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**ORTHROS (MATINS) SERVICE FOR  
THE SUNDAY OF THE HOLY FATHERS OF THE SEVENTH  
ECUMENICAL COUNCIL AND THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LUKE**  
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### SUNDAY OF HOLY FATHERS OF SEVENTH ECUMENICAL COUNCIL

PROPHET HOSEA; VENERABLE-MARTYR ANDREW OF CRETE

**Priest:** Blessed is our God, always, now and ever, and unto the ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

**Reader:** Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us. (*Thrice*)

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

All-holy Trinity, have mercy on us. Lord, cleanse us from our sins. Master, pardon our iniquities. Holy God, visit and heal our infirmities for Thy Name's sake.

Lord, have mercy. (*Thrice*)

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

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

**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 ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Reader:** Amen. O Lord, save Thy people and bless Thine inheritance, granting to Thy people victory over all their enemies, and by the power of Thy Cross preserving Thy commonwealth.

الكاهن: تَبَارَكَ اللهُ إِلَهُنَا كُلَّ حِينٍ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ.

الجوقة: آمين.

القارئ: قُدُّوسُ اللهُ، قُدُّوسُ الْقَوِيِّ، قُدُّوسُ الَّذِي لَا يَمُوتُ، اِرْحَمْنَا. (ثَلَاثًا)

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالابْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُّوسِ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمين.

أَيُّهَا الثَّلَاوِثُ الْقُدُّوسُ اِرْحَمْنَا، يَا رَبُّ اغْفِرْ خَطَايَانَا، يَا سَيِّدُ تَجَاوَزْ عَنَّا سَيِّئَاتِنَا، يَا قُدُّوسُ اطَّلِعْ وَاشْفِ أَمْرَاضَنَا، مِنْ أَجْلِ اسْمِكَ.

يَا رَبُّ اِرْحَمْ. (ثَلَاثًا)

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أَبَانَا الَّذِي فِي السَّمَاوَاتِ، لِيَتَقَدَّسَ اسْمُكَ، لِيَأْتِ مَلَكُوتُكَ، لِتَكُنْ مَشِيئَتُكَ كَمَا فِي السَّمَاءِ كَذَلِكَ عَلَى الْأَرْضِ، خُبِّرْنَا الْجَوْهَرِيِّ اعْطِنَا الْيَوْمَ، وَاتْرُكْ لَنَا مَا عَلَيْنَا كَمَا نَتْرُكُ لِمَنْ لَنَا عَلَيْهِ، وَلَا تُدْخِلْنَا فِي التَّجْرِبَةِ، لَكِنْ نَجِّنَا مِنَ الشَّرِّيرِ.

الكاهن: لِأَنَّ لَكَ الْمُلْكَ وَالْقُدْرَةَ وَالْمَجْدَ، أَيُّهَا الْآبُ وَالابْنُ وَالرُّوحُ الْقُدُّوسُ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ.

القارئ: آمين. خَلِّصْ يَا رَبُّ شَعْبَكَ وَبَارِكْ مِيراثَكَ، وَامْنَحْ عِبِيدَكَ الْمُؤْمِنِينَ الْعَلْبَةَ عَلَى الشَّرِّيرِ، وَاحْفَظْ بِقُوَّةِ صَلَيبِكَ جَمِيعَ الْمُخْتَصِّينَ بِكَ.

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

Do Thou, Who of Thine own good will was lifted up upon the Cross, O Christ our God, bestow Thy bounties upon the new Nation which is called by Thy Name; make glad in Thy might those who lawfully govern, that with them we may be led to victory over our adversaries, having in Thine aid a weapon of peace and a trophy invincible.

Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

O Champion dread, who cannot be put to confusion, despise not our petitions, O Good and All-praised Theotokos; establish the way of the Orthodox; save those who have been called upon to govern us, leading us to that victory which is from heaven, for thou art she who gavest birth to God, and alone art blessed.

### LITANY

**Priest:** Have mercy on us, O God, according to Thy great goodness, we pray Thee, hearken and have mercy.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy. (Thrice)

**Priest:** Again we pray for all pious and Orthodox Christians.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy. (Thrice)

**Priest:** Again we pray for our Father and Metropolitan \_\_\_\_\_, and for Bishop \_\_\_\_\_, and all our brethren in Christ.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy. (Thrice)

**Priest:** For Thou art a merciful God, and lovest mankind, and unto thee do we ascribe glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

المَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالابْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُسِ.

يَا مَنْ اِرْتَفَعْتَ عَلَى الصَّلِيبِ مُخْتَاراً، أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ الْإِلَهَ، ائْمَنْحْ رَأْفَتَكَ لِشَعْبِكَ الْجَدِيدِ الْمُسَمَّى بِكَ، وَفَرِّحْ بِقُوَّتِكَ حُكَّامَنَا الْمُؤْمِنِينَ، مَا نَحْنُ إِيَّاهُمْ الْعَلَبَةَ عَلَى مُحَارِبِيهِمْ. لِتَكُنْ لَهُمْ مَعُونَتَكَ سِلَاحاً لِلسَّلَامِ، وَظَفِراً غَيْرَ مَقْهُورٍ.

الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

أَيُّهَا الشَّفِيعَةُ الرَّهِيْبَةُ غَيْرُ الْمَخْذُولَةِ، يَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِ الْكَلِيَّةِ التَّسْبِيحِ، لَا تُعْرِضِي يَا صَالِحَةُ عَن تَوْسَلَاتِنَا، بَلْ وَطِّدِي سِيْرَةَ الْمُسْتَقِيْمِي الرَّأْيِ، وَخَلِّصِي الَّذِينَ أَمَرْتِ أَنْ يَتَمَلَّكُوا، وَأَمْنَحِيهِمُ الْعَلَبَةَ مِنَ السَّمَاءِ، بِمَا أَنَّكَ وُلِدْتِ الْإِلَهَ، أَيُّهَا الْمُبَارَكَةُ وَحَدَكِ.

الكاهن: اِرْحَمْنَا يَا اللَّهُ بِعَظِيمِ رَحْمَتِكَ، نَطْلُبُ إِلَيْكَ فَاسْتَجِبْ وَارْحَم.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ اِرْحَم. (ثلاثاً)

الكاهن: وَأَيْضاً نَطْلُبُ مِنْ أَجْلِ الْمَسِيحِيِّينَ الْحَسَنِي الْعِبَادَةِ الْأَرْثُوذُكْسِيِّينَ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ اِرْحَم. (ثلاثاً)

الكاهن: وَأَيْضاً نَطْلُبُ مِنْ أَجْلِ آبِينَا وَمِتْرُوبُولِيْتِنَا (فُلَان) وَرَبِّيْسِ كَهَنَتِنَا (فُلَان)، وَكُلِّ إِخْوَتِنَا فِي الْمَسِيحِ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ اِرْحَم. (ثلاثاً)

الكاهن: لِأَنَّكَ إِلَهٌ رَحِيمٌ وَمُحِبٌّ لِلْبَشَرِ، وَلَكَ نُزْسِلُ الْمَجْدَ أَيُّهَا الْآبُ وَالابْنُ وَالرُّوحُ الْقُدُسُ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَاهِرِينَ.

**Choir:** Amen. Bless, Father, in the Name of the Lord.

**Priest:** Glory to the Holy, Consubstantial, Life-giving and Undivided Trinity, always, now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, and good will toward men. (*Thrice*)

O Lord, open Thou my lips, and my mouth shall show forth Thy praise. (*Twice*)

**الجوقة:** آمين، بِاسْمِ الرَّبِّ بَارِكْ يَا أَب.

**الكاهن:** الْمَجْدُ لِلثَّالُوثِ الْقُدُّوسِ، الْمَتَسَاوِي فِي الْجَوْهَرِ، الْمُحْيِي، غَيْرِ الْمُتَقَسِّمِ، كُلَّ حِينٍ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ.

**الجوقة:** آمين.

الْمَجْدُ لِلَّهِ فِي الْعُلَى، وَعَلَى الْأَرْضِ السَّلَامُ، وَفِي النَّاسِ الْمَسْرَّة. (ثَلَاثًا)

يَا رَبُّ افْتَحْ شَفْتِي فَيُخْبِرَ فَمِي بِتَسْبِيحَتِكَ. (مَرَّتَيْنِ)

### PSALM 3

O Lord, why are they multiplied that afflict me? Many rise up against me. Many say unto my soul: There is no salvation for him in his God. But Thou, O Lord, art my helper, my glory, and the lifter up of my head. I cried unto the Lord with my voice, and He heard me out of His holy mountain. I laid me down and slept; I awoke, for the Lord will help me. I will not be afraid of ten thousands of people that set themselves against me round about. Arise, O Lord, save me, O my God, for Thou hast smitten all who without cause are mine enemies; the teeth of sinners hast Thou broken. Salvation is of the Lord, and Thy blessing is upon Thy people.

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

يَا رَبُّ لِمَاذَا كَثُرَ الَّذِينَ يُحْزِنُونَنِي؟ كَثِيرُونَ قَامُوا عَلَيَّ. كَثِيرُونَ يَقُولُونَ لِنَفْسِي لَا خَلَاصَ لَهُ بِاللَّهِ. وَأَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ، نَاصِرِي وَمَجْدِي وَرَافِعُ رَأْسِي. بِصَوْتِي إِلَى الرَّبِّ صَرَخْتُ، فَأَجَابَنِي مِنْ جَبَلِ قُدْسِهِ. أَنَا رَقَدْتُ وَنِمْتُ ثُمَّ قُمْتُ، لِأَنَّ الرَّبَّ يَنْصُرُنِي. فَلَا أَخَافُ مِنْ رِبَوَاتِ الشَّعْبِ الْمُحِيطِينَ بِي، الْمُتَوَازِرِينَ عَلَيَّ. قُمْ يَا رَبُّ، خَلِّصْنِي يَا إِلَهِي، فَإِنَّكَ ضَرَبْتَ كُلَّ مَنْ يُعَادِينِي بَاطِلًا، وَسَحَقْتَ أَسْنَانَ الْخَطَاةِ. لِلرَّبِّ الْخَلَاصُ وَعَلَى شَعْبِكَ بَرَكَاتُكَ.

أَنَا رَقَدْتُ وَنِمْتُ ثُمَّ قُمْتُ، لِأَنَّ الرَّبَّ يَنْصُرُنِي.

### PSALM 37

O Lord, rebuke me not in Thine anger, nor chasten me in Thy wrath. For Thine arrows are fastened in me, and Thou hast laid Thy hand heavily upon me. There is no healing in my flesh in the face of Thy wrath; and there is no peace in my bones in the face of my sins. For mine iniquities are risen higher than my head; as a heavy burden have they pressed heavily upon me. My bruises are

يَا رَبُّ، لَا بَغْضَبِكَ تُؤَبِّخْنِي، وَلَا بِرِجْزِكَ تُؤَدِّبْنِي. فَإِنَّ سِهَامَكَ قَدْ نَشَبَتْ فِيَّ، وَمَكَّنْتَ عَلَيَّ يَدَكَ. لَيْسَ لِجَسَدِي شِفَاءٌ مِنْ وَجْهِ غَضَبِكَ، وَلَا سَلَامَةٌ فِي عِظَامِي مِنْ وَجْهِ خَطَايَايَ. لِأَنَّ آثَامِي قَدْ تَعَالَتْ فَوْقَ رَأْسِي،

become noisome and corrupt in the face of my folly. I have been wretched and utterly bowed down until the end; all the day long I went with downcast face. For my loins are filled with mocking, and there is no healing in my flesh. I am afflicted and humbled exceedingly, I have roared from the groaning of my heart. O Lord, before Thee is all my desire, and my groaning is not hid from Thee. My heart is troubled, my strength hath failed me; and the light of mine eyes, even this is not with me. My friends and my neighbors drew nigh over against me and stood, and my nearest of kin stood afar off. And they that sought after my soul used violence; and they that sought evils for me spake vain things, and craftiness all the day long did they meditate. But as for me, like a deaf man I heard them not, and was as a speechless man that openeth not his mouth. And I became as a man that heareth not, and that hath in his mouth no reproofs. For in Thee have I hoped, O Lord; Thou wilt hearken unto me, O Lord my God. For I said: Let never mine enemies rejoice over me; yea, when my feet were shaken, those men spake boastful words against me. For I am ready for scourges, and my sorrow is continually before me. For I will declare mine iniquity, and I will take heed concerning my sin. But mine enemies live and are made stronger than I, and they that hated me unjustly are multiplied. They that render me evil for good slandered me, because I pursued goodness. Forsake me not, O Lord my God, depart not from me. Be attentive unto my help, O Lord of my salvation.

Forsake me not, O Lord my God, depart not from me. Be attentive unto my help, O Lord of my salvation.

