας τοὺς ἐχθραίνοντάς μοι ματαιῶς, ὀδόντας ἁμαρτωλῶν συνέτριψας. Τοῦ Κυρίου ἡ σωτηρία, καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν λαόν σου ἡ εὐλογία σου.

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.

Ἐγὼ ἐκοιμήθην καὶ ὑπνωσα. ἐξηγέρθη, ὅτι Κύριος ἀντιλήψεταιί μου.

I lay down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord will help me. [SAAS]

B. Psalm 37 (38).

Ψαλμὸς ΛΖ' (37).

Psalm 37 (38).

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

μῶλωπές μου ἀπὸ προσώπου τῆς ἀφροσύνης μου. Ἐταλαιπώρησα καὶ κατεκάμφθην ἕως τέλους, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν σκυθρωπάζων ἐπορευόμεν. Ὅτι αἱ φόβαι μου ἐπλήσθησαν ἐμπαιγμάτων, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν ἴσσις ἐν τῇ σαρκί μου. Ἐκακώθην καὶ ἐταπεινώθην ἕως σφόδρα, ὠρυόμεν 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 ἰσχύς 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 κωφός 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' ἐμέ ἐμεγαλορρήμονησαν. Ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰς μάστιγας ἔτοιμος, καὶ ἡ ἀλγηδὼν μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἔστι διὰ παντός. Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ ἀναγγελεῶ καὶ μεριμνήσω ὑπὲρ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου. Οἱ δὲ ἐχθροί μου ζῶσι καὶ κεκραταίνονται ὑπὲρ ἐμέ, καὶ ἐπληθύνθησαν οἱ μισοῦντές με ἀδίκως. Οἱ ἀνταποδίδοντές μοι κακὰ ἀντὶ ἀγαθῶν ἐνδιεβαλλόν με, ἐπεὶ κατεδίωκον ἀγαθωσύνην. Μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς με, Κύριε ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ ἀποστῆς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Πρόσχευ εἰς τὴν βοήθειάν μου, Κύριε τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

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 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 me 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.

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

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

C. Psalm 62 (63).

Ψαλμὸς ΞΒ' (62).

Psalm 62 (63).

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Θεός μου, πρὸς σὲ ὀρθρίζω. Ἐδίψησέ σε ἡ ψυχὴ μου, ποσαπλῶς σοι ἢ σὰρξ μου, ἐν γῆ ἐρήμῳ καὶ ἀβάτῳ καὶ ἀνύδρῳ. Οὕτως ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ ὤφθην σοι τοῦ ἰδεῖν τὴν δύναμίν σου καὶ τὴν δόξαν σου. Ὅτι κρεῖσσον τὸ ἔλεός σου ὑπὲρ ζωάς· τὰ χεῖλη μου ἐπαινέσουσί σε. Οὕτως εὐλογῆσω σε ἐν τῇ ζωῇ μου, καὶ ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου ἄρῶ τὰς χεῖράς μου. Ὡς ἐκ στέατος καὶ πιότητος ἐμπλησθεῖν 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 σκέπῃ 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 ὀμνύων ἐν αὐτῷ, ὅτι ἐνεφράγη στόμα λαλούντων ἄδικα.

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, 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.

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

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. [SAAS]

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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

Ἀλληλοῦῖα. Ἀλληλοῦῖα. Ἀλληλοῦῖα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός. (3)

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God. (3)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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

D. Psalm 87 (88).

Ψαλμὸς ΠΖ' (87)

Psalm 87 (88).

Κύριε ὁ Θεός 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 ψυχὴ μου, καὶ ἡ ζωὴ μου τῷ ἄδῃ ἤγγισε. Προσελογίσθη μετὰ τῶν καταβαινόντων εἰς λάκκον, ἐγενήθη ὡσεὶ ἄνθρωπος ἀβοήθητος, ἐν νεκροῖς ἐλεύθερος, ὡσεὶ τραυματῖα καθεδόντες 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 θυμός σου, καὶ πάντας 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 ἱατροὶ 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 γῆ ἐπιλεησμένη; Κἀγὼ πρὸς σέ, Κύριε, ἐκέκραξα, καὶ τὸ πρῶτ' 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, ὑψωθείς δὲ ἐταπεινώθη καὶ ἐξηπορήθη. Ἐπ' ἐμὲ διήλθον 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 τάλαιπωρίας.

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.

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.

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. [SAAS]

E. Psalm 102 (103).

Ψαλμὸς PB' (102).

Psalm 102 (103).

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 εὐίλατεῦντα 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, ἀνακαινοθήσεται ὡς ἀετοῦ ἡ νεότης σου. Ποιῶν ἐλεημοσύνας ὁ Κύριος καὶ κρῖμα πᾶσι τοῖς ἀδικουμένοις. Ἐγνώρισε τὰς ὁδοὺς αὐτοῦ τῷ Μωϋσῆ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραὴλ τὰ θελήματα αὐτοῦ. Οἰκτίρων καὶ ἐλεῆμων ὁ Κύριος, μακρόθυμος καὶ πολυέλεος· οὐκ εἰς τέλος ὀργισθήσεται, οὐδὲ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα μνησθήσεται. Οὐ κατὰ τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν ἐποίησεν ἡμῖν, οὐδὲ κατὰ τὰς ἁμαρτίας 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, ἐμάχρυνεν ἀφ' ἡμῶν τὰς ἀνομίας ἡμῶν. Καθὼς οἰκτρεῖ πατὴρ υἱούς, ὡκτίρησε Κύριος τοὺς φοβουμένους αὐτόν, ὅτι αὐτὸς ἔγνω τὸ πλάσμα ἡμῶν, ἐμήσθη 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 ἔτι 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 μεμνημένοι τῶν ἐντολῶν αὐτοῦ τοῦ ποιῆσαι αὐτάς. Κύριος ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ ἠτοίμασε

τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἡ βασιλεία αὐτοῦ πάντων δεσπόζει. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντες οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτοῦ, δυνατοὶ ἰσχυροῦ, ποιῶντες τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ, τοῦ ἀκοῦσαι τῆς φωνῆς τῶν λόγων αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πᾶσαι αἱ Δυνάμεις αὐτοῦ, λειτουργοὶ αὐτοῦ, ποιῶντες τὸ θέλημα αὐτοῦ. Εὐλογεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντα τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ, ἐν παντὶ τόπῳ τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ· εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον.

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.

Ἐν παντὶ τόπῳ τῆς δεσποτείας αὐτοῦ· εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον.

In all places of His dominion; Bless the Lord, O my soul. [SAAS]

F. Psalm 142 (143).

Ψαλμὸς PMB' (142).

Psalm 142 (143).

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 δικαιωθήσεται ἐνώπιόν σου πᾶς ζῶν. Ὅτι κατεδίωξεν ὁ ἐχθρὸς τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ἐταπεινώσεν εἰς γῆν τὴν ζωὴν μου, ἐκάθισέ με ἐν σκοτεινοῖς ὡς νεκροῦς 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 σέ τὰς χεῖράς μου, ἡ ψυχὴ μου ὡς γῆ ἄνυδρός σοι. Ταχὺ εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε, ἐξέλιπε τὸ πνεῦμά μου· μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, καὶ ὁμοιωθῆσομαι τοῖς καταβαίνουσιν εἰς λάκκον. Ἀκουστὸν ποίησόν μοι τὸ πρῶτ' ἡ ἐλεός σου, ὅτι ἐπὶ σοὶ ἤλπισα· γνώρισόν μοι, Κύριε, ὁδόν, ἐν ἣ πορεύσομαι, ὅτι πρὸς σέ ἦρα τὴν ψυχὴν μου· ἐξελοῦ με ἐκ τῶν ἐχθρῶν μου, Κύριε· πρὸς σέ κατέφυγον. Δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου· τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με ἐν γῆ εὐθείᾳ. Ἐνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου, Κύριε, ζήσεις με· ἐν τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ σου ἐξάξεις ἐκ θλίψεως τὴν ψυχὴν μου· καὶ ἐν τῷ ἐλέει σου ἐξολοθρεύσεις τοὺς ἐχθρούς μου· καὶ ἀπολείς πάντας τοὺς θλίβοντας τὴν ψυχὴν μου, ὅτι ἐγὼ δοῦλός σου εἰμι.

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.

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

Answer me in Your righteousness, O Lord. Do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

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

Answer me in Your righteousness, O Lord. Do not enter into judgment with Your servant.

Τὸ πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ὁδηγήσει με ἐν γῆ εὐθείᾳ.

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

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

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

Mode pl. 4. Ga=F.

Diatonic

U F C
Al - le - lu - i-

F U F C
a. Al - le - lu - i-

F
a. Al - le - lu - i-

F
a.

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.
 Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.
 Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.
 Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. Glory to You, O God.
 (χῦμα)
 (intoned)
 Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Δόξα σοι, ὁ Θεός.
 Ἡ ἐλπίς ἡμῶν, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

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

2. GREAT SYNAPTE (LITANY OF PEACE)

(The Faithful Stand)

LITANY OF PEACE

Plagal Fourth Mode

Ἦχος λ̣ δ̣ Νη ρ

Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - cy.

Lord, have mer - cy. Lord, have mer - - - cy.

To you, O Lord.

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{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.
In peace let us pray to the Lord.

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)
CHOIR (after each petition)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Lord, have mercy.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ἐπεὶ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

Ἐπεὶ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν (δεῖνος), τοῦ τιμίου πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας, παντὸς τοῦ κλήρου καὶ τοῦ λαοῦ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

For our Archbishop (name), for the honorable presbyterate, for the diaconate in Christ, and for all the clergy and the people, let us pray to the Lord.

Ἐπεὶ τοῦ εὐσεβοῦς ἡμῶν γένους, τοῦ προέδρου καὶ πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας ἐν τῷ κράτει ἡμῶν, καὶ τοῦ κατὰ ξηρὰν θάλασσαν καὶ ἀέρα φιλοχρίστου ἡμῶν στρατοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

Ἐπεὶ τῆς Ἁγίας τοῦ Χριστοῦ Μεγάλης Ἐκκλησίας, τῆς Ἱερᾶς ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπῆς, [τῆς Ἱερᾶς Μητροπόλεως ταύτης,] τῆς πόλεως καὶ κοινότητος ταύτης, πάσης πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

For the Holy and Great Church of Christ, for our Sacred Archdiocese, [for this Sacred Metropolis,] for this city and parish, for every city and land, and for the faithful who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

Ἐπεὶ εὐκрасίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν καρπῶν τῆς γῆς καὶ καιρῶν εἰρηνικῶν τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

For favorable weather, for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord.

Ἐπεὶ πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσοῦντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

Ἐπεὶ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and distress, let us pray to the Lord.

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

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

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.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Σοί, Κύριε.

To You, O Lord.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ὅτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

For to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἄμην.

Amen.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Mode pl. 4.

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

Verse 1: My spirit rises early in the morning to You, O God, for Your commands are a light upon the earth.

[SAAS]

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Στίχ. β'. Δικαιοσύνην μάθετε, οἱ ἐνοικοῦντες ἐπὶ τῆς

γῆς.

Verse 2: Learn righteousness, you who dwell on the earth.

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

Στίχ. γ'. Ζῆλος λήψεται λαὸν ἀπαίδευτον, καὶ νῦν πῦρ τοὺς ὑπεναντίους ἕδεται.

Verse 3: Jealousy will seize an untaught people; and now fire will devour the adversaries.

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

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

Verse 4: Bring more evils on them, O Lord, bring more evils on them, on the glorious of the earth.

Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα. Ἄλληλούϊα.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

A. Troparion. Mode pl. 4.

Τροπάριον. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Mode pl. 4. *Ga=F*.

Diatonic

8 Ο-τε οι εν - δο-ξοι Μα-θη - ται εν τω νι - πτη-ρι του

8 Δει-πνου ε - φω - τι - ζον - το, το - τε Ι - ου - δας ο

8 δυσ-σε - βης φι - λαρ-γυ - ρι-αν νο - ση-σας ε - σκο - τι -

8 - ζε - το, και α - νο - μοις κρι-ταις σε τον δι-και-ον Κρι-την

8 πα - ρα - δι - δω - σι. Βλε - πε χρη - μα-των ε-ρα - στα,

8 τον δι - α ταυ-τα αγ - χο-νη χρη - σα - με - νον.

8 Φευ - γε α - κο-ρε-στον ψυ - χην, την Δι-δα - σκα-λω τοι - αυ-τα

8 τολ - μη - σα - σαν. Ο πε-ρι παν-τας α-γα - θος, Κυ -

8 ρι - ε, δο - ξα σοι.

Troparion. Mode pl. 4. Ga=F.

Diatonic

8 While the glo - ri - ous Dis - ci - ples were be-ing il-
 8 - lu-mined at the wash-ing of the feet dur-ing the Sup - per,
 8 then, too, did Ju-das the un - god-ly one, suc - cumb to dark-ness, be-ing
 8 sick with av - a - rice. And he de - liv - ered You, the right-eous
 8 Judge, to law - less judg - es. Look here, O lov - er of
 8 mon - ey, and see the one who for mon-ey's sake hanged him-
 8 self. Flee from the greed that made him dare com-mit such a deed a-
 8 gainst the Teach - er. O Lord be - nev - o - lent to all,
 8 glo - ry be to You!

Final Ending

8 glo - ry be to You!

Troparion. Mode pl. 4.

Ὅτε οἱ ἔνδοξοι Μαθηταί, ἐν τῷ νιπτῆρι τοῦ Δείπνου ἐφωτίζοντο, τότε Ἰούδας ὁ δυσσεβής, φιλαργυρίαν νοστήσας ἐσκοτίζετο, καὶ ἀνόμοις κριταῖς, σὲ τὸν δίκαιον Κριτὴν παραδίδωσι. Βλέπε χρημάτων ἐραστά, τὸν διὰ ταῦτα ἀγγόνη χρησάμενον· φευγε ἀκόρεστον ψυχὴν, τὴν Διδασκάλω τοιαῦτα τολμήσασαν. Ὁ περὶ πάντας ἀγαθός, Κύριε δόξα σοι. (3)

While the glorious Disciples were being illumined at the washing of the feet during the Supper, then, too, did Judas the ungodly one, succumb to darkness, being sick with avarice. And he delivered You, the righteous Judge, to lawless judges. Look here, O lover of money, and see the one who for money's sake hanged himself. Flee from the greed that made him dare commit such a deed against the Teacher. O Lord benevolent to all, glory be to You. (3)

3. GOSPEL 1

Τῆ Ἁγία καὶ Μεγάλη Πέμπτη Ἑσπέρας Εὐαγγέλιον Πρῶτον

GOSPEL 1
ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)
Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.
Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}
Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.
And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.
The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.
Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.
Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

(Κεφ. ιγ' 31-38)

(13:31-38)

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος τοῖς ἑαυτοῦ μαθηταῖς· νῦν ἐδοξάσθη ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου, καὶ ὁ Θεὸς ἐδοξάσθη ἐν αὐτῷ. εἰ ὁ Θεὸς ἐδοξάσθη ἐν αὐτῷ, καὶ ὁ Θεὸς δοξάσει αὐτὸν ἐν ἑαυτῷ, καὶ εὐθὺς δοξάσει αὐτόν. τεκνία, ἔτι μικρὸν μεθ' ὑμῶν εἰμι. ζητήσετέ με, καὶ καθὼς εἶπον τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις ὅτι ὅπου ὑπάγω ἐγώ, ὑμεῖς οὐ δύνασθε ἐλθεῖν, καὶ ὑμῖν λέγω ἄρτι. ἐντολὴν καινὴν δίδωμι ὑμῖν ἵνα ἀγαπᾶτε ἀλλήλους, καθὼς ἠγάπησα ὑμᾶς ἵνα καὶ ὑμεῖς ἀγαπᾶτε ἀλλήλους. ἐν τούτῳ γινώσκονται πάντες ὅτι ἐμοὶ μαθηταὶ ἐστε, ἐὰν ἀγάπην ἔχητε ἐν ἀλλήλοις. Λέγει αὐτῷ Σίμων Πέτρος· Κύριε, ποῦ ὑπάγεις; ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ὅπου ἐγὼ ὑπάγω, οὐ δύνασά μοι νῦν ἀκολουθῆσαι, ὕστερον δὲ ἀκολουθήσεις μοι. λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Πέτρος· Κύριε, διατί οὐ δύναμαί σοι ἀκολουθῆσαι ἄρτι; τὴν ψυχὴν μου ὑπὲρ σοῦ θήσω. ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· τὴν ψυχὴν σου ὑπὲρ ἐμοῦ θήσεις! ἀμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω σοι, οὐ μὴ ἀλέκτωρ φωνήσει ἕως οὗ ἀπαρνήσῃ με τρίς.

The Lord said to his disciples, "Now is the Son of man glorified, and in him God is glorified; if God is glorified in him, God will also glorify him in himself, and glorify him at once. Little children, yet a little while I am with you. You will seek me; and as I said to the Jews so now I say to you, 'Where I am going you cannot come.' A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; even as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." Simon Peter said to him, "Lord, where are you going?" Jesus answered, "Where I am going you cannot follow me now; but you shall follow afterward." Peter said to him, "Lord, why cannot I follow you now? I will lay down my life for you." Jesus answered, "Will you lay down your life for me? Truly, truly, I say to you, the cock will not crow, till you have denied me three times.

(Κεφ. ιδ')

(Chapter 14)

Μὴ παρασέσθω ὑμῶν ἡ καρδιά· πιστεύετε εἰς τὸν Θεόν, καὶ εἰς ἐμὲ πιστεύετε. ἐν τῇ οἰκίᾳ τοῦ πατρὸς μου μοναὶ πολλαὶ εἰσιν· εἰ δὲ μὴ, εἶπον ἂν ὑμῖν· πορεύομαι ἑτοιμάσαι τόπον ὑμῖν· καὶ ἐὰν πορευθῶ καὶ ἑτοιμάσω ὑμῖν τόπον, πάλιν ἔρχομαι καὶ παραλήψομαι ὑμᾶς πρὸς ἑμαυτόν, ἵνα ὅπου εἰμι ἐγώ, καὶ ὑμεῖς ἦτε. καὶ ὅπου ἐγὼ ὑπάγω οἶδατε, καὶ τὴν ὁδὸν οἶδατε. Λέγει αὐτῷ Θωμᾶς· Κύριε, οὐκ οἶδαμεν ποῦ ὑπάγεις· καὶ πῶς δυνάμεθα τὴν ὁδὸν εἰδέναι; λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἐγὼ εἰμι ἡ ὁδὸς καὶ ἡ ἀλήθεια καὶ ἡ ζωὴ· οὐδεὶς ἔρχεται πρὸς τὸν πατέρα εἰ μὴ δι' ἐμοῦ. εἰ ἐγνώκειτέ με, καὶ τὸν πατέρα μου ἐγνώκειτε ἂν. καὶ ἂν ἄρτι γινώσχετε αὐτὸν καὶ ἐωράκατε αὐτόν. Λέγει αὐτῷ Φίλιππος· Κύριε, δεῖξον ἡμῖν τὸν πατέρα καὶ ἀρκεῖ ἡμῖν. λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· τοσοῦτον χρόνον μεθ' ὑμῶν εἰμι, καὶ οὐκ ἔγνωκάς με, Φίλιππε; ὁ ἐωρακώς ἐμὲ ἐώρακε τὸν πατέρα· καὶ πῶς σὺ λέγεις, δεῖξον ἡμῖν τὸν πατέρα; οὐ πιστεύεις ὅτι ἐγὼ ἐν τῷ πατρὶ καὶ ὁ πατὴρ ἐν ἐμοὶ ἐστι; τὰ ῥήματα ἃ ἐγὼ λαλῶ ὑμῖν, ἂν ἐμαυτοῦ οὐ λαλῶ· ὁ δὲ πατὴρ ὁ ἐν ἐμοὶ μένων αὐτὸς ποιεῖ τὰ ἔργα. πιστεύετέ μοι ὅτι ἐγὼ

ἐν τῷ πατρὶ καὶ ὁ πατήρ ἐν ἐμοί· εἰ δὲ μή, διὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτὰ πιστεύετε μοι. ἀμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν, ὁ πιστεύων εἰς ἐμέ, τὰ ἔργα ἃ ἐγὼ ποιῶ κάκεινος ποιήσει, καὶ μείζονα τούτων ποιήσει, ὅτι ἐγὼ πρὸς τὸν πατέρα μου πορεύομαι, καὶ ὅ,τι ἂν αἰτήσητε ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου, τοῦτο ποιήσω, ἵνα δοξασθῇ ὁ πατήρ ἐν τῷ υἱῷ. ἐὰν τι αἰτήσητε ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου, ἐγὼ ποιήσω. Ἐὰν ἀγαπᾶτέ με, τὰς ἐντολὰς τὰς ἐμὰς τηρήσατε, καὶ ἐγὼ ἐρωτήσω τὸν πατέρα καὶ ἄλλον παρόκλητον δώσει ὑμῖν, ἵνα μένη μεθ' ὑμῶν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς ἀληθείας, ὃ ὁ κόσμος οὐ δύναται λαβεῖν, ὅτι οὐ θεωρεῖ αὐτὸ οὐδὲ γινώσκει αὐτό· ὑμεῖς δὲ γινώσκετε αὐτό, ὅτι παρ' ὑμῖν μένει καὶ ἐν ὑμῖν ἔσται. οὐκ ἀφήσω ὑμᾶς ὀρφανούς· ἔρχομαι πρὸς ὑμᾶς. ἔτι μικρὸν καὶ ὁ κόσμος με οὐκέτι θεωρεῖ, ὑμεῖς δὲ θεωρεῖτέ με, ὅτι ἐγὼ ζῶ καὶ ὑμεῖς ζήσεσθε. ἐν ἐκείνῃ τῇ ἡμέρᾳ γνώσεσθε ὑμεῖς ὅτι ἐγὼ ἐν τῷ πατρὶ μου καὶ ὑμεῖς ἐν ἐμοί καὶ ἐν ὑμῖν. ὁ ἔχων τὰς ἐντολὰς μου καὶ τηρῶν αὐτάς, ἐκεῖνός ἐστιν ὁ ἀγαπῶν με· ὁ δὲ ἀγαπῶν με ἀγαπηθήσεται ὑπὸ τοῦ πατρὸς μου, καὶ ἐγὼ ἀγαπήσω αὐτὸν καὶ ἐμφανίσω αὐτῷ ἐμαυτόν. Λέγει αὐτῷ Ἰούδας, οὐχ ὁ Ἰσκαριώτης· Κύριε, καὶ τί γέγονεν ὅτι ἡμῖν μέλλεις ἐμφανίζειν σεαυτὸν καὶ οὐχὶ τῷ κόσμῳ; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ἐὰν τις ἀγαπᾷ με, τὸν λόγον μου τηρήσει, καὶ ὁ πατήρ μου ἀγαπήσει αὐτόν, καὶ πρὸς αὐτὸν ἐλευσόμεθα καὶ μονὴν παρ' αὐτῷ ποιήσομεν. ὁ μὴ ἀγαπῶν με τοὺς λόγους μου οὐ τηρεῖ· καὶ ὁ λόγος ὃν ἀκούετε οὐκ ἔστιν ἐμός, ἀλλὰ τοῦ πέμψαντός με πατρὸς. Ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν παρ' ὑμῖν μένων· ὁ δὲ παράκλητος, τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἅγιον ὃ πέμψει ὁ πατήρ ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου, ἐκεῖνος ὑμᾶς διδάξει πάντα καὶ ὑπομνήσει ὑμᾶς πάντα ἃ εἶπον ὑμῖν. Εἰρήνην ἀφίημι ὑμῖν, εἰρήνην τὴν ἐμὴν δίδωμι ὑμῖν· οὐ καθὼς ὁ κόσμος δίδωσιν, ἐγὼ δίδωμι ὑμῖν. μὴ ταρασσέσθω ὑμῶν ἡ καρδιά μηδὲ δειλιάτω. ἠκούσατε ὅτι ἐγὼ εἶπον ὑμῖν, ὑπάγω καὶ ἔρχομαι πρὸς ὑμᾶς· εἰ ἠγαπᾶτέ με, ἐχάρητε ἂν ὅτι εἶπον, πορεύομαι πρὸς τὸν πατέρα· ὅτι ὁ πατήρ μου μείζων μου ἔστι· καὶ νῦν εἶρηκα ὑμῖν πρὶν γενέσθαι, ἵνα ὅταν γένηται πιστεύσητε. οὐκέτι πολλὰ λαλήσω μεθ' ὑμῶν· ἔρχεται γὰρ ὁ τοῦ κόσμου ἄρχων, καὶ ἐν ἐμοί οὐκ ἔχει οὐδέν· ἀλλ' ἵνα γινῶ ὁ κόσμος ὅτι ἀγαπῶ τὸν πατέρα, καὶ καθὼς ἐνετείλατό μοι ὁ πατήρ, οὕτω ποιῶ. ἐγείρεσθε ἄγωμεν ἐντετυθεν.

“Let not your hearts be troubled; believe in God, believe also in me. In my Father’s house are many rooms; if it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way where I am going.” Thomas said to him, “Lord, we do not know where you are going; how can we know the way?” Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but by me. If you had known me, you would have known my Father also; henceforth you know him and have seen him.” Philip said to him, “Lord, show us the Father, and we shall be satisfied.” Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and yet you do not know me, Philip? He who has seen me has seen the Father; how can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own authority; but the Father

who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father in me; or else believe me for the sake of the works themselves. Truly, truly, I say to you, he who believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I go to the Father. Whatever you ask in my name, I will do it, that the Father may be glorified in the Son; if you ask anything in my name, I will do it. If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will pray the Father, and he will give you another Counselor, to be with you for ever, even the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him; you know him, for he dwells with you, and will be in you. I will not leave you desolate; I will come to you. Yet a little while, and the world will see me no more, but you will see me; because I live, you will live also. In that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you. He who has my commandments and keeps them, he it is who loves me; and he who loves me will be loved by my Father, and I will love him and manifest myself to him.” Judas (not Iscariot) said to him, “Lord, how is it that you will manifest yourself to us, and not to the world?” Jesus answered him, “If a man loves me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come to him and make our home with him. He who does not love me does not keep my words; and the word which you hear is not mine but the Father’s who sent me. These things I have spoken to you, while I am still with you. But the Counselor, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, he will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all that I have said to you. Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you; not as the world gives do I give to you. Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid. You heard me say to you, ‘I go away, and I will come to you.’ If you loved me, you would have rejoiced, because I go to the Father; for the Father is greater than I. And now I have told you before it takes place, so that when it does take place, you may believe. I will no longer talk much with you, for the ruler of this world is coming. He has no power over me; but I do as the Father has commanded me, so that the world may know that I love the Father. Rise, let us go hence.

(Κεφ. ιε')

(Chapter 15)

Ἐγὼ εἰμι ἡ ἄμπελος ἡ ἀληθινή, καὶ ὁ πατήρ μου ὁ γεωργός ἐστι. πᾶν κλῆμα ἐν ἐμοί μὴ φέρον καρπὸν, αἶρει αὐτό, καὶ πᾶν τὸ καρπὸν φέρον, καθαίρει αὐτό, ἵνα πλείονα καρπὸν φέρῃ. ἦδη ὑμεῖς καθαροὶ ἐστε διὰ τὸν λόγον ὃν λελάληκα ὑμῖν. μείνατε ἐν ἐμοί, καὶ ἐν ὑμῖν. καθὼς τὸ κλῆμα οὐ δύναται καρπὸν φέρειν ἄφ' ἑαυτοῦ, ἐὰν μὴ μείνη ἐν τῇ ἀμπέλῳ, οὕτως οὐδὲ ὑμεῖς, ἐὰν μὴ ἐν ἐμοί μείνητε. ἐγὼ εἰμι ἡ ἄμπελος, ὑμεῖς τὰ κλήματα. ὁ μένων ἐν ἐμοί καὶ ἐν ἐμοί, οὗτος φέρει καρπὸν πολύν, ὅτι χωρὶς ἐμοῦ οὐ δύνασθε ποιεῖν οὐδέν. ἐὰν μὴ τις μείνη ἐν ἐμοί, ἐβλήθη ἔξω ὡς τὸ κλῆμα καὶ ἐξηράνηθη, καὶ συνάγουσιν αὐτὰ καὶ εἰς τὸ πῦρ βάλλουσι, καὶ καίεται. ἐὰν μείνητε ἐν ἐμοί καὶ τὰ ῥήματά μου ἐν ὑμῖν μείνη, ὃ ἐὰν θέλητε

αἰτήσασθε, καὶ γενήσεται ὑμῖν. ἐν τούτῳ ἐδοξάσθη ὁ πατήρ μου, ἵνα καρπὸν πολλὸν φέριτε, καὶ γενήσεσθε ἐμοὶ μαθηταί. καθὼς ἠγάπησέ με ὁ πατήρ, καὶ γὰρ ἠγάπησα ὑμᾶς· μέννατε ἐν τῇ ἀγάπῃ τῇ ἐμῇ. ἐὰν τὰς ἐντολάς μου τηρήσητε, μενεῖτε ἐν τῇ ἀγάπῃ μου, καθὼς ἐγὼ τὰς ἐντολάς τοῦ πατρὸς μου τηρήρηκα καὶ μένω αὐτοῦ ἐν τῇ ἀγάπῃ. Ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν ἵνα ἡ χαρὰ ἡ ἐμὴ ἐν ὑμῖν μείνη καὶ ἡ χαρὰ ὑμῶν πληρωθῇ. αὕτη ἐστὶν ἡ ἐντολὴ ἡ ἐμὴ, ἵνα ἀγαπᾶτε ἀλλήλους καθὼς ἠγάπησα ὑμᾶς. μείζονα ταύτης ἀγάπην οὐδεὶς ἔχει, ἵνα τις τὴν ψυχὴν αὐτοῦ θῆ ὑπὲρ τῶν φίλων αὐτοῦ. ὑμεῖς φίλοι μου ἐστε, ἐὰν ποιῆτε ὅσα ἐγὼ ἐντέλλομαι ὑμῖν. οὐκέτι ὑμᾶς λέγω δούλους, ὅτι ὁ δούλος οὐκ οἶδε τί ποιεῖ αὐτοῦ ὁ κύριος· ὑμᾶς δὲ εἶρηκα φίλους, ὅτι πάντα ἃ ἤκουσα παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς μου ἐγνώρισα ὑμῖν. οὐχ ὑμεῖς με ἐξελέξασθε, ἀλλ' ἐγὼ ἐξελεξάμην ὑμᾶς, καὶ ἔθηκα ὑμᾶς ἵνα ὑμεῖς ὑπάγητε καὶ καρπὸν φέριτε, καὶ ὁ καρπὸς ὑμῶν μείνη, ἵνα ὅ,τι ἂν αἰτήσητε τὸν πατέρα ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου, δῶ ὑμῖν. ταῦτα ἐντέλλομαι ὑμῖν, ἵνα ἀγαπᾶτε ἀλλήλους. Εἰ ὁ κόσμος ὑμᾶς μισεῖ, γινώσκετε ὅτι ἐμὲ πρῶτον ὑμῶν μεμίσηκεν. εἰ ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου ἦτε, ὁ κόσμος ἂν τὸ ἴδιον ἐφίλει. ὅτι δὲ ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου οὐκ ἐστέ, ἀλλ' ἐγὼ ἐξελεξάμην ὑμᾶς ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου, διὰ τοῦτο μισεῖ ὑμᾶς ὁ κόσμος. μνημονεύετε τοῦ λόγου οὗ ἐγὼ εἶπον ὑμῖν· οὐκ ἔστι δούλος μείζων τοῦ κυρίου αὐτοῦ. εἰ ἐμὲ ἐδίωξαν, καὶ τὸν ὑμέτερον τηρήσουσιν· εἰ τὸν λόγον μου ἐτήρησαν, καὶ τὸν ὑμέτερον τηρήσουσιν. ἀλλὰ ταῦτα πάντα ποιήσουσιν ὑμῖν διὰ τὸ ὄνομά μου, ὅτι οὐκ οἶδασιν τὸν πέμψαντά με. εἰ μὴ ἦλθον καὶ ἐλάλησα αὐτοῖς, ἀμαρτίαν οὐκ εἶχον· νῦν δὲ πρόφασιν οὐκ ἔχουσι περὶ τῆς ἀμαρτίας αὐτῶν. ὁ ἐμὲ μισῶν καὶ τὸν πατέρα μου μισεῖ. εἰ τὰ ἔργα μὴ ἐποίησα ἐν αὐτοῖς ἃ οὐδεὶς ἄλλος πεποίηκεν, ἀμαρτίαν οὐκ εἶχον· νῦν δὲ καὶ ἐωράκασι καὶ μεμισήκασι καὶ ἐμὲ καὶ τὸν πατέρα μου. ἀλλ' ἵνα πληρωθῇ ὁ λόγος ὁ γεγραμμένος ἐν τῷ νόμῳ αὐτῶν, ὅτι ἐμίσησάν με δωρεάν. ὅταν δὲ ἔλθῃ ὁ παράκλητος ὃν ἐγὼ πέμψω ὑμῖν παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς, τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς ἀληθείας ὃ παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς ἐκπορεύεται, ἐκεῖνος μαρτυρήσει περὶ ἐμοῦ· καὶ ὑμεῖς δὲ μαρτυρεῖτε, ὅτι ἀπ' ἀρχῆς μετ' ἐμοῦ ἐστε.

