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Ἡ Παγκόσμιος Ὑψωσις τοῦ Τιμίου καὶ Ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ

## ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΧΡΥΣΟΣΤΟΜΟΥ

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένη ἡ Βασιλεία τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ ἢ ΕΙΡΗΝΙΚΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

## Books - Sources

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The Worldwide Elevation of the Holy and Life-giving Cross

## LITURGY OF ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

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### PRIEST

Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### THE LITANY OF PEACE OR GREAT LITANY

### DEACON

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Ἐπεὶ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων  
Χριστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπεὶ τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, πάσης  
πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν  
αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπεὶ τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν τῶν κατὰ  
τῆς νόσου τοῦ κορονοϊοῦ ἀγωνιζομένων,  
ιατρῶν, νοσηλευτῶν καὶ ἐπιστημόνων, τοῦ  
Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

For this city, and for every city and land,  
and for the faithful who live in them, let us  
pray to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

For our brethren, those who lead the  
fight against the coronavirus, the doctors, the  
medical workers and the scientists, let us pray  
to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Α΄

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὗ τὸ κράτος ἀνείκαστον  
καὶ ἡ δόξα ἀκατάληπτος, οὗ τὸ ἔλεος ἀμέτρητον καὶ  
ἡ φιlanθρωπία ἀφατος. Αὐτὸς Δέσποτα, κατὰ τὴν  
εὐσπλαχνίαν σου, ἐπίβλεψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν  
ἅγιον οἶκον τοῦτον καὶ ποιήσον μεθ' ἡμῶν, καὶ τῶν  
συνευχομένων ἡμῖν, πλούσια τὰ ἐλέη σου καὶ τοὺς  
οἰκτιρομύς σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. Ἦχος β΄. Ψαλμὸς 21.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ὁ Θεός, ὁ Θεός μου, πρόσχεε  
μοι· ἵνα τί ἐγκατέλιπές με;

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ,  
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Μακρὰν ἀπὸ τῆς σωτηρίας μου  
οἱ λόγοι τῶν παραπτωμάτων μου.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ,  
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Ὁ Θεός μου, κεκράξομαι  
ἡμέρας, καὶ οὐκ εἰσακούση.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ,  
σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

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

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE FIRST ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, Whose dominion is incomparable  
and glory incomprehensible; Whose mercy is  
immeasurable, and love for mankind ineffable: Look  
upon us and upon this holy house in Your loving-  
kindness, and grant to us and to those who pray with  
us Your abundant mercy and compassion.

**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

**CHOIR**

**Antiphon I. Mode 2. Psalm 21.**

**Verse 1:** O God, my God, hear me; why have  
You forsaken me? [SAAS]

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

**Verse 2:** The words of my transgressions are  
far from my salvation. [SAAS]

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

**Verse 3:** O my God, I will cry out by day,  
but You will not hear me. [SAAS]

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

**Στίχ. δ'.** *Σὺ δὲ ἐν ἀγίῳ κατοικεῖς, ὁ ἔπαινος τοῦ Ἰσραήλ.*

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

### ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

##### ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Β'

Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἀγίασον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι σὸν τὸ κράτος καὶ σοῦ ἐστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**Verse 4:** *But You dwell among the saints, O praise of Israel.* [SAAS]

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

Glory. Both now.

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

### THE SMALL LITANY

#### DEACON

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

#### PRIEST (in a low voice)

##### THE PRAYER OF THE SECOND ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Protect the fullness of Your Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house. Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and forsake us not who have set our hope in You.

#### PRIEST

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

(Amen.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀντίφωνον Β΄. Ἦχος β΄. Ψαλμὸς 73.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ἴνα τί, ὁ Θεός, ἀπόσω εἰς τέλος;

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ σαρκὶ σταυρωθεῖς, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Μνήσθητι τῆς συναγωγῆς σου, ἧς ἐκτίσω ἀπ' ἀρχῆς.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ σαρκὶ σταυρωθεῖς, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Ὅρος Σιών τοῦτο, ὃ κατεσκήνωσας ἐν αὐτῷ.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ σαρκὶ σταυρωθεῖς, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. δ΄.** Ὁ δὲ Θεὸς βασιλεὺς ἡμῶν· πρὸ αἰώνων εἰργάσατο σωτηρίαν ἐν μέσῳ τῆς γῆς.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ σαρκὶ σταυρωθεῖς, ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

*Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.*

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

Ὁ Μονογενὴς Υἱὸς καὶ Λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ, ἀθάνατος ὑπάρχων καὶ καταδεξάμενος διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν σαρκωθῆναι ἐκ τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, ἀτρέπτως ἐνανθρωπήσας, σταυρωθεῖς τε, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, εἰς ὧν τῆς Ἁγίας Τριάδος, συνδοξαζόμενος

**CHOIR**

**Antiphon II. Mode 2. Psalm 73.**

**Verse 1:** O God, why have You rejected us to the end? [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, who were crucified in the flesh. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

**Verse 2:** Remember Your congregation You acquired from the beginning. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, who were crucified in the flesh. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

**Verse 3:** This Mount Zion, where You encamped. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, who were crucified in the flesh. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

**Verse 4:** God is our King before the ages; He worked salvation in the midst of the earth. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, who were crucified in the flesh. We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

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

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

Only begotten Son and Logos of God, being immortal, You condescended for our salvation to take flesh from the holy Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary and, without change, became man. Christ, our God, You were crucified and conquered death by death. Being one of the Holy Trinity, glorified with the Father and the Holy Spirit: Save us. [GOA]

τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, σῶσον  
ἡμᾶς.

### ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

##### ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Γ'

Ὅ τὰς κοινὰς ταύτας καὶ συμφώνους ἡμῖν  
χαρισάμενος προσευχάς, ὁ καὶ δυοὶ καὶ τρισὶ  
συμφωνοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῷ ὀνόματί σου τὰς αἰτήσεις  
παρέχειν ἐπαγγειλάμενος. Αὐτός καὶ νῦν τῶν  
δούλων σου τὰ αἰτήματα πρὸς τὸ συμφέρον  
πλήρωσον, χορηγῶν ἡμῖν ἐν τῷ παρόντι αἰῶνι τὴν  
ἐπίγνωσιν τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας καὶ ἐν τῷ μέλλοντι  
ζωὴν αἰώνιον χαριζόμενος.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς  
ὑπάρχεις καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν,  
τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι,  
νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### THE SMALL LITANY

#### DEACON

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(To You, O Lord.)

#### PRIEST (in a low voice)

##### THE PRAYER OF THE THIRD ANTIPHON

Lord, You have granted us to offer these common  
prayers in unison and have promised that when two or  
three agree in Your name, You will grant their requests.  
Fulfill now, O Lord, the petitions of Your servants as  
may be of benefit to them, granting us in the present  
age the knowledge of Your truth, and in the age to  
come eternal life.

#### PRIEST

For You, O God, are good and love  
mankind, and to You we offer glory, to the  
Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,  
now and forever, and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)



## ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ἀντίφωνον Γ΄. Ἦχος α΄. Ψαλμὸς 98.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ὁ Κύριος ἐβασίλευσεν,  
ὀργιζέσθωσαν λαοί.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Κύριος ἐν Σιών μέγας καὶ  
ὕψηλός ἐστιν.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Ἐξομολογησάσθωσαν τῷ  
ὀνόματί σου τῷ μεγάλῳ.

**Ἀπολυτίκιον. Τοῦ Σταυροῦ. Ἦχος α΄.**

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

## ΜΙΚΡΑ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ καταστήσας  
ἐν οὐρανοῖς τάγματα καὶ στρατιάς Ἀγγέλων  
καὶ Ἀρχαγγέλων, εἰς λειτουργίαν τῆς σῆς δόξης,  
ποίησον σὺν τῇ εἰσόδῳ ἡμῶν εἴσοδον ἁγίων  
Ἀγγέλων γενέσθαι, συλλειτουργούντων ἡμῖν, καὶ  
συνδοξολογούντων τὴν σὴν ἀγαθότητα. Ὅτι πρέπει  
σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ  
τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς  
τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλόγησον Δέσποτα, τὴν ἁγίαν εἴσοδον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλογημένη ἡ εἴσοδος τῶν Ἁγίων σου, πάντοτε,  
νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Εἰσοδικόν. Ἦχος β΄.**

Ὑψοῦτε Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν καὶ  
προσκυνεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν

## CHOIR

**Antiphon III. Mode 1. Psalm 98.**

**Verse 1:** *The Lord reigns; let the peoples be  
angry.* [SAAS]

**Verse 2:** *The Lord is great in Zion, and He is  
exalted.* [SAAS]

**Verse 3:** *Let them give thanks to Your great  
name.* [SAAS]

**Apolytikion. For the Cross. Mode 1.**

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

## THE SMALL ENTRANCE

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE ENTRANCE PRAYER

Master, Lord our God, Who has established the  
orders and hosts of angels and archangels in heaven  
to minister to Your glory, grant that holy angels may  
enter with us, that together we may celebrate and  
glorify Your goodness. For to You belong all glory,  
honor, and worship, to the Father and to the Son and  
to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of  
ages.

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Master, bless the holy entrance.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Blessed be the entrance of Your holy ones always,  
now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise.