كَحْمَلٍ ثَقِيلٍ قَدْ ثَقَلَتْ عَلَيَّ. قَدْ أَنْتَنَتْ وَقَاحَتْ  
جِرَاحَاتِي مِنْ قَبْلِ جَهَالَتِي. شَقِيتُ وَأُنْحَنَيْتُ إِلَى  
الْغَايَةِ، وَالنَّهَارَ كُلَّهُ مَشَيْتُ عَابِسًا. لِأَنَّ مَتْنِي  
قَدْ امْتَلَأَ مَهَازِرِي وَلَيْسَ لِجَسَدِي شِفَاءً. شَقِيتُ  
وَأَتَضَعْتُ جِدًّا، وَكُنْتُ أَيْنٌ مِنْ تَتَهَّدُ قَلْبِي. يَا  
رَبِّ، إِنَّ بُغْيَتِي كُلَّهَا أَمَامَكَ، وَتَتَهَّدِي لَمْ يَخْفَ  
عَنكَ. قَدْ اضْطَرَبَ قَلْبِي وَفَارَقْتَنِي قُوَّتِي، وَنُورُ  
عَيْنِي أَيْضًا لَمْ يَبْقَ مَعِي. أَصْدِقَائِي وَأَقْرِبَائِي  
دَنَوْا مِنِّي وَوَقَفُوا لَدَيْ، وَجَنَسِي وَقَفَ مِنِّي  
بَعِيدًا. وَأَجْهَدَنِي الَّذِينَ يَطْلُبُونَ نَفْسِي،  
وَالْمَلْتَمِسُونَ لِي الشَّرَّ تَكَلَّمُوا بِالْبَاطِلِ، وَغَشَوْشًا  
طُولَ النَّهَارِ دَرَسُوا. أَمَّا أَنَا فَكَأَصَمٌ لَا يَسْمَعُ،  
وَكَأَخْرَسٌ لَا يَفْتَحُ فَاهًا. وَصِرْتُ كَأِنْسَانٍ لَا  
يَسْمَعُ وَلَا فِي فَمِهِ تَبْكِيَةٌ. لِأَنِّي عَلَيْكَ، يَا رَبِّ،  
تَوَكَّلْتُ، أَنْتَ تَسْتَجِيبُ لِي يَا رَبِّي وَالْهِي. لِأَنِّي  
قُلْتُ لَا يَشْمَتُ بِي أَعْدَائِي، وَعِنْدَمَا زَلَّتْ قَدَمَايَ  
عَظَّمُوا عَلَيَّ الْكَلَامَ. لِأَنِّي أَنَا لِلضَّرْبِ مُسْتَعِدٌّ،  
وَوَجَعِي لَدَيْ فِي كُلِّ حِينٍ. لِأَنِّي أَنَا أُخْبِرُ  
بِإِثْمِي، وَأَهْتَمُّ مِنْ أَجْلِ خَطِيئَتِي. أَمَّا أَعْدَائِي  
فَأَحْيَاءُ، وَهُمْ أَشَدُّ مِنِّي، وَقَدْ كَثُرَ الَّذِينَ  
يُبْغِضُونَنِي ظُلْمًا، الَّذِينَ جَازَوْنِي بَدَلَ الْخَيْرِ  
شَرًّا، مَحَلُّوا بِي لِأَجْلِ ابْتِغَائِي الصَّلَاحَ. فَلَا  
تُهْمَلْنِي يَا رَبِّي وَالْهِي وَلَا تَتَّبَاعِدْ عَنِّي. أَسْرِعْ  
إِلَى مَعُونَتِي يَا رَبِّ خَلَّاصِي.

فَلَا تُهْمَلْنِي يَا رَبِّي وَالْهِي وَلَا تَتَّبَاعِدْ عَنِّي.  
أَسْرِعْ إِلَى مَعُونَتِي يَا رَبِّ خَلَّاصِي.

## PSALM 62

O God, my God, unto Thee I rise early at dawn. My soul hath thirsted for Thee; how often hath my flesh longed after Thee in a land barren and untrodden and unwatered. So in the sanctuary have I appeared before Thee to see Thy power and Thy glory. For Thy mercy is better than lives; my lips shall praise Thee. So shall I bless Thee in my life, and in Thy name will I lift up my hands. As with marrow and fatness let my soul be filled, and with lips rejoicing shall my mouth praise Thee. If I remembered Thee on my bed, at the dawn I meditated on Thee. For Thou art become my helper; in the shelter of Thy wings will I rejoice. My soul hath cleaved after Thee; Thy right hand hath been quick to help me. But as for these, in vain have they sought after my soul; they shall go into the nethermost parts of the earth, they shall be surrendered unto the edge of the sword; portions for foxes shall they be. But the king shall be glad in God, everyone shall be praised that sweareth by Him; for the mouth of them is stopped that speak unjust things.

At the dawn I meditated on Thee. For Thou art become my helper; in the shelter of Thy wings will I rejoice. My soul hath cleaved after Thee; Thy right hand hath been quick to help me.

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

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. Glory to Thee, O God. (Thrice)

Lord, have mercy. (Thrice)

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

يا الله إلهي إليك أبتكر. عطِشْتُ إِلَيْكَ نَفْسِي،  
وَأَشْتاقُ إِلَيْكَ جَسَدِي، فِي أَرْضٍ بَرِّيَّةٍ وَغَيْرِ  
مَسْلُوكَةٍ وَعَادِمَةِ الْمَاءِ. هَكَذَا ظَهَرْتُ لَكَ فِي  
الْقُدْسِ لِأَعْيُنِ قُوَّتِكَ وَمَجْدِكَ. لِأَنَّ رَحْمَتَكَ  
أَفْضَلُ مِنَ الْحَيَاةِ، وَشَفَتِي تُسَبِّحَانِكَ. هَكَذَا  
أُبَارِكُكَ فِي حَيَاتِي وَبِاسْمِكَ أَرْفَعُ يَدَيَّ، فَتَمْتَلِئُ  
نَفْسِي كَمَا مِنْ شَحْمٍ وَدَسَمٍ، وَبِشِفَاهِ الْإِبْتِهَاجِ  
يُسَبِّحُكَ فَمِي. إِذَا ذَكَرْتُكَ عَلَى فِرَاشِي، هَدَدْتُ  
بِكَ فِي الْأَسْحَارِ، لِأَنَّكَ صِرْتَ لِي عَوْنًا وَبِظِلِّ  
جَنَاحَيْكَ أَسْتَتِرُ. اِلْتَصَقْتُ نَفْسِي بِكَ، وَإِيَّايَ  
عَصَدْتُ يَمِينُكَ. أَمَّا الَّذِينَ يَطْلُبُونَ نَفْسِي  
بِاطِلًا، فَسَيَذْخُلُونَ فِي أَسَافِلِ الْأَرْضِ، وَيُدْفَعُونَ  
إِلَى أَيْدِي السُّيُوفِ، وَيَكُونُونَ أَنْصَبَةً لِلتَّعَالِبِ.  
أَمَّا الْمَلِكُ فَيَسْرُ بِاللَّهِ، وَيُمْتَدِّحُ كُلُّ مَنْ يَخْلِفُ  
بِهِ، لِأَنَّهُ قَدْ سَدَّتْ أَفْوَاهُ الْمُتَكَلِّمِينَ بِالظُّلْمِ.

هَدَدْتُ بِكَ فِي الْأَسْحَارِ لِأَنَّكَ صِرْتَ لِي عَوْنًا،  
وَبِظِلِّ جَنَاحَيْكَ أَسْتَتِرُ. اِلْتَصَقْتُ نَفْسِي بِكَ،  
وَإِيَّايَ عَصَدْتُ يَمِينُكَ.

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالْإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ. الْآنَ وَكُلَّ  
أَوَانٍ، وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

هَلْلُوِيَا، هَلْلُوِيَا، هَلْلُوِيَا، الْمَجْدُ لَكَ يَا اللَّهُ.  
(ثَلَاثًا)

يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنَا. (ثَلَاثًا)

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالْإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ.

## PSALM 87

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages.  
Amen.*

O Lord God of my salvation, by day have I cried and by night before Thee. Let my prayer come before Thee, bow down Thine ear unto my supplication, for filled with evils is my soul, and my life unto Hades hath drawn nigh. I am counted with them that go down into the pit; I am become as a man without help, free among the dead, like the bodies of the slain that sleep in the grave, whom Thou rememberest no more, and they are cut off from Thy hand. They laid me in the lowest pit, in darkness and in the shadow of death. Against me is Thine anger made strong, and all Thy billows hast Thou brought upon me. Thou hast removed my friends afar from me; they have made me an abomination unto themselves. I have been delivered up, and have not come forth; mine eyes are grown weak from poverty. I have cried unto Thee, O Lord, the whole day long; I have stretched out my hands unto Thee. Nay, for the dead wilt Thou work wonders? Or shall physicians raise them up that they may give thanks unto Thee? Nay, shall any in the grave tell of Thy mercy, and of Thy truth in that destruction? Nay, shall Thy wonders be known in that darkness, and Thy righteousness in that land that is forgotten? But as for me, unto Thee, O Lord, have I cried; and in the morning shall my prayer come before Thee. Wherefore, O Lord, dost Thou cast off my soul and turnest Thy face away from me? A poor man am I, and in troubles from my youth; yea, having been exalted, I was humbled and brought to distress. Thy furies have passed upon me, and Thy terrors have sorely troubled me. They came round about me like water, all the day long they compassed me about together. Thou hast removed afar from me friend and neighbor, and mine acquaintances because of my misery.

الآن وكلّ أوانٍ، وإلى دهرِ الداهرين. آمين.

يا ربّ إله خلاصي، في النهارِ صرختُ وفي الليلِ أمامك، فلتدخلْ قدامك صلاتي، أمّنْ أذنك إلى طلّبتّي، فقد امتلأت من الشرورِ نفسي، ودنت من الجحيمِ حياتي. حُسبت مع المنحدرين في الجبّ، صرتُ مثل إنسانٍ ليس له معينٌ، مطروحًا بين الأمواتِ مثل القتلَى الراقدين في القُبورِ، الذين لا تذكرهم أيضًا، وهم من يدك مقصون. جعلوني في جبّ أسفل السّافلين، في ظلماتِ الموتِ وظلاله. عليّ استقرّ غضبك، وجميع أهوالك أجزتها عليّ. أبعدت عني معارفي، جعلوني لهم رجاسةً. قد أسلمت وما خرّجت، وعيناي ضعفتا من المسكنة. صرختُ إليك، يا ربّ، النهارَ كلّهُ وإليك بسطت يدي. ألعك للأمواتِ تصنع العجائب؟ أم الأطباءِ يقيمونهم، فيعترفون لك؟ هل يحدث أحد في القبرِ برحمتك، وفي الهلاكِ بحقك؟ هل تُعرف في الظلمةِ عجائبك، وعدلك في أرضٍ منسيّة؟ وأنا إليك، يا ربّ، صرختُ فتبلّغك في الغداةِ صلاتي. لماذا، يا ربّ، تُقصي نفسي وتصرف وجهك عني؟ فقيرٌ أنا، وفي الشقاءِ منذُ شبابي، وحين ارتفعت اتضعت وتحيّرت. عليّ جاز رجزك، ومفزعائك أزعجتني. أحاطت بي كالماءِ، والنهارَ كلّهُ اكتنفتني معًا. أبعدت عني الصديقَ والقريبَ ومعارفي من الشقاءِ.

O Lord God of my salvation, by day have I cried and by night before Thee. Let my prayer come before Thee, bow down Thine ear unto my supplication.

يا رَبِّ إِلَهَ خَلَّاصِي، فِي النَّهَارِ صَرَخْتُ وَفِي اللَّيْلِ أَمَامَكَ، فَلْتَدْخُلْ قُدَّامَكَ صَلَاتِي، أَمِنْ أُنْذَكَ إِلَى طَلِبَتِي.