“I am the true vine, and my Father is the vinedresser. Every branch of mine that bears no fruit, he takes away, and every branch that does bear fruit he prunes, that it may bear more fruit. You are already made clean by the word which I have spoken to you. Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in me, and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. If a man does not abide in me, he is cast forth as a branch and withers; and the branches are gathered, thrown into the fire and burned. If you abide in me, and my words abide in you, ask whatever you will, and it shall be done for you. By this my Father is glorified, that you bear much fruit, and so prove to be my disciples. As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you; abide in my love. If you keep my commandments, you will abide in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commandments and abide in his love. These things I have spoken to you, that my joy may be in you, and that your joy may be full. This is

my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. No longer do I call you servants, for the servant does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all that I have heard from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you that you should go and bear fruit and that your fruit should abide; so that whatever you ask the Father in my name, he may give it to you. This I command you, to love one another. If the world hates you, know that it has hated me before it hated you. If you were of the world, the world would love its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A servant is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted me, they will persecute you; if they kept my word, they will keep yours also. But all this they will do to you on my account, because they do not know him who sent me. If I had not come and spoken to them, they would not have sin; but now they have no excuse for their sin. He who hates me hates my Father also. If I had not done among them the works which no one else did, they would not have sin; but now they have seen and hated both me and my Father. It is to fulfill the word that is written in their law, ‘They hated me without a cause.’ But when the Counselor comes, whom I shall send to you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, who proceeds from the Father, he will bear witness to me; and you also are witnesses, because you have been with me from the beginning.

(Κεφ. ιϚ')

(Chapter 16)

Ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν ἵνα μὴ σκανδαλισθῆτε. ἀποσυναγωγὸς ποιήσουσιν ὑμᾶς· ἀλλ' ἔρχεται ὥρα ἵνα πᾶς ὁ ἀποκτείνῃς ὑμᾶς δόξῃ λατρείαν προσφέρειν τῷ Θεῷ. καὶ ταῦτα ποιήσουσιν, ὅτι οὐκ ἐγνώσαν τὸν πατέρα οὐδὲ ἐμέ. ἀλλὰ ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν ἵνα ὅταν ἔλθῃ ἡ ὥρα, μνημονεύητε αὐτῶν ὅτι ἐγὼ εἶπον ὑμῖν. ταῦτα δὲ ὑμῖν ἐξ ἀρχῆς οὐκ εἶπον, ὅτι μεθ' ὑμῶν ἦμην. Νῦν δὲ ὑπάγω πρὸς τὸν πέμψαντά με, καὶ οὐδεὶς ἐξ ὑμῶν ἐρωτᾷ με ποῦ ὑπάγεις! ἀλλ' ὅτι ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν, ἡ λύπη πεπλήρωκεν ὑμῶν τὴν καρδίαν. ἀλλ' ἐγὼ τὴν ἀλήθειαν λέγω ὑμῖν· συμφέρει ὑμῖν ἵνα ἐγὼ ἀπέλθω. ἐὰν γὰρ ἐγὼ μὴ ἀπέλθω, ὁ παράκλητος οὐκ ἐλεύσεται πρὸς ὑμᾶς· ἐὰν δὲ πορευθῶ, πέμψω αὐτὸν πρὸς ὑμᾶς· καὶ ἐλθὼν ἐκεῖνος ἐλέγξει τὸν κόσμον περὶ ἀμαρτίας καὶ περὶ δικαιοσύνης καὶ περὶ κρίσεως. περὶ ἀμαρτίας μὲν, ὅτι οὐ πιστεύουσιν εἰς ἐμέ· περὶ δικαιοσύνης δὲ, ὅτι πρὸς τὸν πατέρα μου ὑπάγω καὶ οὐκέτι θεωρεῖτέ με· περὶ δὲ κρίσεως, ὅτι ὁ ἄρχων τοῦ κόσμου τούτου κέχριται. Ἔτι πολλὰ ἔχω λέγειν ὑμῖν, ἀλλ' οὐ δύνασθε βαστάζειν ἄρτι. ὅταν δὲ ἔλθῃ ἐκεῖνος, τὸ Πνεῦμα τῆς ἀληθείας, ὁδηγήσει ὑμᾶς εἰς πᾶσαν τὴν ἀλήθειαν· οὐ γὰρ λαλήσει ἀφ' ἑαυτοῦ, ἀλλ' ὅσα ἂν ἀκούσῃ καλήσει, καὶ τὰ ἐρχόμενα ἀναγγελεῖ ὑμῖν. ἐκεῖνος ἐμὲ δοξάσει, ὅτι ἐκ τοῦ ἐμοῦ λήψεται καὶ ἀναγγελεῖ ὑμῖν. πάντα ὅσα ἔχει ὁ πατήρ ἐμά ἐστι· διὰ τοῦτο εἶπον ὅτι ἐκ τοῦ ἐμοῦ λήψεται καὶ ἀναγγελεῖ

ὑμῖν. Μικρὸν καὶ οὐ θεωρεῖτέ με, καὶ πάλιν μικρὸν καὶ ὄψεσθέ με, ὅτι ἐγὼ ὑπάγω πρὸς τὸν πατέρα. Εἶπον οὖν ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ πρὸς ἀλλήλους· τί ἐστὶ τοῦτο ὃ λέγει ἡμῖν, μικρὸν καὶ οὐ θεωρεῖτέ με, καὶ πάλιν μικρὸν καὶ ὄψεσθέ με, καὶ ὅτι ἐγὼ ὑπάγω πρὸς τὸν πατέρα; ἔλεγον οὖν· τοῦτο τί ἐστὶν ὃ λέγει τὸ μικρὸν; οὐκ οἶδαμεν τί λαλεῖ. ἔγνω οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὅτι ἤθελον αὐτὸν ἐρωτᾶν, καὶ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· περὶ τούτου ζητεῖτε μετ' ἀλλήλων ὅτι εἶπον, μικρὸν καὶ οὐ θεωρεῖτέ με, καὶ πάλιν μικρὸν καὶ ὄψεσθέ με; ἀμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι κλαύσετε καὶ θρηνησετε ὑμεῖς, ὃ δὲ κόσμος χαρήσεται· ὑμεῖς δὲ λυπηθήσεσθε, ἀλλ' ἡ λύπη ὑμῶν εἰς χαρὰν γενήσεται· ἡ γυνὴ ὅταν τίκτη, λύπην ἔχει, ὅτι ἦλθεν ἡ ὥρα αὐτῆς· ὅταν δὲ γεννήσῃ τὸ παιδίον, οὐκέτι μνημονεύει τῆς θλίψεως διὰ τὴν χαρὰν ὅτι ἐγεννήθη ἄνθρωπος εἰς τὸν κόσμον. καὶ ὑμεῖς οὖν λύπην μὲν νῦν ἔχετε· πάλιν δὲ ὄψομαι ὑμᾶς καὶ χαρήσεται ὑμῶν ἡ καρδία, καὶ τὴν χαρὰν ὑμῶν οὐδεὶς αἶρει ἀφ' ὑμῶν. καὶ ἐν ἐκείνῃ τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ἐμὲ οὐκ ἐρωτήσετε οὐδὲν· ἀμὴν ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι ὅσα ἂν αἰτήσητε τὸν πατέρα ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου, δώσει ὑμῖν. ἕως ἄρτι οὐκ ἠτήσατε οὐδὲν ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου· αἰτεῖτε καὶ λήψεσθε, ἵνα ἡ χαρὰ ὑμῶν ᾗ πεπληρωμένη. Ταῦτα ἐν παροιμίαις λελάληκα ὑμῖν· ἀλλ' ἔρχεται ὥρα ὅτε οὐκέτι ἐν παροιμίαις λαλήσω ὑμῖν, ἀλλὰ παρησίᾳ περὶ τοῦ πατρὸς ἀναγγελοῦ ὑμῖν. ἐν ἐκείνῃ τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί μου αἰτήσεσθε· καὶ οὐ λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι ἐγὼ ἐρωτήσω τὸν πατέρα περὶ ὑμῶν· αὐτὸς γὰρ ὁ πατὴρ φιλεῖ ὑμᾶς, ὅτι ὑμεῖς ἐμὲ πεφιλήκατε, καὶ πεπιστεύκατε ὅτι ἐγὼ παρὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐξῆλθον. ἐξῆλθον παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς καὶ ἐλήλυθα εἰς τὸν κόσμον· πάλιν ἀφίημι τὸν κόσμον καὶ πορεύομαι πρὸς τὸν πατέρα. Λέγουσιν αὐτῷ οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ· ἴδε νῦν παρησίᾳ λαλεῖς, καὶ παροιμίαν οὐδεμίαν λέγεις· νῦν οἶδαμεν ὅτι οἶδας πάντα καὶ οὐ χρεῖαν ἔχεις ἵνα τίς σε ἐρωτᾷ. ἐν τούτῳ πιστεύομεν ὅτι ἀπὸ Θεοῦ ἐξῆλθες. ἀπεκρίθη αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἄρτι πιστεύετε· ἰδοὺ ἔρχεται ὥρα, καὶ νῦν ἐλήλυθεν, ἵνα σκορπισθῆτε ἕκαστος εἰς τὰ ἴδια καὶ ἐμὲ μόνον ἀφήτε· καὶ οὐκ εἰμι μόνος, ὅτι ὁ πατὴρ μετ' ἐμοῦ ἐστὶ· ταῦτα λελάληκα ὑμῖν ἵνα ἐν ἐμοὶ εἰρήνην ἔχητε. ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ θλίψιν ἔξετε· ἀλλὰ θαρσεῖτε, ἐγὼ νενίκηκα τὸν κόσμον.

“I have said all this to you to keep you from falling away. They will put you out of the synagogues; indeed, the hour is coming when whoever kills you will think he is offering service to God. And they will do this because they have not known the Father, nor me. But I have said these things to you, that when their hour comes you may remember that I told you of them. I did not say these things to you from the beginning, because I was with you. But now I am going to him who sent me; yet none of you asks me, ‘Where are you going?’ But because I have said these things to you, sorrow has filled your hearts. Nevertheless I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Counselor will not come to you; but if I go, I will send him to you. And when he comes, he will convince the world concerning sin and righteousness and judgment: concerning sin, because they do not believe in me; concerning righteousness, because I go to the Father, and you will see me no more; concerning judgment, because the ruler of this world is judged. I have yet many things to say to you,

but you cannot bear them now. When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all the truth; for he will not speak on his own authority, but whatever he hears he will speak, and he will declare to you the things that are to come. He will glorify me, for he will take what is mine and declare it to you. All that the Father has is mine; therefore I said that he will take what is mine and declare it to you. A little while, and you will see me no more; again a little while, and you will see me.” Some of his disciples said to one another, “What is this that he says to us, ‘A little while, and you will not see me, and again a little while, and you will see me’; and, ‘because I go to the Father’?” They said, “What does he mean by ‘a little while’? We do not know what he means.” Jesus knew that they wanted to ask him; so he said to them, “Is this what you are asking yourselves, what I meant by saying, ‘A little while, and you will not see me, and again a little while, and you will see me’? Truly, truly, I say to you, you will weep and lament, but the world will rejoice; you will be sorrowful, but your sorrow will turn into joy. When a woman is in travail she has sorrow, because her hour has come; but when she is delivered of the child, she no longer remembers the anguish, for joy that a child is born into the world. So you have sorrow now, but I will see you again and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you. In that day you will ask nothing of me. “Truly, truly, I say to you, if you ask anything of the Father, he will give it to you in my name. Hitherto you have asked nothing in my name; ask, and you will receive, that your joy may be full. I have said this to you in figures; the hour is coming when I shall no longer speak to you in figures but tell you plainly of the Father. In that day you will ask in my name; and I do not say to you that I shall pray the Father for you; for the Father himself loves you, because you have loved me and have believed that I came from the Father. I came from the Father and have come into the world; again, I am leaving the world and going to the Father.” His disciples said, “Ah, now you are speaking plainly, not in any figure! Now we know that you know all things, and need none to question you; by this we believe that you came from God.” Jesus answered them, “Do you now believe? The hour is coming, indeed it has come, when you will be scattered, every man to his home, and will leave me alone; yet I am not alone, for the Father is with me. I have said this to you, that in me you may have peace. In the world you have tribulation; but be of good cheer, I have overcome the world.”

(Κεφ. ιζ')

(Chapter 17)

Ταῦτα ἐλάλησεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς, καὶ ἐπῆρε τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς αὐτοῦ εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν καὶ εἶπε· πάτερ, ἐλήλυθεν ἡ ὥρα· δόξασόν σου τὸν υἱόν, ἵνα καὶ ὁ υἱός σου δοξάσῃ σε, καθὼς ἔδωκας αὐτῷ ἐξουσίαν πάσης σαρκός, ἵνα πᾶν ὃ δέδωκας αὐτῷ δώσῃ αὐτοῖς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. αὕτη δὲ ἐστὶν ἡ αἰώνιος ζωὴ, ἵνα γινώσκωσί σε τὸν μόνον ἀληθινὸν Θεὸν καὶ ὃν ἀπέστειλας Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν. ἐγὼ σε ἐδόξασα ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς, τὸ ἔργον ἐτελείωσα ὃ δέδωκάς μοι ἵνα ποιήσω· καὶ νῦν δόξ-

ασόν με σύ, πάτερ, παρὰ σεαυτῶ τῇ δόξῃ ἣ εἶχον πρὸ τοῦ τὸν κόσμον εἶναι παρὰ σοί. Ἐφανερώσά σου τὸ ὄνομα τοῖς ἀνθρώποις οὓς δέδωκάς μοι ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου. σοὶ ἦσαν καὶ ἐμοὶ αὐτοὺς δέδωκάς, καὶ τὸν λόγον σου τετηρήκασιν. νῦν ἔγνωσαν ὅτι πάντα ὅσα δέδωκάς μοι παρὰ σοῦ ἐστίν· ὅτι τὰ ῥήματα ἃ δέδωκάς μοι δέδωκα αὐτοῖς, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἔλαβον, καὶ ἔγνωσαν ἀληθῶς ὅτι παρὰ σοῦ ἐξῆλθον, καὶ ἐπίστευσαν ὅτι σύ με ἀπέστειλας. Ἐγὼ περὶ αὐτῶν ἐρωτῶ· οὐ περὶ τοῦ κόσμου ἐρωτῶ, ἀλλὰ περὶ ὧν δέδωκάς μοι, ὅτι σοὶ εἰσὶ, καὶ τὰ ἐμὰ πάντα σὰ ἐστὶ καὶ τὰ σὰ ἐμὰ, καὶ δεδόξασμαι ἐν αὐτοῖς. καὶ οὐκέτι εἰμὶ ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ, καὶ οὗτοι ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ εἰσὶ, καὶ ἐγὼ πρὸς σὲ ἔρχομαι. πάτερ ἅγιε, τήρησον αὐτοὺς ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου ᾧ δέδωκάς μοι, ἵνα ὦσιν ἐν καθῶς ἡμεῖς. ὅτε ἤμην μετ' αὐτῶν ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ, ἐγὼ ἐτήρουν αὐτοὺς ἐν τῷ ὀνόματί σου· οὓς δέδωκάς μοι ἐφύλαξα, καὶ οὐδεὶς ἐξ αὐτῶν ἀπώλετο εἰ μὴ ὁ υἱὸς τῆς ἀπωλείας, ἵνα ἡ γραφὴ πληρωθῇ. νῦν δὲ πρὸς σὲ ἔρχομαι, καὶ ταῦτα λαλῶ ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ ἵνα ἔχωσιν τὴν χαρὰν τὴν ἐμὴν πεπληρωμένην ἐν αὐτοῖς. ἐγὼ δέδωκα αὐτοῖς τὸν λόγον σου, καὶ ὁ κόσμος ἐμίσησεν αὐτοὺς, ὅτι οὐκ εἰσὶν ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου, καθῶς ἐγὼ οὐκ εἰμὶ ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου. οὐκ ἐρωτῶ ἵνα ἄρῃς αὐτοὺς ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου, ἀλλ' ἵνα τηρήσῃς αὐτοὺς ἐκ τοῦ πονηροῦ. ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου οὐκ εἰσὶ, καθῶς ἐγὼ ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου οὐκ εἰμί. ἁγίασον αὐτοὺς ἐν τῇ ἀληθείᾳ σου· ὁ λόγος ὁ σὺς ἀληθεία ἐστίν. καθῶς ἐμὲ ἀπέστειλας εἰς τὸν κόσμον, κάγω ἀπέστειλα αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸν κόσμον. καὶ ὑπὲρ αὐτῶν ἐγὼ ἀγιάζω ἐμαυτόν, ἵνα καὶ αὐτοὶ ὦσιν ἡγιασμένοι ἐν ἀληθείᾳ. Οὐ περὶ τούτων δὲ ἐρωτῶ μόνον, ἀλλὰ καὶ περὶ τῶν πιστευόντων διὰ τοῦ λόγου αὐτῶν εἰς ἐμέ, ἵνα πάντες ἐν ὦσι, καθῶς σύ, πάτερ, ἐν ἐμοὶ κάγω ἐν σοί, ἵνα καὶ αὐτοὶ ἐν ἡμῖν ἐν ὦσιν, ἵνα ὁ κόσμος πιστεύσῃ ὅτι σύ με ἀπέστειλας. καὶ ἐγὼ τὴν δόξαν ἣν δέδωκάς μοι δέδωκα αὐτοῖς, ἵνα ὦσιν ἐν καθῶς ἡμεῖς ἐν ἐσμεν, ἐγὼ ἐν αὐτοῖς καὶ σὺ ἐν ἐμοί, ἵνα ὦσιν τετελειωμένοι εἰς ἓν, καὶ ἵνα γινώσκῃ ὁ κόσμος ὅτι σύ με ἀπέστειλας καὶ ἡγάπησας αὐτοὺς καθῶς ἐμὲ ἡγάπησας. πάτερ, οὓς δέδωκάς μοι, θέλω ἵνα ὅπου εἰμὶ ἐγὼ κάκεινοι ὦσιν μετ' ἐμοῦ, ἵνα θεωρῶσιν τὴν δόξαν τὴν ἐμὴν ἣν δέδωκάς μοι, ὅτι ἡγάπησάς με πρὸ καταβολῆς κόσμου. πάτερ δίκαιε, καὶ ὁ κόσμος σε οὐκ ἔγνω, ἐγὼ δὲ σε ἔγνω, καὶ οὗτοι ἔγνωσαν ὅτι σύ με ἀπέστειλας· καὶ ἐγνώρισά αὐτοῖς τὸ ὄνομά σου καὶ γνωρίσω, ἵνα ἡ ἀγάπη ἣν ἡγάπησάς με ἐν αὐτοῖς ἦ, κάγω ἐν αὐτοῖς.

When Jesus had spoken these words, he lifted up his eyes to heaven and said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify your Son that the Son may glorify you, since you have given him power over all flesh, to give eternal life to all whom you have given him. And this is eternal life, that they know you the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom you have sent. I glorified you on earth, having accomplished the work which you gave me to do; and now, Father, glorify me in your own presence with the glory which I had with you before the world was made. I have manifested your name to the men whom you gave me out of the world; yours they were, and you gave them to me, and they have kept your word. Now they know that everything that you have given me is from you; for I have given them the words which you gave me, and they have received them and know in truth that I came from

you; and they have believed that you did send me. I am praying for them; I am not praying for the world but for those whom you have given me, for they are yours; all mine are yours, and yours are mine, and I am glorified in them. And now I am no more in the world, but they are in the world, and I am coming to you. Holy Father, keep them in your name, which you have given me, that they may be one, even as we are one. While I was with them, I kept them in your name, which you have given me; I have guarded them, and none of them is lost but the son of perdition, that the scripture might be fulfilled. But now I am coming to you; and these things I speak in the world, that they may have my joy fulfilled in themselves. I have given them your word; and the world has hated them because they are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. I do not pray that you should take them out of the world, but that you should keep them from the evil one. They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world. Sanctify them in the truth; your word is truth. As you did send me into the world, so I have sent them into the world. And for their sake I consecrate myself, that they also may be consecrated in truth. I do not pray for these only, but also for those who believe in me through their word, that they may all be one; even as you, Father, are in me, and I in you, that they also may be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me. The glory which you have given me I have given to them, that they may be one even as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become perfectly one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. Father, I desire that they also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to behold my glory which you have given me in your love for me before the foundation of the world. O righteous Father, the world has not known you, but I have known you; and these know that you have sent me. I made known to them your name, and I will make it known, that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them."

(Κεφ. ιη' 1)

(18:1)

Ταῦτα εἰπὼν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἐξῆλθε σὺν τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ πέραν τοῦ χειμάρρου τῶν Κέδρων, ὅπου ἦν κήπος, εἰς ὃν εἰσῆλθεν αὐτὸς καὶ οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ.

When Jesus had spoken these words, he went forth with his disciples across the Kidron valley, where there was a garden, which he and his disciples entered. [RSV]

XOPOΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Antiphon 1. Mode pl. 4.

Ἀντίφωνον Α'. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ/CHOIR

Antiphon 1. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic C

⁸ The rul-ers of the peo-ple gath-ered to - geth - er, a-

D C

⁸ - gainst the Lord and a - gainst His A - noint - ed.

C

⁸ They tes - ti - fy a law-less word a - gainst me.

G C

⁸ Lord, O Lord, do not for - sake me.

C

⁸ Let us pre - sent our sens - es pure to Christ, and

⁸ as His friends, let us lay down our lives for Him.

D C

⁸ Let us not, like Ju - das, be choked

⁸ by the cares of life; but in our rooms

Antiphon 1. Mode pl. 4.

Ἄρχοντες λαῶν συνήχθησαν, κατὰ τοῦ Κυρίου, καὶ κατὰ τοῦ Χριστοῦ αὐτοῦ.

The rulers of the people gathered together, against the Lord and against His Anointed. [SD]

Λόγον παράνομον, κατέθεντο κατ' ἐμοῦ, Κύριε, Κύριε, μὴ ἐγκαταλίπης με.

They testify a lawless word against me. Lord, O Lord, do not forsake me. [SD]

Τὰς αἰσθήσεις ἡμῶν, καθαρὰς τῷ Χριστῷ παραστήσωμεν, καὶ ὡς φίλοι αὐτοῦ, τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν θύσωμεν δι' αὐτόν, καὶ μὴ ταῖς μερίμναις τοῦ βίου, συμπνιγῶμεν ὡς ὁ Ἰούδας· ἀλλ' ἐν τοῖς ταμείοις ἡμῶν κράζωμεν· Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς.

Let us present our senses pure to Christ, and as His friends, let us lay down our lives for Him. Let us not, like Judas, be choked by the cares of life; but in our rooms let us cry, "Our Father, who art in heaven, deliver

us from evil." [SD]

4. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Παρθένος ἔτεκες ἀπειρόγαμε, καὶ Παρθένος ἔμεινας, Μήτηρ ἀνύμφευτε, Θεοτόκε Μαρία. Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἰκέτευε, σωθῆναι ἡμᾶς.

O Mary Theotokos, as a virgin You gave birth, and remained a virgin. O chaste and unwed Mother, pray to Christ our God to save us. [SD]

A. Antiphon 2. Mode pl. 2.

Ἀντίφωνον Β'. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

Antiphon 2. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic

8 Ju - das ran to the Scribes, who trans - gressed the

8 Law, and he said, "What will you give

8 me if I de - liv - er Him to you?" And as they ne -

8 - go - ti - at - ed the price, You, the ob - ject of ne - go - ti -

8 - a - tion, were in - vis - i - bly stand - ing in their

8 midst. You who know our hearts, spare our souls.

Antiphon 2. Mode pl. 2.

Ἔδραμε λέγων ὁ Ἰούδας, τοῖς παρανόμοις γραμματεῦσι. Τί μοι θέλετε δοῦναι, κἀγὼ ὑμῖν παραδώσω αὐτόν· ἐν μέσῳ δὲ τῶν συμφωνούντων, αὐτὸς εἰστήκει ἀοράτως συμφωνούμενος. Καρδιογνώστα, φείσαι τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Judas ran to the Scribes, who transgressed the Law, and he said, “What will you give me if I deliver Him to you?” And as they negotiated the price, You, the object of negotiation, were invisibly standing in their midst. You who know our hearts, spare our souls. [SD]

Ἐν ἐλέει τὸν Θεὸν θεραπεύσωμεν, ὡσπερ Μαρία ἐπὶ τοῦ δείπνου, καὶ μὴ κτησώμεθα φιλαργυρίαν, ὡς ὁ Ἰούδας, ἵνα πάντοτε μετὰ Χριστοῦ, τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐσώμεθα.

Let us serve God with compassion, like Mary did at the supper; and let us not acquire a love for money, like Judas did, so that we may always be with Christ our God. [SD]

5. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Ἦν ἔτεκες Παρθένη ἀνερμηνεύτως, διὰ παντὸς ὡς φιλόανθρωπον, μὴ διαλίπης δυσωποῦσα, ἵνα κινδύνων σώσῃ, τοὺς εἰς σὲ καταφεύγοντας.

O Virgin, never cease to implore our benevolent Lord, whom you inexplicably bore, to rescue from danger those who take refuge in you. [SD]

A. Antiphon 3. Mode 2.

Ἀντίφωνον Γ'. Ἦχος β'.

Antiphon 3.
Mode 2. Di=G.

Soft Chromatic

G

⁸ The He-brew chil-dren cried out, Ho - san - na to

⁸ You, for rais-ing Laz - a - rus, O ben - ev - o - lent

⁸ Lord. But Ju-das, the trans - gres - sor, did not wish to

⁸ un - der - stand.

Soft Chromatic

G

⁸ At Your sup - per, O Christ God, You pre - dict-ed to

⁸ Your Dis - ci - ples, "One of you will be - tray

⁸ Me." But Ju-das, the trans - gres - sor, did not wish to

⁸ un - der - stand.

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Antiphon 3. Mode 2.

Διὰ Λαζάρου τὴν ἔγερσιν Κύριε, τὸ Ὡσαννά σοι ἐκραύγαζον, παῖδες τῶν Ἑβραίων φιλόνηρωπε. Ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

The Hebrew children cried out, Hosanna to You, for raising Lazarus, O benevolent Lord. But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

Ἐν τῷ δείπνῳ σου Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου προέλεγες. Εἷς ἐξ ὑμῶν παραδώσει με. Ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας, οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

At Your supper, O Christ God, You predicted to Your Disciples, “One of you will betray Me.” But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

Ἰωάννη ἐρωτήσαντι Κύριε, ὁ παραδιδούς σε τίς ἐστι; τοῦτον διὰ τοῦ ἄρτου ὑπέδειξας, ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας, οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

John asked You, “Lord, who is it who will betray You?” And with the bread You showed him who it was. But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

Εἷς τριάκοντα ἀργύρια Κύριε, καὶ εἰς φίλημα δόλιον, ἐζήτησαν Ἰουδαῖοι ἀποκτεῖναί σε. Ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας, οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

Jews sought to kill You, O Lord, with thirty pieces of silver and a deceitful kiss. But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

Ἐν τῷ Νιπτῆρί σου Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου προέτρεπες. Οὕτω ποιεῖτε ὡσπερ ἴδετε. Ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας, οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

At the washing of feet, O Christ God, You exhorted Your Disciples, “Do as you have seen.” But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

Γρηγορεῖτε καὶ προσεύχεσθε, ἵνα μὴ πειρασθῆτε, τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν ἔλεγες. Ὁ δὲ παράνομος Ἰούδας, οὐκ ἠβουλήθη συνιέναι.

“Watch and pray, that you may not enter into temptation,” You, our God, said to Your Disciples. But Judas, the transgressor, did not wish to understand. [SD]

6. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Διάσωσον ἀπὸ κινδύνων τοὺς δούλους σου Θεοτόκε, ὅτι πάντες μετὰ Θεόν, εἰς σὲ καταφεύγομεν, ὡς ἀφόρητον τεῖχος, καὶ προστασίαν.

Deliver us your humble servants from perils, O Theotokos, as for refuge, after God, we all flee to you, an impregnable fortress and protection. [SD]

A. Kathisma. Grave Mode.

Κάθισμα. Ἦχος βαρὺς.

Kathisma. Grave Mode. Ga=F.

Enharmonic F C

8 Dur-ing the Sup - per, when You were feed-ing the Dis - ci - ples,

8 know - ing the pre - text of the be - tray - al, You ex - posed

8 Ju - das. And You knew that he was in - cor - ri - gi - ble,

8 but You want-ed ev-ery-one to know that it was Your will to sur-

8 - ren - der, so that You could snatch the world from the en - e - my.

8 O Long - suf - fer-ing Lord, glo - ry to You!

8 F

The 2nd Gospel Reading

Kathisma. Grave Mode.

Ἐν τῷ δείπνῳ τοὺς Μαθητὰς διατρέφων, καὶ τὴν σκῆψιν τῆς προδοσίας γινώσκων, ἐν αὐτῷ τὸν Ἰούδαν διήλεγξας, ἀδιόρθωτον μὲν τοῦτον ἐπιστάμενος, γνωρίσαι δὲ πᾶσι βουλόμενος, ὅτι θέλων παρεδόθη, ἴνα Κόσμον ἀρπάσῃ τοῦ ἀλλοτρίου. Μακρόθυμε δόξα σοι.