## CHOIR

**Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.**

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at  
the footstool of His feet; for He is holy. Save

αὐτοῦ, ὅτι ἅγιός ἐστι. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ,  
ὁ σαρκὶ σταυρωθεὶς,

ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Ἕμνοι μετὰ τὴν Μικρὰν Εἴσοδον**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Ἀπολυτίκιον. Τοῦ Σταυροῦ.**

**Ἦχος α΄.**

Σῶσον, Κύριε, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ  
εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, νίκας τοῖς  
βασιλεῦσι κατὰ βαρβάρων δωρούμενος,  
καὶ τὸ σὸν φυλάττων διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ σου  
πολίτευμα. (ἐκ γ΄)

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

**Κοντάκιον.**

**Ἦχος δ΄. Ἀυτόμελον.**

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

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Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

**ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ**

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ ἅγιος, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, ὁ  
τρισαγίῳ φωνῇ ὑπὸ τῶν Σεραφεῖμ ἀνυμνούμενος  
καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν Χερουβεὶμ δοξολογούμενος, καὶ ὑπὸ  
πάσης ἐπουρανοῦ δυνάμεως προσκυνούμενος  
ὁ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς τὸ εἶναι παραγαγὼν τὰ  
σύμπαντα ὁ κτίσας τὸν ἄνθρωπον κατ' εἰκόνα  
σὴν καὶ ὁμοίωσιν καὶ παντὶ σου χαρίσματι  
κατακοσμήσας, ὁ διδοὺς αἰτοῦντι σοφίαν καὶ  
σύνεσιν, καὶ μὴ παρορῶν ἀμαρτάνοντα, ἀλλὰ

us, O Son of God, who were crucified in the  
flesh. [SD]

We sing to You, Alleluia.

**Hymns After the Small Entrance.**

**CHOIR**

From Menaion ---

**Apolytikion. For the Cross.**

**Mode 1.**

Save, O Lord, Your people and bless Your  
inheritance, granting victory to the faithful  
over the enemy, and by Your Cross protecting  
Your commonwealth. (3) [GOA]

From Menaion ---

**Kontakion.**

**Mode 4. Automelon.**

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. [SD]

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

**THE PRAYER OF THE TRISAGION HYMN**

O Holy God, Who is resting among the holy  
ones, praised by the Seraphim with the thrice-holy  
voice, glorified by the Cherubim, and worshiped by  
every celestial power, You have brought all things  
into being out of nothing. You have created man  
according to Your image and likeness and adorned him  
with all the gifts of Your grace. You give wisdom and  
understanding to the one who asks, and You overlook  
not the sinner, but have set repentance as the way



Θέμενος ἐπὶ σωτηρία μετάνοιαν, ὁ καταξιώσας ἡμᾶς, τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἀναξίους δούλους σου, καὶ ἐν τῇ ὥρᾳ ταύτῃ στήναι κατενώπιον τῆς δόξης τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου, καὶ τὴν ὀφειλομένην σοι προσκύνησιν καὶ δοξολογίαν προσάγειν. Αὐτός, Δέσποτα, πρόσδεξαι καὶ ἐκ στόματος ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν τὸν Τρισάγιον ὕμνον καὶ ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί σου. Συγχώρησον ἡμῖν πᾶν πλημμέλημα, ἐκούσιόν τε καὶ ἀκούσιον, ἁγίασον ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς καὶ τὰ σώματα καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ὁσιότητι λατρεύειν σοι πάσας τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, πρεσβείαις τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτόκου, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι Ἅγιος εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ...

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...καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

### ΑΝΤΙ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ

Τὸν Σταυρόν σου προσκυνοῦμεν, Δέσποτα, καὶ τὴν ἁγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν δοξάζομεν. (ἐκ γ')

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

καὶ τὴν ἁγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν δοξάζομεν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Δύναμις.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κέλευσον, Δέσποτα.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εὐλόγησον, Δέσποτα, τὴν ἄνω καθέδραν.

of salvation. You have granted us, Your humble and unworthy servants, to stand even at this hour before the glory of Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to offer to You due worship and praise. Master, accept the Trisagion Hymn also from the lips of us sinners, and visit us in Your goodness. Forgive all our voluntary and involuntary transgressions, sanctify our souls and bodies, and grant that we may worship You in holiness all the days of our lives, through the intercessions of the holy Theotokos and of all the saints who have pleased You throughout the ages.

### PRIEST

For You, our God, are holy, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever,

### DEACON

And to the ages of ages.

### CHOIR

Amen.

### INSTEAD OF HOLY GOD

We venerate Your Cross, O Master, and we glorify Your Holy Resurrection. (3) [GOA]

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

And we glorify. Your Holy Resurrection.

### DEACON

Dynamis.

### DEACON (in a low voice)

Command, Master.

### PRIEST

Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord.

### DEACON

Master, bless the throne on high.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Δύναμις.**

Τὸν Σταυρόν σου προσκυνοῦμεν, Δέσποτα, καὶ τὴν ἀγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν δοξάζομεν.

**Τὰ Ἀναγνώσματα**

**Ὁ Ἀπόστολος**

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Προκείμενον. Ἦχος βαρῦς. Ψαλμὸς 98.

Ἵψοῦτε Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν καὶ προσκυνεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ, ὅτι ἅγιός ἐστι.

**Στίχ.** Ὁ Κύριος ἐβασίλευσεν, ὀργιζέσθωσαν λαοί· ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τῶν Χερουβίμ, σαλευθήτω ἡ γῆ.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Πρὸς Κορινθίους Α΄ Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

1Κορ 1:18-24

Ἀδελφοί, ὁ λόγος γὰρ ὁ τοῦ σταυροῦ τοῖς μὲν ἀπολλυμένοις μωρία ἐστίν, τοῖς δὲ σωζομένοις ἡμῖν δύναμις θεοῦ ἐστίν. Γέγραπται γάρ, Ἀπολῶ τὴν σοφίαν τῶν σοφῶν, καὶ τὴν σύνεσιν τῶν συνετῶν

**PRIEST**

Blessed are You upon the throne of the glory of Your kingdom, enthroned upon the Cherubim always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**CHOIR**

**Dynamis.**

We venerate Your Cross, O Master, and we glorify Your Holy Resurrection. [GOA]

**The Readings**

**The Epistle**

For the Feast.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**READER**

Prokeimenon. Grave Mode. Psalm 98.

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at the footstool of His feet; for He is holy. [SAAS]

**Verse:** *The Lord reigns; let the peoples be angry; the Lord sits upon the cherubim; let the earth be shaken.* [SAAS]

**DEACON**

Wisdom.

**READER**

The reading is from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**READER**

1 Cor. 1:18-24

Brethren, the word of the cross is folly to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. For it is written, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the cleverness of the clever I will

ἀθετήσω. Ποῦ σοφός; Ποῦ γραμματεὺς; Ποῦ συζητητῆς τοῦ αἰῶνος τούτου; Οὐχὶ ἐμώρανεν ὁ θεὸς τὴν σοφίαν τοῦ κόσμου τούτου; Ἐπειδὴ γὰρ ἐν τῇ σοφίᾳ τοῦ θεοῦ οὐκ ἔγνω ὁ κόσμος διὰ τῆς σοφίας τὸν θεόν, εὐδόκησεν ὁ θεὸς διὰ τῆς μωρίας τοῦ κηρύγματος σῶσαι τοὺς πιστεύοντας. Ἐπειδὴ καὶ Ἰουδαῖοι σημεῖον αἰτοῦσιν, καὶ Ἕλληνες σοφίαν ζητοῦσιν· ἡμεῖς δὲ κηρύσσομεν Χριστὸν ἐσταυρωμένον, Ἰουδαίοις μὲν σκάνδαλον, Ἕλλησιν δὲ μωρίαν· αὐτοῖς δὲ τοῖς κλητοῖς, Ἰουδαίοις τε καὶ Ἕλλησιν, Χριστὸν θεοῦ δύναμιν καὶ θεοῦ σοφίαν.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ ἀναγινώσκοντι.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἦχος α΄. Ψαλμὸς 73.**

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. α΄.** Μνήσθητι τῆς συναγωγῆς σου, ἧς ἐκτίσω ἀπ’ ἀρχῆς.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Ὁ δὲ Θεὸς βασιλεὺς ἡμῶν πρὸ αἰώνων· εἰργάσατο σωτηρίαν ἐν μέσῳ τῆς γῆς.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Ἐλλαμψον ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, φιλόστοργε Δέσποτα, τὸ τῆς σῆς θεογονίας ἀκήρατον φῶς, καὶ τοὺς τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν ὀφθαλμοὺς διάνοιξον εἰς τὴν τῶν εὐαγγελικῶν σου κηρυγμάτων κατανόησιν. Ἐνθεσ ἡμῖν καὶ τὸν τῶν μακαρίων σου ἐντολῶν φόβον, ἵνα τὰς σαρκικὰς ἐπιθυμίας πάσας καταπατήσαντες, πνευματικὴν πολιτείαν μετέλωμεν, πάντα τὰ πρὸς εὐαρέστησιν τὴν σὴν καὶ φρονούντες καὶ πράττοντες. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ φωτισμὸς τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν,

thwart." Where is the wise man? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, it pleased God through the folly of what we preach to save those who believe. For Jews demand signs and Greeks seek wisdom, but we preach Christ crucified, a stumbling block to Jews and folly to Gentiles, but to those who are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. [RSV]

#### PRIEST

Peace be with you.

#### CHOIR

**Alleluia. Mode 1. Psalm 73.**

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 1:** Remember Your congregation You acquired from the beginning. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 2:** God is our King before the ages; He worked salvation in the midst of the earth. [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

#### PRIEST (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

Shine in our hearts, O Master Who loves mankind, the pure light of Your divine knowledge, and open the eyes of our mind that we may comprehend the proclamations of Your Gospels. Instill in us also reverence for Your blessed commandments so that, having trampled down all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing all those things that are pleasing to You. For You, Christ our God, are the illumination of our souls and bodies, and to You we offer up glory, together with Your Father, Who is

Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

Τῆς Ἑορτῆς.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ακούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ειρήνην πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματι σου.)

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἰωα 19:6-11, 13-20, 25-28, 30

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, συμβούιον ἐποίησαν οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς καὶ οἱ ὑπηρέται, ἐκραύγασαν λέγοντες· σταύρωσον σταύρωσον αὐτόν. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλάτος· λάβετε αὐτόν ὑμεῖς καὶ σταυρώσατε· ἐγὼ γὰρ οὐχ 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 εἰσηλθεν 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 λαλεῖς; οὐκ οἶδας ὅτι ἐξουσίαν ἔχω σταυρῶσαί σε καὶ ἐξουσίαν ἔχω ἀπολύσαί σε; ἀπεκρίθη Ἰησοῦς· οὐκ εἶχες ἐξουσίαν

without beginning, and Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### The Gospel

For the Feast.

#### DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

#### PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

#### DEACON

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to John.

#### PRIEST

Let us be attentive.

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

#### DEACON

Jn. 19:6-11, 13-20, 25-28, 30

At that time, 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

οὐδεμίαν κατ' ἐμοῦ, εἰ μὴ ἦν σοι δεδομένον ἄνωθεν· διὰ τοῦτο ὁ παραδιδούς μέ σοι μείζονα ἁμαρτίαν ἔχει. ὁ οὖν Πιλαῶτος ἀκούσας τοῦτον τὸν λόγον ἤγαγεν ἔξω τὸν Ἰησοῦν, καὶ ἐκάθισεν ἐπὶ τοῦ βήματος εἰς τόπον λεγόμενον Λιθόστρωτον, ἑβραϊστὶ δὲ Γαββαθᾶ· ἦν δὲ παρασκευὴ τοῦ πάσχα, ὥρα δὲ ὡσεὶ ἕκτη· καὶ λέγει τοῖς Ἰουδαίοις· ἴδε ὁ βασιλεὺς ὑμῶν. οἱ δὲ ἐκραύγασαν ἄρον ἄρον, σταύρωσον αὐτόν. λέγει αὐτοῖς ὁ Πιλαῶτος· τὸν βασιλέα ὑμῶν σταυρώσω; ἀπεκρίθησαν οἱ ἀρχιερεῖς· οὐκ ἔχομεν βασιλέα εἰ μὴ Καίσαρα. τότε οὖν παρέδωκεν αὐτόν αὐτοῖς ἵνα σταυρωθῇ. Παρέλαβον δὲ τὸν Ἰησοῦν καὶ ἤγαγον· καὶ βαστάζων τὸν σταυρὸν αὐτοῦ ἐξῆλθεν εἰς τὸν λεγόμενον κρανίου τόπον, ὃς λέγεται ἑβραϊστὶ Γολγοθᾶ, ὅπου αὐτόν ἐσταύρωσαν, καὶ μετ' αὐτοῦ ἄλλους δύο ἐντεῦθεν καὶ ἐντεῦθεν, μέσον δὲ τὸν Ἰησοῦν. ἔγραψε δὲ καὶ τίτλον ὁ Πιλαῶτος καὶ ἔθηκεν ἐπὶ τοῦ σταυροῦ· ἦν δὲ γεγραμμένον· Ἰησοῦς ὁ Ναζωραῖος ὁ βασιλεὺς τῶν Ἰουδαίων. τοῦτον οὖν τὸν τίτλον πολλοὶ ἀνέγνωσαν τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ὅτι ἐγγὺς ἦν τῆς πόλεως ὁ τόπος ὅπου ἐσταυρώθη ὁ Ἰησοῦς· καὶ ἦν γεγραμμένον Ἑβραϊστὶ, Ἑλληνιστὶ, Ῥωμαϊστὶ. Οἱ μὲν οὖν στρατιῶται ταῦτα ἐποίησαν. εἰστήκεισαν δὲ 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 τετέλεσται,

greater sin." 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. So they took Jesus, and he went out, bearing his own cross, to the place called the place of a skull, which is called in Hebrew Golgotha. There they crucified him, and with him two others, one on either side, and Jesus between them. Pilate also wrote a title and put it on the cross; it read, "Jesus of Nazareth, the King of the Jews." Many of the Jews read this title, for the place where Jesus was crucified was near the city; and it was written in Hebrew, in Latin, and in Greek. But 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. Then when Jesus had received the vinegar, he said, "It is finished"; and he bowed his head and gave up his spirit. [RSV]

ἵνα τελειωθῇ ἡ γραφή, λέγει διψῶ. ὅτε οὖν ἔλαβε τὸ ὄξος ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπε, τετέλεσται, καὶ κλίνας τὴν κεφαλὴν παρέδωκε τὸ πνεῦμα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη σοι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

**ΤΟ ΚΗΡΥΓΜΑ**

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

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**PRIEST**

Peace be with you.

**CHOIR**

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

**THE SERMON**

*(According to ancient tradition, the sermon was delivered following the readings.)*

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*Οἱ ἀκόλουθοι λιτανίες συνήθως παραλείπονται.*

## Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΚΤΕΝΗΣ ΙΚΕΣΙΑ ἢ ΔΕΗΣΙΣ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Εἴπωμεν πάντες ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν εἴπωμεν.

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

Κύριε παντοκράτορ ὁ Θεὸς τῶν πατέρων ἡμῶν, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός Σου, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἱερέων, ἱερομονάχων, ἱεροδιακόνων καὶ μοναχῶν, καὶ πάσης τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ ἡμῶν ἀδελφότητος.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, υἰείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως, συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, τῶν κατοικούντων καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν τῇ (πόλει, κώμῃ), ταύτῃ, τῶν ἐνοριτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιερωτῶν τοῦ ἁγίου ναοῦ τούτου.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν προαναπαυσάμενων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς, κειμένων, καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ Ὁρθοδόξων.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ πανσέπτῳ ναῷ τούτῳ, κοπιώντων, ψαλλόντων καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ περιστῶτος λαοῦ, τοῦ ἀπεκδεχομένου τὸ παρὰ σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

*The following litanies are usually omitted.*

## THE LITANY OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION

### DEACON

*Let us all say with all our soul and with all our mind, let us all say.*

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

*Lord almighty, God of our fathers, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.*

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

*Again we pray for (episcopal rank) (name).*

*Again we pray for our brethren: the priests, the hieromonks, the hierodeacons, the monastics, and all our brotherhood in Christ.*

*Again we pray for mercy, life, peace, health, salvation, protection, forgiveness, and remission of the sins of the servants of God, all pious Orthodox Christians residing and visiting in this city: the parishioners, the members of the parish council, the stewards, and benefactors of this holy church.*

*Again we pray for the blessed and ever-memorable founders of this holy church, and for all our fathers and brethren who have fallen asleep before us, who here have been piously laid to their rest, as well as the Orthodox everywhere.*

*Again we pray for those who bear fruit and do good works in this holy and all-venerable church, for those who labor and those who sing, and for the people here present who await Your great and rich mercy.*

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΚΤΝΟΥΣ ΙΚΕΣΙΑΣ*

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, τὴν ἐκτενῆ ταύτην ἰκεσίαν πρόσδεξαι παρά τῶν σῶν δούλων καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς κατὰ τὸ πλήθος τοῦ ἐλέους σου, καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου κατὰπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν σου, ἀπεκδεχόμενον τὸ παρά σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΔΕΗΣΙΣ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΩΝ ΚΑΤΗΧΟΥΜΕΝΩΝ**

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Εὔξασθε οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Οἱ πιστοί, ὑπὲρ τῶν Κατηχουμένων δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἴνα ὁ Κύριος αὐτοὺς ἐλεήσῃ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Κατηχήσῃ αὐτοὺς τὸν λόγον τῆς ἀληθείας.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀποκαλύψῃ αὐτοῖς τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον τῆς δικαιοσύνης.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐνώσῃ αὐτοὺς τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ Καθολικῇ καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σῶσον, ἐλέησον, ἀντιλαβοῦ, καὶ διαφύλαξον αὐτούς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῇ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE PRAYER OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION*

Lord our God, accept this fervent supplication from Your servants, and have mercy on us in accordance with the abundance of Your mercy, and send down Your compassion upon us and upon all Your people who await Your great and rich mercy.

**PRIEST**

For You are a merciful God Who loves mankind, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE PRAYERS FOR THE CATECHUMENS**

**DEACON**

Catechumens, pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Let us, the faithful, pray for the catechumens.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That the Lord will have mercy on them.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will teach them the word of truth.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will reveal to them the gospel of righteousness.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will unite them to His holy, catholic, and apostolic Church.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Save them, have mercy on them, help them, and protect them, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τὰς κεφαλὰς ὑμῶν τῷ  
Κυρίῳ κλίνετε.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

#### ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΚΑΤΗΧΟΥΜΕΝΩΝ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ ἐν ὑψηλοῖς κατοικῶν, καὶ  
τὰ ταπεινὰ ἐφορῶν, ὁ διὰ τὴν σωτηρίαν τῷ γένει  
τῶν ἀνθρώπων ἐξαποστείλας, τὸν μονογενῆ σου  
Υἱὸν καὶ Θεόν, τὸν Κύριον ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν,  
ἐπίβλεψον ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου τοὺς Κατηχουμένους,  
τοὺς ὑποκεκλικότας σοι τὸν ἑαυτῶν ἀχένα, καὶ  
καταξίωσον αὐτούς, ἐν καιρῷ εὐθέτω, τοῦ λουτροῦ  
τῆς παλιγγενεσίας, τῆς ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ  
τοῦ ἐνδύματος τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἔνωσον αὐτούς τῇ  
ἀγία σου, Καθολικῇ καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ καὶ  
συγκαταρίθμησον αὐτούς τῇ ἐκλεκτῇ σου ποιμνῇ.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἴνα καὶ αὐτοὶ σὺν ἡμῖν δοξάζωσι τὸ  
πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου,  
τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου  
Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας  
τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὅσοι κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε.  
Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε. Ὅσοι  
κατηχούμενοι προέλθετε. Μὴ τις τῶν  
κατηχουμένων.