### PSALM 102

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me bless His holy name. Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all that He hath done for thee, Who is gracious unto all thine iniquities, Who healeth all thine infirmities, Who redeemeth thy life from corruption, Who crowneth thee with mercy and compassion, Who fulfilleth thy desire with good things; thy youth shall be renewed as the eagle's. The Lord performeth deeds of mercy, and executeth judgment for all them that are wronged. He hath made His ways known unto Moses, unto the sons of Israel the things that He hath willed. Compassionate and merciful is the Lord, long-suffering and plenteous in mercy; not unto the end will He be angered; neither unto eternity will He be wroth. Not according to our iniquities hath He dealt with us, neither according to our sins hath He rewarded us. For according to the height of heaven from the earth, the Lord hath made His mercy to prevail over them that fear Him. As far as the east is from the west, so far hath He removed our iniquities from us. Like as a father hath compassion upon his sons, so hath the Lord had compassion upon them that fear Him; for He knoweth whereof we are made, He hath remembered that we are dust. As for man, his days are as the grass; as a flower of the field, so shall he blossom forth. For when the wind is passed over it, then it shall be gone, and no longer will it know the place thereof. But the mercy of the Lord is from eternity, even unto eternity, upon them that fear Him. And His righteousness is upon sons of sons, upon them that keep His testament and remember

بَارِكِي يَا نَفْسِي الرَّبَّ، وَيَا جَمِيعَ مَا فِي دَاخِلِي اسْمَهُ الْقُدُّوسِ. بَارِكِي يَا نَفْسِي الرَّبَّ، وَلَا تَنْسِي جَمِيعَ مُكَافَأَاتِهِ. الَّذِي يَغْفِرُ جَمِيعَ آثَامِكَ، الَّذِي يَشْفِي جَمِيعَ أَمْرَاضِكَ، الَّذِي يُنَجِّي مِنَ الْفَسَادِ حَيَاتِكَ، الَّذِي يُكَلِّلُكَ بِالرَّحْمَةِ وَالرَّأْفَةِ، الَّذِي يُشْبِعُ بِالْخَيْرَاتِ شَهْوَاتِكَ، فَيَتَجَدَّدُ كَالنَّسْرِ شَبَابُكَ. الرَّبُّ صَانِعُ الرَّحْمَاتِ وَالْقَضَاءِ لِجَمِيعِ الْمَظْلُومِينَ. عَرَفَ مُوسَى طُرُقَهُ، وَبَنِي إِسْرَائِيلَ مَشِيئَاتِهِ. الرَّبُّ رَحِيمٌ وَرَوْوْفٌ، طَوِيلُ الْأَنَاءَةِ وَكَثِيرُ الرَّحْمَةِ، لَيْسَ إِلَى الْإِنْقِضَاءِ يَسْخَطُ، وَلَا إِلَى الدَّهْرِ يَحْقِدُ. لَا عَلَى حَسَبِ آثَامِنَا صَنَعَ مَعَنَا، وَلَا عَلَى حَسَبِ خَطَايَانَا جَازَانَا. لِأَنَّهُ بِمِقْدَارِ اِرْتِفَاعِ السَّمَاءِ عَنِ الْأَرْضِ، قَوَى الرَّبُّ رَحْمَتَهُ عَلَى الَّذِينَ يَتَّقُونَهُ، وَبِمِقْدَارِ بُعْدِ الْمَشْرِقِ مِنَ الْمَغْرِبِ أَبْعَدَ عَنَّا سَيِّئَاتِنَا. كَمَا يَبْرَأُ الْأَبُ بِالْبَنِينَ، يَبْرَأُ الرَّبُّ بِخَائِفِيهِ، لِأَنَّهُ عَرَفَ جَبَلَتَنَا وَدَكَرَ أَنَّنَا تُرَابٌ نَحْنُ. الْإِنْسَانُ كَالْعُشْبِ أَيَّامُهُ وَكَزَهْرِ الْحَقْلِ كَذَلِكَ يُزْهَرُ، لِأَنَّهُ إِذَا هَبَّتْ فِيهِ الرِّيحُ لَيْسَ يَثْبُتُ وَلَا يُعْرَفُ أَيْضًا مَوْضِعُهُ. أَمَّا رَحْمَةُ الرَّبِّ فَهِيَ مُنْذُ الدَّهْرِ، وَإِلَى الدَّهْرِ عَلَى الَّذِينَ يَتَّقُونَهُ، وَعَدْلُهُ عَلَى أَبْنَاءِ الْبَنِينَ الْحَافِظِينَ عَهْدَهُ وَالذَّاكِرِينَ وَصَايَاهُ لِيَصْنَعُوهَا. الرَّبُّ هَيَّا عَرْشَهُ فِي السَّمَاءِ، وَمَمْلَكَتُهُ تَسْوَدُ عَلَى الْجَمِيعِ. بَارِكُوا الرَّبَّ يَا جَمِيعَ مَلَائِكَتِهِ،



His commandments to do them. The Lord in heaven hath prepared His throne, and His kingdom ruleth over all. Bless the Lord, all ye His angels, mighty in strength, that perform His word, to hear the voice of His words. Bless the Lord, all ye His hosts, His ministers that do His will. Bless the Lord, all ye His works, in every place of His dominion. Bless the Lord, O my soul. In every place of His dominion, bless the Lord, O my soul.

### PSALM 142

O Lord, hear my prayer, give ear unto my supplication in Thy truth; hearken unto me in Thy righteousness. And enter not into judgment with Thy servant, for in Thy sight shall no man living be justified. For the enemy hath persecuted my soul; he hath humbled my life down to the earth. He hath sat me in darkness as those that have been long dead, and my spirit within me is become despondent; within me my heart is troubled. I remembered days of old, I meditated on all Thy works, I pondered on the creations of Thy hands. I stretched forth my hands unto Thee; my soul thirsteth after Thee like a waterless land. Quickly hear me, O Lord; my spirit hath fainted away. Turn not Thy face away from me, lest I be like unto them that go down into the pit. Cause me to hear Thy mercy in the morning; for in Thee have I put my hope. Cause me to know, O Lord, the way wherein I should walk; for unto Thee have I lifted up my soul. Rescue me from mine enemies, O Lord; unto Thee have I fled for refuge. Teach me to do Thy will, for Thou art my God. Thy good Spirit shall lead me in the land of uprightness; for Thy name's sake, O Lord, shalt Thou quicken me. In Thy righteousness shalt Thou bring my soul out of affliction, and in Thy mercy shalt Thou utterly destroy mine enemies. And Thou shalt cut off all them that afflict my soul, for I am Thy servant.

المُقَدَّرِينَ بِقُوَّةٍ، الْعَامِلِينَ بِكَلِمَتِهِ عِنْدَ سَمَاعِ صَوْتِ كَلَامِهِ. بَارِكُوا الرَّبَّ يَا جَمِيعَ قُوَاتِهِ، يَا خُدَامَهُ الْعَامِلِينَ إِرَادَتَهُ. بَارِكُوا الرَّبَّ يَا جَمِيعَ أَعْمَالِهِ، فِي كُلِّ مَوْضِعِ سِيَادَتِهِ. بَارِكِي يَا نَفْسِي الرَّبَّ. فِي كُلِّ مَوْضِعِ سِيَادَتِهِ. بَارِكِي يَا نَفْسِي الرَّبَّ.

يَا رَبِّ اسْتَمِعْ صَلَاتِي، وَأَنْصِتْ بِحَقِّكَ إِلَيَّ طَلِبَتِي. اسْتَجِبْ لِي بِعَدْلِكَ، وَلَا تَدْخُلْ فِي الْمُحَاكَمَةِ مَعَ عَبْدِكَ، فَإِنَّهُ لَنْ يَتَرَكَ أَمَامَكَ أَيُّ حَيٍّ. لِأَنَّ الْعَدُوَّ قَدْ اضْطَهَدَ نَفْسِي، وَأَدَلَّ إِلَى الْأَرْضِ حَيَاتِي، وَأَجَلَسَنِي فِي الظُّلُمَاتِ مِثْلَ الْمَوْتَى مُنْذُ الدَّهْرِ، فَضَجِرْتُ رُوحِي وَاضْطَرَبَ قَلْبِي فِي دَاخِلِي. تَذَكَّرْتُ الْأَيَّامَ الْقَدِيمَةَ. هَذَا تُ فِي كُلِّ أَعْمَالِكَ، وَتَأَمَّلْتُ فِي صَنَائِعِ يَدَيْكَ. بَسَطْتُ يَدَيَّ إِلَيْكَ وَنَفْسِي لَكَ كَارِضٍ لَا تُمْطَرُ. أَسْرِعْ فَاسْتَجِبْ لِي يَا رَبِّ، فَقَدْ فَنِيَتْ رُوحِي. لَا تَصْرِفْ وَجْهَكَ عَنِّي، فَأَشَابَهُ الْهَابِطِينَ فِي الْجُبِّ. إِجْعَلْنِي فِي الْغَدَاةِ مُسْتَمِعًا رَحْمَتَكَ، فَإِنِّي عَلَيْكَ تَوَكَّلْتُ. عَرَّفْنِي يَا رَبُّ الطَّرِيقَ الَّذِي أَسْلُكُ فِيهِ، فَإِنِّي إِلَيْكَ رَفَعْتُ نَفْسِي. أَنْقِذْنِي مِنْ أَعْدَائِي يَا رَبُّ، فَإِنِّي قَدْ لَجَأْتُ إِلَيْكَ. عَلِّمْنِي أَنْ أَعْمَلَ مَرْضَاتِكَ، لِأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ إِلَهِي. رُوحَكَ الصَّالِحَ يَهْدِينِي فِي أَرْضٍ مُسْتَقِيمَةٍ. مِنْ أَجْلِ اسْمِكَ، يَا رَبُّ، تُخَيِّنِي. بِعَدْلِكَ تُخْرِجُ مِنْ الْحُزْنِ نَفْسِي، وَبِرَحْمَتِكَ تَسْتَأْصِلُ أَعْدَائِي، وَتُهْلِكُ جَمِيعَ الَّذِينَ يُحْزِنُونَ نَفْسِي لِأَنِّي أَنَا عَبْدُكَ.

O Lord, give ear unto my supplication and enter not into judgment with Thy servant.  
(Twice)

Thy good Spirit shall lead me in the land of uprightness.

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

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. Glory to Thee, O God. (Thrice)

O our God and our Hope, glory to Thee!

إِسْتَجِبْ لِي بِعَدْلِكَ، وَلَا تَدْخُلْ فِي الْمُحَاكَمَةِ مَعَ عَبْدِكَ. (مَرَّتَيْنِ)

رُوحُكَ الصَّالِحُ يَهْدِينِي فِي أَرْضٍ مُسْتَقِيمَةٍ.

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالابْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُسِ. الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

هَلِّلُوبِيَا، هَلِّلُوبِيَا، هَلِّلُوبِيَا، الْمَجْدُ لَكَ يَا اللَّهُ. (ثَلَاثًا)

يَا إِلَهَنَا وَرَجَاءَنَا الْمَجْدُ لَكَ.

### THE GREAT LITANY

**Priest:** In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

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

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For the peace of the whole world; for the good estate of the holy churches of God, and for the union of all men, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For this holy House, and for those who with faith, reverence, and fear of God enter therein, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For our father and Metropolitan N., (and for our Bishop N.), for the venerable Priesthood, the Deaconate in Christ, for all the clergy and the people, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

الكَاهِنُ: بِسَلَامٍ إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمِ.

الكَاهِنُ: مِنْ أَجْلِ السَّلَامِ الَّذِي مِنَ الْعُلَى وَخَلَاصِ نَفُوسِنَا، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمِ.

الكَاهِنُ: مِنْ أَجْلِ سَلَامِ كُلِّ الْعَالَمِ، وَحُسْنِ ثَبَاتِ كَنَائِسِ اللَّهِ الْمُقَدَّسَةِ، وَاتِّحَادِ الْجَمِيعِ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمِ.

الكَاهِنُ: مِنْ أَجْلِ هَذَا الْبَيْتِ الْمُقَدَّسِ، وَالَّذِينَ يَدْخُلُونَ إِلَيْهِ بِإِيمَانٍ وَوَرَعٍ وَخَوْفِ اللَّهِ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمِ.

الكَاهِنُ: مِنْ أَجْلِ آبِينَا وَمِتْرُوبُولِينَتَا (فُلَانِ) وَرَبِّيسِ كَهَنَتِنَا (فُلَانِ)، وَالْكَهَنَةِ الْمُكْرَمِينَ، وَالشَّمَامِسَةَ، خُدَّامِ الْمَسِيحِ، وَجَمِيعِ الْإِكْلِيروسِ وَالشَّعْبِ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوقة: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمِ.

**Priest:** For Metropolitan PAUL, Archbishop JOHN, and for their quick release from captivity and safe return, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**(In the U.S.) Priest:** For the President of the United States and all civil authorities and for our Armed Forces everywhere, let us pray to the Lord.