During the Supper, when You were feeding the Disciples, knowing the pretext of the betrayal, You exposed Judas. And You knew that he was incorrigible, but You wanted everyone to know that it was Your will to surrender, so that You could snatch the world from the enemy. O Longsuffering Lord, glory to You! [SD]

7. GOSPEL 2

Εὐαγγέλιον Δεύτερον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)
Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.
Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}
Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματι σου.
And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.
The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.
Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

ιη' 1-28

18:1-28

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐξῆλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς σὺν τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ πέραν τοῦ χειμάρρου τῶν Κέδρων, ὅπου ἦν κῆπος, εἰς ὃν εἰσῆλθεν αὐτὸς καὶ οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ. ἦδει

δὲ καὶ Ἰούδας ὁ παραδιδούς αὐτὸν τὸν τόπον, ὅτι πολλάκις συνήχθη καὶ ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἐκεῖ μετὰ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ. ὁ οὖν Ἰούδας λαβὼν τὴν σπεῖραν καὶ ἐκ τῶν ἀρχιερέων καὶ Φαρισαίων ὑπηρέτας ἔρχεται ἐκεῖ μετὰ φανῶν καὶ λαμπάδων καὶ ὄπλων. Ἰησοῦς οὖν εἰδὼς πάντα τὰ ἐρχόμενα ἐπ' αὐτόν, ἐξελθὼν εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· τίνα ζητεῖτε; ἀπεκρίθησαν αὐτῷ· Ἰησοῦν τὸν Ναζωραῖον. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἐγὼ εἰμι. εἰστήκει δὲ καὶ Ἰούδας ὁ παραδιδούς αὐτὸν μετ' αὐτῶν. ὡς οὖν εἶπεν αὐτοῖς ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι, ἀπήλθον εἰς τὰ ὀπίσω καὶ ἔπεσον χαμαί. πάλιν οὖν αὐτοὺς ἐπηρώτησε· τίνα ζητεῖτε; οἱ δὲ εἶπον· Ἰησοῦν τὸν Ναζωραῖον. ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς· εἶπον ὑμῖν ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι. εἰ οὖν ἐμὲ ζητεῖτε, ἄφετε τοὺτους ὑπάγειν· ἵνα πληρωθῇ ὁ λόγος ὃν εἶπεν, ὅτι οὐδὲ δέδωκάς μοι, οὐκ ἀπώλεσα ἐξ αὐτῶν οὐδένα. Σίμων οὖν Πέτρος ἔχων μάχαιραν εἴλκυσεν αὐτήν, καὶ ἔπαισε τὸν τοῦ ἀρχιερέως δούλον καὶ ἀπέκοψεν αὐτοῦ τὸ ὠτίον τὸ δεξιόν· ἦν δὲ ὄνομα τῷ δούλῳ Μάλχος. εἶπεν οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς τῷ Πέτρῳ· βάλε τὴν μάχαιραν εἰς τὴν θήκην· τὸ ποτήριον ὃ δέδωκέ μοι ὁ πατήρ, οὐ μὴ πῖω αὐτό; Ἡ οὖν σπεῖρα καὶ ὁ χιλιάρχος καὶ οἱ ὑπηρέται τῶν Ἰουδαίων συνέλαβον τὸν Ἰησοῦν καὶ ἔδησαν αὐτόν, καὶ ἀπήγαγον αὐτὸν πρὸς Ἄνναν πρῶτον· ἦν γὰρ πενθερὸς τοῦ Καϊάφα, ὃς ἦν ἀρχιερεὺς τοῦ ἐνιαυτοῦ ἐκείνου. ἦν δὲ Καϊάφας ὁ συμβουλευσας τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις ὅτι συμφέρει ἓνα ἄνθρωπον ἀπολέσθαι ὑπὲρ τοῦ λαοῦ. Ἠκολούθει δὲ τῷ Ἰησοῦ Σίμων Πέτρος καὶ ὁ ἄλλος μαθητῆς. ὁ δὲ μαθητῆς ἐκεῖνος ἦν γνωστὸς τῷ ἀρχιερεῖ, καὶ συνεισηλθε τῷ Ἰησοῦ εἰς τὴν αὐλήν τοῦ ἀρχιερέως· ὁ δὲ Πέτρος εἰστήκει πρὸς τῆ θύρα ἔξω. ἐξῆλθεν οὖν ὁ μαθητῆς ὁ ἄλλος, ὃς ἦν γνωστὸς τῷ ἀρχιερεῖ, καὶ εἶπε τῇ θυρωρῷ, καὶ εἰσῆγαγε τὸν Πέτρον. λέγει οὖν ἡ παιδίσκη ἡ θυρωρὸς τῷ Πέτρῳ· μὴ καὶ σὺ ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν εἶ τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τούτου; λέγει ἐκεῖνος· οὐκ εἰμί. εἰστήκεισαν δὲ οἱ δούλοι καὶ οἱ ὑπηρέται ἀνθρακίαν πεποικηκότας, ὅτι ψυχὸς ἦν, καὶ ἐθερμαίνοντο· ἦν δὲ μετ' αὐτῶν ὁ Πέτρος ἐστῶς καὶ θερμαινόμενος. Ὁ οὖν ἀρχιερεὺς ἠρώτησε τὸν Ἰησοῦν περὶ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ καὶ περὶ τῆς διδασχῆς αὐτοῦ. ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἐγὼ παρρησία ἐλάλησα τῷ κόσμῳ· ἐγὼ πάντοτε ἐδίδαξα ἐν συναγωγῇ καὶ ἐν τῷ ἱερῷ, ὅπου πάντοτε οἱ Ἰουδαῖοι συνέρχονται, καὶ ἐν κρυπτῷ ἐλάλησα οὐδένα. τί με ἐπερωτᾶς; ἐπερωτήσῃς τοὺς ἀκηκοτάς τί ἐλάλησα αὐτοῖς· ἴδε οὗτοι οἴδασιν ἃ εἶπον ἐγώ. ταῦτα δὲ αὐτοῦ εἰπόντος εἰς τῶν ὑπηρετῶν παρεστηκῶς ἔδωκε ῥάπισμα τῷ Ἰησοῦ εἰπών· οὕτως ἀποκρίθη τῷ ἀρχιερεῖ; ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· εἰ κακῶς ἐλάλησα, μαρτύρησον περὶ τοῦ κακοῦ· εἰ δὲ καλῶς, τί με δέρεις; ἀπέστειλεν αὐτόν ὁ Ἄννας δεδεμένον πρὸς Καϊάφαν τὸν ἀρχιερέα. Ἦν δὲ Σίμων Πέτρος ἐστῶς καὶ θερμαινόμενος. εἶπον οὖν αὐτῷ· μὴ καὶ σὺ ἐκ τῶν μαθητῶν αὐτοῦ εἶ; ἠρνήσατο οὖν ἐκεῖνος καὶ εἶπεν· οὐκ εἰμί. λέγει εἰς ἐκ τῶν δούλων τοῦ ἀρχιερέως, συγγενῆς ὧν οὐ ἀπέκοψε Πέτρος τὸ ὠτίον· οὐκ ἐγὼ σε εἶδον ἐν τῷ κήπῳ μετ' αὐτοῦ; πάλιν οὖν ἠρνήσατο ὁ Πέτρος, καὶ εὐθέως ἀλέκτωρ ἐφώνησεν. Ἄγουσιν οὖν τὸν Ἰησοῦν ἀπὸ τοῦ Καϊάφα εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον· ἦν δὲ πρῶτ'· καὶ αὐτοὶ οὐκ εἰσῆλθον εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον, ἵνα μὴ μανθῶσιν, ἀλλ' ἵνα φάγωσι τὸ πάσχα.

At that time, Jesus went forth with his disciples across the Kidron valley, where there was a garden, which he and his disciples entered. Now Judas, who betrayed him, also knew the place; for Jesus often met there with his

disciples. So Judas, procuring a band of soldiers and some officers from the chief priests and the Pharisees, went there with lanterns and torches and weapons. Then Jesus, knowing all that was to befall him, came forward and said to them, "Whom do you seek?" They answered him, "Jesus of Nazareth." Jesus said to them, "I am he." Judas, who betrayed him, was standing with them. When he said to them, "I am he," they drew back and fell to the ground. Again he asked them, "Whom do you seek?" And they said, "Jesus of Nazareth." Jesus answered, "I told you that I am he; so, if you seek me, let these men go." This was to fulfill the word which he had spoken, "Of those whom you gave me I lost not one." Then Simon Peter, having a sword, drew it and struck the high priest's slave and cut off his right ear. The slave's name was Malchus. Jesus said to Peter, "Put your sword into its sheath; shall I not drink the cup which the Father has given me?" So the band of soldiers and their captain and the officers of the Jews seized Jesus and bound him. First they led him to Annas; for he was the father-in-law of Caiaphas, who was high priest that year. It was expedient that one man should die for the people. Simon Peter followed Jesus, and so did another disciple. As this disciple was known to the high priest, he entered the court of the high priest along with Jesus, while Peter stood outside at the door. So the other disciple, who was known to the high priest, went out and spoke to the maid who kept the door, and brought Peter in. The maid who kept the door said to Peter, "Are not you also one of this man's disciples?" He said, "I am not." Now the servants and officers had made a charcoal fire, because it was cold, and they were standing and warming themselves; Peter also was with them, standing and warming himself. The high priest then questioned Jesus about his disciples and

his teaching. Jesus answered him, "I have spoken openly to the world; I have always taught in synagogues and in the temple, where all Jews come together; I have said nothing secretly. Why do you ask me? Ask those who have heard me, what I said to them; they know what I said." When he had said this, one of the officers standing by struck Jesus with his hand, saying, "Is that how you answer the high priest?" Jesus answered him, "If I have spoken wrongly, bear witness to the wrong; but if I have spoken rightly, why do you strike me?" Annas then sent him bound to Caiaphas the high priest. Now Simon Peter was standing and warming himself. They said to him, "Are not you also one of his disciples?" He denied it and said, "I am not." One of the servants of the high priest, a kinsman of the man whose ear Peter had cut off, asked, "Did I not see you in the garden with him?" Peter again denied it; and at once the cock crowed. Then they led Jesus from the house of Caiaphas to the praetorium. It was early. They themselves did not enter the praetorium, so that they might not be defiled, but might eat the passover. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Antiphon 4. Mode pl. 1.

Ἀντίφωνον Δ'. Ἦχος πλ. α'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Antiphon 4. Mode pl. 1. Pa=D.

Diatonic D

8 To - day, Ju - das for - sakes the Teach - er and

8 takes to him - self the Dev - il. He is blind-ed by the

8 pas - sion of av - a - rice, and in his dark - ness he

8 falls from the light. For, how could he see, who

8 sold the guid - ing Light for thir - ty piec -

8 - es of sil - ver? But He who suf-fered for the

8 world has ris - en for us. Let us cry

8 out to Him, "O Lord, who suf-fered for and with hu -

8 - man - i - ty, glo - ry to You!"

Antiphon 4. Mode pl. 1.

Σήμερον ὁ Ἰούδας, καταλιμπάνει τὸν Διδάσκαλον, καὶ παραλαμβάνει τὸν διάβολον· τυφλοῦται τῷ πάθει τῆς φιλαργυρίας, ἐκπίπτει τοῦ φωτός, ὁ ἐσκοτισμένος· πῶς γὰρ ἠδύνατο βλέπειν, ὁ τὸν φωστῆρα πωλήσας, τριάκοντα ἀργυρίων· ἀλλ' ἡμῖν ἀνέτειλεν ὁ παθῶν ὑπὲρ τοῦ Κόσμου, πρὸς δὲν βοήσωμεν· Ὁ παθῶν, καὶ συμπαθῶν ἀνθρώποις, δόξα σοι.

Today, Judas forsakes the Teacher and takes to himself the Devil. He is blinded by the passion of avarice, and in his darkness he falls from the light. For, how could he see, who sold the guiding Light for thirty pieces of silver? But He who suffered for the world has risen for us. Let us cry out to Him, "O Lord, who suffered for and with humanity, glory to You!" [SD]

Σήμερον ὁ Ἰούδας, παραποιεῖται θεοσέβειαν, καὶ ἀλλοτριοῦται τοῦ χαρίσματος· ὑπάρχων μαθητῆς, γίνεται προδότης· ἐν ἤθει φιλικῶ, δόλον ὑποκρύπτει, καὶ προτιμᾶται ἀφρόνως τῆς τοῦ Δεσπότη ἀγάπης, τριάκοντα ἀργύρια ὁδηγὸς γενόμενος, συνεδρίου παρανόμου. Ἡμεῖς δὲ ἔχοντες σωτηρίαν τὸν Χριστόν, αὐτὸν δοξάσωμεν.

Today, Judas pretends godliness, and estranges himself from the gift of grace. Being a Disciple, he becomes a betrayer. Under a guise of friendship, he hides deceit. In his folly he prefers thirty pieces of silver to the Master's love, and he becomes a guide for the council that transgressed the Law. But we have Christ as our salvation. Let us glorify Him. [SD]

Ἦχος α'.

Mode 1.

Τὴν φιλαδελφίαν κτησώμεθα, ὡς ἐν Χριστῷ ἀδελφοί, καὶ μὴ τὸ ἀσυμπαθὲς πρὸς τοὺς πλησίον ἡμῶν, ἵνα μὴ ὡς ὁ δοῦλος κατακριθῶμεν, ὁ ἀνελετήμων, διὰ τὰ δηνάρια, καὶ ὡς ὁ Ἰούδας μεταμεληθέντες, μηδὲν ὠφελήσωμεν.

As brethren in Christ, let us have love for the brethren and not a lack of sympathy for our neighbors, so that we may not be condemned like that servant who was merciless regarding his money, and gain nothing from repentance, like Judas. [SD]

8. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Δεδοξασμένα περὶ σοῦ, ἐλαλήθη πανταχοῦ, ὅτι ἐκύησας σαρκί, τὸν τῶν ὅλων Ποιητὴν, Θεοτόκε Μαρία, πανύμνητε, καὶ ἀπειρόγαμε.

Glorious things were said everywhere concerning you; for you gave birth in the flesh to the Maker of all, O all-lauded Virgin Mary Theotokos. [SD]

Ἀντίφωνον Ε'. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

A. Antiphon 5. Mode pl. 2.

Antiphon 5. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic D

8 The dis - ci - ple ne - go - ti - at - ed the

8 price of the Teach - er, and he

8 sold the Lord for thir - ty piec - es of

8 sil - ver. With a de - ceit - ful kiss,

Chromatic 8 he be - trays Him to death at the hands of the

8 law - less.

Chromatic D G Diatonic 8 To - day, the Cre - a - tor of heav -

8 - en and earth said to His Dis -

8 - ci - ples, "The hour is at hand, and

Antiphon 5. Mode pl. 2.

Ὁ μαθητῆς τοῦ Διδασκάλου, συνεφώνει τὴν τιμὴν, καὶ τριάκοντα ἀργυρίοις, πέπρακε τὸν Κύριον, φιλήματι δολίῳ παραδοὺς αὐτόν, τοῖς ἀνόμοις εἰς θάνατον.

The disciple negotiated the price of the Teacher, and he sold the Lord for thirty pieces of silver. With a deceitful kiss, he betrays Him to death at the hands of the lawless. [SD]

Σήμερον ἔλεγεν ὁ Κτίστης Οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς, τοῖς ἑαυτοῦ Μαθηταῖς. Ἦγγικεν ἡ ὥρα, καὶ ἐφθασεν Ἰούδας ὁ παραδιδούς με· μὴ τίς με ἀρνήσῃται, βλέπων με ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, ἐν μέσῳ δύο ληστῶν· πάσχω γὰρ ὡς ἄνθρωπος, καὶ σώζω ὡς φιλόανθρωπος, τοὺς εἰς ἐμὲ πιστεύοντας.

Today, the Creator of heaven and earth said to His Disciples, “The hour is at hand, and Judas, who betrayed Me, has arrived. Let no one deny Me, when you see Me on the Cross between two robbers; for I suffer as man, but as benevolent Lord I save those who believe in Me.”

[SD]

9. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Ἡ ἀρρήτως, ἐπ’ ἐσχάτων συλλαβοῦσα, καὶ τεκοῦσα, τὸν Κτίστην τὸν ἴδιον, Παρθένε σῶζε, τοὺς σὲ μεγαλύνοντας.

O Virgin, who at the end of times ineffably conceived and bore your Creator, save those who magnify you. [SD]

A. Antiphon 6. Grave Mode.

Ἀντίφωνον Γ'. Ἦχος βαρύς.

Antiphon 6. Grave Mode. *Ga=F*.

Enharmonic F C

8 To - day, Ju - das is vig - i - lant, wait - ing for his

8 chance to be - tray the Lord, who is pre - e - ter - nal, the world's on - ly

8 Sav - ior, who sat - is - fied with five loaves those thou - sands of

8 peo - ple. To - day, the law - less one re - jects his

8 Teach - er. He be - trayed the Mas - ter, whose dis - ci - ple he once had

8 been. He sold for thir - ty sil - ver coins the One who filled the

8 peo - ple with the man - na.

Antiphon 6. Grave Mode.

Σήμερον γρηγορεῖ ὁ Ἰούδας, παραδοῦναι τὸν Κύριον, τὸν πρὸ τῶν αἰώνων Σωτῆρα τοῦ Κόσμου, τὸν ἐκ πέντε ἄρτων, χορτάσαντα πλήθη. Σήμερον ὁ ἄνομος, ἀρνεῖται τὸν Διδάσκαλον· μαθητῆς γενόμενος, Δεσπότην παρέδωκεν, ἀργυρίῳ πέπρακε, τὸν μάννα χορτάσαντα τὸν ἄνθρωπον.

Today, Judas is vigilant, waiting for his chance to betray the Lord, who is pre-eternal, the world's only Savior, who satisfied with five loaves those thousands of people. Today, the lawless one rejects his Teacher. He betrayed the Master, whose disciple he once had been. He sold for thirty silver coins the One who filled the people with the manna. [SD]

Σήμερον τῷ σταυρῷ προσήλωσαν, Ἰουδαῖοι τὸν Κύριον, τὸν διατεμόντα τὴν θάλασσαν ῥάβδῳ, καὶ διαγαγόντα αὐτοὺς ἐν ἐρήμῳ. Σήμερον τῇ λόγχῃ τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ ἐκέντησαν, τοῦ πληγαῖς μαστίξαντος, ὑπὲρ αὐτῶν τὴν Αἴγυπτον, καὶ χολὴν ἐπότισαν, τὸν μάννα, τροφήν αὐτοῖς ὀμβρήσαντα.

Today, Jews had the Lord nailed to the Cross, the Lord who parted the sea with the rod and led them in the wilderness. Today, they had His side pierced with the spear, who for their sake had smitten Egypt with plagues. They gave Him gall to drink, who had rained down the manna for them to eat. [SD]

Κύριε ἐπὶ τὸ πάθος τὸ ἐκούσιον παραγενόμενος, ἐβόας τοῖς Μαθηταῖς σου· κἂν μίαν ὥραν οὐκ ἰσχύσατε, ἀγρυπνήσαι μετ' ἐμοῦ, πῶς ἐπηγγείλατε ἀποθνήσκειν δι' ἐμέ; κἂν τὸν Ἰούδαν θεάσασθε, πῶς οὐ καθεύδει, ἀλλὰ σπουδάζει

προδοῦναι με τοῖς παρανόμοις; ἐγείρεσθε, προσεύξασθε, μὴ τίς με ἀρνήσῃται, βλέπων με ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ. Μακρόθυμε δόξα σοι.

Lord, as You were approaching Your voluntary Passion, You said to Your Disciples, "If you cannot watch with Me, even for one hour, how can you promise to die for Me? Look at Judas: he is not asleep, but he is intent on betraying Me to the transgressors. Rise, and pray, lest anyone deny Me when he sees Me on the Cross." O longsuffering Lord, glory to You! [SD]

10. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Χαῖρε Θεοτόκε ἡ τὸν ἀχώρητον ἐν Οὐρανοῖς, χωρήσασα ἐν μήτρᾳ σου· χαῖρε Παρθένε, τῶν Προφητῶν τὸ κήρυγμα, δι' ἧς ἡμῖν ἔλαμψεν ὁ Ἐμμανουήλ· χαῖρε Μήτηρ Χριστοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Rejoice, O Theotokos! For you contained in your womb the One whom the heavens cannot contain. Rejoice, O Virgin, the proclamation of Prophets! Through you Emmanuel shone forth to us. Rejoice, O Mother of Christ our God! [SD]

A. Kathisma. Grave Mode.

Κάθισμα. Ἦχος βαρῦς.

Kathisma. Grave Mode. *Ga=F*.

Enharmonic C

8 What did the Sav-ior do to you, Ju - das, that turned you

8 in - to a trai - tor? Did He sep - a - rate you from the com - pa - ny of

8 the A - pos - tles? Did He de - prive you of the gift of

8 heal - ing? Did He eat the sup - per with the oth - ers but ex -

8 - clude you from the ta - ble? Did He wash the oth - ers'

8 feet but o - ver - look yours? Oh, so man - y bless - ings you have for -

8 - got - ten! So now your in - grat - i - tude is held up to scorn, but

8 His in - com - p'ra - ble for - bear - ance is ev - ery - where pro - claimed, as

8 well as His great mer - cy.

Kathisma. Grave Mode.

Ποῖός σε τρόπος Ἰούδα, προδότην τοῦ Σωτῆρος εἰργάσατο; μὴ τοῦ χοροῦ σε τῶν Ἀποστόλων ἐχώρισε; μὴ τοῦ χαρίσματος τῶν ἰαμάτων ἐστέρησε; μὴ συνδειπνήσας ἐκείνοις, σὲ τῆς τραπέζης ἀπώσατο; μὴ τῶν ἄλλων νίψας τοὺς πόδας, τοὺς σοὺς ὑπερέιδεν; ὦ πόσων ἀγαθῶν, ἀμνήμων ἐγένου! καὶ σοῦ μὲν ἡ ἀχάριστος, στηλιτεύεται γνώμη, αὐτοῦ δὲ ἡ ἀνεύκαστος, μακροθυμία κηρύττεται, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

What did the Savior do to you, Judas, that turned you into a traitor? Did He separate you from the company of the Apostles? Did He deprive you of the gift of healing? Did He eat the supper with the others but exclude you from the table? Did He wash the others' feet but overlook yours? Oh, so many blessings you have forgotten! So now your ingratitude is held up to scorn, but His incomparable forbearance is everywhere proclaimed, as well as His great mercy. [SD]

11. GOSPEL 3

Εὐαγγέλιον Τρίτον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)
Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.
Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}
Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.
And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.
Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

κΓ' 57-75

26:57-75

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκεῖνω, οἱ στρατιῶται κρατήσαντες τὸν Ἰησοῦν ἀπήγαγον πρὸς Καϊάφαν τὸν ἀρχιερέα, ὅπου οἱ γραμματεῖς καὶ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι συνήχθησαν. ὁ δὲ Πέτρος ἠκολούθει αὐτῷ ἀπὸ μακρόθεν ἕως τῆς αὐλῆς τοῦ ἀρχιερέως, καὶ εἰσελθὼν ἔσω ἐκάθητο μετὰ τῶν ὑπηρετῶν ἰδεῖν τὸ τέλος. Οἱ δὲ ἀρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι καὶ τὸ συνέδριον ὅλον ἐζήτησαν ψευδομαρτυρίαν κατὰ τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ὅπως θανατώσωσιν αὐτόν, καὶ οὐκ εὔρον· καὶ πολλῶν ψευδομαρτύρων προσελθόντων, οὐκ εὔρον. Ὑστερον δὲ προσελθόντες δύο ψευδομάρτυρες εἶπον· οὗτος ἔφη, δύναμαι καταλύσαι τὸν ναὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ διὰ τριῶν ἡμερῶν οἰκοδομήσαι αὐτόν. καὶ ἀναστάς ὁ ἀρχιερεὺς εἶπεν αὐτῷ· οὐδὲν ἀποκρίνη; τί οὗτοί σου καταμαρτυροῦσιν; ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς ἐσιώπα. καὶ ἀποκριθεὶς ὁ ἀρχιερεὺς εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ἐξορκίζω σε κατὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος ἵνα ἡμῖν εἴπῃς εἰ σὺ εἶ ὁ Χριστὸς ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ. λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· σὺ εἶπας· πλὴν λέγω ὑμῖν, ἀπ' ἄρτι ὄψεσθε τὸν υἱὸν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου καθήμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τῆς δυνάμεως καὶ ἐρχόμενον ἐπὶ τῶν νεφελῶν τοῦ οὐρανοῦ. τότε ὁ ἀρχιερεὺς διέρρηξε τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτοῦ λέγων ὅτι ἐβλασφήμησε· τί ἐτι χρεῖαν ἔχομεν μαρτύρων; ἴδε νῦν ἠκούσατε τὴν βλασφημίαν αὐτοῦ· τί ὑμῖν δοκεῖ; οἱ δὲ ἀποκριθέντες εἶπον· ἔνοχος θανάτου ἐστί. τότε ἐνέπτυσαν εἰς τὸ πρόσωπον αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐκολάφισαν αὐτόν, οἱ δὲ ἐρράπισαν λέγοντες· προφήτευσον ἡμῖν, Χριστέ, τίς ἐστὶν ὁ παῖσας σε; Ὁ δὲ Πέτρος ἔξω ἐκάθητο ἐν τῇ αὐλῇ· καὶ προσῆλθεν αὐτῷ μία παιδίσκη λέγουσα· καὶ σὺ ἦσθα μετὰ Ἰησοῦ τοῦ Γαλιλαίου. ὁ δὲ ἠρνήσατο ἔμπροσθεν αὐτῶν πάντων λέγων· οὐκ οἶδα τί λέγεις. ἐξεληθόντα δὲ αὐτόν εἰς τὸν πυλῶνα εἶδεν αὐτόν ἄλλη καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· ἐκεῖ καὶ οὗτος ἦν μετὰ Ἰησοῦ τοῦ Ναζωραίου. καὶ πάλιν ἠρνήσατο μεθ' ὅρκου ὅτι οὐκ οἶδα τὸν ἄνθρωπον. μετὰ μικρὸν δὲ προσελθόντες οἱ ἐστῶτες εἶπον τῷ Πέτρῳ· ἀληθῶς καὶ σὺ ἐξ αὐτῶν εἶ· καὶ γὰρ ἡ λαλιά σου δῆλόν σε ποιεῖ. τότε ἤρξατο καταναθεματίζειν καὶ ὀμνῆσαι ὅτι οὐκ οἶδα τὸν ἄνθρωπον. καὶ εὐθέως ἀλέκτωρ ἐφώνησε. καὶ ἐμνήσθη ὁ Πέτρος τοῦ ῥήματος Ἰησοῦ εἰρηκότος αὐτῷ ὅτι πρὶν ἀλέκτορα φωνῆσαι τρίς ἀπαρνήσῃ με· καὶ ἐξεληθὼν ἔξω ἔκλαυσε πικρῶς.

At that time, the soldiers seized Jesus and led him to Caiaphas the high priest, where the scribes and the elders had gathered. But Peter followed him at a distance, as far as the courtyard of the high priest, and going inside he sat with the guards to see the end. Now the chief priests and the whole council sought false testimony against Jesus that they might put him to death, but they found none, though many false witnesses came forward. At last two came forward and said, "This fellow said, 'I am able to destroy the temple of God, and to build it in three days.'" And the high priest stood up and said, "Have you no answer to make? What is it that these men testify against you?" But Jesus was silent. And the high priest said to him, "I adjure you by the living God, tell us if you are the Christ, the Son of God." Jesus said to him, "You

have said so. But I tell you, hereafter you will see the Son of man seated at the right hand of Power, and coming on the clouds of heaven." Then the high priest tore his robes, and said, "He has uttered blasphemy. Why do we still need witnesses? You have now heard his blasphemy. What is your judgment?" They answered, "He deserves death." Then they spat in his face, and struck him; and some slapped him, saying, "Prophecy to us, you Christ! Who is it that struck you?" Now Peter was sitting outside in the courtyard. And a maid came up to him, and said, "You also were with Jesus the Galilean." But he denied it before them all, saying, "I do not know what you mean." And when he went out to the porch, another maid saw him, and she said to the bystanders, "This man was with Jesus of Nazareth." And again he denied it with an oath, "I do not know the man." After a little while the bystanders came up and said to Peter, "Certainly you are also one of them, for your accent betrays you." Then he began to invoke a curse on himself and to swear, "I do

not know the man." And immediately the cock crowed. And Peter remembered the saying of Jesus, "Before the cock crows, you will deny me three times." And he went out and wept bitterly. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Antiphon 7. Mode pl. 4.

Ἀντίφωνον Ζ'. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Antiphon 7. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic C

8 As You per - mitt-ed the trans - gres-sors to ar - rest You,

8 Lord, You said to them, "E-ven though you

8 struck the shep - herd and scat - tered the sheep,

8 name-ly My twelve Dis - ci - ples, I could sum-mon more than

8 twelve le - gions of an - gels. But

8 I for - bear, so that the un - known and ^Use - cret things ^C

8 that I showed you thru My proph-ets may be ^Dful - filled." ^C

8 Glo - ry to You, O Lord!

Antiphon 7. Mode pl. 4.

Τοῖς συλλαβοῦσί σε παρανόμοις, ἀνεχόμενος, οὕτως ἐβόας Κύριε· Εἰ καὶ ἐπατάξατε τὸν ποιμένα, καὶ διεσκορπίσατε τὰ δώδεκα πρόβατα τοῦς Μαθητάς μου, ἡδυνάμην πλείους, ἢ δώδεκα λεγεῶνας παραστήσαι Ἀγγέλων· ἀλλὰ μακροθυμῶ, ἵνα πληρωθῆ, ἃ ἐδήλωσα ὑμῖν διὰ τῶν Προφητῶν μου, ἄδηλα καὶ κρύφια. Κύριε δόξα σοι.

As You permitted the transgressors to arrest You, Lord, You said to them, “Even though you struck the shepherd and scattered the sheep, namely My twelve Disciples, I could summon more than twelve legions of angels. But I forbear, so that the unknown and secret things that I showed you through My prophets may be fulfilled.” Glory to You, O Lord! [SD]

Τρίτον ἀρνησάμενος ὁ Πέτρος, εὐθέως τὸ ῥηθὲν αὐτῷ συνήχεν· ἀλλὰ προσήγαγέ σοι δάκρυα μετανοίας. Ὁ Θεὸς ἰλάσθητί μοι καὶ σῶσόν με.

After Peter denied You three times, then he understood what You had said to him. But he brought to You tears of repentance. O God, have mercy on me and save

me. [SD]

12. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Ὡς πύλην σωτήριον καὶ Παράδεισον τερπνόν, καὶ φωτὸς αἰδίου, νεφέλην ὑπάρχουσαν, τὴν ἁγίαν Παρθένον ὑμνήσωμεν ἅπαντες, λέγοντες τὸ Χαῖρε αὐτῇ.

Let us all praise the holy Virgin, as the gateway to salvation; as a Paradise of delight; as a cloud of the everlasting light; and let us say to her, “Rejoice!” [SD]

A. Antiphon 8. Mode 2.

Ἀντίφωνον Η'. Ἦχος β'.