#### ΔΕΗΣΕΙΣ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ὅσοι πιστοί, ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ  
Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

*Catechumens, bow your heads to the Lord.*

*(To You, O Lord.)*

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

#### THE PRAYER FOR THE CATECHUMENS

*Lord our God, Who dwells on high and watches over  
the humble, You sent forth Your only-begotten Son and  
God, our Lord Jesus Christ, for the salvation of the human  
race. Look down upon Your servants, the catechumens, who  
have inclined their necks to You, and grant them at a proper  
time the baptism of rebirth, the remission of sins, and the  
garment of incorruption. Unite them to Your holy, catholic,  
and apostolic Church, and number them among Your chosen  
flock.*

### PRIEST

*So that with us they also may glorify Your  
most honorable and majestic name, of the Father  
and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and  
forever and to the ages of ages.*

*(Amen.)*

### DEACON

*Those who are catechumens, depart,  
catechumens depart, all those who are  
catechumens, depart. Let none of the catechumens  
remain.*

#### THE SUPPLICATION OF THE FAITHFUL

### DEACON

*Again and again, in peace, let all of us, the  
faithful, pray to the Lord.*

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

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

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

*Wisdom.*

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Α'*

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Κύριε, ὁ Θεός τῶν δυνάμεων, τῷ καταξιώσαντι ἡμᾶς παραστήναι καὶ νῦν τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ καὶ προσπεσεῖν τοῖς οἰκτιρμοῖς σου ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων. Πρόσδεξαι, ὁ Θεός, τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ποιήσον ἡμᾶς ἀξιόους γενέσθαι τοῦ προσφέρειν σοι δεήσεις καὶ ἰκεσίας καὶ θυσίας ἀναιμάκτους ὑπὲρ παντός τοῦ λαοῦ σου, καὶ ἰκάνωσον ἡμᾶς, οὓς ἔθου εἰς τὴν διακονίαν σου ταύτην, ἐν τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Πνεύματός σου τοῦ Ἁγίου, ἀκαταγνώστως καὶ ἀπροσκόπτως, ἐν καθαρῷ τῷ μαρτυρίῳ τῆς συνειδήσεως ἡμῶν, ἐπικαλεῖσθαί σε ἐν παντὶ καιρῷ καὶ τόπῳ, ἵνα εἰσακούων ἡμῶν, ἴλεως ἡμῖν εἴης, ἐν τῷ πλήθει τῆς σῆς ἀγαθότητος.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE FIRST PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL*

*We give thanks to You, O Lord God of Hosts, Who has made us worthy to stand even now before Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to fall down before You seeking Your compassion for our sins and those committed in ignorance by the people. Accept, O God, our supplication. Make us worthy to offer You prayers, supplications, and bloodless sacrifices for all Your people. By the power of Your Holy Spirit, make us, whom You have appointed to this, Your ministry, free of blame or stumbling and, with the witness of a clear conscience, able to call upon You at every time and in every place, so that, hearing us, You may be merciful to us in the abundance of Your goodness.*

**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)

**DEACON**

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Wisdom.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Β'

Πάλιν και πολλάκις σοι προσπίπτομεν και σοῦ δεόμεθα, ἀγαθὲ και φιλάνθρωπε, ὅπως, ἐπιβλέψας ἐπὶ τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, καθαρῶς ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς και τὰ σώματα ἀπὸ παντός μολυσμοῦ σαρκὸς και πνεύματος, και δώης ἡμῖν ἀνένοχον και ἀκατάκριτον τὴν παράστασιν τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου. Χάρισαι δέ, ὁ Θεός, και τοῖς συνευχομένοις ἡμῖν προκοπὴν βίου και πίστεως και συνέσεως πνευματικῆς, δὸς αὐτοῖς πάντοτε, μετὰ φόβου και ἀγάπης λατρεύειν σοι, ἀνενόχως και ἀκατακρίτως μετέχειν τῶν ἁγίων σου μυστηρίων, και τῆς ἐπουρανίου σου βασιλείας ἀξιωθῆναι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅπως ὑπὸ τοῦ κράτους σου πάντοτε φυλαττόμενοι, σοὶ δόξαν ἀναπέμπωμεν, τῷ Πατρὶ και τῷ Υἱῷ και τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν και ἀεὶ και εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Τὸ Χερουβικόν.**

Οἱ τὰ Χερουβεῖμ μυστικῶς εἰκονίζοντες, και τῇ ζωοποιῷ Τριάδι τὸν τρισάγιον ὕμνον προσάδοντες, παῖσαν νῦν βιοτικὴν ἀποθώμεθα μέριμναν. Ὡς τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὅλων ὑποδεξόμενοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΧΕΡΟΥΒΙΚΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Οὐδεὶς ἄξιος τῶν συνδεδεμένων ταῖς σαρκικαῖς ἐπιθυμίαις και ἡδοναῖς προσέρχεσθαι ἢ προσεγγίζειν, ἢ λειτουργεῖν σοι, Βασιλεῦ τῆς δόξης· τὸ γὰρ διακονεῖν σοι μέγα και φοβερόν, και αὐταῖς ταῖς ἐπουρανίαις δυνάμεσιν. Ἄλλ' ὁμως, διὰ τὴν ἄφατον και ἀμέτρητόν σου φιλάνθρωπίαν, ἀτρέπτως και ἀναλλοιώτως γέγονας ἄνθρωπος και ἀρχιερεὺς ἡμῶν ἐρημάτισας, και τῆς λειτουργικῆς ταύτης και ἀναιμάκτου θυσίας τὴν ἱερουργίαν παρέδωκας ἡμῖν, ὡς Δεσπότης τῶν ἀπάντων. Σὺ γὰρ μόνος, Κύριε ὁ Θεός ἡμῶν, δεσπότης

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE SECOND PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

Again and countless times we fall down before You, and we implore You, O Good One, Who loves mankind: That You, having regarded our prayer, may cleanse our souls and bodies from every defilement of flesh and spirit, and grant to us to stand before Your holy Altar of sacrifice, free of guilt and condemnation. Grant also, O God, to those who pray with us, progress in life, faith, and spiritual understanding. Grant that they always worship You with awe and love, partake of Your Holy Mysteries without guilt or condemnation, and be deemed worthy of Your celestial Kingdom.

**PRIEST**

That, ever guarded by Your might, we may ascribe glory to You, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE GREAT ENTRANCE**

**CHOIR**

**The Cherubic Hymn.**

Let us, who mystically represent the Cherubim and who sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-creating Trinity, now lay aside every worldly care. So that we may receive the King of all. [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE CHERUBIC HYMN

No one bound by carnal desires and pleasures is worthy to approach, draw near, or minister to You, the King of Glory. For to serve You is great and awesome even for the heavenly powers. Yet, because of Your ineffable and immeasurable love for mankind, You impassibly and immutably became man. You, as the Master of all, became our high priest and delivered unto us the sacred service of this liturgical sacrifice without the shedding of blood. Indeed, Lord our God, You alone reign over the celestial and the terrestrial; borne aloft on the cherubic throne, Lord

τῶν ἐπουρανίων καὶ τῶν ἐπιγείων, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου Χερουβικοῦ ἐποχούμενος, ὁ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ Κύριος, καὶ βασιλεύς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ, ὁ Μόνος Ἅγιος καὶ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαυόμενος, σὲ τοίνυν δυσωπῶ τὸν μόνον ἀγαθὸν καὶ εὐήκοον, ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμέ τὸν ἁμαρτωλὸν καὶ ἀχρεῖον δούλόν σου, καὶ καθάρισόν μου τὴν ψυχὴν καὶ τὴν καρδίαν ἀπὸ συνειδήσεως πονηρᾶς, καὶ ἰκάνωσόν με τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, ἐνδεδυμένον τὴν τῆς ἱερατείας χάριν, παραστῆναι τῇ ἀγία σου ταύτῃ τραπέζῃ καὶ ἱερουργῆσαι τὸ ἅγιον καὶ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα καὶ τὸ τίμιον Αἷμα. Σοὶ γὰρ προσέρχομαι, κλίνας τὸν ἑμαυτοῦ ἀχένα καὶ δέομαί σου, μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, μηδὲ ἀποδοκιμάσῃς με ἐκ παίδων σου, ἀλλ' ἀξίωσον προσενεχθῆναί σοι ὑπ' ἐμοῦ τοῦ ἁμαρτωλοῦ καὶ ἀναξίου δούλου σου τὰ δῶρα ταῦτα. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ προσφέρων καὶ προσφερόμενος καὶ προσδεχόμενος καὶ διαδιδόμενος, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων ἡμῶν μνησθεὶς Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ Αὐτοῦ, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ταῖς ἀγγελικαῖς ἀοράτως δορυφορούμενον τάξεσιν. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

### ΤΑ ΠΛΗΡΩΤΙΚΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προτεθέντων τιμίων Δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

of the Seraphim and King of Israel, the only holy and resting among the holy ones. I now beseech You, Who alone are good and inclined to hear: Look down upon me, Your sinful and unprofitable servant, and cleanse my soul and heart of a wicked conscience; and enable me, by the power of Your Holy Spirit, clothed with the grace of the priesthood, to stand before Your holy Table and celebrate the Mystery of Your holy and pure Body and Your precious Blood. I come before You with my head bowed, and I implore You: Turn not Your face away from me, nor reject me from among Your children, but make me, Your sinful and unworthy servant, worthy to offer these gifts to You. For You are the One Who both offers and is offered, the One Who is received and is distributed, O Christ our God, and to You we offer up glory, with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-holy and good and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### DEACON

May the Lord God remember all of us in His Kingdom always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

### CHOIR

Amen.

Who is invisibly escorted by the angelic hosts. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. [GOA]

### THE LITANY OF COMPLETION

### DEACON

Let us complete our prayer to the Lord.

### CHOIR

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)



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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχον, Κύριε.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

#### CHOIR

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

For pardon and remission of our sins and transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

That we may complete the remaining time of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΠΡΟΣΚΟΜΙΔΗΣ

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ὁ παντοκράτωρ, ὁ μόνος  
ἅγιος, ὁ δεχόμενος θυσίαν αἰνέσεως παρά τῶν  
ἐπικαλουμένων σε ἐν ὅλῃ καρδίᾳ, πρόσδεξαι καὶ  
ἡμῶν τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν τὴν δέησιν καὶ προσάγαγε  
τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, καὶ ικάνωσον ἡμᾶς  
προσενεγκεῖν σοι δῶρα τε καὶ θυσίας πνευματικὰς  
ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ  
λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων. Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς εὐρεῖν  
χάριν ἐνώπιόν σου, τοῦ γενέσθαι σοι εὐπρόσδεκτον  
τὴν θυσίαν ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐπισκηνῶσαι τὸ Πνεῦμα  
τῆς χάριτός σου τὸ ἀγαθὸν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ  
προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Διὰ τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου  
Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ Παναγίῳ  
καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν  
καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Αμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἀγαπήσωμεν ἀλλήλους, ἵνα ἐν ὁμονοίᾳ  
ὁμολογήσωμεν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Πατέρα, Υἱὸν καὶ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, Τριάδα  
ὁμοούσιον καὶ ἀχώριστον.