**(In Canada) Priest:** For Her Majesty, the Queen, for the Prime Minister of Canada, and all civil authorities and for our Armed Forces everywhere, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For this city, and for every city and land, and for the faithful, who dwell therein; let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For healthful seasons, for abundance of the fruits of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

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

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For our deliverance from all tribulation, wrath, danger, and necessity, let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** Help us; save us; have mercy on us; and keep us, O God, by Thy grace.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ الْمَثْرُوبُولِيَّتِ بُولْسَ وَالْمَطْرَانِ يُوْحَنَّا وَقَكِّ أَسْرِهِمَا وَعَوْدَتِهِمَا سَالِمِينَ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**(في أمريكا) الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ حُكَّامِ هَذَا الْبَلَدِ، وَمُؤَارَزَتِهِمْ فِي كُلِّ عَمَلٍ صَالِحٍ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**(في كندا) الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ جَلَالَةِ الْمَلِكَةِ وَرئيسِ وَرَرَاءِ كَنَدَا وَسُلْطَاتِهَا الْمَدَنِيَّةِ وَقُوَّاتِهَا الْعَسْكَرِيَّةِ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ هَذِهِ الْمَدِينَةِ، وَجَمِيعِ الْمُدُنِ وَالْقُرَى، وَالْمُؤْمِنِينَ السَّاكِنِينَ فِيهَا، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ اعْتِدَالِ الْأَهْوِيَّةِ، وَخِصْبِ ثَمَارِ الْأَرْضِ وَأَوْقَاتِ سَلَامِيَّةٍ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ الْمُسَافِرِينَ فِي الْبَحْرِ وَالْبَرِّ وَالْجَوِّ، وَالْمَرَضَى وَالْمَتَأَلِّمِينَ وَالْأَسْرَى، وَخَلَاصِهِمْ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**الكاهن:** مِنْ أَجْلِ نَجَاتِنَا مِنْ كُلِّ ضَيْقٍ وَغَضَبٍ وَخَطَرٍ وَشِدَّةٍ إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**الكاهن:** أَعْضُدْ وَخَلِّصْ وَارْحَمْ وَاحْفَظْنَا يَا اللَّهُ بِنِعْمَتِكَ.

**الجوقة:** يَا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

**Priest:** Calling to remembrance our all-holy, immaculate, most blessed and glorious Lady Theotokos and ever-Virgin Mary, with all the Saints, let us commend ourselves and each other, and all our life unto Christ our God.

**Choir:** To Thee, O Lord.

**Priest:** For unto Thee are due all glory, honor, and worship: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

### “GOD IS THE LORD” IN TONE EIGHT

**Chanter:** God is the Lord and hath appeared unto us. Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the Lord. (*Repeat after verses*)

1. O give thanks unto the Lord, and call upon His holy Name.
2. All nations compassed me about, but in the Name of the Lord will I destroy them.
3. This is the Lord’s doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

### RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION IN TONE EIGHT

From the heights Thou didst descend, O compassionate One, and Thou didst submit to the three-day burial, that Thou might deliver us from passion; Thou art our life and our Resurrection, O Lord, glory to Thee.

### APOLYTIKION OF THE HOLY FATHERS IN TONE EIGHT

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

Thou, O Christ, art our God of exceeding praise Who didst establish our Holy Fathers as luminous stars upon earth, and through them didst guide us unto the true Faith, O most merciful One, glory to Thee.

**الكاهن:** بَعْدَ ذِكْرِنَا الْكَلِيَّةَ الْقَدَّاسَةَ الطَّاهِرَةَ الْفَائِقَةَ الْبَرَكَاتِ الْمَحِيْدَةَ، سَيِّدَتَنَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِ الدَّائِمَةَ الْبَنُوْلِيَّةِ مَرْيَمَ، مَعَ جَمِيعِ الْقَدِيْسِيْنَ، لِنُوْدِعَ أَنْفُسَنَا وَبَعْضُنَا بَعْضًا وَكُلَّ حَيَاتِنَا لِلْمَسِيْحِ الْإِلَهِ.

**الجوقة:** لَكَ يَا رَبِّ.

**الكاهن:** لِأَنَّهُ يَنْبَغِي لَكَ كُلُّ تَمْجِيْدٍ وَإِكْرَامٍ وَسُجُوْدٍ، أَيُّهَا الْآبُ وَالْإِبْنُ وَالرُّوْحُ الْقُدُّوسُ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِيْنَ.

**الجوقة:** آمِينَ.

**المُرْتِّل:** اللهُ الرَّبُّ ظَهَرَ لَنَا، مُبَارَكٌ الْآتِي بِاسْمِ رَبِّ. (تَعَاد بَعْدَ الْإِسْتِيْخَوْنَآت)

- 1- إِعْتَرَفُوا لِلرَّبِّ وَادْعُوا بِاسْمِهِ الْقُدُّوسِ.
- 2- كُلُّ الْأُمَّمِ أَحَاطُوا بِي وَبِاسْمِ الرَّبِّ قَهَرْتُهُمْ.
- 3- مِنْ قَبْلِ الرَّبِّ كَانَتْ هَذِهِ وَهِيَ عَجِيْبَةٌ فِي أَعْيُنِنَا.

أَنْحَدَرْتَ مِنَ الْعُلُوِّ يَا مُتَحَنِّنٌ، وَقَبِلْتَ الدَّفْنَ ذَا الثَّلَاثَةِ الْأَيَّامِ، لِكَيْ تُعْتَقِنَا مِنَ الْآلَامِ، فَيَا حَيَاتِنَا وَقِيَامَتَنَا، يَا رَبُّ الْمَجْدُ لَكَ.

**المَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالْإِبْنِ وَالرُّوْحِ الْقُدُّوسِ.**

أَنْتَ أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيْحُ إِلَهُنَا الْفَائِقُ التَّسْبِيْحِ، يَا مَنْ أَسَّسْتَ آبَاءَنَا الْقَدِيْسِيْنَ عَلَى الْأَرْضِ كَوَاكِبَ لَامِعَةٍ، وَبِهِمْ هَدَيْتَنَا جَمِيعًا إِلَى الْإِيْمَانِ الْحَقِيْقِيِّ، يَا جَزِيْلَ الرَّحْمَةِ الْمَجْدُ لَكَ.

## RESURRECTIONAL THEOTOKION IN TONE EIGHT

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages.*

Thou Who for our sake wast born of a Virgin, and didst suffer crucifixion, O good One, and didst despoil death through death, and as God didst reveal Resurrection. Despise not those Whom Thou hast created with Thine own hand, show forth Thy love for mankind, O merciful One. Accept the intercessions of Thy mother, the Theotokos for us, and save Thy despairing people, O our Savior.

الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهرِ الدهرين. آمين.

يا مَنْ وُلِدَ مِنَ الْبَتُولِ مِنْ أَجْلِنَا، وَكَابَدَ الصَّلْبَ، أَيُّهَا الصَّالِح، يَا مَنْ سَبَى الْمَوْتَ بِمَوْتِهِ، وَأَرَى الْقِيَامَةَ بِمَا أَنَّهُ إِلَه. لَا تُعْرِضْ عَنِ الَّذِينَ جَبَلْتَهُمْ بِيَدَيْكَ، بَلْ أَظْهِرْ تَعَطُّفَكَ عَلَى النَّاسِ أَيُّهَا الرَّحِيم. وَتَقَبَّلْ وَالِدَتَكَ، وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَه، مُتَشَفِّعَةً مِنْ أَجْلِنَا، وَخَلِّصْ يَا مُخَلِّصَنَا شَعْبًا يَائِسًا.

### THE LITTLE LITANY

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

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** Help us; save us; have mercy on us; and keep us, O God, by Thy grace.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** Calling to remembrance our all-holy, immaculate, most-blessed and glorious Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints: let us commend ourselves and each other, and all our life unto Christ our God.

**Choir:** To Thee, O Lord.

**Priest:** For Thine is the majesty, and Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory: of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit; now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

الكاهن: أيضاً وأيضاً بسلامٍ إلى الربِّ نطلب.

الجوق: يا ربُّ ارحم.

الكاهن: أعضدْ وخلِّصْ وارحمْ واحفظنا يا الله بنِعْمَتِكَ.

الجوق: يا ربُّ ارحم.

الكاهن: بعدَ ذِكْرِنَا الْكَلِيَّةِ الْقَدَّاسَةِ، الطَّاهِرَةِ، الْفَائِقَةِ الْبَرَكَاتِ الْمَجِيدَةِ، سَيِّدَتِنَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِ الدَّائِمَةَ الْبَتُولِيَّةِ مَرْيَمَ مَعَ جَمِيعِ الْقَدِّيسِينَ، لِنُودِعْ أَنْفُسَنَا وَبَعْضُنَا بَعْضًا وَكُلَّ حَيَاتِنَا لِلْمَسِيحِ الْإِلَه.

الجوق: لك يا رب.

الكاهن: لأنَّ لك العِزَّةَ ولكَ الْمُلْكَ والقُوَّةَ والمَجْدَ أَيُّهَا الْآبُ وَالْإِبْنُ وَالرُّوحُ الْقُدُّسُ، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ.

الجوق: آمين.

### EIGHTH TONE RESURRECTIONAL KATHISMATA (Plain Reading)

#### First Kathisma

Thou hast risen from the dead, O Life of all. And a resplendent angel shouted to the women: Dry your tears and proclaim to the Apostles, and cry out in praise, that Christ the Lord hath risen, He Who hath been pleased to save mankind, since He is God.

إذْ قُمْتَ مِنْ بَيْنِ الْأَمْوَاتِ يَا حَيَاةَ الْكُلِّ، وَمَلَائِكُ مُنِيرٌ هَتَفَ نَحْوَ النِّسْوَةِ: اكْفُفْنَ مِنَ الدُّمُوعِ، وَبَشِّرْنَ الرُّسُلَ، وَاهْنِفْنَ مُسَبِّحَاتٍ، بِأَنَّ قَدْ قَامَ الْمَسِيحُ الرَّبُّ الَّذِي سُرَّ، بِمَا أَنَّهُ إِلَهٌ، أَنْ يُخَلِّصَ جِنْسَ الْبَشَرِ.

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

Thou hast verily risen from the tomb; and Thou didst command the righteous women to preach to the Apostles the Resurrection, as it was written. And as for Peter, he did hasten to the tomb; and when he saw the light in the grave, he was dazzled with surprise. Then he saw the linen clothes lying aside, where it was not possible to see them by night, and he believed, and cried out, Glory to Thee, O Christ God; for Thou hast saved us all, O our Savior, Who still remainest in truth the Radiance of the Father.

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

Let us glorify her who is the tabernacle and the heavenly gate, the most holy mountain, the shining cloud, the heavenly ladder, the paradise, endowed with speech, the deliverer of Eve, the precious and great treasure of the universe; for by her did salvation come to the world, and the forgiveness of ancient sins. Wherefore, do we cry to her: Intercede to thy Son and God to grant forgiveness of sins to those who bow in true worship to thy most holy birth-giving.

### Second Kathisma

Men did seal Thy tomb, O Savior, and the angels did roll the stone from off Thy grave; and the women witnessed Thy Resurrection from the dead. They proclaimed to Thy Disciples in Zion that Thou didst rise, O Life of all, and didst break asunder the bonds of death, O Lord, glory to Thee.

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

Verily, when the women came with burial ointment, they heard from the grave an angelic voice, saying: Cease your tears and receive joy instead of sorrow; and cry in praise that Christ the Lord is risen, Who being God was pleased to save mankind.

المَجْدُ لِلآبِ، وَالْإِبْنِ، وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ.

حَقًّا قَدْ قُمْتَ مِنَ الْقَبْرِ، وَأَمَرْتَ النِّسْوَةَ الْبَارَاتِ أَنْ يُعْلِنَ انْبِعَاتِكَ كَمَا كُتِبَ. فَجَاءَ بَطْرُسُ إِلَى الْقَبْرِ رَاكِضًا، وَرَأَى النُّورَ فِي الصَّرِيحِ فَذُهِلَ، ثُمَّ عَايَنَ أَيْضًا الْأَكْفَانَ وَحَدَّهَا مَوْضُوعَةً عَلَى حِدَةٍ بِدُونِ الْجَسَدِ الْإِلَهِيِّ، فَأَمَّنَ وَهَتَفَ: الْمَجْدُ لَكَ أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ الْإِلَهُ، لِأَنَّكَ تَخَلِّصُ الْجَمِيعَ، يَا مُخَلِّصَنَا، فَإِنَّكَ أَنْتَ شِعَاعُ الْآبِ.

الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمين.

لِنُسَبِّحِ التِّي هِيَ التَّابُوتُ وَالْبَابُ السَّمَاوِيُّ، الْجَبَلُ الْفَائِقُ الْقُدْسُ، السَّحَابَةُ الْمُنِيرَةُ، السُّلَّمُ السَّمَاوِيَّةُ، الْفِرْدَوْسُ النَّاطِقُ، مُنْقَذَةُ حَوَاءَ، الْفَرِيدَةُ الْعَظِيمَةُ لِلْمَسْكُونَةِ بِأَسْرِهَا، لِأَنَّ بِهَا صَارَ الْخَلَاصُ لِلْعَالَمِ وَغُفْرَانُ الزَّلَّاتِ الْقَدِيمَةِ، لِذَلِكَ نَهْتَفُ نَحْوَهَا: تَشْفَعِي إِلَى ابْنِكَ وَالِهِكِ أَنْ يَهَبَ صَفْحَ الْجَرَائِمِ لِلْسَّاجِدِينَ بِحُسْنِ عِبَادَةٍ لِمَوْلِدِكَ الْكُلِّيِّ الْقُدْسِ.