Antiphon 8. Mode 2. *Di=G.*

Soft Chromatic ^G



⁸ Tell us, O trans - gres - sors of the Law: what did you

⁸ hear from our Sav - ior? Did He not ex-

Chromatic ^C

⁸ - plain the Law and the teach - ings of

Soft Chromatic ^G

⁸ the Proph - ets? So, what was your rea - son

⁸ for de - liv - er - ing to Pi - late God the Word from

⁸ God, and the Re - deem - er of our souls?"

Antiphon 8. Mode 2.

Εἶπατε παράνομοι· Τί ἠκούσατε παρὰ τοῦ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν; οὐ νόμον ἐξέθετο, καὶ τῶν Προφητῶν τὰ διδάγματα; πῶς οὖν ἐλογίσασθε Πιλάτῳ παραδοῦναι, τὸν ἐκ Θεοῦ Θεὸν Λόγον, καὶ λυτρωτὴν τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν;

Tell us, O transgressors of the Law: what did you hear from our Savior? Did He not explain the Law and the teachings of the Prophets? So, what was your reason for delivering to Pilate God the Word from God, and the Redeemer of our souls? [SD]

Σταυρωθήτω ἔκραζον, οἱ τῶν σῶν χαρισμάτων ἀεὶ ἐντροφῶντες, καὶ κακοῦργον ἀντ' εὐεργέτου, ἤτοῦντο λαβεῖν, οἱ τῶν δικαίων φονεῦται, ἐσιώπας δὲ Χριστέ, φέρων αὐτῶν τὴν προπέτειαν, παθεῖν θέλων, καὶ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς ὡς φιλόανθρωπος.

“Let Him be crucified!” cried they who had always enjoyed Your gifts of grace; and they asked to receive a malefactor instead of You, the Benefactor, those slayers of the righteous. But You, O Christ, were silent, enduring their impudence, for You willed to suffer and to save us, O benevolent Lord. [SD]

13. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now.

Ὅτι οὐκ ἔχομεν παρρησίαν, διὰ τὰ πολλὰ ἡμῶν ἀμαρτήματα, σὺ τὸν ἐκ σοῦ γεννηθέντα δυσώπησον, Θεοτόκε Παρθένε· πολλὰ γὰρ ἰσχύει δέησις Μητρός, πρὸς εὐμένειαν Δεσπότου· μὴ παρίδης ἀμαρτωλῶν ἱκεσίας ἢ πάνσεμος, ὅτι ἐλεήμων ἐστί, καὶ σῶζειν δυνάμενος, ὁ καὶ παθεῖν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν καταδεξάμενος.

Since we have no right to speak because of our many sins, O Virgin Theotokos, implore Him who was born of you; for the prayer of a Mother can do much to win the Master's favor. O Lady, do not despise the entreaties of us sinners; for He who condescended to suffer for us is merciful and able to save us. [SD]

A. Antiphon 9. Mode 3.

Ἀντίφωνον Θ'. Ἦχος γ'.

Antiphon 9. Mode 3. *Ga=F.*

Enharmonic C F D

8 They weighed out the thir - ty piec - es of sil - ver,

8 the price of him on whom a price had been set by

8 some of the sons of Is - ra - el. Watch and pray that

8 you may not en - ter in - to temp - ta - tion. The

8 spir - it in - deed is will - ing, but the flesh is weak.

8 There - fore, watch!

Antiphon 9. Mode 3.

Ἔστησαν τὰ τριάκοντα ἀργύρια, τὴν τιμὴν τοῦ τετιμημένου, ὃν ἐτιμήσαντο ἀπὸ υἱῶν Ἰσραήλ. Γρηγορεῖτε καὶ προσεύχεσθε, ἵνα μὴ εἰσέλθητε εἰς πειρασμόν, τὸ μὲν πνεῦμα πρόθυμον, ἡ δὲ σὰρξ ἀσθενής, διὰ τοῦτο γρηγορεῖτε.

They weighed out the thirty pieces of silver, the price of him on whom a price had been set by some of the sons of Israel. Watch and pray that you may not enter into temptation; The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak. Therefore, watch! [SD]

Ἔδωκαν εἰς τὸ βρῶμά μου χολήν, καὶ εἰς τὴν δίψαν μου ἐπότισάν με ὄξος· σὺ δὲ Κύριε ἀνάστησόν με, καὶ ἀνταποδώσω αὐτοῖς.

They gave me gall for my food, and they gave me vinegar for my drink. But You, O Lord, raise me up; and I will repay them. [SD]

14. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Οἱ ἐξ ἐθνῶν ὑμνοῦμέν σε Θεοτόκε ἀγνή, ὅτι Χριστὸν τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν ἔτεκες, τὸν ἐκ τῆς κατάρας τοῦ ἀνθρώπου, διὰ σοῦ ἐλευθερώσαντα.

We, of the Gentiles, sing praise to you, O pure Theotokos; for you gave birth to Christ our God, who, through you freed mankind from the curse. [SD]

A. Kathisma. Mode pl. 4.

Κάθισμα. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Kathisma. Mode pl. 4. Heirmologic. Ga=F.

Diatonic

8 How could Ju-das, who was once Your Dis - ci - ple,

8 turn a - gainst You and med - i - tate Your be - tray - al?

8 Un-right-eous trai-tor, he de - ceit-ful - ly sat at sup - per with

8 You. He had gone to the priests, and said, "What will you

8 give me, if to you I de - liv - er Him who broke the

8 Law and pro - faned the Sab - bath?" O long - suf-fer-ing Lord,

8 glo - ry to You!

The 4th Gospel Reading

Kathisma. Mode pl. 4.

Ὡς πῶς Ἰούδας ὁ ποτέ σου μαθητής, τὴν προδοσίαν ἐμελέτα κατὰ σοῦ! συνεδείπνησε δολίως, ὁ ἐπίβουλος καὶ ἄδικος· πορευθεὶς εἶπε τοῖς Ἱερεῦσι· Τί μοι παρέχετε, καὶ παραδώσω ὑμῖν ἐκείνον, τὸν νόμον λύσαντα, καὶ βεβηλοῦντα τὸ Σάββατον; Μακρόθυμε Κύριε δόξα σοι.

How could Judas, who was once Your Disciple, turn against You and meditate Your betrayal? Unrighteous traitor, he deceitfully sat at supper with You. He had gone to the priests, and said, "What will you give me, if to you I deliver Him who broke the Law and profaned the Sabbath?" O longsuffering Lord, glory to You! [SD]

15. GOSPEL 4

Εὐαγγέλιον Τέταρτον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματι σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

ιη' 28-40, ιθ' 1-16

18:28-40; 19:1-16

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἄγουσι τὸν Ἰησοῦν ἀπὸ τοῦ Καϊάφα εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον· ἦν δὲ πρωί· καὶ αὐτοὶ οὐκ εἰσῆλθον εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον, ἵνα μὴ μιανθῶσιν, ἀλλ' ἵνα φάγωσι τὸ πάσχα. ἐξῆλθεν οὖν ὁ Πιλάτος πρὸς αὐτοὺς καὶ εἶπε· τίνα

κατηγορίαν φέρετε κατὰ τοῦ ἀνθρώπου τούτου; ἀπεκρίθησαν καὶ εἶπον αὐτῷ· εἰ μὴ ἦν οὗτος κακοποιός, οὐκ ἂν σοι παρεδώκαμεν αὐτόν. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· λάβετε αὐτὸν ὑμεῖς καὶ κατὰ τὸν νόμον ὑμῶν κρινάτε αὐτόν. εἶπον οὖν αὐτῷ οἱ Ἰουδαῖοι· ἡμῖν οὐκ ἔξεστιν ἀποκτεῖναι οὐδένα· ἵνα ὁ λόγος τοῦ Ἰησοῦ πληρωθῇ ὃν εἶπε σημαίνων ποίῳ θανάτῳ ἡμελλεν ἀποθνήσκειν. Εἰσῆλθεν οὖν εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον πάλιν ὁ Πιλάτος καὶ ἐφώνησε τὸν Ἰησοῦν καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· σὺ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων; ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἄφ' ἑαυτοῦ σὺ τοῦτο λέγεις ἢ ἄλλοι σοι εἶπον περὶ ἐμοῦ; ἀπεκρίθη ὁ Πιλάτος· μήτι ἐγὼ Ἰουδαῖός εἰμι; τὸ ἔθνος τὸ σὸν καὶ οἱ ἄρχιερεῖς παρέδωκάν σε ἐμοί· τί ἐποίησας; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς· ἡ βασιλεία ἡ ἐμὴ οὐκ ἔστιν ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου τούτου· εἰ ἐκ τοῦ κόσμου τούτου ἦν ἡ βασιλεία ἡ ἐμὴ, οἱ ὑπηρέται ἂν οἱ ἐμοὶ ἠγωνίζοντο, ἵνα μὴ παραδοθῶ τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις· νῦν δὲ ἡ βασιλεία ἡ ἐμὴ οὐκ ἔστιν ἐνεῦθεν. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτῷ ὁ Πιλάτος· οὐκοῦν βασιλεὺς εἶ σύ; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς· σὺ λέγεις ὅτι βασιλεὺς εἰμι ἐγώ. ἐγὼ εἰς τοῦτο γεγέννημαι καὶ εἰς τοῦτο ἐλήλυθα εἰς τὸν κόσμον, ἵνα μαρτυρήσω τῇ ἀληθείᾳ. πᾶς ὁ ὢν ἐκ τῆς ἀληθείας ἀκούει μου τῆς φωνῆς. λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Πιλάτος· τί ἐστὶν ἀλήθεια; καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν πάλιν ἐξῆλθε πρὸς τοὺς Ἰουδαίους καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· ἐγὼ οὐδεμίαν αἰτίαν εὐρίσκω ἐν αὐτῷ· ἔστι δὲ συνήθεια ὑμῖν ἵνα ἓνα ὑμῖν ἀπολύσω ἐν τῷ πάσχα· βούλεσθε οὖν ὑμῖν ἀπολύσω τὸν βασιλέα τῶν Ἰουδαίων; ἐκραύγασαν οὖν πάλιν πάντες λέγοντες· μὴ τοῦτον, ἀλλὰ τὸν Βαραββᾶν. ἦν δὲ ὁ Βαραββᾶς ληστής. Τότε οὖν ἔλαβεν ὁ Πιλάτος τὸν Ἰησοῦν καὶ ἑμαστίγωσε. καὶ οἱ στρατιῶται πλέξαντες στέφανον ἐξ ἀκανθῶν ἐπέθηκον αὐτοῦ τῇ κεφαλῇ, καὶ ἱμάτιον πορφυροῦν περιέβαλον αὐτόν καὶ ἔλεγον· χαῖρε ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων· καὶ ἐδίδουσαν αὐτῷ ῥαπίσματα. ἐξῆλθεν οὖν πάλιν ἔξω ὁ Πιλάτος καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· ἴδε ἄγω ὑμῖν αὐτόν ἔξω, ἵνα γινώτε ὅτι ἐν αὐτῷ οὐδεμίαν αἰτίαν εὐρίσκω. ἐξῆλθεν οὖν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἔξω φορῶν τὸν ἀκάνθινον στέφανον καὶ τὸ πορφυροῦν ἱμάτιον, καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· ἴδε ὁ ἄνθρωπος. ὅτε οὖν εἶδον αὐτόν οἱ ἄρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ ὑπηρέται, ἐκραύγασαν λέγοντες· σταύρωσον σταύρωσον αὐτόν. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· λάβετε αὐτόν ὑμεῖς καὶ σταυρώσατε· ἐγὼ γὰρ οὐκ εὐρίσκω ἐν αὐτῷ αἰτίαν. ἀπεκρίθησαν αὐτῷ οἱ Ἰουδαῖοι· ἡμεῖς νόμον ἔχομεν, καὶ κατὰ τὸν νόμον ἡμῶν ὀφείλει ἀποθανεῖν, ὅτι ἑαυτὸν Θεοῦ υἱὸν ἐποίησεν. Ὅτε οὖν ἤκουσεν ὁ Πιλάτος τοῦτον τὸν λόγον, μᾶλλον ἐφοβήθη, καὶ εἰσῆλθεν εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον πάλιν καὶ λέγει τῷ Ἰησοῦ· πόθεν εἶ σύ; ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς ἀπόκρισιν οὐκ ἔδωκεν αὐτῷ. λέγει οὖν αὐτῷ ὁ Πιλάτος· ἐμοὶ οὐ λαεῖς; οὐκ οἶδας ὅτι ἐξουσίαν ἔχω σταυρώσαι σε καὶ ἐξουσίαν ἔχω ἀπολύσαι σε; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς· οὐκ εἶχες ἐξουσίαν οὐδεμίαν κατ' ἐμοῦ, εἰ μὴ ἦν σοι δεδομένον ἄνωθεν· διὰ τοῦτο ὁ παραδιδούς μέ σοι μείζονα ἁμαρτίαν ἔχει. ἐκ τούτου ἐζήτει ὁ Πιλάτος ἀπολύσαι αὐτόν· οἱ δὲ Ἰουδαῖοι ἔκραζον λέγοντες· ἐὰν τοῦτον ἀπολύσης, οὐκ εἶ φίλος τοῦ Καίσαρος. πᾶς ὁ βασιλεὺς ἑαυτὸν ποιῶν ἀντιλέγει τῷ Καίσαρι. ὁ οὖν Πιλάτος ἀκούσας τοῦτον τὸν λόγον ἤγαγεν ἔξω τὸν Ἰησοῦν, καὶ ἐκάθισεν ἐπὶ τοῦ βήματος εἰς τόπον λεγόμενον Λιθόστρωτον, ἑβραϊστί δὲ Γαββαθᾶ· ἦν δὲ παρασκευὴ τοῦ πάσχα, ὥρα δὲ ὥσει ἔκτη· καὶ λέγει τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις· ἴδε ὁ βασιλεὺς ὑμῶν. οἱ δὲ ἐκραύγασαν· ἄρον ἄρον, σταύρωσον αὐτόν. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· τὸν

βασιλέα ὑμῶν σταυρώσω; ἀπεκρίθησαν οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς· οὐκ ἔχομεν βασιλέα εἰ μὴ Καίσαρα. τότε οὖν παρέδωκεν αὐτὸν αὐτοῖς ἵνα σταυρωθῆ.

At that time, they led Jesus from the house of Caiaphas to the praetorium. It was early. They themselves did not enter the praetorium, so that they might not be defiled, but might eat the passover. So Pilate went out to them and said, "What accusation do you bring against this man?" They answered him, "If this man were not an evildoer, we would not have handed him over." Pilate said to them, "Take him yourselves and judge him by your own law." The Jews said to him, "It is not lawful for us to put any man to death." This was to fulfill the word which Jesus had spoken to show by what death he was to die. Pilate entered the praetorium again and called Jesus, and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?" Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me; what have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingship is not of this world; if my kingship were of this world, my servants would fight, that I might not be handed over to the Jews; but my kingship is not from the world." Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I have come into the world, to bear witness to the truth. Every one who is of the truth hears my voice." Pilate said to him, "What is truth?" After he had said this, he went out to the Jews again, and told them, "I find no crime in him. But you have a custom that I should release one man for you at the Passover; will you have me release for you the King of the Jews?" They cried out again, "Not this man, but Barabbas!" Now Barabbas was a robber. Then Pilate took Jesus and scourged him. And the soldiers plaited a crown of thorns, and put it on his head, and arrayed him in a purple robe; they came up to him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" and struck him with their hands. Pilate went out again, and said to them, "See, I am bringing him out to you, that you may know that I find no crime in him." So Jesus came out, wearing the crown of thorns

and the purple robe. Pilate said to them, "Behold the man!" When the chief priests and the officers saw him, they cried out, "Crucify him, crucify him!" Pilate said to them, "Take him yourselves and crucify him, for I find no crime in him." The Jews answered him, "We have a law, and by that law he ought to die, because he has made himself the Son of God." When Pilate heard these words, he was the more afraid; he entered the praetorium again and said to Jesus, "Where are you from?" But Jesus gave no answer. Pilate therefore said to him, "You will not speak to me? Do you not know that I have power to release you, and power to crucify you?" Jesus answered him, "You would have no power over me unless it had been given you from above; therefore he who delivered me to you has the greater sin." Upon this Pilate sought to release him, but the Jews cried out, "If you release this man, you are not Caesar's friend; every one who makes himself a king sets himself against Caesar." When Pilate heard these words, he brought Jesus out and sat down on the judgment seat at a place called The Pavement, and in Hebrew, Gabbatha. Now it was the day of Preparation of the Passover; it was about the sixth hour. He said to the Jews, "Behold your King!" They cried out, "Away with him, away with him, crucify him!" Pilate said to them, "Shall I crucify your King?" The chief priests answered, "We have no king but Caesar." Then he handed him over to them to be crucified. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Antiphon 10. Mode pl. 2.

Ἀντίφωνον Γ'. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Antiphon 10. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic D

8 He who co-vers him - self with light as with a

8 gar - ment stood na - ked in judg-

8 - ment. He re - ceived blows to the cheeks from hands

8 He had fash - ioned. And the un - law - ful

8 peo - ple had the Lord of glo - ry

8 nailed to the Cross. Then the veil of the Tem-

8 - ple was torn in two, and the sun hid it-

8 - self, un - a - ble to watch this

8 in - sult to God, be - fore whom the

Diatonic G

8 u - ni - verse trem - bles. Let us

8 wor - ship Him.

8 The dis - ci - ple de - nied, but the

8 rob - ber ex - claimed, "Re-mem-ber me, O

8 Lord, in Your king - dom."

Glory; both now.

Mode pl. 2. Concise. $Vu=E$.

8 Grant peace to the world, O ben - ev - o-lent Lord, who for Your

8 ser-vants' sake ac - cept-ed to wear flesh from the Vir-gin,

8 so that with one voice we might glo - ri - fy You.

Antiphon 10. Mode pl. 2.

Ὁ ἀναβαλλόμενος φῶς ὡς ἱμάτιον, γυμνὸς εἰς κρίσιν ἴστατο, καὶ ἐν σιαγόνι, ῥάπισμα ἐδέξατο, ὑπὸ χειρῶν ὧν ἔπλασεν· ὁ δὲ παράνομος λαός, τῷ σταυρῷ προσήλωσε, τὸν Κύριον τῆς δόξης· τότε τὸ καταπέτασμα τοῦ Ναοῦ ἐσχίσθη, ὁ ἥλιος ἐσκότασε, μὴ φέρων θεάσασθαι, Θεὸν ὑβριζόμενον, ὃν τρέμει τὰ σύμπαντα. Αὐτὸν προσκυνήσωμεν.

He who covers himself with light as with a garment stood naked in judgment. He received blows to the cheeks from hands He had fashioned. And the unlawful people had the Lord of glory nailed to the Cross. Then the veil of the Temple was torn in two, and the sun hid itself, unable to watch this insult to God, before whom the universe trembles. Let us worship Him. [SD]

Ὁ μαθητὴς ἠρνήσατο, ὁ Ληστής ἐβόησε· Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

The disciple denied, but the robber exclaimed, “Remember me, O Lord, in Your kingdom.” [SD]

16. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Εἰρήνευσον τὸν Κόσμον, ὁ ἐκ Παρθένου καταδεζόμενος Κύριε, σάρκα φορέσαι ὑπὲρ δούλων, ἵνα συμφώνως, σὲ δοξολογοῦμεν φιλόνηρωπε.

Grant peace to the world, O benevolent Lord, who for Your servants' sake accepted to wear flesh from the Virgin, so that with one voice we might glorify You. [SD]

A. Antiphon 11. Mode pl. 2.

Ἀντίφωνον ΙΑ'. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

Antiphon 11. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic **D**

8 For the good that You, O Christ, had done to

G

8 them, the He-brew race con - demned You to be cru - ci - fied,

D **G**

8 giv-ing You vin - e - gar mixed with gall to drink. But

Diatonic

8 You, Lord, give them ac - cord - ing to their works,

Chromatic **D**

8 for they did not un - der - stand Your con - de-

8 - scen - sion.

Antiphon 11. Mode pl. 2.

Ἄντι ἀγαθῶν, ὧν ἐποίησας Χριστέ, τῷ γένει τῶν Ἑβραίων σταυρωθῆναί σε κατεδίκασαν, ὄξος καὶ χολήν σε ποτίσαντες. Ἄλλὰ δὸς αὐτοῖς Κύριε κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν, ὅτι οὐ συνήκαν, τὴν σὴν συγκατάβασιν.

For the good that You, O Christ, had done to them, the Hebrew race condemned You to be crucified, giving You vinegar mixed with gall to drink. But You, Lord, give them according to their works, for they did not understand Your condescension. [SD]

Ἐπὶ τῇ προδοσίᾳ οὐκ ἠρκέσθησαν Χριστὲ τὰ γένη τῶν Ἑβραίων, ἀλλ' ἐκίνουν τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν, μυκτηρισμὸν καὶ χλεύην προσάγοντες. Ἄλλὰ δὸς αὐτοῖς Κύριε, κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν, ὅτι κενά, κατὰ σοῦ ἐμελέτησαν.

The Hebrews were not content that You were betrayed, O Christ; but they shook their heads, bringing scorn and mockery. But You, Lord, give them according to their works, for they meditated on vain things against You. [SD]

Οὔτε γῆ ὡς ἐσεισθη, οὔτε πέτραι ὡς ἐρῥάγησαν, Ἑβραίους ἔπεισαν, οὔτε τοῦ Ναοῦ τὸ καταπέτασμα, οὔτε τῶν νεκρῶν ἡ ἀνάστασις. Ἄλλὰ δὸς αὐτοῖς Κύριε, κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτῶν, ὅτι κενά, κατὰ σοῦ ἐμελέτησαν.

Neither the earth as it quaked, nor the rocks as they

split; neither the veil of the Temple, nor the raising of the dead convinced the Jews. But You, Lord, give them according to their works, for they meditated on vain things against You. [SD]

17. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Θεὸν ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθέντα ἔγνωμεν Θεοτόκε Παρθένε, μόνη ἀγνή, μόνη εὐλογημένη· διὸ ἀπαύστως, σὲ ἀνυμνοῦντες μεγαλύνομεν.

O Virgin Theotokos, we know God, incarnate of you, the only pure and only blessed. Therefore we unceasingly praise and magnify you. [SD]

A. Antiphon 12. Mode pl. 4.

Ἀντίφωνον IB'. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Antiphon 12. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic

8 Thus says the Lord to the Jews,

8 "O my peo - ple, what have I done to you, how

8 have I up - set you? I gave sight

8 to your blind; I cleansed your lep - ers;

8 I raised the man who lay par - a - lyzed on

8 his bed. O my peo - ple, what have I

8 done to you, and how have you re-

8 paid me? In-stead of man - na, you fed Me

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8 gall; in - stead of wa - ter, you gave Me vin -

8 e - gar; in - stead of lov - ing Me, you

8 nailed Me to the Cross. So,

8 I will no long - er hold back, but

8 I will call My Gen - tiles, and they will glo - ri -

8 fy Me and the Fa - ther and the

8 Spir - it; and I will grant them e - ter -

8 nal life."

Antiphon 12. Mode pl. 4.

Τάδε λέγει Κύριος τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις· Λαός μου τί ἐποίησά σοι, ἢ τί σοι παρηνώχλησα; τοὺς τυφλοὺς σου ἐφώτισα, τοὺς λεπρούς σου ἐκαθάρισα, ἄνδρα ὄντα ἐπὶ κλίνης ἠνωρωσάμην. Λαός μου, τί ἐποίησά σοι, καὶ τί μοι ἀνταπέδωκας; ἀντὶ τοῦ μάννα χολήν, ἀντὶ τοῦ ὕδατος ὄξος, ἀντὶ τοῦ ἀγαπᾶν με, σταυρῶ με προσηλώσατε· οὐκέτι στέγω λοιπόν, καλέσω μου τὰ ἔθνη, κἀκεῖνα με δοξάσουσι, σὺν τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Πνεύματι, κἀγὼ αὐτοῖς δωρήσομαι, ζωὴν τὴν αἰώνιον.

Thus says the Lord to the Jews, “O my people, what have I done to you, how have I upset you? I gave sight to your blind; I cleansed your lepers; I raised the man who lay paralyzed on his bed. O my people, what have I done to you, and how have you repaid me? Instead of manna, you fed Me gall; instead of water, you gave Me vinegar; instead of loving Me, you nailed Me to the Cross. So, I will no longer hold back, but I will call My Gentiles, and they will glorify Me and the Father and the Spirit; and I will grant them eternal life.” [SD]

Σήμερον τοῦ Ναοῦ τὸ καταπέτασμα, εἰς ἔλεγχον ῥήγνυται τῶν παρανόμων· καὶ τὰς ἰδίας ἀκτῖνας, ὁ ἥλιος κρύπτει, Δεσπότην ὄρων σταυρούμενον.

Today, the veil of the Temple is torn in two, as a reproof to the transgressors. And the sun hides its rays, beholding the Master on the Cross. [SD]

Οἱ νομοθέται τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ, Ἰουδαῖοι καὶ Φαρισαῖοι, ὁ χορὸς τῶν Ἀποστόλων βοᾷ πρὸς ὑμᾶς. Ἴδε ναός, ὃν ὑμεῖς ἐλύσατε, ἴδε ἀμνός, ὃν ὑμεῖς ἐσταυρώσατε, τάφω

παρεδώκατε, ἀλλ’ ἐξουσία ἑαυτοῦ ἀνέστη. Μὴ πλανᾶσθε Ἰουδαῖοι· αὐτὸς γάρ ἐστιν ὁ ἐν θαλάσῃ σώσας, καὶ ἐν ἐρήμῳ θρέψας, αὐτὸς ἐστιν ἡ ζωὴ καὶ τὸ φῶς, καὶ ἡ εἰρήνη τοῦ Κόσμου.

O lawmakers of Israel, Jewish leaders, and Pharisees, the choir of Apostles calls out to you, “Behold, the Temple that you destroyed; behold, the Lamb that you crucified. You delivered Him to the grave, but He has risen by His own power. Do not deceive yourselves; for He is the One who saved you in the sea, and fed you in the desert. He is the Life, and the Light, and the Peace of the world.” [SD]

18. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Χαῖρε ἡ πύλη τοῦ Βασιλέως τῆς δόξης, ἣν ὁ Ὑψιστος μόνος διώδευσε, καὶ πάλιν ἐσφραγισμένην κατέλιπεν, εἰς σωτηρίαν τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Rejoice, O gateway of the King of glory! Only the Most High passed through you, for the salvation of our souls, and again left you sealed. [SD]

A. Kathisma. Mode pl. 4.

Κάθισμα. Ἦχος πλ. δ’.

Kathisma. Mode pl. 4. Ga=F.

Diatonic

8 When You, O God, stood be - fore Cai - a - phas, and You, the

8 Judge, were de - liv-ered to Pi - late, the heav - en - ly hosts

8 were shak - en with fear. Then You were lift-ed on the Cross be-

8 - tween two rob - bers, and You, the sin-less One, were num-bered

8 with the law-less, in or - der to save hu - man - i - ty. O for-

8 - bearing Lord, glo - ry to You!

The 5th Gospel Reading

Kathisma. Mode pl. 4.

“Οτε παρέστης τῷ Καϊάφᾳ ὁ Θεός, καὶ παρεδόθης τῷ Πιλάτῳ ὁ Κριτής, αἱ οὐράνιαι δυνάμεις, ἐκ τοῦ φόβου ἐσαλεύθησαν· τότε δὲ καὶ ὑψώθης ἐπὶ τοῦ ξύλου ἐν μέσῳ δύο ληστῶν, καὶ ἐλογίσθης μετὰ ἀνόμων ὁ ἀναμάρτητος, διὰ τὸ σῶσαι τὸν ἄνθρωπον. Ἀνεξίκακε Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

When You, O God, stood before Caiaphas, and You, the Judge, were delivered to Pilate, the heavenly hosts were shaken with fear. Then You were lifted on the Cross between two robbers, and You, the sinless One, were numbered with the lawless, in order to save humanity. O forbearing Lord, glory to You! [SD]

19. GOSPEL 5

Εὐαγγέλιον Πέμπτον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

κζ' 3–32

27:3–32

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκεῖνῳ, ἰδὼν Ἰούδας ὅτι ὁ Ἰησοῦς κατεκρίθη, μεταμεληθεὶς ἀπέστρεψε τὰ τριάκοντα ἀργύρια τοῖς

ἀρχιερεῦσι καὶ τοῖς πρεσβυτέροις λέγων· ἡμάρτον παραδοῦς αἷμα ἀνθρώπου. οἱ δὲ εἶπον· τί πρὸς ἡμᾶς; σὺ ὄψει. καὶ ῥίψας τὰ ἀργύρια ἐν τῷ ναῷ ἀνεχώρησε, καὶ ἀπελθὼν ἀπήγαγον. οἱ δὲ ἀρχιερεῖς λαβόντες τὰ ἀργύρια εἶπον· οὐκ ἔξεστι βαλεῖν αὐτὰ εἰς τὸν κορβανᾶν, ἐπεὶ τιμὴ αἱματός ἐστι. συμβούλιον δὲ λαβόντες ἠγόρασαν ἐξ αὐτῶν τὸν ἀγρὸν τοῦ κεραμέως εἰς ταφὴν τοῖς ξένοις· διὸ ἐκλήθη ὁ ἀγρὸς ἐκεῖνος ἀγρὸς αἵματος ἕως τῆς σήμερον. τότε ἐπληρώθη τὸ ῥηθὲν διὰ Ἰερεμίου τοῦ προφήτου λέγοντος· καὶ ἔλαβον τὰ τριάκοντα ἀργύρια, τὴν τιμὴν τοῦ τετιμημένου ὄν ἐτιμήσαντο ἀπὸ υἱῶν Ἰσραὴλ, καὶ ἔδωκαν αὐτὰ εἰς τὸν ἀγρὸν τοῦ κεραμέως, καθὰ συνέταξέ μοι Κύριος. Ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς ἔστη ἔμπροσθεν τοῦ ἡγεμόνος· καὶ ἐπηρώτησεν αὐτὸν ὁ ἡγεμὼν λέγων· σὺ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων; ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς ἔφη αὐτῷ· σὺ λέγεις. καὶ ἐν τῷ κατηγορεῖσθαι αὐτὸν ὑπὸ τῶν ἀρχιερέων καὶ τῶν πρεσβυτέρων οὐδὲν ἀπεκρίνατο. τότε λέγει αὐτῷ ὁ Πιλάτος· οὐκ ἀκούεις πόσα σου καταμαρτυροῦσι; καὶ οὐκ ἀπεκρίθη αὐτῷ πρὸς οὐδὲ ἐν ῥήματι, ὥστε θαυμάζειν τὸν ἡγεμόνα λίαν. Κατὰ δὲ ἑορτὴν εἰώθει ὁ ἡγεμὼν ἀπολύειν ἓνα τῶ ὄχλου δέσμιον, ὃν ᾔθελον. εἶχον δὲ τότε δέσμιον ἐπίσημον λεγόμενον Βαραββᾶν. συνηγμένων οὖν αὐτῶν εἶπεν αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· τίνα θέλετε ἀπολύσω ὑμῖν; Βαραββᾶν ἢ Ἰησοῦν τὸν λεγόμενον Χριστόν; ᾗδει γὰρ ὅτι διὰ φθόνον παρέδωκεν αὐτόν. Καθημένου δὲ αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τοῦ βήματος ἀπέστειλε πρὸς αὐτὸν ἡ γυνὴ αὐτοῦ λέγουσα· μηδὲν σοὶ καὶ τῷ δικαίῳ ἐκεῖνῳ· πολλὰ γὰρ ἔπαθον σήμερον κατ' ὄναρ δι' αὐτόν. Οἱ δὲ ἀρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ πρεσβύτεροι ἔπεισαν τοὺς ὄχλους ἵνα αἰτήσωνται τὸν Βαραββᾶν, τὸν δὲ Ἰησοῦν ἀπολέσωσιν. ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ ὁ ἡγεμὼν εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· τίνα θέλετε ἀπὸ τῶν δύο ἀπολύσω ὑμῖν; οἱ δὲ εἶπον· Βαραββᾶν. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· τί οὖν ποιήσω Ἰησοῦν τὸν λεγόμενον Χριστόν; λέγουσιν αὐτῷ πάντες· σταυρωθήτω. ὁ δὲ ἡγεμὼν ἔφη· τί γὰρ κακὸν ἐποίησεν; οἱ δὲ περισσῶς ἔκραζον λέγοντες· σταυρωθήτω. ἰδὼν δὲ ὁ Πιλάτος ὅτι οὐδὲν ὠφελεῖ, ἀλλὰ μᾶλλον θόρυβος γίνεται, λαβὼν ὕδωρ ἀπενίψατο τὰς χεῖρας ἀπέναντι τοῦ ὄχλου λέγων· ἀθῶός εἰμι ἀπὸ τοῦ αἵματος τοῦ δικαίου τούτου· ὑμεῖς ὄψεσθε. καὶ ἀποκριθεὶς πᾶς ὁ λαὸς εἶπε· τὸ αἷμα αὐτοῦ ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ τέκνα ἡμῶν. τότε ἀπέλυσεν αὐτοῖς τὸν Βαραββᾶν, τὸν δὲ Ἰησοῦν φραγελλώσας παρέδωκεν ἵνα σταυρωθῇ. Τότε οἱ στρατιῶται τοῦ ἡγεμόνος παραλαμβάνοντες τὸν Ἰησοῦν εἰς τὸ πραιτώριον συνήγαγον ἐπ' αὐτόν ὄλην τὴν σπεῖραν· καὶ ἐκδύσαντες αὐτὸν περιέθησαν αὐτῷ χλαμύδα κοκκίνην, καὶ πλέξαντες στέφανον ἐξ ἀκανθῶν ἐπέθησαν ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ καὶ κάλαμον ἐπὶ τὴν δεξιὰν αὐτοῦ, καὶ γονυπετήσαντες ἔμπροσθεν αὐτοῦ ἐνέπαιζον αὐτῷ λέγοντες· χαῖρε ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων· καὶ ἐμπτύσαντες εἰς αὐτὸν ἔλαβον τὸν κάλαμον καὶ ἔτυπον εἰς τὴν κεφαλὴν αὐτοῦ. καὶ ὅτε ἐνέπαιζαν αὐτῷ, ἐξέδυσαν αὐτὸν τὴν χλαμύδα καὶ ἐνέδυσαν αὐτὸν τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἀπήγαγον αὐτὸν εἰς τὸ σταυρῶσαι. Ἐξερχόμενοι δὲ εὗρον ἄνθρωπον Κυρηναῖον ὀνόματι Σίμων· τοῦτον ἠγγάρευσαν ἵνα ἄρῃ τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ.