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

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

Lord God Almighty, You alone are holy. You  
accept the sacrifice of praise from those who call upon  
You with their whole heart, even so, accept from us  
sinners our supplication, and bring it to Your holy  
Altar of sacrifice. Enable us to offer You gifts and  
spiritual sacrifices for our own sins and the failings of  
Your people. Deem us worthy to find grace in Your  
sight, that our sacrifice may be well pleasing to You,  
and that the good Spirit of Your grace may rest upon  
us and upon these gifts presented and upon all Your  
people.

**PRIEST**

Through the mercies of Your only  
begotten Son, with Whom You are blessed,  
together with Your all-holy, good, and life-  
creating Spirit, now and forever and to the  
ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

**DEACON**

Let us love one another, that with oneness  
of mind we may confess:

**CHOIR**

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: Trinity, one  
in essence and undivided. [GOA]

*Ἡ, ἐν συλλειτουργῳ, τὸ ἐξῆς:*

Ἀγαπήσω σε, Κύριε, ἡ ἰσχὺς μου. Κύριος στρεῶμά μου καὶ καταφυγή μου καὶ ῥύστης μου.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς θύρας, τὰς θύρας. Ἐν σοφίᾳ πρόσχωμεν.

### ΛΑΟΣ

Πιστεύω εἰς ἓνα Θεόν, Πατέρα, Παντοκράτορα, ποιητὴν οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς, ὁρατῶν τε πάντων καὶ ἀοράτων. Καὶ εἰς ἓνα Κύριον Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν, τὸν Υἱὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ τὸν μονογενῆ, τὸν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα πρὸ πάντων τῶν αἰώνων· φῶς ἐκ φωτός, Θεὸν ἀληθινὸν ἐκ Θεοῦ ἀληθινοῦ, γεννηθέντα οὐ ποιηθέντα, ὁμοούσιον τῷ Πατρὶ, δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα ἐγένετο. Τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἀνθρώπους καὶ διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν κατελθόντα ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σαρκωθέντα ἐκ Πνεύματος Ἁγίου καὶ Μαρίας τῆς Παρθένου καὶ ἐνανθρωπήσαντα. Σταυρωθέντα τε ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου, καὶ παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα. Καὶ ἀναστάντα τῇ τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ κατὰ τὰς Γραφάς. Καὶ ἀνελθόντα εἰς τοὺς οὐρανοὺς καὶ καθεζόμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τοῦ Πατρὸς. Καὶ πάλιν ἐρχόμενον μετὰ δόξης κρῖναι ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, οὗ τῆς βασιλείας οὐκ ἔσται τέλος. Καὶ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἅγιον, τὸ Κύριον, τὸ ζωοποιόν, τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον, τὸ σὺν Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ συμπροσκυνούμενον καὶ συνδοξαζόμενον, τὸ λαλήσαν διὰ τῶν προφητῶν. Εἰς μίαν, Ἁγίαν, Καθολικὴν καὶ Ἀποστολικὴν Ἐκκλησίαν. Ὁμολογῶ ἓν βάπτισμα εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν. Προσδοκῶ ἀνάστασιν

*Or, for concelebrations:*

I will love You, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my foundation, my refuge, my deliverer.

[SAAS]

### DEACON

The doors! The doors! In wisdom, let us be attentive!

### PEOPLE

#### THE SYMBOL OF OUR FAITH

I believe in one God, Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father before all ages; Light of Light, true God of true God, begotten, not created, of one essence with the Father through Whom all things were made. Who for us men and for our salvation came down from heaven and was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became man. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate, and suffered and was buried; And He rose on the third day, according to the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father; And He will come again with glory to judge the living and dead. His kingdom shall have no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the Creator of life, Who proceeds from the Father, Who together with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, Who spoke through the prophets. In one, holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the age to come. Amen. [GOA]

νεκρῶν. Καὶ ζωὴν τοῦ μέλλοντος αἰῶνος.  
Ἀμήν.

### Ἡ ἉΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΦΟΡΑ

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Στῶμεν καλῶς, στῶμεν μετὰ φόβου,  
πρόσχωμεν, τὴν ἁγίαν ἀναφοράν, ἐν εἰρήνῃ  
προσφέρειν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐλεον εἰρήνης, θυσίαν αἰνέσεως.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἡ χάρις τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ  
Χριστοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀγάπη τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς  
καὶ ἡ κοινωνία τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος εἴη  
μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἄνω σχῶμεν τὰς καρδίας.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐχομεν πρὸς τὸν Κύριον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον σὲ ὑμνεῖν, σὲ εὐλογεῖν,  
σὲ αἰνεῖν, σοὶ εὐχαριστεῖν, σὲ προσκυνεῖν ἐν  
παντὶ τόπῳ τῆς δεσποτείας σου. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ Θεὸς  
ἀνέκφραστος, ἀπερινόητος, ἀόρατος, ἀκατάληπτος,  
ἀεὶ ὢν, ὡσαύτως ὢν, σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενὴς σου Υἱός,  
καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον. Σὺ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος  
εἰς τὸ εἶναι ἡμᾶς παρήγαγες, καὶ παραπεσόντας  
ἀνέστησας πάλιν καὶ οὐκ ἀπέστης πάντα ποιῶν, ἕως  
ἡμᾶς εἰς τὸν οὐρανὸν ἀνήγαγες, καὶ τὴν βασιλείαν  
σου, ἐχαρίσω τὴν μέλλουσαν. Ὑπὲρ τούτων  
ἀπάντων εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, καὶ τῷ μονογενεῖ σου  
Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ Ἁγίῳ. Ὑπὲρ πάντων,  
ὧν ἴσμεν, καὶ ὧν οὐκ ἴσμεν, τῶν φανερῶν καὶ

### THE HOLY ANAPHORA

#### DEACON

Let us stand aright! Let us stand in awe!  
Let us be attentive, that we may present the  
Holy Offering in peace.

#### CHOIR

A mercy of peace, a sacrifice of praise.

#### PRIEST

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God and Father, and the  
communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you  
all.

#### CHOIR

And with your spirit.

#### PRIEST

Let us lift up our hearts.

#### CHOIR

We lift them up to the Lord.

#### PRIEST

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

#### CHOIR

It is proper and right.

#### PRIEST (in a low voice)

It is proper and right to hymn You, to bless You, to  
praise You, to give thanks to You, and to worship You  
in every place of Your dominion. For You, O God, are  
ineffable, inconceivable, invisible, incomprehensible,  
existing forever, forever the same, You and Your only  
begotten Son and Your Holy Spirit. You brought us  
out of nothing into being, and when we had fallen  
away, You raised us up again. You left nothing undone  
until you had led us up to heaven and granted us Your  
Kingdom, which is to come. For all these things, we  
thank You and Your only begotten Son and Your Holy  
Spirit: for all things we know and do not know, for  
blessings manifest and hidden that have been bestowed

ἀφανῶν εὐεργεσιῶν, τῶν εἰς ἡμᾶς γεγεννημένων.  
Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι καὶ ὑπὲρ τῆς λειτουργίας ταύτης,  
ἦν ἐκ τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν δέξασθαι καταξίωσας,  
καίτοι σοι παρεστήκασι χιλιάδες Ἀρχαγγέλων καὶ  
μυριάδες Ἀγγέλων, τὰ Χερουβεὶμ καὶ τὰ Σεραφεὶμ,  
ἕξαπτέρυγα, πολυόμματα, μετάρσια, πτερωτά.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τὸν ἐπινίκιον ὕμνον ἄδοντα, βοῶντα,  
κεκραγότα, καὶ λέγοντα·

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἅγιος, ἅγιος, ἅγιος, Κύριος Σαβαώθ·  
πλήρης, ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ τῆς δόξης σου.  
Ὡσαννά, ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις· εὐλογημένος ὁ  
ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου. Ὡσαννά, ὁ ἐν  
τοῖς ὑψίστοις.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μετὰ τούτων καὶ ἡμεῖς τῶν μακαρίων  
δυνάμεων, Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε, βοῶμεν καὶ  
λέγομεν· Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ πανάγιος, σὺ καὶ ὁ μονογενὴς  
σου Υἱὸς καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον. Ἅγιος εἶ καὶ  
πανάγιος καὶ μεγαλοπρεπῆς ἡ δόξα σου. Ὅς τὸν  
κόσμον σου οὕτως ἠγάπησας, ὥστε τὸν Υἱόν σου τὸν  
μονογενῆ δοῦναι, ἵνα πᾶς ὁ πιστεύων εἰς αὐτὸν μὴ  
ἀπόλυται, ἀλλ' ἔχη ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ὅς ἐλθὼν καὶ  
πᾶσαν τὴν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν οἰκονομίαν πληρώσας, τῇ  
νυκτί, ἣ παρεδίδοτο, μᾶλλον δὲ ἑαυτὸν παρεδίδου  
ὑπὲρ τῆς τοῦ κόσμου ζωῆς, λαβὼν ἄρτον ἐν ταῖς  
ἀγίαις αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀχράντοις καὶ ἀμωμήτοις χερσίν,  
εὐχαριστήσας καὶ εὐλογήσας, ἀγίασας, κλάσας,  
ἔδωκε τοῖς ἀγίοις αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς καὶ Ἀποστόλοις,  
εἰπών·

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Λάβετε, φάγετε, τοῦτό μου ἐστὶ τὸ  
Σῶμα, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν κλώμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν  
ἁμαρτιῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ὁμοίως καὶ τὸ ποτήριον μετὰ τὸ δειπνῆσαι,  
λέγων·

on us. We thank You also for this Liturgy, which You  
have deigned to receive from our hands, even though  
thousands of archangels and tens of thousands of  
angels stand around You, the Cherubim and Seraphim,  
six-winged, many eyed, soaring aloft upon their wings,

**PRIEST**

Singing the triumphal hymn, exclaiming,  
proclaiming, and saying...