أَيُّهَا الْمُخَلِّصُ، إِنَّ الْبَشَرَ حَتَمُوا قَبْرَكَ، وَالْمَلَائِكَةُ دَخَرَجَ الْحَجَرَ عَنْ بَابِ اللَّحْدِ، وَالنِّسْوَةُ عَايَنَ قِيَامَتَكَ مِنْ بَيْنِ الْأَمْوَاتِ، وَبَشَّرْنَ تَلَامِيذَكَ فِي صِهْيُونَ بِأَنَّكَ قَدْ قُمْتَ يَا حَيَاةَ الْكُلِّ وَحَلَلْتَ قُبُودَ الْمَوْتِ، يَا رَبُّ الْمَجْدُ لَكَ.

المَجْدُ لِلآبِ، وَالْإِبْنِ، وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ.

إِنَّ النِّسْوَةَ لَمَّا وَافَيْنَ بِطُيُوبِ الدَّفْنِ، سَمِعْنَ مِنَ الْقَبْرِ صَوْتًا مَلَائِكِيًّا قَائِلًا: اكْفُفْنَ الدُّمُوعَ وَأَقْبِلْنَ الْفَرَجَ عَوْضَ الْحُزْنِ، وَاهْتِفْنَ مُسَبِّحَاتٍ بِأَنَّ قَدْ قَامَ الْمَسِيحُ الرَّبُّ، الَّذِي سَرَّ بِمَا أَنَّهُ إِلَهُ، أَنْ يُخَلِّصَ جِنْسَ الْبَشَرِ.

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages.  
Amen.*

Verily, all creation rejoiceth in thee, O full of grace; the assemblies of angels and the races of men, O holy temple and paradise endowed with speech, the pride of virginity from whom God was incarnate and became a child, being yet our God before the ages; for He hath made thy receptacle a throne and thy womb more spacious than the heavens. Wherefore, O full of grace, the whole creation rejoiceth in thee and glorifieth thee.

### EVLOGETARIA (BENEDICTIONS) IN TONE FIVE

*Blessed art Thou, O Lord; teach me Thy statutes.*

The company of the Angels was amazed when they beheld Thee numbered among the dead. Yet Thyself, O Savior, destroyed the power of death, with Thee raising up Adam and releasing all men from Hell.

*Blessed art Thou, O Lord; teach me Thy statutes.*

Wherefore, O Women Disciples, do ye mingle sweet-smelling spices with your tears of pity? The radiant Angel within the sepulcher cried unto the Myrrh-bearing Women: Behold the grave, and understand, for the Savior is risen from the tomb.

*Blessed art Thou, O Lord; teach me Thy statutes.*

Very early in the morning, did the Myrrh-bearing Women run lamenting unto Thy tomb. But an Angel came toward them, saying: The time for lamentation is passed; weep not, but announce unto the Apostles the Resurrection.

الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهرِ الداهرينَ. آمين.  
إنّ البرايا بأسرها تفرحُ بكِ يا مُمتلئة نعمةً،  
محافلِ الملائكةِ وأجناسِ البشرِ. أيتها الهيكلُ  
المُتقدّسُ والفردوسُ الناطقُ، فخرُ البتوليةِ مريمِ  
التي منها تجسّدَ الإلهُ وصارَ طفلاً، وهو إلَهُنا  
قبلَ الدهورِ. لأنهُ صنَعَ مُستودعَكَ عرشاً، وجعلَ  
بطنَكَ أرحبَ مِنَ السماواتِ. لذلكِ يا مُمتلئة  
نعمةً، تفرحُ بكِ كلُّ البرايا وتُمجّدُكِ.

مُبَارَكُ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلِمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ.

جمعُ الملائكةِ اندهلَ مُتَحَيِّراً، عندَ مُشاهدتِهِمْ  
إيّاكِ محسوباً بينَ الأمواتِ أيُّها المُخلصِ،  
وداحضاً قُوّةَ الموتِ، ومُنهضاً آدمَ معَكَ، ومُعْتقاً  
إيّانا مِنَ الجحيمِ كافّةً.

مُبَارَكُ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلِمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ.

الملائكُ اللامعُ عندَ القبرِ تقوّة نَحَو حامِلاتِ  
الطيبِ قائلاً: لِمَ تَمزُجَن الطيبَ بالدموعِ، بترتِ  
يا تلميذاتِ؟ أنظرنَ اللحدَ وافرحنَ، لأنّ المُخلصِ  
قد قامَ مِنَ القبرِ.

مُبَارَكُ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلِمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ.

إنّ حامِلاتِ الطيبِ سحراً جداً، سارعنَ إلى  
قبرِكَ نائحاتِ. إلاّ أنّ الملائكُ وقفَ بهنّ، وقالَ  
لهنّ: زمانُ النوحِ قد كفَّ وبطلَ فلا تبكينَ، بل  
بشرنَ الرُّسلَ بالقيامةِ.

*Blessed art Thou, O Lord; teach me Thy statutes.*

The Myrrh-bearing Women mourned, as bearing spices they drew near Thy tomb, O Savior. But the Angel spake unto them, saying: Why number ye the living among the dead? In that He is God He is risen from the grave.

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

We adore the Father, as also His Son, and the Holy Spirit, the Holy Trinity in one Essence, crying with the Seraphim: Holy, holy, holy art Thou, O Lord.

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

In that thou didst bear the Giver of Life, O Virgin, thou didst redeem Adam from sin, and didst give to Eve joy in place of sadness; and He who was incarnate of thee, both God and man, hath restored to life those who had fallen therefrom.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. Glory to Thee, O God. (*Thrice*)

O our God and our Hope, glory to Thee.

### THE LITTLE LITANY

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

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** Help us; save us; have mercy on us; and keep us, O God, by Thy grace.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** Calling to remembrance our all-holy, immaculate, most-blessed and glorious Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints: let us commend ourselves and each other, and all our life unto Christ our God.

**Choir:** To Thee, O Lord.

مُبَارَكٌ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلَّمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ.

إِنَّ النِّسْوَةَ حَامِلَاتِ الطَّيِّبِ، وَافِينَ بِالْحَنُوطِ إِلَى قَبْرِكَ أَيُّهَا الْمُخْلِصِ. فَسَمِعْنَ مَلَكَاً مُتَنَغِّمًا نَحْوَهُنَّ قَائِلاً: لِمَ تَحْسِبْنَ الْحَيَّ مَعَ الْمَوْتَى؟ فَبِمَا أَنَّهُ إِلَهُ، قَدْ قَامَ مِنَ الْقَبْرِ نَاهِضًا.

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ، وَالابْنِ، وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ.

نَسْجُدُ لِلآبِ، وَلِابْنِهِ، وَلِرُوحِ قُدْسِهِ، ثَالِوثًا قُدُّوسًا فِي جَوْهَرٍ وَاحِدٍ، هَاتِفِينَ مَعَ السَّرَافِيمِ: قُدُّوسٌ، قُدُّوسٌ، قُدُّوسٌ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ.

الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

أَيُّهَا الْعَذْرَاءُ، لَقَدْ وُلِدْتَ مُعْطِي الْحَيَاةِ، وَأَنْقَذْتَ آدَمَ مِنَ الْخَطِيئَةِ، وَمَنْحْتَ حَوَاءَ الْفَرْحِ عَوْضَ الْحُزْنِ، لَكِنَّ الْإِلَهَ وَالْإِنْسَانَ الْمُتَجَسِّدَ مِنْكَ، أَرَشَدَهُمَا إِلَى الْحَيَاةِ الَّتِي قَدْ تَهَوَّرَا مِنْهَا.

هَلْلُويَا، هَلْلُويَا، هَلْلُويَا الْمَجْدُ لَكَ يَا اللَّهُ.  
(ثَلَاثًا)

يَا إِلَهَنَا وَرَجَاءَنَا لَكَ الْمَجْدُ.

الكَاهِنُ: أَيْضًا وَأَيْضًا بِسَلَامٍ إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الْجُوقُ: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنَا.

الكَاهِنُ: أَعْضُدْ وَخَلِّصْ وَارْحَمْ وَاحْفَظْنَا يَا اللَّهُ بِنِعْمَتِكَ.

الْجُوقُ: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنَا.

الكَاهِنُ: بَعْدَ ذِكْرِنَا الْكَلِيَّةِ الْقَدَّاسَةِ، الطَّاهِرَةِ، الْفَائِقَةِ الْبَرَكَاتِ الْمَجِيدَةِ، سَيِّدَتِنَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِيَّةِ الدَّائِمَةِ الْبَتُولِيَّةِ مَرْيَمَ مَعَ جَمِيعِ الْقَدِّيسِينَ، لِنُودِعَ أَنْفُسَنَا وَبَعْضُنَا بَعْضًا وَكُلَّ حَيَاتِنَا لِلْمَسِيحِ الْإِلَهِي.

الْجُوقُ: لَكَ يَا رَبُّ.



**Priest:** For blessed is Thy Name, and glorified is Thy kingdom: of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit; now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

### EIGHTH TONE RESURRECTIONAL HYPAKOE (Plain Reading)

The ointment-bearing women came to the tomb of the Life-giver, seeking among the dead the Lord Who is not dead; and when they received the glad tidings from the angels, they preached to the Apostles that the Lord hath risen, and granted the world the Great Mercy.

### EIGHTH TONE RESURRECTIONAL ANABATHMOI (Plain Reading)

#### First Antiphony

- + From my youth the enemy hath tempted me and with temptations hath he beguiled me. But I, O Lord, trusting in Thee, have rejected him in shame.
- + They who hate Zion shall become like grass before it is pulled up; for Christ shall cut down their necks with the scythe of torment.
- + *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*
- + Verily in the Holy Spirit all shall live; for He is the Light of Light, a great God. Let us, therefore, praise Him with the Father and the Word.

#### Second Antiphony

- + Yea, let my humble heart be lighted by Thy fear, lest it rise and fall from Thee, O all-compassionate One.
- + He that trusteth in the Lord shall not fear when God shall judge all with tormenting fire.

**الكاهن:** لَأَنَّ اسْمَكَ مُبَارَكٌ وَمُلْكَكَ مُمَجَّدٌ أَيُّهَا  
الآبُ وَالْإِبْنُ وَالرُّوحُ الْقُدُّوسُ، الْآنَ وَكَلَّ أُوَانٍ وَإِلَى  
دهرِ الداهرين.  
**الجوق:** آمين.

إِنَّ حَامِلَاتِ الطَّيِّبِ حَضَرْنَ إِلَى قَبْرِ الْوَاهِبِ  
الْحَيَاةِ، طَالِبَاتٍ فِي الْأَمْوَاتِ السَّيِّدَ غَيْرِ الْمَائِتِ.  
وَإِذْ قَبِلْنَ بَشَائِرَ الْفَرَحِ مِنَ الْمَلَائِكِ، بَشَّرْنَ الرُّسُلَ  
بِأَنَّ الرَّبَّ قَدْ قَامَ، مَانِحًا الْعَالَمَ الرَّحْمَةَ الْعُظْمَى.

+ إِنَّ الْعَدُوَّ مِنْذُ شَبَابِي يُجَرِّبُنِي وَبِاللَّذَاتِ  
يُلْهَبُنِي، وَأَنَا بِاتِّكَالِي عَلَيْكَ يَا رَبُّ أَفْهَرُهُ مُخْزِيًا  
إِيَّاهُ.

+ إِنَّ الَّذِينَ يُبَغِضُونَ صِهْيُونَ يَصِيرُونَ نَظِيرَ  
العُشْبِ قَبْلَ أَنْ يُقْلَعَ، لِأَنَّ الْمَسِيحَ سَيَقْطَعُ  
بِمِفْصَلِ الْعَذَابِ أَعْنَاقَهُمْ.

+ المجدُّ للآبِ، وَالْإِبْنِ، وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُّوسِ، الْآنَ  
وَكَلَّ أُوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الداهرين، آمين.

+ إِنَّهُ بِالرُّوحِ الْقُدُّوسِ يَحْيَا الْكُلَّ، وَهُوَ نُورٌ مِنْ  
نورِ، إِلَهٍ عَظِيمٍ، فَلْنُسَبِّحْهُ مَعَ الْآبِ وَالْكَلِمَةِ.