At that time, when Judas saw that Jesus was condemned, he repented and brought back the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and the elders, saying, “I have sinned in betraying innocent blood.” They said, “What is that to us? See to it yourself.” And throwing down the pieces of silver in the temple, he departed; and he

went and hanged himself. But the chief priests, taking the pieces of silver, said, "It is not lawful to put them into the treasury, since they are blood money." So they took counsel, and bought with them the potter's field, to bury strangers in. Therefore that field has been called the Field of Blood to this day. Then was fulfilled what had been spoken by the prophet Jeremiah, saying, "And they took the thirty pieces of silver, the price of him on whom a price had been set by some of the sons of Israel, and they gave them for the potter's field, as the Lord directed me." Now Jesus stood before the governor; and the governor asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus said, "You have said so." But when he was accused by the chief priests and elders, he made no answer. Then Pilate said to him, "Do you not hear how many things they testify against you?" But he gave him no answer, not even to a single charge; so that the governor wondered greatly. Now at the feast the governor was accustomed to release for the crowd any one prisoner whom they wanted. And they had then a notorious prisoner, called Barabbas. So when they had gathered, Pilate said to them, "Whom do you want me to release for you, Barabbas or Jesus who is called Christ?" For he knew that it was out of envy that they had delivered him up. Besides, while he was sitting on the judgment seat, his wife sent word to him, "Have nothing to do with that righteous man, for I have suffered much over him today in a dream." Now the chief priests and the elders persuaded the people to ask for Barabbas and destroy Jesus. The governor again said to them, "Which of the two do you want me to release for you?" And they said, "Barabbas." Pilate said to them, "Then what shall I do with Jesus who is called Christ?" They all said, "Let him be crucified." And he

said, "Why, what evil has he done?" But they shouted all the more, "Let him be crucified." So when Pilate saw that he was gaining nothing, but rather that a riot was beginning, he took water and washed his hands before the crowd, saying, "I am innocent of this man's blood; see to it yourselves." And all the people answered, "His blood be on us and on our children!" Then he released for them Barabbas, and having scourged Jesus, delivered him to be crucified. Then the soldiers of the governor took Jesus into the praetorium, and they gathered the whole battalion before him. And they stripped him and put a scarlet robe upon him, and plaiting a crown of thorns they put it on his head, and put a reed in his right hand. And kneeling before him they mocked him, saying, "Hail, King of the Jews!" And they spat upon him, and took the reed and struck him on the head. And when they had mocked him, they stripped him of the robe, and put his own clothes on him, and led him away to crucify him. As they went out, they came upon a man of Cyrene, Simon by name; this man they compelled to carry his cross. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Antiphon 13. Mode pl. 2.

Ἀντίφωνον ΙΓ'. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Antiphon 13. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic

8 The crowd of Jews de - mand - ed that

8 Pi-late have You cru - ci - fied, O Lord. They found no

8 crime in You. Nev-er-the - less they re - leased the con-vict, Bar-

8 - ab - bas, and they con - demned You, the right - eous

8 One. And so they in - curred the guilt for mur-

8 - der. But You, Lord, give them their due re - ward, for they

8 med-i - tat-ed vain things a - gainst You.

Antiphon 13. Mode pl. 2.

Τὸ ἄθροισμα τῶν Ἰουδαίων, τῷ Πιλάτῳ ῥητήσαντο, σταυρωθῆναί σε Κύριε· αἰτίαν γὰρ ἐν σοὶ μὴ εὐρόντες, τὸν ὑπεύθυνον Βαραββᾶν ἤλευθέρωσαν, καὶ σὲ τὸν Δίκαιον κατεδίκασαν, μαιφονίας ἔγκλημα κληρωσάμενοι. Ἀλλὰ δὸς αὐτοῖς Κύριε, τὸ ἀνταπόδομα αὐτῶν, ὅτι κενά, κατὰ σοῦ ἐμελέτησαν.

The crowd of Jews demanded that Pilate have You crucified, O Lord. They found no crime in You. Nevertheless they released the convict, Barabbas, and they condemned You, the righteous One. And so they incurred the guilt for murder. But You, Lord, give them their due reward, for they meditated vain things against You. [SD]

Ὅν πάντα φρίσσει καὶ τρέμει, καὶ πᾶσα γλῶσσα ὑμνεῖ, Χριστὸν Θεοῦ δύναμιν, καὶ Θεοῦ σοφίαν οἱ Ἱερεῖς ἐρῥάπισαν, καὶ ἔδωκαν αὐτῷ χολήν, καὶ πάντα παθεῖν κατέδεξάτο, σῶσαι θέλων ἡμᾶς ἐκ τῶν ἀνομιῶν ἡμῶν, τῷ ἰδίῳ αἵματι, ὡς φιλόανθρωπος.

Christ is the power of God and the wisdom of God; before Him all things tremble and fear, and every tongue

praises Him. And the priests slapped Him and gave Him gall. He accepted to suffer it all, wishing to save us from our lawlessness by His blood, in His benevolence. [SD]

20. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Θεοτόκε ἡ τεκοῦσα, διὰ λόγου ὑπὲρ λόγον, τὸν Κτίστην τὸν ἴδιον, αὐτὸν δυσώπει, σῶσαι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

O Theotokos, through a word you ineffably gave birth to the Word, your Creator. Implore Him to save our souls. [SD]

A. Antiphon 14. Mode pl. 4.

Ἀντίφωνον ΙΔ'. Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Antiphon 14. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic C

8 O Lord, though the Rob-ber had de - filed his hands with

8 blood, yet You took him as a fel - low trav - el-

8 er. We pray You to num - ber us with

8 him, for You are good and ben - ev - o-

8 lent.

Diatonic C

8 On the cross, the Rob - ber let out a small voice,

8 but he mus - tered great faith. In an in - stant

8 he was saved. And he was first to

o - pen the gates of Par - a - dise and to
go in. O Lord, who ac - cept -
ed his re - pent - ance, glo - ry to You!

Glory; both now. **Mode pl. 4. Heirmologic.** *Ni=C.*

Re - joice, O Maid - en! Thru an An - gel you re - ceived the
joy of the world. Re - joice, for you gave birth to your Cre - a - tor and
Lord! Re - joice, for you were count - ed wor - thy to be - come the
Moth - er of Christ our God!

At this point, the procession with the Crucifix takes place.

Antiphon 14. Mode pl. 4.

Κύριε, ὁ τὸν Ληστὴν συνοδοιπόρον λαβὼν, τὸν ἐν αἵματι χεῖρας μολύναντα, καὶ ἡμᾶς σὺν αὐτῷ καταρίθμησον, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόνητος.

O Lord, though the Robber had defiled his hands with blood, yet You took him as a fellow traveler. We pray You to number us with him, for You are good and benevolent. [SD]

Μικρὰν φωνὴν ἀφῆκεν ὁ Ληστὴς ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ, μεγάλην πίστιν εὗρε· μὲν ῥοπῇ ἐσώθη, καὶ πρῶτος Παραδείσου, πύλας ἀνοίξας εἰσῆλθεν. Ὁ αὐτοῦ τὴν μετάνοιαν προσδεζόμενος, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

On the cross, the Robber let out a small voice, but he mustered great faith. In an instant he was saved. And he was first to open the gates of Paradise and to go in. O Lord, who accepted his repentance, glory to You! [SD]

21. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Χαῖρε ἡ δι' Ἀγγέλου, τὴν χαρὰν τοῦ κόσμου δεξαμένη· χαῖρε ἡ τεκοῦσα, τὸν ποιητὴν σου καὶ Κύριον· χαῖρε ἡ ἀξιοθέουσα, γενέσθαι Μήτηρ Χριστοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Rejoice, O Maiden! Through an Angel you received the joy of the world! Rejoice, for you gave birth to your Creator and Lord! Rejoice, for you were counted worthy to become the Mother of Christ our God! [SD]

22. ANTIPHON 15.

Ἀντίφωνον ΙΑ΄.

(The Faithful Kneel)

(At this point the Priest carrying the Crucifix, and preceded by the Altar Boys, exits from the Sanctuary and proceeding all around the Church, he chants in a monotone the following Hymn. All the Faithful kneel, and remain kneeling throughout the procession.)

Antiphon 15. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic D

To - day, He who sus - pend - ed the earth in the

wa - ters is sus - pend - ed on a cross.

Ση-με-ρον κρε - μα - ται ε - πι ξυ - λου ο εν

υ - δα - σι την γην κρε - μα - σας.

To - day, He who sus - pend - ed the earth in the

wa - ters is sus - pend - ed on a cross.

The King of the An - gels wears a

crown of thorns. He who wraps the sky in

8 clouds is wrapped in a fake pur - ple robe.

Diatonic 8 He who freed Ad - am in the

Chromatic 8 Jor - dan ac - cepts to be

8 slapped. The Bride - groom of the Church is

8 fixed with nails to the cross. The Son

8 of the Vir - gin is pierced,

8 is pierced with a spear. We

8 wor - ship Your Pas - sion, O

8 Christ. We wor - ship Your Pas -

8 - sion, O Christ. We wor - ship, we

8 wor - ship Your Pas - sion, O

8 Christ.

8 Show us al - so, show us

8 Chromatic D Your glo - ri - ous Res - ur - rec-

8 - tion.

Chromatic

Diatonic

A

D

G

*Ὁ Λαὸς γονατίζει καὶ ἐξέρχεται ἐκ τοῦ ἱεροῦ βήματος ὁ Ἐσταυρωμένος. Ὁ ἱερεὺς ἐκφωνεῖ τὸ παρὸν τροπάριον, εἶτα ψάλλεται ὑπ' ἀμφοτέρων τῶν Χορῶν ὁμοῦ, κατὰ Στίχον.
The congregations kneels as the icon of the Crucifixion is processed. The priest intones the following troparion, then the Choirs sing it antiphonally, verse by verse.*

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Σήμερον κρεμάται ἐπὶ ξύλου, ὁ ἐν ὕδασι τὴν γῆν κρεμάσας. (3) Στέφανον ἐξ ἀκανθῶν περιτίθεται, ὁ τῶν Ἀγγέλων Βασιλεύς. Ψευδῆ πορφύραν περιβάλλεται, ὁ περιβάλλον τὸν οὐρανὸν ἐν νεφέλαις. Ῥάπισμα κατεδέξατο, ὁ ἐν Ἰορδάνῃ ἐλευθερώσας τὸν Ἀδάμ. Ἥλιος προσηλώθη, ὁ Νυμφίος τῆς Ἐκκλησίας. Λόγχῃ ἐκεντήθη, ὁ Υἱὸς τῆς Παρθένου. Προσκυνοῦμέν σου τὰ Πάθη Χριστέ. (3) Δεῖξον ἡμῖν, καὶ τὴν ἔνδοξόν σου Ἀνάστασιν.

Today, He who suspended the earth in the waters is suspended on a cross. (3) The King of the Angels wears a crown of thorns. He who wraps the sky in clouds is wrapped in a fake purple robe. He who freed Adam in the Jordan accepts to be slapped. The Bridegroom of the Church is fixed with nails to the cross. The Son of the Virgin is pierced with a spear. We worship Your Passion, O Christ. (3) Show us also Your glorious Resurrection.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἦχος πλ. β'.

Mode pl. 2.

Σήμερον κρεμάται ἐπὶ ξύλου, ὁ ἐν ὕδασι τὴν γῆν κρεμάσας.

Today, He who suspended the earth in the waters is suspended on a cross.

Σήμερον κρεμάται ἐπὶ ξύλου, ὁ ἐν ὕδασι τὴν γῆν κρεμάσας.

Today, He who suspended the earth in the waters is suspended on a cross.

Σήμερον κρεμάται ἐπὶ ξύλου, ὁ ἐν ὕδασι τὴν γῆν κρεμάσας.

Today, He who suspended the earth in the waters is suspended on a cross.

Στέφανον ἐξ ἀκανθῶν περιτίθεται, ὁ τῶν Ἀγγέλων Βασιλεύς.

The King of the Angels wears a crown of thorns.

Ψευδῆ πορφύραν περιβάλλεται, ὁ περιβάλλον τὸν οὐρανὸν ἐν νεφέλαις.

He who wraps the sky in clouds is wrapped in a fake purple robe.

Ῥάπισμα κατεδέξατο, ὁ ἐν Ἰορδάνῃ ἐλευθερώσας τὸν Ἀδάμ.

He who freed Adam in the Jordan accepts to be slapped.

Ἥλιος προσηλώθη, ὁ Νυμφίος τῆς Ἐκκλησίας.

The Bridegroom of the Church is fixed with nails to the cross.

Λόγχῃ ἐκεντήθη, ὁ Υἱὸς τῆς Παρθένου.

The Son of the Virgin is pierced with a spear.

Προσκυνοῦμέν σου τὰ Πάθη Χριστέ.

We worship Your Passion, O Christ.

Προσκυνοῦμέν σου τὰ Πάθη Χριστέ.

We worship Your Passion, O Christ.

Προσκυνοῦμέν σου τὰ Πάθη Χριστέ. Δεῖξον ἡμῖν, καὶ τὴν ἔνδοξόν σου Ἀνάστασιν.

We worship Your Passion, O Christ. Show us also Your glorious Resurrection.

(The above hymn is repeated by the Chanter.)

(The Faithful Sit)

Ἦχος πλ. β'.

Mode pl. 2.

Μὴ ὡς Ἰουδαῖοι εορτάσωμεν· καὶ γὰρ τὸ Πάσχα ἡμῶν, ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐτύθη Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, ἀλλ' ἐκαθαίρωμεν ἑαυτοὺς ἀπὸ παντὸς μολυσμοῦ, καὶ εἰλικρινῶς δεηθῶμεν αὐτῷ. Ἀνάστα Κύριε, σῶσον ἡμᾶς ὡς φιλόανθρωπος.

We do not celebrate Passover like Jews do. For our Passover is Christ; He was sacrificed for us. So, let us purify ourselves of all defilement and sincerely pray to Him, "Arise, O Lord! Save us, in Your benevolence." [SD]

Ὁ Σταυρός σου Κύριε, ζωὴ καὶ ἀνάστασις ὑπάρχει τῷ λαῷ σου, καὶ ἐπ' αὐτῷ πεποιθότες, σὲ τὸν σταυρωθέντα, Θεὸν ἡμῶν ὑμνοῦμεν. Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Lord, Your Cross is life and resurrection for us Your people; and trusting in it we extol You, our God, who was crucified. Have mercy on us. [SD]

23. THEOTOKION.

Θεοτοκίον.

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now. Theotokion.

Ὁρῶσα σε κρεμάμενον, Χριστέ, ἢ σὲ κυήσασα, ἀνεβόα· Τί τὸ ξένον ὃ ὄρω, μυστήριον Τιέ μου; πῶς ἐπὶ ξύλου θνήσκεις, σαρκὶ πηγνύμενος, ζωῆς χορηγέ;

Seeing You hanging on the Cross, O Christ, Your Mother cried aloud, "What is this strange mystery that I see, my Son? How is it that You die, with Your body nailed to a cross, O Giver of life?" [SD]

A. Kathisma. Mode 4.

Κάθισμα. Ἦχος δ'.

Kathisma. Mode 4. $Vu=E$.

Soft Chromatic E

8 You ran-somed us from the curse of the Law by Your pre-cious

8 Blood. You were nailed to the Cross, and You were pierced with a

8 spear, and You gushed forth im-mor - tal - i - ty for hu - man - i - ty. Our

8 Sav-ior, glo - ry to You!

The Sixth Gospel

Kathisma. Mode 4.

Ἐξηγόρασας ἡμᾶς, ἐκ τῆς καταρας τοῦ νόμου, τῷ τιμίῳ σου Αἵματι, τῷ σταυρῷ προσηλωθεῖς, καὶ τῇ λόγχῃ κεντηθεῖς, τὴν ἀθανασίαν ἐπήγασας ἀνθρώποις. Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν δόξα σοι.

You ransomed us from the curse of the Law by Your precious Blood. You were nailed to the Cross, and You were pierced with a spear, and You gushed forth immortality for humanity. Our Savior, glory to You! [SD]

24. GOSPEL 6

Εὐαγγέλιον Ἐκτον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μάρκον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

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Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκεῖνῳ, οἱ στρατιῶται ἀπήγαγον αὐτὸν ἔσω τῆς αὐλῆς, ὃ ἐστὶ πρατώριον, καὶ συγκαλοῦσιν ὅλην τὴν σπεῖραν· καὶ ἐνδύουσιν αὐτὸν πορφύραν καὶ περιτιθέασιν αὐτῷ πλέξαντες ἀκάνθινον στέφανον, καὶ ἤρξαντο ἀσπάζεσθαι αὐτόν. χαῖρε ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων· καὶ ἔτυπτον αὐτοῦ τὴν κεφαλὴν καλάμῳ καὶ ἐνέπτυσον αὐτῷ, καὶ τιθέντες τὰ γόνατα προσεκύνουν αὐτῷ. καὶ ὅτε ἐνέπαιζαν

αὐτῷ, ἐξέδυσαν αὐτὸν τὴν πορφύραν καὶ ἐνέδυσαν αὐτὸν τὰ ἱμάτια τὰ ἴδια, καὶ ἐξάγουσιν αὐτὸν ἵνα σταυρώσωσιν αὐτόν. Καὶ ἀγγαρεύουσι παράγοντά τινα Σίμωνα Κυρηναῖον, ἐρχόμενον ἀπ' ἀγροῦ, τὸν πατέρα Ἀλεξάνδρου καὶ Ρούφου, ἵνα ἄρῃ τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ. Καὶ φέρουσιν αὐτὸν ἐπὶ Γολγοθᾶ τόπον, ὃ ἐστὶ μεθερμηνευόμενον κρανίου τόπος. καὶ ἐδίδουν αὐτῷ πιεῖν ἐσμυρνευόμενον οἶνον· ὃ δὲ οὐκ ἔλαβε. καὶ σταυρώσαντες αὐτὸν διαμερίζονται τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτοῦ βάλλοντες κλῆρον ἐπ' αὐτὰ τίς τί ἄρῃ. ἦν δὲ ὥρα τρίτη καὶ ἐσταύρωσαν αὐτόν. καὶ ἦν ἡ ἐπιγραφή τῆς αἰτίας αὐτοῦ ἐπιγεγραμμένη· ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων. Καὶ σὺν αὐτῷ σταυροῦσι δύο ληστές, ἓνα ἐκ δεξιῶν καὶ ἓνα ἐξ εὐωνύμων αὐτοῦ. καὶ ἐπληρώθη ἡ γραφή ἡ λέγουσα· καὶ μετὰ ἀνόμων ἐλογίσθη. Καὶ οἱ παραπορευόμενοι ἐβλασφήμουν αὐτὸν κιννοῦντες τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν καὶ λέγοντες· οὐά, ὁ καταλύων τὸν ναὸν καὶ ἐν τρισὶν ἡμέραις οἰκοδομῶν! σῶσον σεαυτὸν καὶ κατὰ βία ἀπὸ τοῦ σταυροῦ. ὁμοίως δὲ καὶ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς ἐμπαίζοντες πρὸς ἀλλήλους μετὰ τῶν γραμματέων ἔλεγον· ἄλλους ἔσωσεν, ἑαυτὸν οὐ δύναται σῶσαι. ὁ Χριστὸς ὁ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ καταβάτω νῦν ἀπὸ τοῦ σταυροῦ, ἵνα ἴδωμεν καὶ πιστεύσωμεν αὐτῷ.

At time, the soldiers led Jesus away inside the palace (that is, the praetorium); and they called together the whole battalion. And they clothed him in a purple cloak, and plaiting a crown of thorns they put it on him. And they began to salute him, "Hail, King of the Jews!" And they struck his head with a reed, and spat upon him, and they knelt down in homage to him. And when they had mocked him, they stripped him of the purple cloak, and put his own clothes on him. And they led him out to crucify him. And they compelled a passer-by, Simon of Cyrene, who was coming in from the country, the father of Alexander and Rufus, to carry his cross. And they brought him to the place called Golgotha (which means the place of a skull). And they offered him wine mingled with myrrh; but he did not take it. And they crucified him, and divided his garments among them, casting lots for them, to decide what each should take. And it was the third hour, when they crucified him. And the inscription of the charge against him read, "The King of the Jews." And with him they crucified two robbers, one on his right and one on his left. And the scripture was fulfilled which says, "He was reckoned with the transgressors." And those who passed by derided him, wagging their heads, and saying, "Aha! You who would destroy the temple and build it in three days, save yourself, and come down from the cross!" So also the chief priests mocked him to one another with the scribes, saying, "He saved others; he cannot save himself. Let the Christ, the King of Israel, come down now from the cross, that we may see and believe." Those who were crucified with him also reviled him. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. The Beatitudes. Mode 4.

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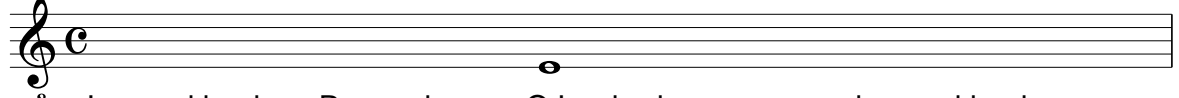
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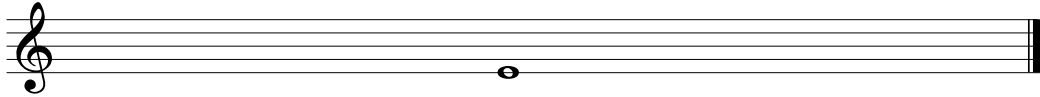
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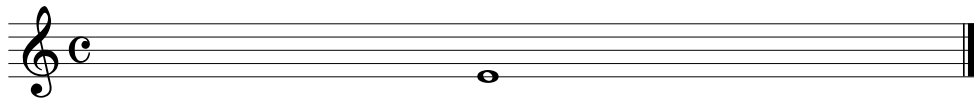
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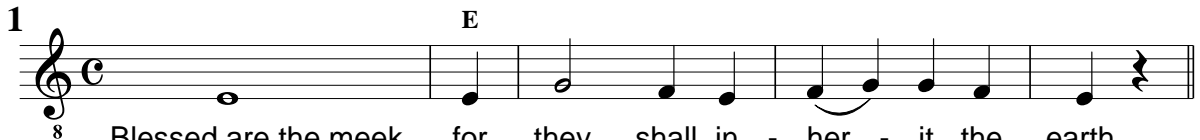
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⁸ Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.



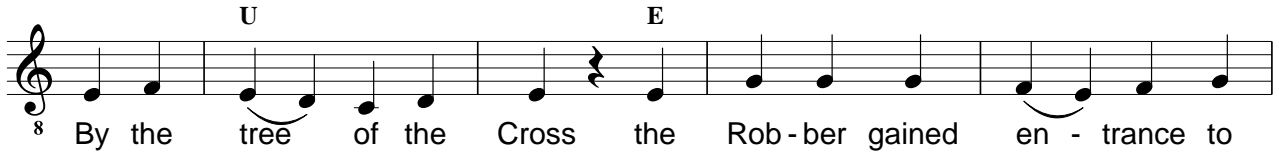
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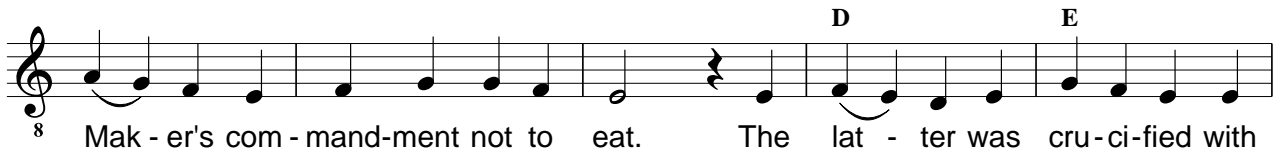
⁸ Ad-am fell by a tree, and he was evicted from Paradise.



⁸ By the tree of the Cross the Rob-ber gained entrance to



⁸ Par-a-dise. The for-mer, by tast-ing fruit, dis-o-beyed his



⁸ Mak-er's com-mand-ment not to eat. The lat-ter was cru-ci-fied with



⁸ Him, whom though hid-den he con-fessed to be God. Re-



⁸ mem-ber us as well in Your king-dom, O Sav-ior.

2

8 Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they

8 shall be filled. The trans-gres-sors of the Law from a dis-ci-ple

8 bought Him who made the Law. As though a break-er of the Law

8 they stood Him be-fore Pi-late's judg-ment seat. They

8 shout-ed to cru-ci-fy the One who gave them man-na in the wil-der-ness of

8 old. But we ra-ther im-i-tate the right-eous Rob-ber, cry-ing a-

8 loud in faith and say, "Re-mem-ber us as well in Your king-dom, O

8 Sav-ior."

3
8 Blessed are the merciful, for they shall ob - tain mer - cy.

E U E
8 That swarm of mur-der-ers of God, that gath-er-ing of Jews who de-

U E
8 fied the Law, in a fren-zy cried a - loud and de - mand-ed Pi - late to

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8 cru-ci - fy Christ who was in - no-cent. And in-stead they asked that Bar-

D E
8 ab-bas be re - leased. But we ra-ther cry a-loud the words of the

8 grate-ful Rob-ber to the Lord and say, "Re - mem-ber us as well in Your

8 king - dom, O Sav - ior."

4

8 Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. O

8 Christ, Your life - bear - ing side is a spring that like a riv - er

8 out of E - den flows, and it wa - ters Your Church, as

8 though she were a ra - tion - al Par - a - dise; and from there it sep - a - rates in -

8 to the four Gos - pels as if as man - y heads. It ir - ri - gates the

8 world and it fills cre - a - tion with joy, and it teach - es the

8 Gen - tiles faith - ful - ly to a - dore and wor - ship Your king - dom.

5 E

8 Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of

8 God. You were cru-ci-fied for me to be-come the source of for-

8 - give-ness for me. You were pier-ced in the side so that streams of

8 life would flow out to me. With nails You were fas-tened, so that

8 hav-ing seen the depth of Your Pas-sion I con-firm the height of Your

8 pow-er, O Christ, and I cry to You, the Giv-er of Life,

8 "Glo-ry to Your Cross and Your Pas-sion, O Sav-ior!"

6 E

8 Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs

8 is the king-dom of heav - en. E U When You were cru-ci-fied, O Christ,

8 all cre - a - tion trem - bled on see-ing it. E U The foun - da-tions of the

8 earth were quak - ing in fear of Your might, O Lord. The

8 D sun and the E stars a-bove hid their light; the moun - tains were

8 shud-der-ing. D E The rocks split; the Tem-ple Veil was torn in two. And

8 we with the Rob-ber who be - lieved cry out to You and say, "Re-

8 mem-ber us, O Sav - ior."

7

8 Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of

8 e - vil a - gainst you false - ly for My sake. You have set a-side the

8 bond which stood a - gainst us, shred - ding it by Your Cross.

8 When You were num - bered with the dead, You dis - armed and bound the ty - rant

8 rul - ing there, de - liv - er - ing ev - ery - one from the bonds of

8 death by Your res - ur - rec - tion; thru which we were il - lu - mined.

8 O ben - ev - o - lent Lord, and we cry a - loud to You, "Re -

8 mem - ber us as well in Your king - dom, O Sav - ior."

8

8 Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your re - ward in

8 heav - en. You were lift - ed on the Cross and de - stroyed the pow - er of

8 death on us, and You set a - side the bond which stood a - gainst us

8 and, as God, can - celled it. Grant that we may al - so have the Rob - ber's re -

8 pent - ance, O ben - ev - o - lent Lord. We faith - ful - ly wor - ship You, O

8 Christ our God, and we cry a - loud to You, "Re - mem - ber us as

8 well in Your king - dom, O Sav - ior."