**CHOIR**

Holy, holy, holy, Lord Sabaoth, heaven  
and earth are filled with Your glory. Hosanna  
in the highest. Blessed is He Who comes in the  
name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Together with these blessed powers, Master, Who  
loves mankind, we also exclaim and say: Holy are You  
and most holy, You and Your onlybegotten Son and  
Your Holy Spirit. Holy are You and most holy, and  
sublime is Your glory. You so loved Your world that  
You gave Your only begotten Son so that everyone who  
believes in Him should not perish, but have eternal  
life. When He had come and fulfilled for our sake the  
entire plan of salvation, on the night in which He was  
delivered up, or rather when He delivered Himself  
up for the life of the world, He took bread in His holy,  
pure, and blameless hands, and, giving thanks and  
blessing, He hallowed and broke it, and gave it to His  
holy disciples and apostles, saying:

**PRIEST**

Take, eat, this is My Body, which is  
broken for you for the remission of sins.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Likewise, after partaking of the supper, He took  
the cup, saying,

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πίετε ἐξ αὐτοῦ πάντες, τοῦτό ἐστι τὸ Αἷμά μου, το τῆς Καινῆς Διαθήκης, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν καὶ πολλῶν ἐκχυνόμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μεμνημένοι τοίνυν τῆς σωτηρίου ταύτης ἐντολῆς, καὶ πάντων τῶν ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν γεγενημένων, τοῦ σταυροῦ, τοῦ τάφου, τῆς τριημέρου ἀναστάσεως, τῆς εἰς οὐρανοὺς ἀναβάσεως, τῆς ἐκ δεξιῶν καθέδρας, τῆς δευτέρας καὶ ἐνδόξου πάλιν παρουσίας,

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τὰ Σὰ ἐκ τῶν Σῶν, σοὶ προσφέρομεν κατὰ πάντα, καὶ διὰ πάντα.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Σὲ ὑμνοῦμεν, σὲ εὐλογοῦμεν, σοὶ εὐχαριστοῦμεν, Κύριε, καὶ δεόμεθά σου, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἐτι προσφερόμεν σοὶ τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην καὶ ἀναίμακτον λατρείαν, καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα, καὶ ἱκετεύομεν. Κατάπεμψον τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ προκείμενα δῶρα ταῦτα.

Καὶ ποιήσον τὸν μὲν ἄρτον τοῦτον, τίμιον Σῶμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἀμήν.)

Τὸ δὲ ἐν τῷ ποτηρίῳ τούτῳ, τίμιον Αἷμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου.

(Ἀμήν.)

Μεταβαλὼν τῷ Πνεύματί σου τῷ Ἁγίῳ.

(Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν.)

Ἵστε γενέσθαι τοῖς μεταλαμβάνουσιν εἰς νῆψιν ψυχῆς, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν, εἰς κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, εἰς Βασιλείας οὐρανῶν

**PRIEST**

Drink of this, all of you; this is My Blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the remission of sins.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Remembering, therefore, this saving commandment and all that has been done for our sake: the Cross, the tomb, the Resurrection on the third day, the Ascension into heaven, the enthronement at the right hand, and the second and glorious coming again.

**PRIEST**

Your own of Your own we offer to You, in all and for all.

**CHOIR**

We praise You, we bless You, we give thanks to You, and we pray to You, Lord our God. [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Once again we offer to You this spiritual worship without the shedding of blood, and we beseech and pray and entreat You: Send down Your Holy Spirit upon us and upon the gifts here presented,

And make this Bread the precious Body of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

And that which is in this Cup, the precious Blood of Your Christ.

(Amen.)

Changing them by Your Holy Spirit.

(Amen. Amen. Amen.)

So that they may be for those who partake of them for vigilance of soul, remission of sins, communion of Your Holy Spirit, fullness of the Kingdom of



πλήρωμα, εἰς παύσησιν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κριμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα. Ἐτι προσφερόμεν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν πίστει ἀναπαυσασμένων Προπατόρων, Πατέρων, Πατριαρχῶν, Προφητῶν, Αποστόλων, Κηρύκων, Εὐαγγελιστῶν, Μαρτύρων, Ὁμολογητῶν, Ἐγκρατευτῶν, Διδασκάλων, καὶ παντὸς πνεύματος δικαίου ἐν πίστει τετελειωμένου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐξαιρέτως τῆς Παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ὕμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.  
Ὦδὴ θ'. Ὁ Εἰμός.  
Ἦχος πλ. δ'.**

Μυστικὸς εἶ Θεοτόκε Παράδεισος, ἀγεωργήτως βλαστήσασα Χριστόν, ὑφ' οὗ τὸ τοῦ Σταυροῦ, ζωφόρον ἐν γῆ, πεφυτούργηται δένδρον· δι' οὗ νῦν ὑψουμένου, προσκυνοῦντες αὐτόν, σέ μεγαλύνομεν.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἰωάννου, προφήτου προδρομοῦ καὶ Βαπτιστοῦ, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Αποστόλων, (τοῦ ἁγίου τῆς ἡμέρας) οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν Ἁγίων, ὧν ταῖς ἰκεσίαις ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός. Καὶ μνήσθητι πάντων τῶν κεκοιμημένων, ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ἀναστάσεως, ζωῆς αἰωνίου [ᾧδε λέγονται τὰ ὀνόματα τῶν κεκοιμημένων] καὶ ἀνάπαυσον αὐτούς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὅπου ἐπισκοπεῖ τὸ φῶς τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ἐτι παρακαλοῦμέν σε, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πάσης ἐπισκοπῆς ὀρθοδόξων, τῶν ὀρθοτομούντων τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας, παντός τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας καὶ παντὸς ἱερατικοῦ καὶ μοναχικοῦ τάγματος. Ἐτι προσφερόμεν σοι τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ὑπὲρ τῆς οἰκουμένης, ὑπὲρ τῆς ἁγίας σου Καθολικῆς καὶ Ἀποστολικῆς Ἐκκλησίας, ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐν ἀγνείᾳ καὶ σεμνῇ πολιτείᾳ διαγόντων· ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀρχόντων καὶ τοῦ στρατοῦ ἡμῶν. Δὸς αὐτοῖς, Κύριε, εἰρηρικὸν τὸ Βασίλειον, ἵνα

Heaven, boldness before You, not for judgment or condemnation. Again, we offer You this spiritual worship for those who have reposed in the faith: forefathers, fathers, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, preachers, evangelists, martyrs, confessors, ascetics, and for every righteous spirit made perfect in faith,

### PRIEST

Especially for our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary.

### CHOIR

**Hymn to the Theotokos.  
Ode ix. Heirmos.  
Mode pl. 4.**

Theotokos, you are mystical Paradise, \* for without husbandry you have blossomed Christ, \* by whom on earth the Cross, as a life-bearing tree, has been planted and watered. \* As it is now exalted, \* we adore Him and worship Him and magnify you. [SD]

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

For Saint John the prophet, forerunner, and Baptist; for the holy, glorious, and most praiseworthy apostles; for Saint(s) (Name), whose memory we celebrate; and for all Your saints, through whose supplications, visit us, O God. And remember all who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection to life eternal (here the Priest commemorates by name those departed whom he wishes). Grant them rest, O our God, where the light of Your countenance keeps watch. Again we beseech You, Lord, remember all Orthodox bishops who rightly teach the word of Your truth, the presbyterate, the diaconate in Christ, and every priestly and monastic order. Again we offer You this spiritual worship for the whole world, for the holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, and for those living pure and reverent lives. For civil authorities and our armed forces, grant that they may govern in peace,

καὶ ἡμεῖς, ἐν τῇ γαλήνῃ αὐτῶν, ἤρεμον καὶ ἡσύχιον βίον διάγωμεν, ἐν πάσῃ εὐσεβείᾳ καὶ σεμνότητι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐν πρώτοις, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος). ὃν χάρισαι ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἐκκλησίαις ἐν εἰρήνῃ, σῶρον, ἔντιμον, ὑγιᾶ, μακροημερεύοντα, καὶ ὀρθοτομοῦντα τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Καὶ ὧν ἕκαστος κατὰ διάνοιαν ἔχει, καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, ἐν ἣ παροικοῦμεν καὶ πάσης πόλεως καὶ χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσοῦντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἐκκλησίαις καὶ μεμνημένων τῶν πενήτων, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου ἐξαπόστειλον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ἐνὶ στόματι καὶ μιᾷ καρδίᾳ, δοξάζειν καὶ ἀνυμνεῖν τὸ πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

Lord, so that in their tranquility we, too, may live calm and serene lives, in all piety and virtue.

**PRIEST**

Among the first remember, Lord, (episcopal rank) (name). grant him to Your holy churches in peace, safety, honor, and health, unto length of days, rightly teaching the word of Your truth.

**DEACON**

And remember those whom each one of us has in mind, and all the people.

**CHOIR**

And all the people.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Remember, Lord, this city in which we live, and every city and land, and the faithful who live in them. Remember, Lord, those who travel by land, sea, and air; the sick; the suffering; the captives; and their salvation. Remember those who bear fruit and do good works in Your holy churches and those who are mindful of the poor, and upon us all send forth Your mercies.