+ لَيْسَتَتَّرَ قَلْبِي الْمُنْضِعُ بِخَوْفِكَ لِنَلَّا يَرْتَفِعُ، فَتُخْفِضُهُ  
يَا كَلِّي الرَّأْفَةِ.

+ إِنَّ الْوَاضِعَ اتِّكَالَهُ عَلَى الرَّبِّ لَا يَخْشَى عِنْدَمَا  
يَدِينُ اللَّهُ الْكُلَّ بِالنَّارِ مُعَذِّبًا.

+ *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

+ Verily, by the Holy Spirit every divine one seeth and uttereth things to be, and performeth heavenly wonders; for he singeth to one God in three; for the Godhead, albeit of three Lights, is one in Leadership.

### Third Antiphony

+ To Thee have I cried, O Lord. Listen and turn Thine ear towards me when I shout. Purify me before Thou raisest me from this place.

+ Verily, everyone shall return and disappear in his mother the earth, and shall be dissolved at once, to receive either honors or punishments as reward for what he hath done in his lifetime.

+ *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

+ Verily, through the Holy Spirit one speaketh of the Godhead, the One, the Thrice-Holy; for from the Father, Who is without beginning, the Son did proceed without time. And the Spirit, Who is Their equal in appearance and on the throne, hath shone forth from the Father likewise.

### Fourth Antiphony

+ Behold, how good and how beautiful for the brethren to live together; for of this did the Lord promise eternal life.

+ Verily, He Who beautifieth the flowers of the field commandeth that no one take heed for his dress.

+ *Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

+ *المجد للآب، والإبن، والروح القدس، الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهرِ الدهرين، آمين.*

+ *إنه بالروح القدس كلُّ إلهي ينظر وينطق بالمفيلات، ويصنع آيات علوية، فإنه يرتل لإله واحد في ثلاثة، لأن اللاهوت وإن كان ذا ثلاثة أنوار، إلا أنه موحد الرئاسة.*

+ *إليك صرخت يا رب فأصغ، وأمل أذنيك نحوي عندما أهتف إليك. طهرني قبل أن تتقلني من هنا.*

+ *كل واحد يرجع مختفياً إلى أمه التي هي الأرض، فينحل حالاً لياخذ إما كرامات وإما عقوبات جزاء عما صنعه في حياته.*

+ *المجد للآب، والإبن، والروح القدس، الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهرِ الدهرين، آمين.*

+ *إنه بالروح القدس التكلّم في اللاهوت الواحد المثلث القديس، لأن الآب، الذي هو غير مبدئي، صدر منه الإبن منذ الأزل، والروح المعادل لهما في الصورة والجلسة قد أشرق من الآب معاً.*

+ *هؤذا ما أحسن وما أجمل أن تسكن الإخوة جميعاً، لأن بهذا وعد الرب بحياة أبدية.*

+ *إنّ المجمال أزهار الحقل يأمر بأنه يجب ألا يهتم أحد بلباسه.*

+ *المجد للآب، والإبن، والروح القدس، الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهرِ الدهرين، آمين.*

+ Verily, the Holy Spirit is the cause of all, and containeth in Himself the harmony of safety; for He is truly equal to the Father and the Son in substance.

+ إِنَّ الرُّوحَ القُدُسَ هُوَ العِلَّةُ الوحيدةُ لِانْتِظامِ الخَلِيقَةِ كُلِّهَا وفوزِها بِالسَّلَامِ، فَإِنَّهُ إِلَهٌ مُساوٍ لِلآبِ، وَحاوٍ بِذاتِهِ ائْتِلافَ السَّلَامَةِ، بِما أَنَّهُ مُساوٍ لِلآبِ وَالإِبْنِ فِي الجَوْهَرِ حَقًّا.

### PROKEIMENON FOR THE RESURRECTION IN TONE EIGHT

The Lord shall reign forever, Thy God O Zion, from generation to generation.  
(*Twice*)

**Stichos:** Praise the Lord, O my soul.

The Lord shall reign forever, Thy God O Zion, from generation to generation.

**Deacon:** Let us pray to the Lord.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Priest:** For Holy art Thou, O our God, Who restest in the Holy Place, and unto Thee do we ascribe glory: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord. (*Twice*)

**Praise ye God in His saints; praise Him in the firm foundation of His power.**

Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord.

يَمْلِكُ الرَّبُّ إِلَى الأَبَدِ، إِلَهُكَ يا صِهْيُونُ إِلَى جِيلٍ بَعْدَ جِيلٍ. (مَرَّتَيْنِ)

سَتِيخِن: سَبِّحِي يا نَفْسِي الرَّبَّ.

يَمْلِكُ الرَّبُّ إِلَى الأَبَدِ، إِلَهُكَ يا صِهْيُونُ إِلَى جِيلٍ بَعْدَ جِيلٍ.

الشَّماس: إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

المَرْتَل: يا رَبُّ ارْحَم.

الكاهن: أَنْكَ فُدُوسٌ أَنْتَ يا إِلَهَنا، وَفي القَدِيسينَ تَسْتَقِرُّ وَتَسْتَرِيحُ، وَلَكَ نُرسِلُ المَجْدَ أَيُّها الآبُ، وَالابْنُ، وَالرُّوحَ القُدُسَ، الآنَ وَكُلَّ أوانٍ وَإلى دَهْرِ الداهِرِينَ.

المَرْتَل: آمين.

كُلُّ نَسَمَةٍ، فَلْتَسَبِّحِ الرَّبَّ. (مَرَّتَيْنِ)

سَبِّحُوا اللهَ فِي قَدِيسِيهِ، سَبِّحُوهُ فِي فَلكِ قُوَّتِهِ.

فَلْتَسَبِّحِ الرَّبَّ، كُلُّ نَسَمَةٍ.

### THE SIXTH EOTHINON GOSPEL

**Deacon:** And that we may be accounted worthy to hear the Holy Gospel, let us pray unto the Lord our God.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy. (*Thrice*)

**Deacon:** Wisdom! Attend! Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

**Priest:** Peace be to all.

**Choir:** And to thy spirit.

**Priest:** The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to Saint **Luke**. (24:36-53)

الشَّماس: مِنْ أَجْلِ أَنْ نَكُونَ مُسْتَحَقِّينَ لِسَماعِ الإنجِيلِ المُقَدَّسِ، إِلَى الرَّبِّ إِلَهَنا نَطْلُبُ.

المَرْتَل: يا رَبُّ ارْحَم. (ثَلَاثًا)

الشَّماس: الحِكْمَةُ، فَلْنَسْتَقِمْ وَلْنَسْمَعْ الإنجِيلَ المُقَدَّسَ.

الكاهن: السَّلَامُ لِجَمِيعِكُمْ.

المَرْتَل: وَلِرُوحِكَ.

الكاهن: فَضْلٌ شَرِيفٌ مِنْ بشارَةِ القَدِيسِ لوقا الإنجِيلِيِّ البَشِيرِ وَالتَّلْمِيزِ الطَّاهِرِ.

المرتل: المَجْدُ لَكَ يَا رَبُّ المَجْدُ لَكَ.

الشماس: لِنُصِّغْ!

**Choir:** Glory to Thee, O Lord, glory to Thee.

**Deacon:** Let us attend!

**Priest:** At that time, Jesus, risen from the dead, stood in the midst of His disciples and said to them, "Peace be to you." But they were startled and frightened, and supposed that they saw a spirit. And He said to them, "Why are you troubled, and why do questionings rise in your hearts? See My hands and My feet, that it is I Myself; handle Me, and see; for a spirit has not flesh and bones as you see that I have." And when He had said this, He showed them His hands and His feet. And while they still disbelieved for joy, and wondered, He said to them, "Have you anything here to eat?" They gave Him a piece of broiled fish and a honeycomb, and He took it and ate before them. Then He said to them, "These are My words which I spoke to you, while I was still with you, that everything written about Me in the law of Moses and the prophets and the psalms must be fulfilled." Then He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be preached in His Name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things. And behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you; but stay in the city of Jerusalem, until you are clothed with power from on high." Then, He led them out as far as Bethany, and lifting up His hands, He blessed them. While He blessed them, He was parted from them, and was carried up into heaven. And they worshipped Him, and returned to Jerusalem with great joy, and were continually in the temple praising and blessing God. Amen.

**Choir:** Glory to Thee, O Lord, glory to Thee.

الكاهن: في ذلك الزمان، قام يسوع من بين الأموات، ووقف في وسط التلاميذ وقال لهم: "السَّلامُ لَكُمْ"، فارتاعوا وخافوا وظنوا أنهم يرون روحاً، فقال لهم: "ما بالكم مضطربين، ولماذا تخطر أفكار في قلوبكم؟ انظروا يدي ورجلي، إني أنا هو، جسوني وانظروا، لأن الروح لا لحم له ولا عظم كما ترون لي." وحين قال هذا، أراهم يديه ورجليه. وإذ كانوا هم غير مصدقين بعد من الفرح، ومتعجبين، قال لهم: "أعندكم ههنا طعام؟" فناولوه قطعة من سمك مشوي وشيئاً من شهد عسل. فأخذ وأكل أمامهم، وقال لهم: "هذا هو الكلام الذي كلمتكم به وأنا بعد معكم، إنه ينبغي أن يتم جميع ما هو مكتوب عني في ناموس موسى والأنبياء والمزامير." حينئذ فتح أذهانهم ليفهموا الكتب وقال لهم: "هكذا هو مكتوب، وهكذا كان ينبغي للمسيح أن يتألم ويقوم من بين الأموات في اليوم الثالث، وأن يكرز باسمه بالتوبة ومغفرة الخطايا في جميع الأمم، ابتداءً من أورشليم، وأنتم شهود لذلك. وأنا أرسل إليكم موعد أبي، فامكثوا أنتم في مدينة أورشليم إلى أن تلبسوا قوة من العلاء." ثم خرج بهم خارجاً حتى بيت عنيا، وفتح يديه وباركهم. وفيما هو يباركهم، انفرد عنهم وصعد إلى السماء. وأما هم فسجدوا له، ورجعوا إلى أورشليم بفرح عظيم، وكانوا كل حين في الهيكل يسبحون الله ويباركونه. آمين.

المرتل: المَجْدُ لَكَ يَا رَبُّ، المَجْدُ لَكَ.

**Reader:** In that we have beheld the Resurrection of Christ, let us bow down before the Holy Lord Jesus, the only sinless One. Thy Cross do we adore, O Christ, and Thy holy Resurrection we praise and glorify: for Thou art our God, and we know none other beside Thee; we call upon Thy Name. O come, all ye faithful, let us adore Christ's holy Resurrection. For lo, through the Cross is joy come into all the world. Ever blessing the Lord, let us sing His Resurrection: for in that He endured the Cross for us, He hath destroyed death by death.

### PSALM 50

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Thy Great Mercy; and according to the multitude of Thy compassions blot out my transgression.

Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know mine iniquity, and my sin is ever before me.

Against Thee only have I sinned and done this evil before Thee, that Thou mightest be justified in Thy words, and prevail when Thou art judged.

For behold, I was conceived in iniquities, and in sins did my mother bear me.

For behold, Thou hast loved truth; the hidden and secret things of Thy wisdom hast Thou made manifest unto me.

Thou shalt sprinkle me with hyssop, and I shall be made clean; Thou shalt wash me, and I shall be made whiter than snow.

Thou shalt make me to hear joy and gladness; the bones that be humbled, they shall rejoice.

Turn Thy face away from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

**القارىء:** إِذْ قَدْ رَأَيْنَا قِيَامَةَ الْمَسِيحِ، فَلْنَسْجُدْ  
لِلرَّبِّ الْقُدُّوسِ، يَسُوعَ الْمَعْصُومِ مِنَ الْخَطَا  
وَحَدَهُ. لِصَلِيبِكَ أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ نَسْجُدُ وَلِقِيَامَتِكَ  
الْمُقَدَّسَةِ نُسَبِّحُ وَنُحَمِّدُ، لِأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ هُوَ إِلَهُنَا وَآخِرَ  
سِوَاكَ لَا نَعْرِفُ وَبِاسْمِكَ نُسَمِّي. هَلُمَّ يَا مَعْشَرَ  
الْمُؤْمِنِينَ نَسْجُدْ لِقِيَامَةِ الْمَسِيحِ الْمُقَدَّسَةِ، لِأَنَّ  
هَذَا بِالصَّلِيبِ قَدْ أَتَى الْفَرَحَ لِكُلِّ الْعَالَمِ. لِنُبَارِكِ  
الرَّبَّ فِي كُلِّ حِينٍ وَنُسَبِّحُ قِيَامَتَهُ، لِأَنَّهُ إِذْ احْتَمَلَ  
الصَّلْبَ مِنْ أَجْلِنَا، الْمَوْتَ بِالْمَوْتِ حَطَّمَ.