9 E D E

8 Glo-ry to the Fa-ther and the Son and the Ho-ly Spir - it.

E U E

8 All be - liev-ers, let us pray that we be of one mind and wor-thi - ly

U E

8 sing prais-es glo - ri - fy - ing God, Fa-ther, Son, and Spir - it, the

D E

8 Trin - i - ty, u - nit - ed di - vin - i - ty, which ex-ists for-

D E

8 - ev - er in three hy-po-sta - ses, re - main - ing un-con-fused,

8 sim-ple, in - di - vis - i - ble, un-ap - proach-a-ble, by whom we are de-

8 - liv-ered from the fire of per - di - tion.

10

Both now and ev - er and to the a - ges of a - ges. A -
 - men. O Christ our God, we pre - sent, as an in - ter -
 - ces - sor to pray for us, Your Vir - gin Moth - er who con - ceived with -
 out seed and phys - i - cally gave birth to You, and af - ter the
 child - birth re - mained in - cor - rupt, O most mer - ci - ful Lord. She
 prays that You al - ways grant for - give - ness of of - fenc - es to
 those who cry a - loud, "Re - mem - ber us as well in Your king - dom, O
 Sav - ior."

Prokeimenon. Mode 4. *Vu=E.*

Diatonic E U

8 They di - vid - ed my gar - ments a - mong them - selves,

E

8 and for my cloth - ing they cast lots.

E D

8 Δι - ε - με - ρι - σαν - το τα ι - μα - τι - α μου ε - αυ - τοις, και

E

8 ε - πι τον ι - μα - τι - σμον μου ε - βα - λον κλη - ρον.

E

8 O God, my God, hear me; why have You forsaken me? They di - vid -

E

8 ed my gar - ments a - mong them - selves, and for my cloth - ing they

D E

8 cast lots.

The Beatitudes. Mode 4.

Ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου μνήσθητι ἡμῶν Κύριε, ὅταν ἔλθῃς ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου. Μακάριοι οἱ πτωχοὶ τῷ πνεύματι, ὅτι αὐτῶν ἐστὶν ἡ Βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν.

In Your kingdom. Remember us, O Lord, when You come in Your kingdom. Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Μακάριοι οἱ πενθοῦντες, ὅτι αὐτοὶ παρακληθήσονται.

Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Μακάριοι οἱ πραεῖς, ὅτι αὐτοὶ κληρονομήσουσι τὴν γῆν.

Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Διὰ ξύλου ὁ Ἀδάμ, Παραδείσου γέγονεν ἄποικος, διὰ ξύλου δὲ σταυροῦ, ὁ Ληστής Παραδείσον ζῆκῃσεν. Ὁ μὲν γὰρ γευσάμενος ἐντολὴν ἠθέτησε τοῦ ποιήσαντος. Ὁ δὲ συσταυρούμενος, Θεὸν ὠμολόγησε τὸν κρυπτόμενον. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

Adam fell by a tree, and he was evicted from Paradise.

* By the tree of the Cross the Robber gained entrance to Paradise. * The former, by tasting fruit, disobeyed his Maker's commandment not to eat. * The latter was crucified with Him, whom though hidden he confessed to be God. * Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior. [SD]

Μακάριοι οἱ πεινῶντες καὶ διψῶντες τὴν δικαιοσύνην, ὅτι αὐτοὶ χορτασθήσονται.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

Τὸν τοῦ νόμου Ποιητὴν, ἐκ μαθητοῦ ὠνήσαντο ἄνομοι, καὶ ὡς παράνομον αὐτόν, τῷ Πιλάτου βήματι ἔστησαν, κραυγάζοντες. Σταύρωσον, τὸν ἐν ἐρήμῳ τούτους μανναδοτήσαντα. Ἡμεῖς δὲ τὸν δίκαιον, Ληστὴν μιμησάμενοι, πίστει κράζομεν. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

The transgressors of the Law from a disciple bought Him who made the Law. * As though a breaker of the Law they stood Him before Pilate's judgment seat. * They shouted to crucify the One who gave them manna in the wilderness of old. * But we rather imitate the righteous Robber, crying aloud in faith and say, "Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior." [SD]

Μακάριοι οἱ ἐλεήμονες, ὅτι αὐτοὶ ἐλεηθήσονται.

Blessed are the merciful, for they shall obtain mercy.

Τῶν θεοκτόνων ὁ ἐσμός, Ἰουδαίων ἔθνος τὸ ἄνομον, πρὸς Πιλάτον ἐμμανῶς, ἀνακράζων ἔλεγε. Σταύρωσον, Χριστὸν τὸν ἀνεύθυνον. Βαραββᾶν δὲ μᾶλλον οὗτοι ἠτήσαντο. Ἡμεῖς δὲ φθεγγόμεθα, Ληστοῦ τοῦ εὐγνώμονος, τὴν φωνὴν πρὸς αὐτόν. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

That swarm of murderers of God, that gathering of Jews who defied the Law, * in a frenzy cried aloud and demanded Pilate to crucify * Christ who was innocent. And instead they asked that Barabbas be released. * But we rather cry aloud the words of the grateful Robber to the Lord and say, "Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior." [SD]

Μακάριοι οἱ καθарοὶ τῇ καρδίᾳ, ὅτι αὐτοὶ τὸν Θεὸν ὀψονται.

Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Ἡ ζωηφόρος σου Πλευρά, ὡς ἐξ Ἐδέμ πηγὴ ἀναβλύζουσα, τὴν Ἐκκλησίαν σου Χριστέ, ὡς λογικὸν ποτίζει Παραδείσον, ἐντεῦθεν μερίζουσα, ὡς εἰς ἀρχὰς εἰς τέσσαρα Εὐαγγέλια, τὸν Κόσμον ἀρδεύουσα, τὴν κτίσιν εὐφραίνουσα, καὶ τὰ ἔθνη πιστῶς, διδάσκουσα, προσκυνεῖν τὴν Βασιλείαν σου.

O Christ, Your life-bearing side is a spring that like a river out of Eden flows, * and it waters Your Church, as an rational Paradise; * and from there it separates into the four Gospels as if as many heads. * It irrigates the world and it fills creation with joy, and it teaches the Gentiles * faithfully to adore and worship Your kingdom. [SD]

Μακάριοι οἱ εἰρηνοποιοί, ὅτι αὐτοὶ Υἱοὶ Θεοῦ κληθήσονται.

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

Ἐσταυρώθης δι' ἐμέ, ἵνα ἐμοὶ πηγᾶς τὴν ἄφεσιν, ἐκεντήθης τὴν πλευράν, ἵνα κρουνὸς ζωῆς ἀναβλύσης μοι, τοῖς ἡλοῖς προσήλωσαι, ἵνα ἐγὼ τῷ βᾶθι τῶν παθημάτων σου, τὸ ὕψος τοῦ κράτους σου, πιστούμενος κράζω σοι ζωοδότα Χριστέ. Δόξα καὶ τῷ Σταυρῷ Σῶτερ, καὶ τῷ Πάθει σου.

You were crucified for me to become the source of forgiveness for me. * You were pierced in the side so that streams of life would flow out to me. * With nails You were fastened, so that having seen the depth of Your Passion I confirm * the height of Your power, O Christ, and I cry to You, the Giver of Life, * "Glory to Your Cross and Your Passion, O Savior!" [SD]

Μακάριοι οἱ δεδιωγμένοι ἕνεκεν δικαιοσύνης, ὅτι αὐτῶν ἐστὶν ἡ Βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν.

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Σταυρουμένου σου Χριστέ, πᾶσα ἡ κτίσις βλέπουσα ἔτρεμε, τὰ θεμέλια τῆς γῆς, διεδονεῖτο φόβῳ τοῦ κράτους σου, φωστῆρες ἐκρύπτοντο, καὶ τοῦ Ναοῦ ἐρῥάγη τὸ καταπέτασμα τὰ ὄρη ἐτρόμαξαν, καὶ πέτρα ἐσχίσθησαν, καὶ Ληστής ὁ πιστός, κραυγάζει σοι σὺν ἡμῖν, Σωτήρ τὸ Μνήσθητι.

When You were crucified, O Christ, all creation trembled on seeing it. * The foundations of the earth were quaking in fear of Your might, O Lord. * The sun and the stars above hid their light; the mountains were shuddering. * The rocks split; the Temple Veil was torn in two. And we with the Robber who believed * cry out to You and say, "Remember us, O Savior." [SD]

Μακάριοι ἐστὲ ὅταν ὀνειδίωσιν ὑμᾶς, καὶ διώξωσι, καὶ εἴπωσι πᾶν πονηρὸν ῥῆμα καθ' ὑμῶν, ψευδόμενοι ἕνεκεν ἐμοῦ.

Blessed are you when men revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely [for my sake].

Τὸ χειρόγραφον ἡμῶν, ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ διέρρηξας Κύριε, καὶ λογισθεῖς ἐν τοῖς νεκροῖς, τὸν ἐκεῖσε τύραννον ἔδησας, ῥυσάμενος ἅπαντας ἐκ δεσμῶν θανάτου τῇ ἀναστάσει σου, δι' ἧς ἐφωτίσθημεν, φιλόανθρωπε Κύριε, καὶ βοῶμέν σοι. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

You have set aside the bond which stood against us, shredding it by Your Cross. * When You were numbered with the dead, You disarmed and bound the tyrant ruling there, * delivering everyone from the bonds of death by Your resurrection; * through which we were illumined. O benevolent Lord, and we cry aloud to You, * “Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior.” [SD]

Χαίρετε και ἀγαλλιᾶσθε, ὅτι ὁ μισθὸς ὑμῶν πολὺς ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς.

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.

Ὁ ὑψωθείς ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ, καὶ τοῦ θανάτου λύσας τὴν δύναμιν, καὶ ἐξαλείψας ὡς Θεός, τὸ καθ' ἡμῶν χειρόγραφον Κύριε, Ληστοῦ τὴν μετάνοιαν, καὶ ἡμῖν παράσχου μόνη φιλάνθρωπε, τοῖς πίσει λατρεύουσι, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ βοῶσί σοι. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου.

You were lifted on the Cross and destroyed the power of death on us, * and You set aside the bond which stood against us and, as God, cancelled it. * Grant that we may also have the Robber's repentance, O benevolent Lord. * We faithfully worship You, O Christ our God, and we cry aloud to You, * “Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior.” [SD]

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Τὸν Πατέρα καὶ Υἱόν, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα πάντες τὸ ἅγιον, ὁμοφρόνως οἱ πιστοὶ, δοξολογεῖν ἀξίως εὐξώμεθα, Μονάδα Θεότητος, ἐν τρισὶν ὑπάρχουσιν ὑποστάσεσιν, ἀσύγχυτον μένουσαν, ἀπλήν, ἀδιαίρετον καὶ ἀπρόσιτον, δι' ἧς ἐκλυτρούμεθα, τοῦ πυρὸς τῆς κολάσεως.

All believers, let us pray that we be of one mind and worthily * sing praises glorifying God, Father, Son, and Spirit, the Trinity, * united divinity, which exists forever in three hypostases, * remaining unconfused, simple, indivisible, unapproachable, * by whom we are delivered from the fire of perdition. [SD]

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

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

Τὴν Μητέρα σου Χριστέ, τὴν ἐν σαρκὶ ἀσπόρως τεκοῦσάν σε, καὶ Παρθένον ἀληθῶς, καὶ μετὰ τόκον μέινασαν ἄφθορον, αὐτὴν σοι προσάγομεν, εἰς πρεσβείαν Δέσποτα πολυέλεε, πταισμάτων συγχώρησιν, δωρήσασθαι πάντοτε, τοῖς κραυγάζουσι. Μνήσθητι καὶ ἡμῶν Σωτήρ, ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

O Christ our God, we present, as an intercessor to pray for us, * Your Virgin Mother who conceived without seed and physically gave birth to You, * and after the childbirth remained incorrupt, O most merciful Lord. * She prays that You always grant forgiveness of offenses to those who cry aloud, * “Remember us as well in Your kingdom, O Savior.” [SD]

B. Prokeimenon. Mode 4.

Προκείμενον. Ἦχος δ'.

Prokeimenon. Mode 4.

Διμερίσαντο τὰ ἱμάτιά μου ἑαυτοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἱματισμόν μου ἔβαλον κλῆρον. (δὶς)

They divided my garments among themselves, and for my clothing they cast lots. (2)

Ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεός μου, πρόσχες μοι· ἵνα τί ἐγκατέλιπες με;

O God, my God, hear me; why have You forsaken me?

Διμερίσαντο τὰ ἱμάτιά μου ἑαυτοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἱματισμόν μου ἔβαλον κλῆρον.

They divided my garments among themselves, and for my clothing they cast lots. [SAAS]

25. GOSPEL 7

Εὐαγγέλιον Ἑβδομον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

κζ' 33-54

27:33-54

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐλθόντες οἱ στρατιῶται εἰς τόπον λεγόμενον Γολγοθᾶ, ὃ ἐστὶ λεγόμενος κρανίου τόπος, ἔδωκαν αὐτῷ πιεῖν ὄξος μετὰ χολῆς μεμιγμένον· καὶ

γευσάμενος οὐκ ἤθελε πιεῖν. σταυρώσαντες δὲ αὐτὸν διεμερίσαντο τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτοῦ βαλόντες κλῆρον, καὶ καθήμενοι ἐτήρουν αὐτὸν ἐκεῖ. καὶ ἐπέθηκαν ἐπάνω τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτοῦ τὴν αἰτίαν αὐτοῦ γεγραμμένην· οὗτός ἐστιν Ἰησοῦς ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων. Τότε σταυροῦνται σὺν αὐτῷ δύο λησταί, εἷς ἐκ δεξιῶν καὶ εἷς ἐξ εὐωνύμων. Οἱ δὲ παραπορευόμενοι ἐβλασφήμουν αὐτὸν κινοῦντες τὰς κεφαλὰς αὐτῶν καὶ λέγοντες· ὁ καταλύων τὸν ναὸν καὶ ἐν τρισὶν ἡμέραις οἰκοδομῶν! σῶσον σεαυτὸν· εἰ υἱὸς εἶ τοῦ Θεοῦ, κατάβηθι ἀπὸ τοῦ σταυροῦ. ὁμοίως δὲ καὶ οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς ἐμπαίζοντες μετὰ τῶν γραμματέων καὶ πρεσβυτέρων καὶ Φαρισαίων ἔλεγον· ἄλλους ἔσωσεν, ἑαυτὸν οὐ δύναται σῶσαι· εἰ βασιλεὺς Ἰσραὴλ ἐστι, καταβάτω νῦν ἀπὸ τοῦ σταυροῦ καὶ πιστεύσομεν ἐπ' αὐτῷ· πέποιθεν ἐπὶ τὸν Θεόν, ῥυσάσθω νῦν αὐτόν, εἰ θέλει αὐτόν· εἶπε γὰρ ὅτι Θεοῦ εἰμι υἱός. τὸ δ' αὐτὸ καὶ οἱ λησταὶ οἱ συσταυρωθέντες αὐτῷ ὠνειδίζον αὐτόν. Ἀπὸ δὲ ἕκτης ὥρας σκότος ἐγένετο ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἕως ὥρας ἐνάτης. περὶ δὲ τὴν ἐνάτην ὥραν ἀνεβόησεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς φωνῇ μεγάλῃ λέγων· ἡλί ἡλί, λιμᾶ σαβαχθάνι; τοῦτ' ἐστι, Θεέ μου Θεέ μου, ἵνατί με ἐγκατέλιπες; τινὲς δὲ τῶν ἐκεῖ ἐστῶτων ἀκούσαντες ἔλεγον ὅτι Ἥλιαν φωνεῖ οὗτος. καὶ εὐθέως δραμῶν εἰς ἐξ αὐτῶν καὶ λαβὼν σπόγγον πλήσας τε ὄξους καὶ περιθεὶς καλᾶμω ἐπότιζεν αὐτόν. οἱ δὲ λοιποὶ ἔλεγον· ἄφες ἴδωμεν εἰ ἔρχεται Ἥλιος σώσων αὐτόν. ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς πάλιν κράζας φωνῇ μεγάλῃ ἀφῆκε τὸ πνεῦμα. Καὶ ἰδοὺ τὸ καταπέτασμα τοῦ ναοῦ ἐσχίσθη εἰς δύο ἀπὸ ἄνωθεν ἕως κάτω, καὶ ἡ γῆ ἐσεισθη καὶ αἱ πέτραι ἐσχίσθησαν, καὶ τὰ μνημεῖα ἀνεώχθησαν καὶ πολλὰ σώματα τῶν κεκοιμημένων ἁγίων ἠγέρθη, καὶ ἐξεληθόντες ἐκ τῶν μνημείων, μετὰ τὴν ἔγερσιν αὐτοῦ εἰσῆλθον εἰς τὴν ἁγίαν πόλιν καὶ ἐνεφανίσθησαν πολλοῖς. Ὁ δὲ ἑκατόνταρχος καὶ οἱ μετ' αὐτοῦ τηροῦντες τὸν Ἰησοῦν, ἰδόντες τὸν σεισμόν καὶ τὰ γενόμενα ἐφοβήθησαν σφόδρα λέγοντες· ἀληθῶς Θεοῦ υἱὸς ἦν οὗτος.

At that time, when the soldiers came to a place called Golgotha (which means the place of a skull), they offered Jesus wine to drink, mingled with gall; but when he tasted it, he would not drink it. And when they had crucified him, they divided his garments among them by casting lots; then they sat down and kept watch over him there. And over his head they put the charge against him, which read, “This is Jesus the King of the Jews.” Then two robbers were crucified with him, one on the right and one on the left. And those who passed by derided him, wagging their heads and saying, “You who would destroy the temple and build it in three days, save yourself! If you are the Son of God, come down from the cross.” So also the chief priests, with the scribes and elders, mocked him, saying, “He saved others; he cannot save himself. He is the King of Israel; let him come down now from the cross, and we will believe in him. He trusts in God; let God deliver him now, if he desires him; for he said, ‘I am the Son of God.’” And the robbers who were crucified with him also reviled him in the same way. Now from the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land until the ninth hour. And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, “Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani?” that is, “My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?”

And some of the bystanders hearing it said, “This man is calling Elijah.” And one of them at once ran and took a sponge, filled it with vinegar, and put it on a reed, and gave it to him to drink. But the others said, “Wait, let us see whether Elijah will come to save him.” And Jesus cried again with a loud voice and yielded up his spirit. And behold, the curtain of the temple was torn in two, from top to bottom; and the earth shook, and the rocks were split; the tombs also were opened, and many bodies of the saints who had fallen asleep were raised, and coming out of the tombs after his resurrection they went into the holy city and appeared to many. When the centurion and those who were with him, keeping watch over Jesus, saw the earthquake and what took place, they were filled with awe, and said, “Truly this was the Son of God!” [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

26. PSALM 50 (51).

Ψαλμὸς Ν' (50).

(The Faithful Sit)

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Psalm 50 (51).

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 ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με. Ὅτι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μου ἐστὶ διὰ παντός. Σοὶ μόνω 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 ἁμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου. Ἴδου γὰρ ἀληθειαν ἠγάπησας· τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι. Ῥαντιεῖς με ὑσσώπω, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι· πλυνεῖς με καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι. Ἀκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην· ἀγαλλιάσονται ὅστέα τεταπεινωμένα. Ἀπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν μου, καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον. Καρδίαν καθάραν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου. Μὴ ἀπορρίψῃς με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλῃς ἀπ' ἐμοῦ. Ἀπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἠγεμονικῶς στήριξόν με. Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδοὺς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι. Ῥῦσαί με ἐξ αἱμάτων, ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου· ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Κύριε, τὰ χεῖλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἰνεσίαν σου. Ὅτι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄν· ὀλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις. Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον· καρδίαν συντετριμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουθενώσει. 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.

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 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]

27. GOSPEL 8

Εὐαγγέλιον Ὅγδοον
GOSPEL 8
ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)
Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.
Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Luke.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

κγ' 32-49

23:32-49

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἤγοντο καὶ ἕτεροι δύο κακοῦργοι σὺν τῷ Ἰησοῦ ἀναιρεθῆναι. Καὶ ὅτε ἀπῆλθον ἐπὶ τὸν τόπον τὸν καλούμενον Κρανίον, ἐκεῖ ἐσταύρωσαν αὐτὸν καὶ τοὺς κακοῦργους, ὃν μὲν ἐκ δεξιῶν ὃν δὲ ἐξ ἀριστερῶν. ὁ δὲ Ἰησοῦς ἔλεγε· πάτερ, ἄφες αὐτοῖς· οὐ γὰρ οἶδασι τί ποιούσι. διαμεριζόμενοι δὲ τὰ ἱμάτια αὐτοῦ ἐβάλλον κλῆρον. καὶ εἰστήκει ὁ λαὸς θεωρῶν. ἐξεμυκτήριζον δὲ καὶ οἱ ἄρχοντες σὺν αὐτοῖς λέγοντες· ἄλλους ἔσωσε, σωσάτω ἑαυτὸν, εἰ οὗτός ἐστιν ὁ Χριστὸς ὁ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐκλεκτός. ἐνέπαιζον δὲ αὐτῷ καὶ οἱ στρατιῶται προσερχόμενοι καὶ ὄξος προσφέροντες αὐτῷ καὶ λέγοντες· εἰ σὺ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων, σῶσον σεαυτὸν. Ἦν δὲ καὶ ἐπιγραφή γεγραμμένη ἐπ' αὐτῷ γράμμασιν Ἑλληνικοῖς καὶ Ῥωμαϊκοῖς καὶ Ἑβραϊκοῖς· οὗτός ἐστιν ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων. Εἷς δὲ τῶν κρεμασθέντων κακοῦργων ἐβλασφήμει αὐτὸν λέγων· εἰ σὺ εἶ ὁ Χριστὸς, σῶσον σεαυτὸν καὶ ἡμᾶς. ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ ὁ ἕτερος ἐπετίμα αὐτῷ λέγων· οὐδὲ φοβῆθαι σὺ τὸν Θεόν, ὅτι ἐν τῷ αὐτῷ κρίματι εἶ; καὶ ἡμεῖς μὲν δικαίως· ἄξια γὰρ ὦν ἐπράξαμεν ἀπολαμβάνομεν· οὗτος δὲ οὐδὲν ἄτοπον ἔπραξε. καὶ ἔλεγε τῷ Ἰησοῦ· μνήσθητί μου, Κύριε, ὅταν ἔλθῃς ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου. καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· ἀμὴν λέγω σοι, σήμερον μετ' ἐμοῦ ἔσῃ ἐν τῷ παραδείσῳ. Ἦν δὲ ὥσει ὥρα ἕκτη καὶ σκότος ἐγένετο ἐφ' ὅλην τὴν γῆν ἕως ὥρας ἐνάτης, τοῦ ἡλίου ἐκλείποντος, καὶ ἐσχίσθη τὸ καταπέτασμα τοῦ ναοῦ μέσον· καὶ φωνήσας φωνῇ μεγάλῃ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπε· πάτερ, εἰς χεῖράς σου παρατίθειμαι τὸ πνεῦμά μου· καὶ ταῦτα εἰπὼν ἐξέπνευσεν. ἰδὼν δὲ ὁ ἐκατόνταρχος τὸ γενόμενον ἐδόξασε τὸν Θεὸν λέγων· ὄντως ὁ ἄνθρωπος οὗτος δίκαιος ἦν. καὶ πάντες οἱ συμπαραγενόμενοι ὄχλοι ἐπὶ τὴν θεωρίαν ταύτην, θεωροῦντες τὰ γενόμενα, τύπτοντες ἑαυτῶν τὰ στήθη ὑπέστρεφον. εἰστήκεισαν δὲ πάντες οἱ γνωστοὶ αὐτοῦ ἀπὸ μακρόθεν, καὶ γυναῖκες αἱ συνακολουθήσασαι αὐτῷ ἀπὸ τῆς Γαλιλαίας, ὁρῶσαι ταῦτα.

At that time, two others also, who were criminals, were led away to be put to death with Jesus. And when they came to the place which is called The Skull, there they crucified him, and the criminals, one on the right and

one on the left. And Jesus said, "Father, forgive them; for they know not what they do." And they cast lots to divide his garments. And the people stood by, watching; but the rulers scoffed at him, saying, "He saved others; let him save himself, if he is the Christ of God, his Chosen One!" The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him vinegar, and saying, "If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!" There was also an inscription written in Greek, Latin, and Hebrew over him, "This is the King of the Jews." One of the criminals who were hanged railed at him, saying, "Are you not the Christ? Save yourself and us!" But the other rebuked him, saying, "Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation? And we indeed justly; for we are receiving the due reward of our deeds; but this man has done nothing wrong." And he said to Jesus, "Lord, remember me when you come into your kingdom." And he said to him, "Truly, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise." It was now about the sixth hour, and there was darkness over the whole land until the ninth hour, while the sun's light failed; and the curtain of the temple was torn in two. Then Jesus, crying with

a loud voice, said, "Father, into your hands I commit my spirit!" And having said this he breathed his last. Now when the centurion saw what had taken place, he praised God, and said, "Certainly this man was innocent!" And all the multitudes who assembled to see the sight, when they saw what had taken place, returned home beating their breasts. And all his acquaintances and the women who had followed him from Galilee stood at a distance and saw these things. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

28. THE CANON

Ὁ Κανὼν/The Canon

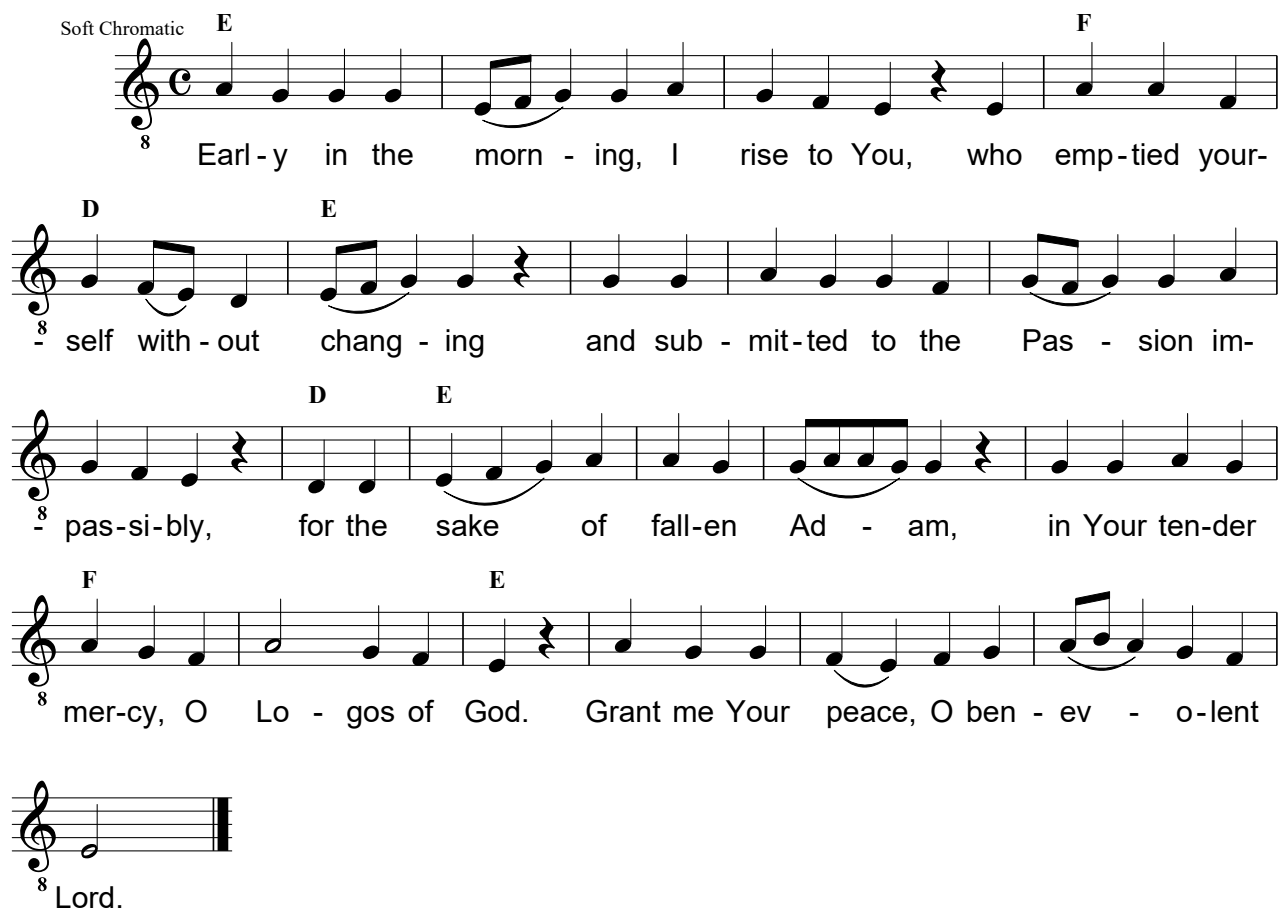
ΧΟΡΟΣ/CHOIR

A. Heirmos. Mode pl. 2.

Ὡιδῆ ε'. Ὁ Εἱρμός. Ἦχος πλ. β'.

The Heirmos. Mode pl. 2. $Vu=E$.

Soft Chromatic



8 Earl - y in the morn - ing, I rise to You, who emp - tied your -

8 self with - out chang - ing and sub - mit - ted to the Pas - sion im -

8 pas - si - bly, for the sake of fall - en Ad - am, in Your ten - der

8 mer - cy, O Lo - gos of God. Grant me Your peace, O ben - ev - o - lent

8 Lord.

Ode v. Heirmos. Mode pl. 2.

Πρὸς σὲ ὀρθρίζω, τὸν δι' εὐσπλαγγνίαν σεαυτόν, τῷ πεσόντι κενώσαντα ἀτρέπτως, καὶ μέχρι παθῶν, ἀπαθῶς ὑποκύψαντα, Λόγε Θεοῦ. Τὴν εἰρήνην παράσχου μοι φιλόανθρωπε. (δὶς)

Early in the morning, I rise to You, who emptied yourself without changing and submitted to the Passion impassibly, for the sake of fallen Adam, in Your tender mercy, O Logos of God. Grant me Your peace, O benevolent Lord. (2)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Ῥυφθέντες πόδας, καὶ προκαθαρθέντες, μυστηρίου μεθέξει, τοῦ θείου νῦν Χριστέ, σοῦ οἱ ὑπηρεταί, ἐκ Σιών ἐλαιῶνος, μέγα πρὸς ὄρος συνανήλθον, ὑμνοῦντές σε φιλόανθρωπε. (δὶς)

O Christ, Your servants had their feet washed and were purified by participation in Your divine mystery of Holy Communion. Afterwards they went up with You from Zion to the great Mount of Olives, extolling You, O benevolent Lord. (2)

Δόξα. Καὶ νῦν.

Glory. Both now.

Ὅρατε ἔφης, φίλοι μὴ θροεῖσθε· νῦν γὰρ ἤγγικεν ὥρα, ληφθῆναι με κτανθῆναι χερσὶν ἀνόμων, πάντες δὲ σκορπισθήσεσθε, ἐμὲ λιπόντες, οὐδὲ συνάξω, κηρῦξάι με φιλόανθρωπον. (δὶς)

“My friends,” You said, Lord, “see that you are not alarmed. The hour is at hand for me to be taken and killed at the hands of sinners. All of you will be scattered, and you will leave me. But I will gather you, and you will proclaim me to be the benevolent God of all.” (2)

29. KATAVASIA.

Καταβασία.