**PRIEST**

And grant that with one voice and one heart we may glorify and praise Your most honorable and majestic name, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

And the mercies of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προσκομισθέντων καὶ  
ἀγιασθέντων τιμίων δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὅπως ὁ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ἡμῶν,  
ὁ προσδεξάμενος αὐτὰ εἰς τὸ ἅγιον  
καὶ ὑπερουράνιον καὶ νοερόν αὐτοῦ  
θυσιαστήριον εἰς ὁσμὴν εὐωδίας  
πνευματικῆς, ἀντικαταπέμψη ἡμῖν τὴν  
θεῖαν Χάριν καὶ τὴν δωρεὰν τοῦ Ἁγίου  
Πνεύματος δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

*(Αἱ δεήσεις αὗται οὐχ ὑπῆρχον ἐξ ἀρχῆς εἰς τὸ  
σημεῖον τοῦτο· παρεισήχθησαν δὲ πιθανώτατα κατ’  
ἐπίδρασιν τῆς Θ. Λειτουργίας τῶν Προηγιασμένων.)*

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

## DEACON

Having commemorated all the saints,  
again and again, in peace, let us pray to the  
Lord.

## CHOIR

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented and  
consecrated, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That our God Who loves mankind, having  
accepted them at His holy and celestial and  
mystical altar as an offering of spiritual  
fragrance, may in return send down upon  
us the divine grace and the gift of the Holy  
Spirit, let us pray.

(Lord, have mercy.)

*(These petitions were not originally included. They  
were most probably added owing to the influence of the  
Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.)*

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

For pardon and remission of our sins and  
transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

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

(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)

Τὴν ἐνότητα τῆς πίστεως καὶ τὴν κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος αἰτησάμενοι, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

### **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Σοὶ παρακατατιθέμεθα τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν ἅπασαν καὶ τὴν ἐλπίδα, Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε, καὶ παρακαλοῦμέν σε καὶ δεόμεθα καὶ ἱκετεύομεν, καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς μεταλαβεῖν τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ φρικτῶν μυστηρίων ταύτης τῆς ἱερᾶς καὶ πνευματικῆς τραπέζης, μετὰ καθαρῶ συνειδότος, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν, εἰς συγχώρησιν πλημμελημάτων, εἰς Πνεύματος Ἁγίου κοινωνίαν, εἰς Βασιλείας οὐρανῶν κληρονομίαν, εἰς παρρησίαν τὴν πρὸς σέ, μὴ εἰς κριμα ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα.

### **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

### **ΛΑΟΣ**

#### **ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΗ**

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἁγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

That we may complete the remaining time of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the Lord.

(Grant this, O Lord.)

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

(Grant this, O Lord.)

Having asked for the unity of the faith and for the communion of the Holy Spirit, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

### **PRIEST** (in a low voice)

We entrust to You, loving Master, our whole life and hope, and we beseech, pray, and implore You: Grant us to partake of Your heavenly and awesome Mysteries from this sacred and spiritual table with a clear conscience for the remission of sins, the forgiveness of transgressions, the communion of the Holy Spirit, the inheritance of the Kingdom of Heaven, and boldness before You, not unto judgment or condemnation.

### **PRIEST**

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

### **PEOPLE**

#### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will

βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκῃς ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι σοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(*Ἀμήν.*)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(*Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.*)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνομεν.

(*Σοί, Κύριε.*)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (*χαμηλοφώνως*)

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Βασιλεῦ ἀόρατε, ὁ τῆ ἀμετρήτῳ σου δυνάμει τὰ πάντα δημιουργήσας καὶ τῷ πλήθει τοῦ ἐλέους σου ἐξ οὐκ ὄντων εἰς τὸ εἶναι τὰ πάντα παραγαγών. Αὐτὸς Δέσποτα, οὐρανόθεν ἔπιθε ἐπὶ τοὺς ὑποκεκλιότας τὰς ἑαυτῶν κεφαλὰς. Οὐ γὰρ ἔκλιναν σαρκὶ καὶ αἵματι, ἀλλὰ σοί, τῷ φοβερῷ Θεῷ. Σὺ οὖν, Δέσποτα, τὰ προκείμενα πᾶσιν ἡμῖν εἰς ἀγαθὸν ἐξομάλισον, κατὰ τὴν ἐκάστου ἰδίαν χρείαν, τοῖς πλέουσι σύμπλευσον, τοῖς ὁδοιποροῦσι συνόδευσον, τοὺς νοσοῦντας ἴασαι, ὁ ἰατρός τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Χάριτι καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιλανθρωπία τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλόγητός εἰ, σὺν τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(*Ἀμήν.*)

be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. [GOA]

**PRIEST**

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

(*Amen.*)

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

(*And with your spirit.*)

**DEACON**

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

(*To You, O Lord.*)

**PRIEST** (*in a low voice*)

We give thanks to You, invisible King, Who by Your boundless power fashioned the universe, and in the multitude of Your mercy brought all things from nothing into being. Look down from heaven, O Master, upon those who have bowed their heads before You, for they have not bowed before flesh and blood, but before You, the awesome God. Therefore, O Master, make smooth and beneficial for us all, whatever lies ahead, according to the need of each: Sail with those who sail, travel with those who travel, heal the sick, Physician of our souls and bodies.

**PRIEST**

Through the grace, compassion, and love for mankind of Your only begotten Son, with whom You are blessed, together with Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(*Amen.*)



**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Πρόσχες, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐξ ἁγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ ἀπὸ θρόνου δόξης τῆς Βασιλείας σου, καὶ ἐλθέ εἰς τὸ ἁγιάσαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ ἄνω τῷ Πατρὶ συγκαθήμενος καὶ ὧδε ἡμῖν ἀοράτως συνών. Καὶ καταξίωσον τῇ κραταιᾷ σου χειρὶ μεταδοῦναι ἡμῖν τοῦ ἀχράντου Σώματός σου καὶ τοῦ τιμίου Αἵματος καὶ δι' ἡμῶν παντὶ τῷ λαῷ.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τα Ἅγια τοῖς Ἁγίοις.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Εἷς ἅγιος, εἷς Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν.

**ΛΑΟΣ**

ΕΥΧΑΙ ΠΡΟ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΚΟΙΝΩΝΙΑΣ

Πιστεύω, Κύριε, καὶ ὁμολογῶ, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ἀληθῶς ὁ Χριστός, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος, ὁ ἐλθὼν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀμαρτωλοὺς σῶσαι, ὧν πρῶτός εἰμι ἐγώ. Ἔτι πιστεύω, ὅτι τοῦτο αὐτὸ ἐστὶ τὸ ἀχράντον Σῶμά σου καὶ τοῦτο αὐτὸ ἐστὶ τὸ τίμιον Αἶμά σου. Δέομαι οὖν σου· ἐλέησόν με καὶ συγχώρησόν μοι τὰ παραπτώματά μου, τὰ ἐκούσια καὶ τὰ ἀκούσια, τὰ ἐν λόγῳ, τὰ ἐν ἔργῳ, τὰ ἐν γνώσει καὶ ἀγνοίᾳ· καὶ ἀξιώσόν με ἀκατακρίτως μετασχεῖν τῶν ἀχράντων σου μυστηρίων, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

Ἰδοῦ, βαδίζω πρὸς θείαν Κοινωνίαν· Πλαστουργέ, μὴ φλέξης με τῇ μετουσίᾳ· Πῦρ γὰρ ὑπάρχεις τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγον. Ἄλλ' οὖν κάθαρον ἐκ πάσης με κηλίδος.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ

**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Hearken, O Lord Jesus Christ our God, from Your holy dwelling place and from the throne of glory of Your Kingdom, and come to sanctify us, You Who are enthroned with the Father on high and are present among us invisibly here. And with Your mighty hand, grant Communion of Your most pure Body and precious Blood to us, and through us to all the people.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**PRIEST**

The Holy Gifts for the holy people of God.

**CHOIR**

One is Holy, one is Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen. [GOA]

**PEOPLE**

PRAYERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

I believe and confess, Lord, that You are truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, Who came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the first. I also believe that this is truly Your pure Body and that this is truly Your precious Blood. Therefore, I pray to You, have mercy upon me, and forgive my transgressions, voluntary and involuntary, in word and deed, in knowledge or in ignorance. And make me worthy, without condemnation, to partake of Your pure Mysteries for the remission of sins and for eternal life. Amen.

Behold, I approach for Divine Communion. \* O Maker, burn me not as I partake, \* for You are fire consuming the unworthy. \* But cleanse me from every stain.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will



γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἶπω, οὐ φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ὁ Ἀηστής ὁμολογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

Θεουργὸν Αἷμα φρίζον, ἄνθρωπε βλέπων· Ἄνθραξ γὰρ ἐστὶ τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγων· Θεοῦ τὸ Σῶμα, καὶ θεοῖ με, καὶ τρέφει· Θεοῖ τὸ πνεῦμα, τὸν δὲ νοῦν τρέφει ξένως.

Ἐθελξας πόθῳ με Χριστέ, καὶ ἠλλοίωσας τῷ θείῳ σου ἔρωτι, ἀλλὰ κατάφλεξον, πυρὶ ἄλλω τὰς ἀμαρτίας μου, καὶ εμπλησθῆναι τῆς ἐν σοὶ τρυφῆς καταξίωσον, ἵνα τὰς δύο σκιρτῶν, μεγαλύνῳ ἀγαθὴ παρουσίας σου.

Ἐν ταῖς λαμπρότησι τῶν Ἁγίων σου, πῶς εἰσελεύσομαι ὁ ἀνάξιος; ἐὰν γὰρ τολμήσω συνεισελθεῖν εἰς τὸν νυμφῶνα, ὁ χιτῶν μὲ ἐλέγχει, ὅτι οὐκ ἔστι τοῦ γάμου, καὶ δέσμιος ἐκβαλοῦμαι ὑπὸ τῶν Ἀγγέλων. Καθάρισον, Κύριε, τὸν ῥύπον τῆς ψυχῆς μου, καὶ σῶσόν με ὡς φιλόανθρωπος.

Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ εἰς κριμὰ μοι γένοιτο τὰ ἅγια ταῦτα, διὰ τὸ ἀνάξιον εἶναί με, ἀλλ' εἰς κάθαρσιν καὶ ἁγιασμόν ψυχῆς τε καὶ σώματος, καὶ εἰς ἀρῶραβῶνα τῆς μελλούσης ζωῆς καὶ βασιλείας. Ἐμοὶ δὲ τὸ προσκολλᾶσθαι τῷ Θεῷ ἀγαθόν ἐστὶ, τίθεσθαι ἐν τῷ Κυρίῳ τὴν ἐλπίδα τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἶπω, οὐ φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ'

not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

Tremble, O man, as you behold the divine Blood. It is a burning coal that sears the unworthy. The Body of God both deifies and nourishes me: It deifies the spirit and wondrously nourishes the mind.

You have smitten me with yearning, O Christ, and by Your divine eros You have changed me. But burn up with spiritual fire my sins, and grant me to be filled with delight in You, so that, leaping for joy, I may magnify, O Good One, Your two comings.

How shall I, who am unworthy, enter into the splendor of Your saints? If I should dare to enter into the bridal chamber, my vesture will condemn me, since it is not a wedding garment; and being bound up, I shall be cast out by the angels. Cleanse, O Lord, the filth of my soul, and save me, as You are the one Who loves mankind.

Master Who loves mankind, Lord Jesus Christ, my God, let not these Holy Gifts be to my judgment because I am unworthy, but rather for the purification and sanctification of both soul and body and the pledge of the life and Kingdom to come. It is good for me to cleave unto God and to place in Him the hope of my salvation.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But

ὡς ὁ Ληστής ὁμολογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου  
Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Κοινωνικόν. Ψαλμὸς 4.**

Ἐσημειώθη ἐφ' ἡμᾶς τὸ φῶς τοῦ  
προσώπου σου, Κύριε. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Μετὰ φόβου Θεοῦ, πίστεως καὶ ἀγάπης  
προσέλθετε.

*Καὶ γίνεται ἡ μετάληψις τοῦ Λαοῦ. Λαμβάνει  
ὁ Τερεὺς ἀπὸ τῶν τοῦ Διακόνου χειρῶν τὸ ἅγιον  
Ποτήριον καὶ μεταδίδωσιν αὐτοῖς λέγων·*

Μεταλαμβάνει ὁ δούλος τοῦ Θεοῦ (Ὄνομα)  
Σῶμα καὶ Αἷμα Χριστοῦ, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ  
ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἵμνοι καθὼς μεταλαμβάνει ὁ λαός.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἵμνος μετὰ τὴν Θ. Κοινωνίαν.**

**Ἀντὶ τό· Εἶδομεν τὸ φῶς.**

**Ἦχος α'.**

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

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

*(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Ἀπόπλυνον, Κύριε, τὰ ἁμαρτήματα τῶν ἐνθάδε  
μνημονευθέντων δούλων σου τῷ Αἱματί σου τῷ  
ἀγίῳ· πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου καὶ πάντων σου τῶν  
Ἁγίων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἵψωσον, Δέσποτα.

like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me,  
Lord, in Your Kingdom.

**CHOIR**

**Communion Hymn. Psalm 4.**

O Lord, the light of Your face was  
stamped upon us. Alleluia. [SAAS]

**DEACON**

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

*And the people receive Holy Communion. The Priest  
receives the holy Chalice from the hands of the Deacon and  
begins communing the people, saying to each one:*

The servant of God (Name) partakes of the Body  
and Blood of Christ for the remission of sins and life  
eternal.

**CHOIR**

**Hymns During Holy Communion**

**PRIEST**

Save, O God, Your people, and bless Your  
inheritance.

**CHOIR**

**Hymn after Holy Communion.**

**Instead of "We have seen."**

**Mode 1.**

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

**PRIEST**

*(in a low voice)*

Wash away, Lord, by Your Holy Blood, the  
sins of Your servants here remembered through the  
intercessions of the Theotokos and all Your saints.  
Amen.

**DEACON**

Exalt, Master.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐψώθητι ἐπὶ τοὺς οὐρανοὺς ὁ Θεὸς καὶ ἐπὶ  
πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἢ δόξα σου.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς  
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

Πληρωθήτω τὸ στόμα ἡμῶν αἰνέσεως  
Κύριε, ὅπως ἀνυμνήσωμεν τὴν δόξαν σου,  
ὅτι ἠξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἁγίων σου μετασχεῖν  
μυστηρίων· τήρησον ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ σῶ  
ἁγιασμῷ, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν μελετῶντας τὴν  
δικαιοσύνην σου. Ἀλληλούϊα, ἀλληλούϊα,  
ἀλληλούϊα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ὁρθοί, μεταλαβόντες τῶν θείων, ἁγίων,  
ἀχράντων, ἀθανάτων, ἐπουρανίων καὶ  
ζωοποιῶν, φρικτῶν τοῦ Χριστοῦ μυστηρίων,  
ἀξίως εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

ἦ·

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν, τελείαν, ἁγίαν,  
εἰρηνικὴν καὶ ἀναμάρτητον αἰτησάμενοι,  
ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζῶν  
ἡμῶν, Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**PRIEST**

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens, and let  
Your glory be over all the earth.

Blessed is our God.

**PRIEST**

Always, now and forever and to the ages  
of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

Let our mouths be filled with Your  
praise, O Lord, that we may sing of Your  
glory, because You have made us worthy to  
partake of Your Holy Mysteries. Keep us in  
Your sanctification, that all day long we may  
meditate upon Your righteousness. Alleluia.  
Alleluia. Alleluia. <sup>[GOA]</sup>

**DEACON**

Arise! Having partaken of the divine,  
holy, pure, immortal, heavenly, life-creating,  
and awesome Mysteries of Christ, let us  
worthily give thanks to the Lord.

**CHOIR**

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

or:

(Lord, have mercy.)

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

(Lord, have mercy.)

Having prayed for a perfect, holy,  
peaceful, and sinless day, let us commend  
ourselves and one another and our whole life  
to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΗΡΙΟΣ ΕΥΧΗ

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Δέσποτα φιλόνητο, εὐεργέτα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, ὅτι καὶ τῇ παρουσίᾳ ἡμέρα κατηξίωσας ἡμᾶς τῶν ἐπουρανίων σου καὶ ἀθανάτων μυστηρίων. Ὁρθοτόμησον ἡμῶν τὴν ὁδόν, στήριξον πάντας ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ φόβῳ σου, φρούρησον ἡμῶν τὴν ζωὴν, ἀσφάλισαι ἡμῶν τὰ διαβήματα, εὐχαίς καὶ ἱκεσίαις τῆς ἐνδόξου Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, καὶ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ ἁγιασμὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ προέλθωμεν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

ΕΥΧΗ ΟΠΙΣΘΑΜΒΩΝΟΣ

Ὁ εὐλογῶν τοὺς εὐλογοῦντάς σε, Κύριε καὶ ἁγιάζων τοὺς ἐπὶ σοὶ πεποιθότας, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου. Τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς Ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἁγιάσον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ. Εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ σου δώρησαι, ταῖς Ἐκκλησίαις σου, τοῖς ἱερεῦσι, τοῖς ἄρχουσιν ἡμῶν, τῷ στρατῷ καὶ παντὶ τῷ λαῷ σου. Ὅτι πᾶσα δόσις ἀγαθὴ καὶ πᾶν δῶρημα τέλειον ἄνωθέν ἐστι καταβαῖνον ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Πατρὸς τῶν φώτων, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν καὶ εὐχαριστίαν καὶ προσκύνησιν ἀναπέμπομεν τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE THANKSGIVING PRAYER

We give thanks to You, Master Who loves mankind, benefactor of our souls, that even on this very day You have made us worthy of Your heavenly and immortal Mysteries. Make straight our path, fortify us in Your fear, guard our life, make secure our steps, through the prayers and supplications of the glorious Theotokos and ever virgin Mary and of all Your saints.

**PRIEST**

For You are our sanctification, and to You we give glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**PRIEST**

Let us go forth in peace.

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**PRIEST**

THE PRAYER BEHIND THE AMBON

O Lord, Who blesses those who bless You and sanctifies those who put their trust in You, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Protect the whole body of Your Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house. Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and forsake us not who have set our hope in You. Grant peace to Your world, to Your churches, to the clergy, to our civic leaders, to the armed forces, and to all Your people. For every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from You, the Father of lights. To You we give glory, thanksgiving, and worship, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

Ἄγιω Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἴη τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου εὐλογημένον ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος. (ἐκ γ')

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τὸ πλήρωμα τοῦ Νόμου καὶ τῶν Προφητῶν, αὐτὸς ὑπάρχων, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ πληρώσας πᾶσαν τὴν πατρικὴν οἰκονομίαν, πλήρωσον χαρᾶς καὶ εὐφροσύνης τὰς καρδίας ἡμῶν πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογία Κυρίου καὶ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἔλθοι ἐφ' ὑμᾶς, τῇ αὐτοῦ θεία χάριτι καὶ φιλανθρωπία πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρὸς, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, οὗ καὶ τὴν παγκόσμιον Ὑψωσιν ἐορτάζομεν· προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Ἀσωμάτων, ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδρομοῦ καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Ἁγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος.

(Amen.)

### CHOIR

Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this time forth and to the ages. (3) [GOA]

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Christ our God, You are the fulfillment of the Law and the Prophets. You have fulfilled the Father's entire plan of salvation. Fill our hearts with joy and gladness always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

### PRIEST

May the blessing and the mercy of the Lord come upon you by His divine grace and love for mankind, always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.

### PRIEST

May He who rose from the dead, 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 universal Elevation of which we are celebrating; the protection of the honorable, bodiless powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious, and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, for He is good and loves mankind.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Τὸν εὐλογοῦντα καὶ ἀγιάζοντα ἡμᾶς,  
Κύριε, φύλαττε εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

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

(Ἀμήν.)

**CHOIR**

Lord, protect for many years the one who  
blesses and sanctifies us. [GOA]

**PRIEST**

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

(Amen.)