ارْحَمْنِي يَا اللَّهُ كِعَظِيمِ رَحْمَتِكَ، وَكَمِثْلِ كَثْرَةِ  
رَأْفَتِكَ امْحُ مَاثِمِي.

إِغْسِلْنِي كَثِيرًا مِنْ إِثْمِي، وَمِنْ خَطِيئَتِي طَهِّرْنِي.

لَأَنِّي أَنَا عَارِفٌ بِإِثْمِي، وَخَطِيئَتِي أَمَامِي فِي كُلِّ  
حِينٍ.

إِلَيْكَ وَحْدَكَ أَخْطَأْتُ، وَالشَّرَّ قُدَّامَكَ صَنَعْتُ،  
لَكَي تَصْدُقَ فِي أَقْوَالِكَ وَتَغْلِبَ فِي مُحَاكَمَتِكَ.

هَاءِئَذَا بِالْآثَامِ حُبِلَ بِي، وَبِالْخَطَايَا وَلَدْتَنِي  
أُمِّي.

لِأَنَّكَ قَدْ أَحْبَبْتَ الْحَقَّ، وَأَوْضَحْتَ لِي  
غَوَامِضَ حِكْمَتِكَ وَمَسْتَوْرَاتِهَا.

تَنْضَحْنِي بِالزُّوْفَى فَأَطْهَرُ، تَغْسِلْنِي فَأَبْيَضُ  
أَكْثَرَ مِنَ الثَّلْجِ.

تُسْمِعُنِي بِهَجَّةٍ وَسُرُورًا، فَتَبْتَهِّجُ عِظَامِي  
الدَّلِيلَةَ.

إِصْرِفْ وَجْهَكَ عَنِ خَطَايَايَ، وَامْحُ كُلَّ  
مَاثِمِي.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and with Thy governing Spirit establish me.

I shall teach transgressors Thy ways, and the ungodly shall turn back unto Thee.

Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, Thou God of my salvation; my tongue shall rejoice in Thy righteousness.

O Lord, Thou shalt open my lips, and my mouth shall declare Thy praise.

For if Thou hadst desired sacrifice, I had given it; with whole-burnt offerings Thou shalt not be pleased.

A sacrifice unto God is a broken spirit; a heart that is broken and humbled God will not despise.

Do good, O Lord, in Thy good pleasure unto Zion, and let the walls of Jerusalem be built up.

Then shalt Thou be pleased with a sacrifice of righteousness, with oblation and whole-burnt offerings.

Then shall they offer bullocks upon Thine altar.

### TROPARIA AFTER PSALM 50 IN TONE TWO

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

Through the intercessions of the Apostles, O Thou Who art merciful, blot out the multitude of our transgressions.

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, O Thou Who art merciful, blot out the multitude of our transgressions.

قَلْبًا نَقِيًّا اَخْلُقْ فِيَّ يَا اللهُ، وروحاً مُسْتَقِيمًا  
جَدِّدْ فِي أَحْشَائِي.

لَا تَطْرَحْنِي مِنْ أَمَامِ وَجْهِكَ، وروحَكَ الْقُدُّوسَ  
لَا تَنْزِعْهُ مِنِّي.

إِمْنَحْنِي بِهَجَّةٍ خَلَاصِكَ، وِبِرُوحِ رِئَاسِي  
أَعْضُدْنِي.

فَأَعْلِمِ الْأَثَمَةَ طُرُقَكَ، وَالْكَفْرَةَ إِلَيْكَ يَرْجِعُونَ.

أُنْقِذْنِي مِنَ الدِّمَاءِ يَا اللهُ إِلَهَ خَلَاصِي،  
فِيَبْتَهِّجَ لِسَانِي بِعَدْلِكَ.

يَا رَبُّ افْتَحْ شَفَتِي، فَيُخَبِّرَ فَمِي بِتَسْبِيحَتِكَ.

لَأَنَّكَ لَوْ آثَرْتَ الذَّبِيحَةَ، لَكُنْتُ الْآنَ أُعْطِي،  
لَكِنَّكَ لَا تُسَرُّ بِالْمُحْرَقَاتِ.

الذَّبِيحَةُ لِلهِ رُوحٌ مُنْسَحِقٌ، الْقَلْبُ الْمُتَخَشِّعُ  
وَالْمُتَوَاضِعُ لَا يَرْذَلُهُ اللهُ.

أَصْلِحْ يَا رَبُّ بِمَسَرَّتِكَ صِهْيُونَ وَلْتُبْنَ أَسْوَارُ  
أورشليم.

حِينَئِذٍ تُسَرُّ بِذَّبِيحَةِ الْعَدْلِ قُرْبَانًا وَمُحْرَقَاتِ.

حِينَئِذٍ يُقَرَّبُونَ عَلَى مَذْبَحِكَ الْعُجُولِ.

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ، وَالْإِبْنِ، وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُّوسِ.

بِشَفَاعَاتِ الرُّسُلِ وَطَلِبَاتِهِمْ، أَيُّهَا إِلَهُ الرَّحُومِ،  
امْحُ كَثْرَةَ خَطَايَانَا وَزَلَّاتِنَا.

الْآنَ وَكَلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

بِشَفَاعَاتِ وَالِدَةِ إِلَهِي وَطَلِبَاتِهَا، أَيُّهَا إِلَهُ  
الرَّحُومِ، امْحُ كَثْرَةَ خَطَايَانَا وَزَلَّاتِنَا.

*Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Thy lovingkindness; according to the multitude of Thy tender mercies blot out my transgressions.*

Jesus, having risen from the grave as He foretold, hath given unto us life eternal and Great Mercy.

### THE INTERCESSION<sup>1</sup>

**Deacon:** O God, save Thy people, and bless Thine inheritance. Visit Thy world with mercy and compassions. Exalt the horn of Orthodox Christians, and send down upon us Thy rich mercies. Through the intercessions of our all-immaculate Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary; by the might of the precious and life-giving Cross; by the protection of the honorable bodiless Powers of heaven; at the supplication of the honorable, glorious prophet, forerunner and Baptist John; of the holy, glorious, all-laudable apostles Peter and Paul, and of all the holy apostles; of our fathers among the saints, great hierarchs and ecumenical teachers, Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian and John Chrysostom; Athanasius, Cyril and John the Merciful, patriarchs of Alexandria; Nicholas of Myra, Spyridon of Trimythous and Nektarios of Pentapolis, the Wonderworkers; of our fathers among the saints Tikhon, patriarch of Moscow and Raphael, bishop of Brooklyn; of the holy, glorious, great-martyrs, George the Trophy-bearer, Demetrios the Myrr-streamer, Theodore the Soldier, Theodore the General, and Menas the Wonderworker; of the hieromartyrs Ignatius the God-bearer of Antioch, Charalampos and Eleutherios; of the holy,

يا رَحِيمُ، اِرْحَمْنِي يَا اللهُ كَعَظِيمِ رَحْمَتِكَ، وَبِحَسَبِ  
كَثْرَةِ رَأْفَاتِكَ اَمْحُ مَاثِمِي.

لَقَدْ قَامَ يَسُوعُ مِنَ الْقَبْرِ كَمَا سَبَقَ قَعَالَ، وَمَنَحَنَا  
الْحَيَاةَ الْاَبَدِيَّةَ، وَالرَّحْمَةَ الْعُظْمَى.

**الشماس:** خَلِّصْ يَا اللهُ شَعْبَكَ، وَبَارِكْ مِيراثَكَ،  
وَافْتَقِدْ عَالَمَكَ بِالرَّحْمَةِ وَالرَأْفَاتِ، وَارْفَعْ شَأْنَ  
الْمَسِيحِيِّينَ الْاَرْتُوذُكْسِيِّينَ، وَأَسْبِغْ عَلَيْنَا مَراحِمَكَ  
الْغَنِيَّةَ، بِشَفَاعَاتِ سَيِّدَتِنَا وَالِدَةِ الْاِلهِ الْكَلِيَّةِ  
الطَّهَارَةِ وَالْدايْمَةِ الْبَتُولِيَّةِ مَرْيَمَ؛ وَبِقُوَّةِ الصَّلِيبِ  
الْكَرِيمِ الْمُحْيِي؛ وَبِطَلَبَاتِ الْقُوَاتِ السَّمَاوِيَّةِ  
الْمُكْرَّمَةِ الْعَادِمَةِ الْاَجْسَادِ؛ وَالنَّبِيِّ الْكَرِيمِ السَّابِقِ  
الْمَجِيدِ يُوْحَنَّا الْمَعْمَدَانَ؛ وَالْقَدِيْسَيْنِ الْمَشْرَفَيْنِ  
الرَّسُولَيْنِ بُطْرُسَ وَبُولُسَ، وَسَائِرِ الرُّسُلِ  
الْمَشْرَفَيْنِ الْجَدِيرَيْنِ بِكُلِّ مَدِيحٍ؛ وَابائِنَا الْقَدِيْسَيْنِ  
مُعَلَّمِي الْمَسْكُونَةِ رُؤَسَاءِ الْكَهَنَةِ الْمُعْظَمِينَ  
بِاسِيْلْيُوسَ الْكَبِيرِ، وَغَرِيغُورِيُوسَ الْاِلاهوتِي،  
وَيُوْحَنَّا الذَّهَبِيِّ الْفَمِّ؛ وَابائِنَا الْقَدِيْسَيْنِ اَنْتَاناسِيُوسَ  
وَكَيرِلُسَ وَيُوْحَنَّا الرَّحِيمِ بَطْرِكَةَ الْاِسْكََنْدَرِيَّةِ،  
وَابِينَا الْقَدِيْسِ نِيْقُولَاوُسَ رَئِيسِ اَساقِفَةِ مِيرا  
الليْكِيَّةِ، وَاسْبيريْدُونَ اُسْقَفِ ثَرِيْمِيْثُوسَ،  
وَنيْكَتاريُوسَ اُسْقَفِ الْمُدُنِ الْخَمْسِ الْعَجَائِبِيِّينَ،  
وَابِينَا الْقَدِيْسِ تِيْخُونَ بَطْرِيْرِكِ مُوسْكَو، وَالْقَدِيْسِ  
رَافائِلِ اُسْقَفِ بَرُوكْلِيْنِ؛ وَالْقَدِيْسَيْنِ الْمَجِيدَيْنِ  
الشُّهَدَاءِ الْعُظْمَاءِ جاورجيُوسَ الْلايْسِ الظْفَرِ،  
وَديْمِيتريُوسَ الْمُفِيضِ الطَّيْبِ، وَثيُودُورُسَ  
التَّيْرُونِي، وَثيُودُورُسَ قَائِدِ الْجَيْشِ، وَمِيناسَ  
الصَّانِعِ الْعَجَائِبِ؛ وَالْقَدِيْسَيْنِ الشُّهَدَاءِ اِغْناطِيُوسَ

<sup>1</sup> Saints of particular local veneration may be included among the Saints of their same classification at the discretion of the pastor.

glorious great women martyrs, Thekla, Barbara, Anastasia, Katherine, Kyriaki, Photeini, Marina, Paraskeva and Irene; of the holy, glorious, right-victorious martyrs; of our venerable and God-bearing fathers who shone in the ascetic life—especially the 367 Holy Fathers of the Seventh Ecumenical Council—of Saint N., the patron and protector of this holy community; of the holy and righteous ancestors of God, Joachim and Anna; of the holy and glorious Prophet Hosea; and Venerable-martyr Andrew of Crete, whose memory we celebrate today, and of all Thy Saints: we beseech Thee, O most merciful Lord, hearken unto the petitions of us sinners who make our supplications unto Thee, and have mercy upon us.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy. (*Twelve times*)

**Priest:** Through the mercies and compassions and love for mankind of Thine Only-begotten Son, with Whom Thou art blessed, together with Thine all-holy, and good, and life-giving Spirit: now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

### KONTAKION AND OIKOS FOR THE HOLY FATHERS (Plain Reading)

The Son Who shone forth from the Father ineffably was born, twofold of nature, of a woman. Beholding Him, we deny not the image of His form; but depicting it piously, we revere it faithfully. And for this cause, the Church, in that it holdeth the true Faith, doth venerate the icon of Christ's incarnation.