Πρὸς σὲ ὀρθρίζω, τὸν δι' εὐσπλαγγνίαν σεαυτόν, τῷ πεσόντι κενώσαντα ἀτρέπτως, καὶ μέχρι παθῶν, ἀπαθῶς ὑποκύψαντα, Λόγε Θεοῦ. Τὴν εἰρήνην παράσχου μοι φιλόανθρωπε.

Early in the morning, I rise to You, who emptied yourself without changing and submitted to the Passion impassibly, for the sake of fallen Adam, in Your tender mercy, O Logos of God. Grant me Your peace, O benevolent Lord. [SD]

A. The Little Litany – For You are the King...

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Ἐπι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

(Lord, have mercy.)

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 παραδώμεθα.

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

(To You, O Lord.)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῆς εἰρήνης καὶ σωτὴρ 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.

For You are the King of peace and the savior of our souls, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

(Ἀμήν.)

(Amen.)

30. KONTAKION.

Κοντάκιον.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

(The Faithful Sit)

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Κοντάκιον.

Ἦχος πλ. δ'.

Mode pl. 4.

Τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς σταυρωθέντα, δεῦτε πάντες ὑμνήσωμεν· αὐτὸν γὰρ κατεῖδε Μαρία ἐπὶ τοῦ ξύλου, καὶ ἔλεγεν· Εἰ καὶ σταυρὸν ὑπομένεις, σὺ ὑπάρχεις ὁ Υἱὸς καὶ Θεὸς μου.

Come, let us all extol Him who was crucified for us. Mary beheld Him on the Cross and she said, “Though You endure the Cross, You are my Son and my God.” [SD]

31. OIKOS.

Ὁ Οἶκος.

Oikos.

Τὸν ἴδιον Ἄρνα, ἡ ἀμνάς θεωροῦσα πρὸς σφαγὴν ἐλκόμενον, ἠκολούθει Μαρία, τρυχομένη μετ' ἐτέρων γυναικῶν, ταῦτα βοῶσα· Ποῦ πορεύη Τέκνον, τίνος χάριν, τὸν ταχὺν δρόμον τελεῖς; μὴ ἕτερος γάμος πάλιν ἐστὶν ἐν Κανᾷ; Κᾶκει νῦν σπεύδεις, ἵνα ἐξ ὕδατος αὐτοῖς οἶνον ποιήσης; συνέλθω σοὶ Τέκνον, ἢ μείνω σοὶ μᾶλλον; δός

μοι λόγον Λόγε, μη σιγῶν παρέλθης με, ὁ ἀγνὴν τηρήσας με· σὺ γὰρ ὑπάρχεις ὁ Υἱὸς καὶ Θεὸς μου.

Seeing her own Lamb being led to the slaughter, Mary, the Ewe, was worn out, and she followed Him with the other women, and cried, “Where are You going, Child? Why are You going so fast? Maybe there is another wedding in Cana, and You are hurrying now to make wine out of water for them? Shall I come with You, Child, and stay with You? Say something to me, O Word, who preserved my chastity. Please do not pass by me in silence. You are my Son and my God.” [SD]

32. SYNAXARION

Συναξάριον

*Ὁ λαὸς ἴσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ
Συναξαρίου.
Stand for the reading of the Synaxarion.*

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

From the Menaion.

Τῆ Γ' τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός μνήμη τῶν Ἁγίων Μαρτύρων Τιμοθέου καὶ Μαύρας.

On May 3 we commemorate the holy Martyrs Timothy and Maura.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρᾳ μνήμη τῶν Ἁγίων Μαρτύρων Διοδώρου καὶ Ῥοδοπιανοῦ διακόνου.

On this day we commemorate the holy martyrs Diodorus and Rhodopian the deacon.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρᾳ, μνήμη τοῦ Ὁσίου Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Πέτρου τοῦ θαυματουργοῦ, Ἐπισκόπου Ἄργους.

On this day we commemorate our righteous Father Peter the Wonderworker, Bishop of Argos.

Οἱ Ἅγιοι εἴχοσιν ἑπτὰ Μάρτυρες πυρὶ τελειοῦνται.

The twenty-seven holy Martyrs died by fire.

Μνήμη τῆς Ἁγίας καὶ ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος Ξενίας, τῆς Θαυματουργοῦ.

We also commemorate the holy glorious Great-martyr Xenia the Wonderworker.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου.

From the Triodion.

Τῆ ἁγία καὶ μεγάλη Παρασκευῆ, τὰ ἅγια καὶ σωτήρια καὶ φορικτὰ Πάθη τοῦ Κυρίου καὶ Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ ἐπιτελοῦμεν, τοὺς ἐμπτυσμούς, τὰ ραπίσματα, τὰ κολαφίσματα, τὰς ὕβρεις, τοὺς γέλωτας, τὴν πορφυρᾶν χλαῖναν, τὸν κάλαμον, τὸν σπόγγον, τὸ ὄξος, τοὺς ἥλους, τὴν λόγχην, καὶ πρὸ πάντων, τὸν σταυρόν, καὶ τὸν θάνατον, ἃ δι' ἡμᾶς ἐκὼν κατεδέξατο, ἔτι δὲ καὶ τὴν τοῦ εὐγνώμονος Ληστοῦ, τοῦ συσταυρωθέντος αὐτῷ, σωτήριον ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ ὁμολογίαν.

On this day, Holy and Great Friday, we celebrate the awesome, holy, and saving Passion of our Lord and God and Savior Jesus Christ: the spitting, the blows, the buffeting, the mockery, the reviling, the purple robe, the reed, the sponge, the vinegar, the nails, the spear, and above all, the Cross and Death which He condescended to endure willingly for our sakes. Also the saving confession on the cross of the grateful Robber who was crucified with Him.

Στίχοι εἰς τὴν Σταύρωσιν

Verses for the Crucifixion

Ζῶν εἶ Θεὸς σύ, καὶ νεκρωθεὶς ἐν ξύλῳ,

Even dead on the Cross, You as God are living,

ἽΝ νεκρὸ γυμνέ, καὶ Θεοῦ ζῶντος Λόγε.

O naked corpse and living God's Logos.

Ἔτεροι εἰς τὸν εὐγνώμονα Ληστήν.

For the grateful Robber

Κεκλεισμένας ἤνοιξε τῆς Ἐδέμ πύλας,

The Robber opened the locked gates of Eden

Βαλὼν ὁ Ληστῆς κλεῖδα τό, Μνήσθητί μου.

Using the key of his “Remember me” confession.

Τῆ ὑπερφουεὶ καὶ περὶ ἡμᾶς παναπείρω σου εὐσπλαγχνία, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

By Your enormous and all-infinite compassion for us, O Christ God, have mercy on us. Amen.

33. HEIRMOS.

Ἵ,δὴ η'.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ode viii. The Heirmos. Mode pl. 2. *Vu=E.*

Soft Chromatic E F G

8 The god-ly Ser - vants rid - i-culed the mon-u-ment

8 of un - god-ly wick-ed-ness. But the un - law-ful coun-cil rag-es now and

8 med-i-tates on vain things, a - gainst the Lord's A - noint-ed, and

8 plots to put to death the One who holds life in His hand.

8 All cre-a-tion bless-es Him and glo-ri - fies Him un - to the ag-es.

A. Ode viii. Heirmos

Ἦδη ἡ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.

Ode viii. Heirmos.

Στήλην κακίας ἀντιθέου, Παῖδες θεῖοι παρεδειγματίσαν, κατὰ Χριστοῦ δὲ φρουαττόμενον ἄνομον συνέδριον, βουλεύεται κενά, κτεῖναι μελετᾷ, τὸν ζωῆς κρατοῦντα παλάμη· ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. (δὶς)

The godly Servants ridiculed the monument of ungodly wickedness. But the unlawful council rages now and meditates on vain things, against the Lord's Anointed, and plots to put to death the One who holds life in His hand. All creation blesses Him and glorifies Him unto the ages. (2)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Ἀπὸ βλεφάρων Μαθηταί, νῦν ὕπνον ἔφης Χριστέ τινάζετε· ἐν προσευχῇ δὲ γρηγορεῖτε, πειρασμῶ μήπως ὄλησθε, καὶ μάλιστα Σίμων· τῷ κραταιῷ γὰρ μείζων πείρας· γινώθι με Πέτρε, ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις, εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

“Shake off the sleep now from your eyelids,” You said to the Disciples, O Christ. “Stay awake, watch and pray that you may not fall into temptation, especially Simon. For the strong are tested harder. Know me, O Peter, that all creation blesses Me and glorifies Me unto the ages.” [SD]

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Βέβηλον ἔπος τῶν χειλέων, οὐ ποτε προήσομαι Δέσποτα, σὺν σοὶ θανοῦμαι ὡς εὐγνώμων, κἄν οἱ πάντες ἀρνήσωνται, ἐβόησε Πέτρος, σὰρξ οὐδὲ αἷμα, ὁ Πατὴρ σου ἀπεκάλυψέ μοι σέ, ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

“Never,” said Peter, “will I let any profane word slip from my lips, O Lord. As one grateful I am ready to die with You, even if the others all deny You. It was not flesh and blood but Your Father who revealed You to me. All creation blesses You and glorifies You unto the ages.” [SD]

Δόξα.

Glory.

Βάθος σοφίας θεϊκῆς, καὶ γνώσεως οὐ πᾶν ἐξηρεύνησας, ἄβυσσον δὲ μου τῶν κριμάτων, οὐ κατέλαβες ἄνθρωπε, ὁ Κύριος ἔφη· Σὰρξ οὖν ὑπάρχων, μὴ καυχῶ· ἀρνήση τρίτον γάρ με, ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις, εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

“You have not fathomed all the depth of divine wisdom and knowledge, nor comprehended the abyss of My judgments, O man,” the Lord said to Peter. “Since you are flesh, do not boast; for you will three times deny Me, * Whom all creation blesses and glorifies unto the ages.”

[SD]

Καὶ νῦν.

Both now.

Ἀπαγορεύεις, Σίμων Πέτρε, ὅπερ πείση τάχος ὡς εἴρηται· καὶ σοὶ παιδίσκη, ὅα θᾶπτον προσελθοῦσα πτόήσει σε, ὁ Κύριος ἔφη· πικρῶς δακρύσας, ἔξεις ὅμως εὐλατόν με, ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις, εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

“Simon, you protest; but you will soon accept what I have said. When the servant-girl approaches, she in no time will frighten you,” the Lord said to Peter. “But after bitter weeping, you will find Me very merciful; Whom all creation blesses and glorifies unto the ages.” [SD]

34. KATAVASIA.

Καταβασία.

Katavasia.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

We praise and we bless and we worship the Lord.

Στήλην κακίας ἀντιθέου, Παῖδες θεῖοι παρεδειγματίσαν, κατὰ Χριστοῦ δὲ φρουαττόμενον ἄνομον συνέδριον, βουλεύεται κενά, κτεῖναι μελετᾷ, τὸν ζωῆς κρατοῦντα παλάμη· ὃν πᾶσα κτίσις εὐλογεῖ δοξάζουσα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

The godly Servants ridiculed the monument of ungodly wickedness. But the unlawful council rages now and meditates on vain things, against the Lord's Anointed, and plots to put to death the One who holds life in His hand. All creation blesses Him and glorifies Him unto the ages. [SD]

*Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Θ' Ἦδὴν.
Stand for the singing of Ode ix.*

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**DEACON**

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

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

(At this point, the Deacon censes.)

(The Faithful may sit after the censuring is finished.)

35. HEIRMOS.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἦδη ἡ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.

Ode ix. The Heirmos. Mode pl. 2. $Vu=E$.

Soft Chromatic **E** **D** **E** **F**

8 Great-er in hon-or than the Cher-u-bim and in glo-ry

G **E** **F**

8 great-er be-yond com-pare than the Ser-a-phim, you with-out cor-

G **F** **E** **D** **E**

8 rup-tion gave birth to God the Word and are tru-ly The-o-

G

8 to-kos. You do we mag-ni-fy.

A. Ode ix. Heirmos

Ἦδὴ θ'. Ὁ Εἰρμός.
Ode ix. Heirmos.

Τὴν τιμιωτέραν τῶν Χερουβείμ, καὶ ἐνδοξοτέραν, ἀσυγκρίτως τῶν Σεραφεείμ, τὴν ἀδιαφθόρως, Θεὸν Λόγον τεκοῦσαν, τὴν ὄντως Θεοτόκον, σὲ μεγαλύνομεν. (δίς)

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. (2)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Ὁλέθριος σπεῖρα θεοστυγῶν, πονηρευομένων, θεοκτόνων συναγωγῆ, ἐπέστη Χριστέ σοι, καὶ ὡς ἄδικον εἶλκε, τὸν Κτίστην τῶν ἀπάντων, ὃν μεγαλύνομεν.

The violent band of soldiers who hated God with the assembly of evildoers, murderers of God, came upon You, Christ, and dragged You off as a culprit, the Maker of all things. You do we magnify. [SD]

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, our God, glory to You.

Νόμον ἀγνοοῦντες οἱ ἀσεβεῖς, φωνὰς Προφητῶν τε, μελετῶντες διακενής, ὡς πρόβατον εἶλκον, σὲ τὸν πάντων Δεσπότην, ἀδίκως σφαγιάσαι· ὃν μεγαλύνομεν.

The impious, ignorant of the Law, who studied the sayings of the Prophets to no avail, led You as a lamb to be slaughtered unjustly, the Master over all things. You do we magnify. [SD]

Δόξα.

Glory.

Τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἔκδοτον τὴν ζωὴν, σὺν τοῖς Γραμματεῦσιν, ἀναιρεῖσθαι οἱ Ἱερεῖς, παρέσχον, πληγέντες, αὐτοφθόνῳ κακίᾳ τὸν φύσει Ζωοδότην, ὃν μεγαλύνομεν.

The priests, and together with them the scribes, smitten with jealousy and malice, delivered up Christ, who is by nature the Life and the Life-giver, to the Gentiles to destroy Him; Whom we magnify. [SD]

Καὶ νῦν.

Both now.

Ἐκύκλωσαν κύνες ὡσεὶ πολλοί, ἐκρότησαν, Ἄναξ, σιαγόνα σὴν ῥαπισμῶ, ἠρώτων σε, σοῦ δέ, ψευδῆ κατεμαρτύρουν, καὶ πάντα ὑπομείνας, ἅπαντας ἔσωσας.

O King, they surrounded You like many dogs. They struck You and slapped You in the face, and they questioned You. Furthermore they bore false witness against You. You patiently endured it, and thus You saved us all. [SD]

36. KATAVASIA.

Καταβασία.

Katavasia.

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

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

A. The Little Litany – For all the powers...

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

(Lord, have mercy.)

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.

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

(To You, O Lord.)

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

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.

For all the powers of heaven praise You, and to You they offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

(Ἀμήν.)

(Amen.)

37. EXAPOSTEILARIA.

Ἐξαποστειλάρια.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Exaposteilarion. Mode 3. *Ga=F*.

Enharmonic F D C

8 On the same day, O Lord, You grant-ed the

8 Rob - ber Par - a - dise. Now by the wood of the Cross, il-

8 - lu-mine me and save me.

8 On the same day, O Lord, You grant-ed the

8 Rob - ber Par - a - dise. Now by the wood of the

8 Cross, il - lu - mine me and save

8 me.

Exaposteilaria.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

Ἦχος γ'. Αὐτόμελον.

Mode 3. Automelon.

Τὸν Ληστήν αὐθημερόν.

Τὸν Ληστήν αὐθημερόν, τοῦ Παραδείσου ἠξίωσας Κύριε, κάμῃ τῷ ξύλῳ τοῦ Σταυροῦ, φώτισον καὶ σώσον με. (3)

On the very same day, O Lord, You granted the Robber Paradise. * And as for me, by the tree of the Cross, illumine me and save me. (3) [SD]

38. GOSPEL 9

Εὐαγγέλιον Ἑνατον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

ἠθ' 25-37

19:25-37

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, εἰστήκεισαν παρὰ τῷ σταυρῷ τοῦ Ἰησοῦ ἡ μήτηρ αὐτοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀδελφὴ τῆς μητρὸς αὐτοῦ, Μαρία ἡ τοῦ Κλωπᾶ καὶ Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνὴ. Ἰησοῦς οὖν ἰδὼν τὴν μητέρα καὶ τὸν μαθητὴν παρεστῶτα ὃν ἠγάπα, λέγει τῇ

μητρὶ αὐτοῦ· γύναι, ἴδε ὁ υἱός σου. εἶτα λέγει τῷ μαθητῇ· ἰδοὺ ἡ μήτηρ σου. καὶ ἀπ' ἐκείνης τῆς ὥρας ἔλαβεν ὁ μαθητὴς αὐτὴν εἰς τὰ ἴδια. Μετὰ τοῦτο εἰδὼς ὁ Ἰησοῦς ὅτι πάντα ἤδη τετέλεστοι, ἵνα τελειωθῇ ἡ γραφή, λέγει· διψῶ. σκεῦος οὖν ἔκειτο ὄξους μεστόν· οἱ δὲ πλήσαντες σπόγγον ὄξους καὶ ὑσώπῳ περιθέντες προσήνεγκαν αὐτοῦ τῷ στόματι. ὅτε οὖν ἔλαβε τὸ ὄξος ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπε, τετέλεστοι, καὶ κλίνας τὴν κεφαλὴν παρέδωκε τὸ πνεῦμα. Οἱ οὖν Ἰουδαῖοι, ἵνα μὴ μείνη ἐπὶ τοῦ σταυροῦ τὰ σώματα ἐν τῷ σαββάτῳ, ἐπεὶ παρασκευὴ ἦν· ἦν γὰρ μεγάλη ἡ ἡμέρα ἐκείνη τοῦ σαββάτου· ἠρώτησαν τὸν Πιλάτον ἵνα κατεαγῶσιν αὐτῶν τὰ σκέλη, καὶ ἀρθῶσιν. ἤλθον οὖν οἱ στρατιῶται, καὶ τοῦ μὲν πρώτου κατέαξαν τὰ σκέλη καὶ τοῦ ἄλλου τοῦ συσταυρωθέντος αὐτῶ· ἐπὶ δὲ τὸν Ἰησοῦν ἐλθόντες ὡς εἶδον αὐτὸν ἤδη τεθνηκότα, οὐ κατέαξαν αὐτοῦ τὰ σκέλη, ἀλλ' εἰς τῶν στρατιωτῶν λόγχῃ αὐτοῦ τὴν πλευρὰν ἔνυξε, καὶ εὐθὺς ἐξῆλθεν αἷμα καὶ ὕδωρ. καὶ ὁ ἑωρακὼς μεμαρτύρηκε, καὶ ἀληθινὴ αὐτοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ μαρτυρία, ἀκακίως οἶδεν ὅτι ἀληθῆ λέγει, ἵνα καὶ ὑμεῖς πιστεύσητε. ἐγένετο γὰρ ταῦτα, ἵνα ἡ γραφὴ πληρωθῇ, ὅσπου οὐ συντριβήσεται αὐτοῦ. καὶ πάλιν ἑτέρα γραφὴ λέγει· ὄψονται εἰς ὃν ἐξεκέντησαν.

At that time, standing by the cross of Jesus were his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Clopas, and Mary Magdalene. When Jesus saw his mother, and the disciple whom he loved standing near, he said to his mother, "Woman, behold, your son!" Then he said to the disciple, "Behold, your mother!" And from that hour the disciple took her to his own home. After this Jesus, knowing that all was now finished, said (to fulfill the scripture), "I thirst." A bowl full of vinegar stood there; so they put a sponge full of the vinegar on hyssop and held it to his mouth. When Jesus had received the vinegar, he said, "It is finished"; and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit. Since it was the day of Preparation, in order to prevent the bodies from remaining on the cross on the sabbath (for that sabbath was a high day), the Jews asked Pilate that their legs might be broken, and that they might be taken away. So the soldiers came and broke the legs of the first, and of the other who had been crucified with him; but when they came to Jesus and saw that he was already dead, they did not break his legs. But one of the soldiers pierced his side with a spear, and at once there came out blood and water. He who saw it has borne witness — his testimony is true, and he knows that he tells the truth — that you also may believe. For these things took place that the scripture might be fulfilled, "Not a bone of him shall be broken." And again another scripture says, "They shall look on him whom they have pierced." [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

A. Lauds. Mode 3.

Οἱ Αἴνοι. Ἦχος γ'.

*(The Faithful Sit)***Mode 3. Ga=F.**

Enharmonic

8 Let ev - ery - thing that breathes praise

8 the Lord. Praise the Lord from

8 the heav - ens, praise Him in the high -

8 - est. It is fit - ting to sing a hymn to

8 You, O God.

8 Praise Him, all you His an - gels; praise

8 Him, all you his hosts. It is

8 fit - ting to sing a hymn to You, O God.

Lauds. Mode 3.

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

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

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

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

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

B. Idiomelon. Mode 3.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος γ'.s

Lauds Stichera.
Mode 3. Heirmologic. Ga=F.

Enharmonic

8 Praise Him for His mighty acts, praise Him according to the a - bun - dance

8 of His great - ness. Is - ra - el, my first-born son, com - mit - ted two

8 e - vils: he for - sook Me, the foun - tain of liv - ing wa - ter,

8 and he hewed for him - self a bro - ken cis - tern. He had Me

8 cru - ci - fied on - to a cross, and de - mand - ed Bar - ab - bas in - stead

8 and had him re - leased. Heav - en was a - mazed at this,

8 and the sun hid its rays. You, O Is - ra - el, were not a - shamed,

8 on the con - tra - ry you de - liv - ered Me to death. O ho - ly

8 Fa - ther, for - give them, for they know not what they have done.

Idiomelon. Mode 3.

Αινεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐπὶ ταῖς δυναστεῖαις αὐτοῦ, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῆς μεγαλωσύνης αὐτοῦ.

Praise Him for His mighty acts; praise Him according to the abundance of His greatness. [SAAS]

Δύο καὶ πονηρὰ ἐποίησεν, ὁ πρωτότοκος υἱός μου Ἰσραήλ, ἐμὲ ἐγκατέλιπε, πηγὴν ὕδατος ζωῆς, καὶ ὤρυξεν ἑαυτῷ φρέαρ συντετριμμένον, ἐμὲ ἐπὶ ξύλου ἐσταύρωσε, τὸν δὲ Βαραββᾶν ἤτήσατο, καὶ ἀπέλυσεν· ἐξέστη ὁ οὐρανὸς ἐπὶ τούτῳ, καὶ ὁ ἥλιος τὰς ἀκτῖνας ἀπέκρυψε· σὺ δὲ Ἰσραήλ οὐκ ἐνετράπησ, ἀλλὰ θανάτῳ με παρέδωκας. Ἄφες αὐτοῖς Πάτερ ἅγιε· οὐ γὰρ οἶδασι τί ἐποίησαν.

Israel, my first-born son, committed two evils: he forsook Me, the fountain of living water, and he hewed for himself a broken cistern. He had Me crucified onto a cross, and demanded Barabbas instead and had him released. Heaven was amazed at this, and the sun hid its rays. You, O Israel, were not ashamed, on the contrary you delivered Me to death. O holy Father, forgive them, for they know not what they have done. [SD]

C. Idiomelon. Mode 3.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος γ'.

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

Praise Him with the sound of trumpet; praise Him with the harp and lyre. [SAAS]

Δύο καὶ πονηρὰ ἐποίησεν, ὁ πρωτότοκος υἱός μου Ἰσραήλ, ἐμὲ ἐγκατέλιπε, πηγὴν ὕδατος ζωῆς, καὶ ὤρυξεν ἑαυτῷ φρέαρ συντετριμμένον, ἐμὲ ἐπὶ ξύλου ἐσταύρωσε, τὸν δὲ Βαραββᾶν ἤτήσατο, καὶ ἀπέλυσεν· ἐξέστη ὁ οὐρανὸς ἐπὶ τούτῳ, καὶ ὁ ἥλιος τὰς ἀκτῖνας ἀπέκρυψε· σὺ δὲ Ἰσραήλ οὐκ ἐνετράπησ, ἀλλὰ θανάτῳ με παρέδωκας. Ἄφες αὐτοῖς Πάτερ ἅγιε· οὐ γὰρ οἶδασι τί ἐποίησαν.

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D. Idiomelon. Mode 3.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος γ'.

Mode 3. Heirmologic. Ga=F.

Enharmonic

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

8 Ev-ery mem-ber of Your ho-ly bod - y en - dured dis - hon - or for

8 us. Your head en-dured the thorns. Your face was spat on. Your

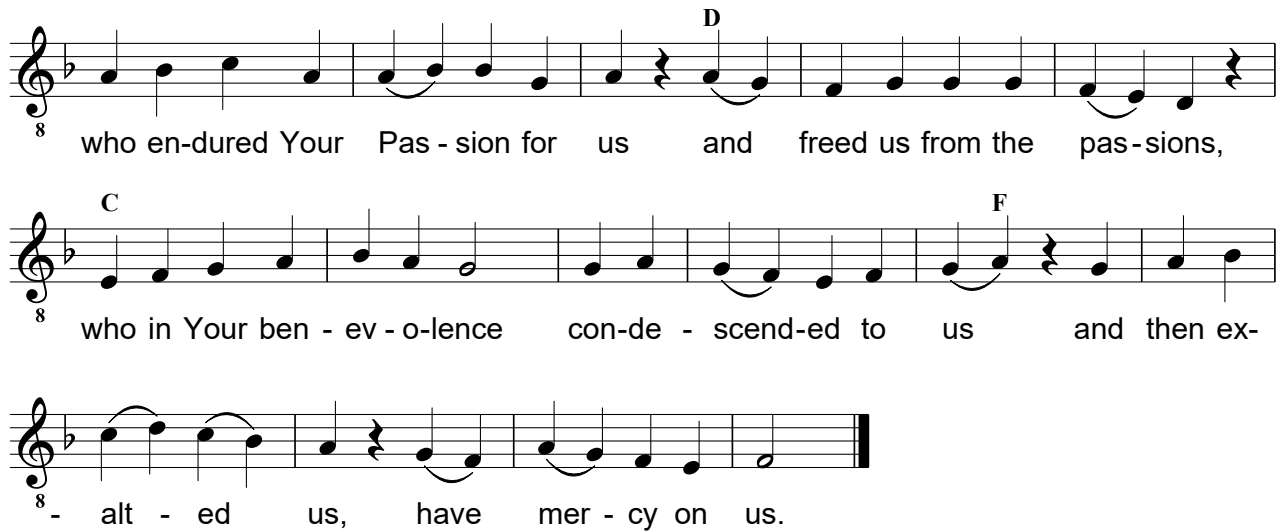
8 cheeks re - ceived the blows. Your mouth tast-ed vin - e - gar

8 min - gled with gall. Your ears heard im - pi - ous blas - phe - mies. Your

8 back re - ceived the scourg-ing. Your hand held the reed. Your en - tire

8 bod - y was stretched on the Cross. Your joints were pierced by the

8 nails, and Your side, by the spear. O al - might - y Sav - ior,



8 who en-dured Your Pas-sion for us and freed us from the pas-sions,

8 who in Your ben-ev-o-lence con-de-scend-ed to us and then ex-

8 - alt-ed us, have mer-cy on us.

Idiomelon. Mode 3.

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

Praise Him with timbrel and dance; praise Him with strings and flute. [SAAS]

Ἐκαστὸν μέλος τῆς ἁγίας σου σαρκός, ἀτιμίαν δι' ἡμᾶς ὑπέμεινε, τὰς ἀκάνθας ἢ κεφαλῇ, ἢ ὄψις τὰ ἐμπτύσματα, αἱ σιαγόνες τὰ ῥαπίσματα, τὸ στόμα τὴν ἐν ὄξει κερασθεῖσαν χολὴν τῇ γεύσει, τὰ ὦτα τὰς δυσσεβεῖς βλασφημίας. Ὁ νῶτος τὴν φραγγέλωσιν, καὶ ἡ χεὶρ τὸν κάλαμον, αἱ τοῦ ὄλου σώματος ἐκτάσεις ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ, τὰ ἄρθρα τοὺς ἥλους, καὶ ἡ πλευρὰ τὴν λόγχην. Ὁ παθὼν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν, καὶ παθὼν ἐλευθερώσας ἡμᾶς. Ὁ συγκαταβάς ἡμῖν φιλανθρωπία, καὶ ἀνυψώσας ἡμᾶς, παντοδύναμε Σωτὴρ, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Every member of Your holy body endured dishonor for

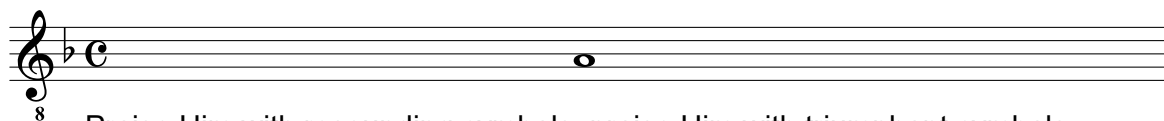
us. Your head endured the thorns. Your face was spat on. Your cheeks received the blows. Your mouth tasted vinegar mingled with gall. Your ears heard impious blasphemies. Your back received the scourging. Your hand held the reed. Your entire body was stretched on the Cross. Your joints were pierced by the nails, and Your side, by the spear. O almighty Savior, who endured Your Passion for us and freed us from the passions, who in Your benevolence condescended to us and then exalted us, have mercy on us. [SD]

E. Idiomelon. Mode 3.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος γ'.

Mode 3. Heirmologic. Ga=F.

Enharmonic



Praise Him with resounding cymbals, praise Him with triumphant cymbals.



Let ev-ery-thing that breathes praise the Lord. All cre - a - tion



trem-bled when it saw You cru-ci-fied, O Christ. The foun - da-tions of the



earth quaked from fear of Your pow - er. When You were



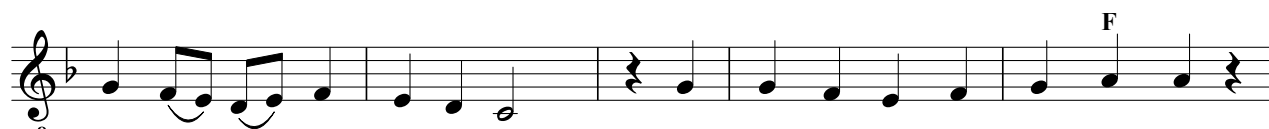
lift - ed on the Cross to-day, the He-brew race per-ish-ed, the



Tem-ple Veil was rent in two. Tombs were o-pened, and the



dead res-ur - rect-ed from their graves. The cen - tu - ri - on shud - dered



when he saw the mir - a - cle. Your Moth-er, who was stand-ing there,

8 cried a ma - ter-nal la-men - ta - tion: "How can I not

8 mourn and beat my breasts, see-ing You hang-ing on a

8 cross, na - ked, as though a crim - i - nal?" O Lord, who were

8 cru-ci-fied and bur - ied, and who rose from the dead, glo - ry to

8 You!

Glory. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic D

8 Ne Glo - ry to the Fa - ther

8 and the Son and the Ho - ly Spir - it.

A D

8 They stripped Me of My clo - thing, and put a

8 pur - ple cloak on Me. On My head they

8 laid a crown, a crown of thorns, and in

Chromatic D

8 My right hand they put a

Diatonic G

8 reed, so that I might shat - ter

Chromatic D

8 them like a pot - ter's ves - sels.

Detailed description: The image shows a musical score for a hymn titled 'Glory. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.' The score is written in a single melodic line on a treble clef staff with a key signature of one flat and one sharp (B-flat and F-sharp), and a common time signature. The lyrics are: 'Ne Glo - ry to the Fa - ther and the Son and the Ho - ly Spir - it. They stripped Me of My clo - thing, and put a pur - ple cloak on Me. On My head they laid a crown, a crown of thorns, and in My right hand they put a reed, so that I might shat - ter them like a pot - ter's ves - sels.' The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, ties, and rests. Above the staff, there are several annotations: 'Chromatic' and 'D' above the first line; 'A' and 'D' above the third line; 'G Diatonic' above the fifth line; 'Chromatic' and 'D' above the sixth line; 'Diatonic' and 'G' above the seventh line; and 'Chromatic' and 'D' above the eighth line. A small number '8' is placed below the staff at the beginning of each line of music.

Both now. Mode pl. 2. Pa=D.

Chromatic D

8 Both now and ev - er and to the a - ges of

8 a - ges. A - men. I gave My

8 back to whips, and My cheeks to

8 blows; and I turned not a - way My face

8 from the shame of spit - ting. I stood be-fore the

8 judg - ment seat of Pi - late, and

8 I en - dured the Cross, for the sal - va - tion

8 of the world.

Diatonic G Chromatic D

A G D

Diatonic

G Chromatic D

C D

The musical score is written in treble clef with a key signature of one flat and one sharp (B-flat major/D minor). The time signature is common time (C). The melody is primarily in the D mode (D major). The score consists of eight lines of music. The first line starts with a 'Chromatic' label and a 'D' chord. The second line has an 'A' chord. The third line has 'Diatonic G' and 'Chromatic D' labels. The fourth line has 'A', 'G', and 'D' chords. The fifth line has an 'A' chord. The sixth line has 'D' and 'Diatonic' labels. The seventh line has 'G', 'Chromatic D', and 'D' labels. The eighth line has 'C' and 'D' labels. The lyrics are: 'Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen. I gave My back to whips, and My cheeks to blows; and I turned not away My face from the shame of spitting. I stood before the judgment seat of Pilate, and I endured the Cross, for the salvation of the world.'

Idiomelon. Mode 3.

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

Praise Him with resounding cymbals; praise Him with triumphant cymbals; let everything that breathes praise the Lord. [SAAS]

Σταυρωθέντος σου Χριστέ, πᾶσα ἡ Κτίσις βλέπουσα ἔτρεμε, τὰ θεμέλια τῆς γῆς, διεδοθήθησαν φόβῳ τοῦ κράτους σου· σοῦ γὰρ ὑψωθέντος σήμερον, γένος Ἑβραίων ἀπώλετο, τοῦ Ναοῦ τὸ καταπέτασμα, διεφράγη διχῶς, τὰ μνημεῖα ἠνεώχθησαν, καὶ νεκροὶ ἐκ τῶν τάφων ἐξανέστησαν. Ἐκατόνταρχος ἰδὼν τὸ θαῦμα, ἐφριξε· παρεστῶσα δὲ ἡ Μήτηρ σου, ἐβόα θρηνηδοῦσα μητρικῶς· Πῶς μὴ θρηνήσω, καὶ τὰ σπλάγχνα μου τύψω, ὁρῶσά σε γυμνόν, ὡς κατὰκριτον ἐν ξύλῳ κρεμάμενον; Ὁ σταυρωθεὶς καὶ ταφεὶς, καὶ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

All creation trembled when it saw You crucified, O Christ. The foundations of the earth quaked from fear of Your power. When You were lifted on the Cross today, the Hebrew race perished, the Temple Veil was rent in two; tombs were opened, and the dead resurrected from their graves. The centurion shuddered when he saw the miracle. Your Mother, who was standing there, cried a maternal lamentation: "How can I not mourn and beat my breasts, seeing You hanging on a cross, naked, as though a criminal?" O Lord, who were crucified and buried, and who rose from the dead, glory to You! [SD]

Δόξα.

Glory.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Mode pl. 2.

Ἐξέδυσάν με τὰ ἱμάτιά μου, καὶ ἐνέδυσάν με χλαμύδα κοκκίνην, ἔθηκαν ἐπὶ τὴν κεφαλὴν μου, στέφανον ἐξ ἀκανθῶν, καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν δεξιάν μου χεῖρα, ἔδωκαν κάλαμον, ἵνα συντρίψω αὐτούς, ὡς σκεύη κεραμέως.

They stripped Me of My clothing, and put a purple cloak on Me. On My head they laid a crown of thorns, and in My right hand they put a reed, so that I might shatter them like a potter's vessels. [SD]

Καὶ νῦν.

Both now.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

Ἦχος πλ. β΄.

Mode pl. 2.

Τὸν νῶτόν μου ἔδωκα εἰς μαστίγωσιν, τὸ δὲ πρόσωπόν μου οὐκ ἀπεστράφη ἀπὸ ἐμπτυσμάτων, βήματι Πιλάτου παρέστην, καὶ σταυρὸν ὑπέμεινα, διὰ τὴν τοῦ κόσμου σωτηρίαν.

I gave My back to whips, and My cheeks to blows; and I turned not away My face from the shame of spitting. I stood before the judgment seat of Pilate, and I endured the Cross, for the salvation of the world. [SD]

39. GOSPEL 10

Εὐαγγέλιον Δέκατον

GOSPEL 10

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μᾶρκον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Mark.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

ιε' 43-47

15:43-47

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἐλθὼν Ἰωσήφ ὁ ἀπὸ Ἀριμαθαίας, εὐσχήμων βουλευτής, ὃς καὶ αὐτὸς ἦν προσδεχόμενος τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ, τολμήσας εἰσῆλθε πρὸς Πιλάτον καὶ ἠτήσατο τὸ σῶμα τοῦ Ἰησοῦ. ὁ δὲ Πιλάτος ἐθαύμασεν εἰ ἤδη τέθνηκε, καὶ προσκαλεσάμενος τὸν κεντυρίωνα ἐπηρώτησεν αὐτὸν εἰ πάλοι ἀπέθανε· καὶ γνοὺς ἀπὸ τοῦ κεντυρίωνος ἐδωρήσατο τὸ σῶμα τῷ Ἰωσήφ. καὶ ἀγοράσας σινδὸνα καὶ καθελῶν αὐτὸν ἐνείλησε τῇ σινδόνι καὶ κατέθηκεν αὐτὸν ἐν μνημείῳ, ὃ ἦν λελατομημένον ἐκ πέτρας, καὶ προσεκύλισε λίθον ἐπὶ τὴν θύραν τοῦ μνημείου. ἡ δὲ Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνὴ καὶ Μαρία Ἰωσὴ ἐθεώρουν ποῦ τίθεται.

At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, a respected member of the council, who was also himself looking for the kingdom of God, took courage and went to Pilate, and asked for the body of Jesus. And Pilate wondered if he were already dead; and summoning the centurion, he

asked him whether he was already dead. And when he learned from the centurion that he was dead, he granted the body to Joseph. And he bought a linen shroud, and taking him down, wrapped him in the linen shroud, and laid him in a tomb which had been hewn out of the rock; and he rolled a stone against the door of the tomb. Mary Magdalene and Mary the mother of Joses saw where he was laid. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

40. DOXOLOGY

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τῆς Δοξολογίας.

Stand for the reading of the Doxology.

Δοξολογία (διαβαστά)

Doxology (read)

ΠΡΟΕΣΤΩΣ ἢ ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

HIERARCH or READER

Σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

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.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

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 Ἄμνος τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Πατρός, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἁμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἁμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου. Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾷ τοῦ Πατρός, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ ὁ μόνος Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. 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 ἥμαρτόν 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 Θεός 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,

Ἄγιε· 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 Πατρὶ, καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ, καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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 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.

A. Litany

(The Faithful Sit)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν ἑωθινήν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

Let us complete our morning prayer to the Lord.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Lord, have mercy.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

Lord, have mercy.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἑκάστην δέησιν)
CHOIR (after each petition)

Παράσχου, Κύριε.
Grant this, O Lord.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Σοί, Κύριε.
To You, O Lord.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

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 αἰῶνων.

For You are the God of mercy and compassion and love for humankind, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to ages of ages.

(The Faithful Stand)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR
Ἄμην.

Amen.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.
And with your spirit.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ
DEACON

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνωμεν.

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Σοί, Κύριε.

To You, O Lord.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)
PRIEST (in a low voice)

Κύριε ἅγιε, ὁ ἐν ὑψηλοῖς κατοικῶν καὶ τὰ ταπεινὰ ἐφορῶν καὶ τῷ παντεφώρῳ σου ὄμματι ἐπιβλέπων ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν κτίσιν, σοὶ ἐκκλίναμεν τὸν αὐχένα τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ τοῦ σώματος καὶ δεόμεθά σου, ἅγιε ἅγιον. Ἐκτεινον τὴν χεῖρά σου τὴν ἀόρατον ἐξ ἁγίου κατοικητηρίου σου καὶ εὐλόγησον πάντας ἡμᾶς· καὶ εἴ τι ἡμάρτομεν ἐκουσίως ἢ ἀκουσίως, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος Θεὸς συγχώρησον, δωροῦμενος ἡμῖν τὰ ἐγκόσμια καὶ ὑπερκόσμια ἀγαθὰ σου.

Holy Lord, who dwell in the highest and look upon the humble and observe all creation with Your all-seeing eye, to You we bow the neck of soul and body, and we pray You, Holy of holies: Extend Your invisible hand from Your holy heavens and bless us all. And as good and benevolent God, forgive us any misdeeds we committed voluntarily or involuntarily, and grant us Your blessings in this world and in the next.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἐκφώνως)

PRIEST (aloud)

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 ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰῶνων.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ
CHOIR

Ἄμην.
Amen.

41. GOSPEL 11

Εὐαγγέλιον ΙΑ'
GOSPEL 11
ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to John.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

ἰθ' 38-42

19:38-42

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, ἠρώτησε τὸν Πιλάτον Ἰωσήφ ὁ ἀπὸ Ἀριμαθαίας, ὢν μαθητῆς τοῦ Ἰησοῦ, κεκρυμμένος δὲ διὰ τὸν φόβον τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ἵνα ἄρῃ τὸ σῶμα τοῦ Ἰησοῦ· καὶ ἐπέτρεψεν ὁ Πιλάτος. ἦλθεν οὖν καὶ ἦρε τὸ σῶμα τοῦ Ἰησοῦ. ἦλθε δὲ καὶ Νικοδήμος ὁ ἐλθὼν πρὸς τὸν Ἰησοῦν

νυκτὸς τὸ πρῶτον, φέρων μίγμα σμύρνης καὶ ἀλόης ὡς λίτρας ἑκατόν. ἔλαβον οὖν τὸ σῶμα τοῦ Ἰησοῦ καὶ ἔδησαν αὐτὸ ἐν ὀθονίοις μετὰ τῶν ἀρωμάτων, καθὼς ἔθος ἐστὶ τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις ἐνταφιάζειν. ἦν δὲ ἐν τῷ τόπῳ ὅπου ἐσταυρώθη κήπος, καὶ ἐν τῷ κήπῳ μνημεῖον καινόν, ἐν ᾧ οὐδέπω οὐδεὶς ἐτέθη· ἐκεῖ οὖν διὰ τὴν παρασκευὴν τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ὅτι ἐγγὺς ἦν τὸ μνημεῖον, ἔθηκον τὸν Ἰησοῦν.

At that time, Joseph of Arimathea, who was a disciple of Jesus, but secretly, for fear of the Jews, asked Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus, and Pilate gave him leave. So he came and took away his body. Nicodemus also, who had at first come to him by night, came bringing a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about a hundred pounds' weight. They took the body of Jesus, and bound it in linen cloths with the spices, as is the burial custom of the Jews. Now in the place where he was crucified there was a garden, and in the garden a new tomb where no one had ever been laid. So because of the Jewish day of Preparation, as the tomb was close at hand, they laid Jesus there. [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα τῇ μακροθυμίᾳ σου, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glorify to Your forbearance, O Lord, glory to You.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

42. APOSTICHA.

Ἀπόστιχα.

Aposticha.

(The Faithful Sit)

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

A. Idiomelon. Mode 1.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος α'.

Aposticha Idiomelon I. Mode 1. Pa=D.

Diatonic D

8 All cre - a - tion was al - tered in awe, as it saw You

8 hang - ing on a cross, O Christ. The sun went dark,

U D
8 and the foun - da - tions of the earth

U
8 shook. All things suf - fered with You who cre - at -

D
8 - ed all things. O Lord, who will - ing - ly en - dured it

8 for us, glo - ry to You!

Idiomelon. Mode 1.

Πᾶσα ἡ Κτίσις, ἠλλοιοῦτο φόβῳ, θεωροῦσά σε, ἐν σταυρῷ κρεμάμενον Χριστέ. Ὁ ἥλιος ἐσκοτίζετο, καὶ γῆς τὰ θεμέλια συνεταράττετο, τὰ πάντα συνέπασχον, τῷ τὰ πάντα κτίσαντι, ὁ ἐκουσίως δι' ἡμᾶς ὑπομείνας, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

All creation was altered in awe, as it saw You hanging on a cross, O Christ. The sun went dark, and the foun-

datations of the earth shook. All things suffered with You who created all things. O Lord, who willingly endured it for us, glory to You! [SD]

B. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος β'.

Aposticha Idiomelon II. Mode 2. *Di=G.*

Soft Chromatic

The musical score is written in treble clef with a common time signature (C). It features a melodic line with various rhythmic values including eighth, quarter, and half notes, as well as rests. The lyrics are written below the staff, with some words hyphenated across lines. A 'G' chord symbol is placed above the first staff. The score is divided into measures by vertical bar lines, with some measures containing a '7' time signature change. The lyrics are: 'They divided my garments among themselves, and for my clo - thing they cast lots. Why do the im - pi-ous and un - law - ful peo - ple med-i - tate on vain things? Why did they con- demn to death the One who is the life of all? Great is the mar - vel! The Cre - a - tor of the world is de- liv - ered in - to the hands of law - less men, the ben- ev - o - lent Sav - ior is lift - ed up on a cross, in or - der to free the pris-on-ers in Ha - des, who cry to Him, "Long - suf - fer- ing Lord, glo - ry to You!"'

8 They divided my garments among themselves, and for my clo - thing

8 they cast lots. Why do the im - pi-ous and un - law - ful

8 peo - ple med-i - tate on vain things? Why did they con-

& demn to death the One who is the life of all? Great

8 is the mar - vel! The Cre - a - tor of the world is de-

& liv - ered in - to the hands of law - less men, the ben-

& ev - o - lent Sav - ior is lift - ed up

8 on a cross, in or - der to free the pris-on-ers in

8 Ha - des, who cry to Him, "Long - suf - fer-

& ing Lord, glo - ry to You!"

Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Στίχ. Διεμερίσαντο τὰ ἱμάτιά μου ἑαυτοῖς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἱματισμόν μου ἔβαλον κλῆρον.

Verse: They divided my garments among themselves, and for my clothing they cast lots. [SAAS]

Λαὸς δυσσεβῆς καὶ παράνομος, ἵνα τί μελετᾷ κενὰ; ἵνα τί τὴν ζωὴν τῶν ἀπάντων, θανάτῳ κατεδίκησε; Μέγα θαῦμα! ὅτι ὁ Κτίστης τοῦ Κόσμου, εἰς χεῖρας ἀνόμων παραδίδεται, καὶ ἐπὶ ξύλου ἀνυψοῦται ὁ φιλόνητος, ἵνα τοὺς ἐν Ἄιδῃ δεσμώτας ἐλευθερώσῃ, κράζοντας· Μακρόθυμε Κύριε δόξα σοι.

Why do the impious and unlawful people meditate on

vain things? Why did they condemn to death the One who is the life of all? Great is the marvel! The Creator of the world is delivered into the hands of lawless men, the benevolent Savior is lifted up on a cross, in order to free the prisoners in Hades, who cry to Him, “Long-suffering Lord, glory to You!” [SD]

C. Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος β΄.

Aposticha Idiomelon III. Mode 2. *Di=G.*

Soft Chromatic

8 They gave me gall for my food, and they gave me vin - e - gar for

8 my drink. The blame-less Vir - gin was watch - ing

8 as You were sus - pend-ed on the Cross to - day, O Word

8 of God. She la - ment - ed with moth - er - ly

8 e - mo - tions, and it cru - el - ly broke her

8 heart. She sighed with pain from the

8 depths of her soul, tear-ing at her face and her

8 hair, and it wore her out. Then,

Diatonic F Chromatic C

Soft Chromatic G

The musical score is written on a single treble clef staff in common time (C). It consists of nine lines of music. The first line begins with a 'Soft Chromatic' instruction and a fermata over the first note. The second line has a 'G' chord marking above the staff. The third line has an '8' below the first note. The fourth line has an '8' below the first note. The fifth line has an '8' below the first note. The sixth line has an '8' below the first note. The seventh line has an '8' below the first note, a 'Diatonic F' marking above the staff, and a 'Chromatic C' marking above the staff. The eighth line has an '8' below the first note, a 'Soft Chromatic' instruction above the staff, and a 'G' chord marking above the staff. The ninth line has an '8' below the first note. The lyrics are printed below the staff, with hyphens indicating syllables across notes.

⁸ beat - ing her breasts, she mourn - ful - ly

⁸ cried a - loud, "Woe is me, my ³ di -

⁸ vine Child! A - las, the Light of the

⁸ world! Why did you sink from be - fore my eyes, O Lamb

⁸ of God?" Then the hosts of bod - i - less An - gels were

⁸ o - ver - come by trem - bling and they said, "In - com - pre -

⁸ hen - si - ble Lord, glo - ry to You!"

Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Στίχ. Ἔδωκαν εἰς τὸ βρωμά μου χολήν καὶ εἰς τὴν δίψαν μου ἐπότισάν με ὄξος.

Verse: They gave me gall for my food, and they gave me vinegar for my drink. [SAAS]

Σήμερον σὲ θεωροῦσα, ἡ ἄμεπτος Παρθένης ἐν Σταυρῷ, Λόγε ἀναρτώμενον, ὀδυρομένη μητρῶα σπλάγχνα, ἐτέτρωτο τὴν καρδίαν πικρῶς καὶ στενάζουσα ὀδυνηρῶς ἐκ βάθους ψυχῆς, παρειάς σὺν θριξὶ καταξάινουσα, κατετρώχετο· διὸ καὶ τὸ στήθος τύπτουσα, ἀνέκραγε γοερῶς· Οἴμοι θεῖον Τέκνον! οἴμοι τὸ φῶς τοῦ Κόσμου! τί ἔδυσ ἐξ ὀφθαλμῶν μου, ὁ Ἄμνός τοῦ Θεοῦ; ὅθεν αἱ στρατιᾶι τῶν Ἀσωμάτων, τρόμῳ συνείχοντο λέγουσαι· Ἀκατάληπτε Κύριε δόξα σοι.

The blameless Virgin was watching as You were sus-

pending on the Cross today, O Word of God. She lamented with motherly emotions, and it cruelly broke her heart. She sighed with pain from the depths of her soul, tearing at her face and her hair, and it wore her out. Then, beating her breasts, she mournfully cried aloud, “Woe is me, my divine Child! Alas, the Light of the world! Why did you sink from before my eyes, O Lamb of God?” Then the hosts of bodiless Angels were overcome by trembling and they said, “Incomprehensible Lord, glory to You!” [SD]

D. *Idiomelon. Mode 2.*

Ἰδιόμελον. Ἦχος β΄.

Aposticha Idiomelon IV. Mode 2. *Di=G.*

Soft Chromatic

8 But God is our King before the ages; He worked sal - va - tion in the

8 midst of the earth. O Christ God, the Cre - a -

8 tor of all, Your Moth - er, who with - out seed gave birth to

8 You, saw You hang - ing on the Cross, and she cried out in

8 an - guish, "O my Son, where

8 has the hand - som sight of You set?

Soft Chromatic

8 I can - not bear to see You un - just - ly cru -

8 ci - fied. So, hur - ry and rise a -

8 gain, so that I may see Your res - ur - rec - tion from the

8 dead on the third day."

Glory. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic C

8 Glo-ry to the Fa - ther and the Son and the

D C C

8 Ho - ly Spir - it. Lord, O

8 Lord, when You went up on - to the Cross,

Chromatic G Diatonic C

8 fear and trem - bling fell on cre-

8 a - tion. You pre - vent - ed the earth from

G

8 swal - low - ing those who cru - ci - fied You,

C

8 but You al - lowed Ha - des to send up its

F G

8 pris - on - ers, for the re - birth of hu - man-

⁸ - i - ty. Judge of the liv - ing and the
⁸ dead, You came to give life and not death. O ben -
⁸ - ev - o-lent Sav - ior, glo - ry to You!

Both now. Mode pl. 4. Ni=C.

Diatonic C

8 Both now and ev - er and to the a - ges of

D C

8 a ges. A - men. And so the pen

8 was dipped and the ver - dict was signed by

D C

8 un - just judg es. And Je - sus was con -

Soft Chromatic g

8 vict - ed and sen - tenced to the cross.

Zygos E Diatonic C

8 Cre - a - tion suf - fers as it sees the

D C G

8 Lord on the Cross. O Lord, who

D

8 suf - fer for me in the na - ture of Your

C g

8 bod - y, glo - ry to You!

C

Idiomelon. Mode 2.

Στίχ. Ὁ δὲ Θεὸς βασιλεὺς ἡμῶν πρὸ αἰώνων, εἰργάσατο σωτηρίαν ἐν μέσῳ τῆς γῆς.

Verse: God is our King before the ages; He worked salvation in the midst of the earth. [SAAS]

Ἐπὶ ξύλου βλέπουσα, κρεμάμενον Χριστέ, σὲ τὸν πάντων Κτίστην καὶ Θεόν, ἡ σὲ ἀσπύρωσ τεκοῦσα, ἐβόα, πικρῶς· Γιέ μου, ποῦ τὸ κάλλος ἔδου τῆς μορφῆς σου; οὐ φέρω καθορᾶν σε, ἀδίκως σταυρούμενον· σπεῦσον οὖν ἀνάστηθι, ὅπως ἴδω κἀγώ, σοῦ τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν, τριήμερον ἐξανάστασιν.

O Christ God, the Creator of all, Your Mother, who without seed gave birth to You, saw You hanging on the Cross, and she cried out in anguish, “O my Son, where has the handsome sight of You set? I cannot bear to see You unjustly crucified. So, hurry and rise again, so that I may see Your resurrection from the dead on the third day.” [SD]

Δόξα.

Glory.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

Ἦχος πλ. δ΄.

Mode pl. 4.

Κύριε, ἀναβαίνοντός σου ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ, φόβος, καὶ τρόμος ἐπέπεσε τῇ Κτίσει· καὶ τὴν γῆν μὲν ἐκώλυες, καταπιεῖν τοὺς σταυροῦντάς σε, τῷ δὲ Ἄδῃ ἐπέτρεπες, ἀναπέμπειν τοὺς δεσμίους εἰς ἀναγέννησιν βροτῶν. Κριτὰ ζώντων καὶ νεκρῶν, ζῶν ἡλίθες παρασχεῖν, καὶ οὐ θάνατον. Φιλάνθρωπε δόξα σοι.

Lord, when You went up onto the Cross, fear and trembling fell on creation. You prevented the earth from swallowing those who crucified You, but You allowed Hades to send up its prisoners, for the rebirth of humanity. Judge of the living and the dead, You came to give life and not death. O benevolent Savior, glory to You! [SD]

Καὶ νῦν.

Both now.

Τοῦ Τριωδίου - - -

From Triodion - - -

Ἦχος πλ. δ΄.

Mode pl. 4.

Ἦδη βάπτεται κάλαμος ἀποφάσεως, παρὰ κριτῶν ἀδίκων, καὶ Ἰησοῦς δικάζεται, καὶ κατακρίνεται σταυρῷ, καὶ πάσχει ἡ Κτίσις, ἐν σταυρῷ καθορῶσα τὸν Κύριον. Ἄλλ’ ὁ φύσει σώματος δι’ ἐμὲ πάσχων, ἀγαθὲ Κύριε δόξα σοι.

And so the pen was dipped and the verdict was signed by unjust judges. And Jesus was convicted and sentenced to the cross. Creation suffers as it sees the Lord on the Cross. O Lord, who suffer for me in the nature of Your body, glory to You! [SD]

43. GOSPEL 12

Εὐαγγέλιον Δωδέκατον

GOSPEL 12

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

(The Faithful Stand)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy Gospel.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

Peace be with all.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

And with your spirit.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ματθαῖον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

The reading is from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ/ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

PRIEST/DEACON

Πρόσχωμεν.

Let us be attentive.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

κζ' 62-66

27:62-66

Τῇ ἐπαύριον, ἣτις ἐστὶ μετὰ τὴν παρασκευὴν, συνήχθησαν οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ Φαρισαῖοι πρὸς Πιλάτον λέγοντες· κύριε, ἐμνήσθημεν ὅτι ἐκεῖνος ὁ πλάνος εἶπεν ἔτι ζῶν, μετὰ τρεῖς ἡμέρας ἐγείρομαι. κέλευσον οὖν ἀσφαλισθῆναι τὸν τάφον ἕως τῆς τρίτης ἡμέρας, μήποτε ἐλθόντες οἱ μαθηταὶ αὐτοῦ νυκτὸς κλέψωσιν αὐτὸν καὶ εἴπωσι τῷ λαῷ, ἠγέρθη ἀπὸ τῶν νεκρῶν· καὶ ἔσται ἡ ἐσχάτη πλάνη χειρῶν τῆς πρώτης. ἔφη αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· ἔχετε κουστωδῖαν· ὑπάγετε ἀσφαλίσασθε ὡς οἴδατε. οἱ δὲ πορευθέντες ἠσφάλισαν τὸν τάφον σφραγίσαντες τὸν λίθον μετὰ τῆς κουστωδίας.

On the next day, that is, after the day of Preparation, the chief priests and the Pharisees gathered before Pilate and said, “Sir, we remember how that impostor said, ‘After three days I will rise again.’ Therefore order the sepulchre to be made secure until the third day, lest his disciples go and steal him away, and tell the people, ‘He has risen from the dead,’ and the last fraud will be worse than the first.” Pilate said to them,

“You have a guard of soldiers; go, make it as secure as you can.” So they went and made the sepulchre secure by sealing the stone and setting [RSV]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἄγαθὸν τὸ ἐξομολογεῖσθαι τῷ Κυρίῳ καὶ ψάλλειν τῷ ὀνόματί σου, Ὑψιστε· τοῦ ἀναγγέλλειν τῷ πρωῒ τὸ ἔλεός σου καὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου κατὰ νύκτα.

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. [SAAS]

44. TRISAGION PRAYERS.

Τρισάγιον.

Trisagion Prayers.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

READER

Ἅγιος ὁ Θεός, ἅγιος Ἰσχυρός, ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (3)

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

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

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

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.

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

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι. Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Glory to the 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 ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

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.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

By the prayers of the Holy Fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy on us.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

A. Apolytikion. Mode 4.

Ἀπολυτίκιον. Ἦχος δ'.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Apolytikion. Mode 4. *Vu=E*.

Soft Chromatic **E**

⁸ You ran-somed us from the curse of the Law by Your pre-cious

D

⁸ Blood. You were nailed to the Cross, and You were pierced with a

F G F G

⁸ spear, and You gushed forth im-mor - tal - i - ty for hu - man - i - ty. Our

E F G

⁸ Sav-ior, glo - ry to You!

Apolytikion. Mode 4.

Ἐξηγόρασας ἡμᾶς, ἐκ τῆς καταρας τοῦ νόμου, τῷ τιμίῳ σου Αἵματι, τῷ σταυρῷ προσηλωθεῖς, καὶ τῇ λόγχῃ κεντηθεῖς, τὴν ἀθανασίαν ἐπήγασας ἀνθρώποις. Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν δόξα σοι. (3)

You ransomed us from the curse of the Law by Your precious Blood. You were nailed to the Cross, and You were pierced with a spear, and You gushed forth immortality for humanity. Our Savior, glory to You! (3)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, δεόμενά σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ(μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)

CHOIR (after each petition)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.(3)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

DEACON

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

Again we pray for pious and Orthodox Christians.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν(δεῖνος).

Again we pray for our Archbishop (name).

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

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, ὑγείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως, συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν τῶν κατοικούντων καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ, τῶν ἐνοριτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιερωτῶν τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης.

Again we pray for mercy, life, peace, health, salvation, protection, forgiveness, and remission of the sins of the servants of God, all pious Orthodox Christians residing and visiting in this city: the parishioners, the members of the parish council, the stewards, and benefactors of this holy church.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀειμνήστων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας (ἢ τῆς ἁγίας μονῆς) ταύτης καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν προαναπαυσασμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς κειμένων καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ ὀρθοδόξων.

Again we pray for the blessed and ever-memorable founders of this holy church, and for all our fathers and brethren who have fallen asleep before us, who here have been piously laid to their rest, as well as the Orthodox everywhere.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ πανσέπτῳ ναῷ τούτῳ, κοπιώντων,

ψαλλόντων καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ περιστώτος λαοῦ, τοῦ ἀπεχδεχομένου τὸ παρὰ σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

Again we pray for those who bear fruit and do good works in this holy and all-venerable church, for those who labor and those who sing, and for the people here present who await Your great and rich mercy.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ἵτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόνητος Θεὸς ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

For You are merciful and benevolent God, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Σοφία.

Wisdom.

(Εὐλόγησον.)

(Father, bless!)

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

CHOIR

Ἀμήν.

Amen.

ΠΡΟΕΣΤΩΣ ἢ ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

HIERARCH or READER

Στερεώσαι Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς τὴν ἁγίαν καὶ ἀμώμητον πίστιν τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν σὺν τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ Μεγάλῃ Ἐκκλησίᾳ, τῇ ἱερᾷ ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπῇ, [τῇ ἱερᾷ Μητροπόλει ταύτῃ] καὶ τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ εἰς αἰῶνας αἰώνων.

The Lord God make firm the holy and pure faith of the pious Orthodox Christians, together with the Holy and Great Church of Christ, our Sacred Archdiocese, [this Sacred Metropolis,] and this city, to the ages of ages.

(Ἀμήν.)

(Amen.)

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

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.

B. Dismissal

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

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

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.(3)Εὐλόγησον.

Lord, have mercy. (3) Father, bless!

{ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ/DEACON}

Ὁ ἐμπτυσμούς καὶ μάστιγας καὶ κολαφισμούς καὶ σταυρὸν καὶ θάνατον ὑπομείνας διὰ τὴν τοῦ κόσμου σωτηρίαν· Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶνταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός· δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ· προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἁσωμάτων· ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ ἁγίου τοῦ ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης· καὶ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων· ἐλέησαι καὶ σώσαι ἡμᾶς ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος καὶ ἐλεήμων Θεός.

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

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

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

ΛΑΟΣ
PEOPLE
Ἀμήν.
Amen.