المُتَوَشِّحِ بِاللَّهِ، خَرَّالْمَبُوسِ وَالْفِثْرِيُوسِ؛  
وَالشَّهِيدَاتِ الْعَظِيمَاتِ ثَقْلًا، بَرَبَارَةَ، أَنْسَطَاسِيَا،  
كَاتَرِينَا، كِيرِيَاكِي، فُوتِينِي، مَارِينَا، بَارَاسَكِيْفَا،  
وَأَيْرِينِ؛ وَالقَدِّيسِينَ الْمَجِيدِينَ الشُّهَدَاءِ الْمُتَأَلِّقِينَ  
بِالظَّفَرِ؛ وَأَبَائِنَا الْأَبْرَارِ الْمُتَوَشِّحِينَ بِاللَّهِ -خَاصَّةً  
الْأَبَاءِ الْقَدِّيسِينَ الـ367 أَصْحَابِ الْمَجْمَعِ  
الْمَسْكُونِي السَّابِعِ الْمُقَدَّسِ - وَالقَدِّيسِ (فِلَانِ)  
شَفِيعِ هَذِهِ الْكَنِيسَةِ الْمُقَدَّسَةِ؛ وَالقَدِّيسِينَ الصِّدِّيقِينَ  
جَدِّي الْمَسِيحِ الْإِلَهِيِّ يُوَاكِمَ وَحَنَّةً؛ وَالنَّبِيِّ هُوشَعَ،  
وَالْبَارِ فِي الشُّهَدَاءِ أَنْدَرَاوَسَ الْكِرِيْتِيِّ، اللَّذِينَ  
نُقِيمُ تَذْكَارَهُمَا الْيَوْمَ، وَجَمِيعِ قَدِّيسِيكَ، نَتَضَرَّعُ  
إِلَيْكَ أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الْجَزِيلُ الرَّحْمَةِ، فَاسْتَجِبْ لَنَا نَحْنُ  
الْخَطَاةَ الطَّالِبِينَ إِلَيْكَ وَارْحَمْنَا.

المرتل: يا رب ارحم. (12 مرة)

الكاهن: بِرَحْمَةٍ وَرَأْفَاتِ ابْنِكَ الْوَحِيدِ وَمَحَبَّتِهِ  
لِلْبَشَرِ، الَّذِي أَنْتَ مُبَارَكٌ مَعَهُ وَمَعَ رُوحِكَ  
الْكَلْبِيِّ قُدْسُهُ الصَّالِحِ وَالْمُخْيِي، الْآنَ وَكُلَّ  
أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ.

المرتل: آمين.

إِنَّ الْإِبْنَ الْمَشْرِقَ مِنَ الْآبِ بِحَالٍ لَا تُوصَفُ،  
قَدْ وُلِدَ مِنْ امْرَأَةٍ مُزْدَوِجِ الطَّبِيعَةِ، الَّذِي  
بِمَعْرِفَتِنَا إِيَّاهُ لَا نُنْكِرُ رَسْمَ مِثَالِهِ، بَلْ إِذْ  
نَرْسُمُهُ بِحُسْنِ عِبَادَةٍ نَحْتَرِمُهُ بِإِيمَانٍ. فَلِذَلِكَ،  
الْكَنِيسَةُ بَتَمَسُّكِهَا بِالْإِيمَانِ الْحَقِيقِيِّ، تُصَافِحُ  
أَيْقُونَةَ تَجَسُّدِ الْمَسِيحِ.



The All-compassionate God, ever wishing to arouse us to perfect recollection of His becoming man, hath delivered this precept unto men, namely, that His venerable form should be depicted through the painting of icons; so that beholding it with our eyes, we might believe what we have heard by word, and might clearly know the accomplishments and names, the appearances and the contests of the saints, and might also know Christ, the Crown-bestower, Who granteth crowns unto the holy athletes and martyrs, through whom now the Church yet more manifestly holdeth fast the true Faith and doth venerate the icon of Christ's incarnation.

لَمَّا رَامَ الْإِلَهُ الْكَامِلُ الرَّأْفَةَ أَنْ يُحْيِي فِينَا عَلَى  
الدَّوَامِ التَّذْكَارَ الْكَامِلَ لِتَجَسُّدِهِ، أَرْشَدَنَا نَحْنُ الْبَشَرُ  
إِلَى هَذِهِ الطَّرِيقَةِ، وَهِيَ أَنْ نَرْسُمَ شَكْلَهُ الْمَعْبُودَ  
مِنْ خِلَالِ صُنْعِ أَلْوَانِ الْإَيْقُونَاتِ، حَتَّى إِنْ نَا إِذَا  
رَأَيْنَاهُ بِالْعُيُونِ، نُؤْمِنُ، كَمَا أَنْنَا عِنْدَمَا نَسْمَعُ  
الْكَلِمَةَ، نَعْرِفُ بِجَلَاءٍ وَتَأْكِيدِ الْعَمَلِ وَالْإِسْمِ وَشَكْلِ  
الرِّجَالِ الْقَدِّيسِينَ وَجِهَادَاتِهِمْ، وَنَعْرِفُ أَيْضاً  
الْمَسِيحَ مَانِحُ الْأَكَالِيلِ، الَّذِي يُعْطِي هَذِهِ الْأَكَالِيلَ  
لِلْقَدِّيسِينَ الْمُجَاهِدِينَ وَلِلشُّهَدَاءِ، وَالَّذِينَ بِوِاسِطَتِهِمْ  
تَتَمَسَّكُ الْكَنِيسَةُ بِدِقَّةٍ بِالْإِيمَانِ الْحَقِيقِيِّ، وَنُقْبَلُ  
إَيْقُونَةَ الْمَسِيحِ الْمُتَجَسِّدِ.

### THE SYNAXARION (Plain Reading)

On October 17 in the Holy Orthodox Church, we commemorate the holy and glorious Prophet Hosea; and Venerable-martyr Andrew of Crete.

On this day, we commemorate the holy and blessed Fathers who came together for the second time in Nicaea, during the reign of the pious and Christ-loving Sovereigns Constantine and Irene, against those who impiously, ignorantly and foolishly asserted that the Church of God worshippeth idols, and rejected the august and holy icons.

#### Verses

Thy champions, O Word, with words as their weapons,  
Turn to flight the foes of the venerable icons.

The Council met in 787 to refute the Iconoclast heresy, whose camp believed that all depictions of Christ, His Mother and the saints should be destroyed. The iconophiles believed that icons served to preserve the doctrinal teachings of the Church; and they considered icons to be man's dynamic way of expressing the divine through art and beauty. The council decreed that the veneration of icons was not idolatry (Exodus 20:4-5), because the honor shown to them is not directed to the wood or paint, but passes to the prototype, or the person depicted. It also upheld the possibility of depicting Christ, Who became man and took flesh at His Incarnation. The Father, on the other hand, cannot be represented in His eternal nature, because "no man has seen God at any time" (John 1:18).

By the intercessions of the Holy Fathers, O Christ God, have mercy upon us. Amen.

### KATAVASIAE OF THE AKATHIST CANON IN TONE FOUR

**Ode 1.** I shall open my mouth and it will be filled with the Spirit; and I shall speak forth to the Queen and Mother. I shall be seen joyfully singing her praises, and I shall delight to sing of her wonders.

(الأولى) أَفْتَحُ فَمِي فَيَمْتَلِي رُوحاً، وَأُبْدِي قَوْلًا  
فَائِضاً نَحْوَ الْأُمِّ الْمَلَكَةِ، وَأُظْهِرُ مُعَيِّدًا لِلْمَوْسِمِ  
بَابْتِهَاجٍ، وَأَتَرْتَمُ بِعَجَائِبِهَا مَسْرُورًا.

**Ode 3.** As a living and copious fountain, O Theotokos, do thou strengthen those who hymn thy praises, and are joined together in spiritual company for thy service; and in thy divine glory make them worthy of crowns of glory.

**Ode 4.** He who sits in clouds of glory upon the throne of Godhead, Jesus the Most High God, came with mighty hand and saved those who cried out unto Him: Glory to Thy power, O Christ.

**Ode 5.** All creation was amazed at thy divine glory, for thou, O unwedded Virgin, didst hold in thee the God of all, and didst bear the Eternal Son, who rewards with salvation all those who hymn thy praises.

**Ode 6.** As we the Godly minded, celebrate this sacred and all-honorable feast of the Mother of God: come, let us clap our hands together and glorify the God whom she bore.

**Ode 7.** The godly-minded children worshipped not the creature rather than the Creator, but trampling upon the threat of fire in manly fashion, they rejoiced and sang: O All-praised Lord and God of our Fathers, blessed art Thou.

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

**Ode 8.** The three holy children in the furnace the Child of the Theotokos saved; then was the type, now is its fulfillment, and the whole world gathers to sing: 'All ye works praise the Lord and magnify Him unto all ages.'

**Deacon:** The Theotokos and Mother of the Light, let us honor and magnify in song.

(الثالثة) يا والدة الإله، بما أنك ينبوع الحي المتدفق بسخاء، وطينا نحن المنشدين تسابيحك، الملتئمين مخفلاً روحياً، وفي مجدك الإلهي أهلينا لأكاليل المجد والشرف.

(الرابعة) إن يسوع الفائق التأله، الجالس بمجد على سدة اللاهوت، قد ورد على سحابة خفيفة، وخلص بقبضته غير الفاسدة الصارخين نحوه: المجد لقدرتك أيها المسيح.

(الخامسة) أيها البتول التي لم تعرف زواجا، إن البرايا بأسرها قد اندهلت من مجدك الإلهي، لأنك حملت في حشاك إله الكل، وولدت الإبن غير المحدود في زمن، ومنحت الخلاص لكل الذين يسبحونك.

(السادسة) هلموا أيها المتألهوا العقول، لنصق بالأيدي مقيمين هذا العيد الإلهي الكلي الإكرام، الذي لوالدة الإله، ونمجد الإله الذي ولد منها.

(السابعة) إن الفتية المتألهي العقول، لم يعبدوا الخليفة دون الخالق، بل وطئوا وعيد النار بشجاعة، فرتلوا فرحين: أيها الفائق التسبيح، مبارك أنت يا إله آبائنا.

نسبح ونبارك ونسجد للرب.

(الثامنة) إن مولد والدة الإله قد حفظ الفتية الأظهار في الأتون سالمين، إذ كان حينئذ مرسوماً وأما الآن فقد حصل مفعولاً، فهو ينهض المسكونة بأسرها إلى الترتيل هاتفة: يا جميع أعمال الرب سبحوا الرب، وزيدوه رفعة على مدى الأذهار.

الشماس: لوالدة الإله وأم النور بالتسابيح نكرم معظمين.

## MAGNIFICATIONS IN TONE FOUR

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior.

**Refrain:** More honorable than the Cherubim, and more glorious beyond compare than the Seraphim, thou who without corruption bearest God the Word, and art truly Theotokos, we magnify thee.

For He hath regarded the lowliness of His handmaiden; for behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. *(Refrain)*

For He that is mighty hath magnified me, and holy is His Name; and His mercy is on them that fear Him, throughout all generations. *(Refrain)*

He hath showed strength with His arm; He hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. *(Refrain)*

He hath put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek. He hath filled the empty with good things, and the rich hath He sent empty away. *(Refrain)*

He remembering His mercy hath helped His servant Israel, as He promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed forever. *(Refrain)*

**Ode 9.** Let all the earth-born mortals rejoice in the Spirit, bearing their lamps. And let the nature of Bodiless Minds celebrate with honor the holy festival of the Mother of God, and cry out: 'Hail! All-blessed, pure, and ever-virgin Theotokos!'

## THE LITTLE LITANY

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

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Deacon:** Help us; save us; have mercy on us; and keep us, O God, by Thy grace.

تُعْظِمُ نَفْسِي الرَّبِّ، وَتَبْتَهِجُ رُوحِي بِاللَّهِ مُخْلِصِي.

اللازمة: يَا مَنْ هِيَ أَكْرَمُ مِنَ الشَّارُوبِيمِ، وَأَرْفَعُ مَجْدًا بِغَيْرِ قِيَاسٍ مِنَ السَّارَافِيمِ، يَا مَنْ بَدُونِ فَسَادٍ وُلِدْتَ كَلِمَةَ اللَّهِ، حَقًّا أَنْكِ وَالِدَةُ الْإِلَهِ إِيَّاكَ نُعْظِمُ.

لَأَنَّهُ نَظَرَ إِلَى تَوَاضَعِ أُمَّتِهِ، فَهَا مُنْذُ الْآنَ تُطَوِّبُنِي جَمِيعُ الْأَجْيَالِ. (اللازمة)

لَأَنَّ الْقَدِيرَ صَنَعَ بِي عِظَائِمَ وَقُدُوسَ اسْمُهُ، وَرَحْمَتُهُ إِلَى جِيلٍ فَجِيلٍ لِلَّذِينَ يَتَّقُونَهُ. (اللازمة)

صَنَعَ عِزًّا بِسَاعِدِهِ، وَشَتَّتَ الْمُتَكَبِّرِينَ بِذَهْنِ قُلُوبِهِمْ. (اللازمة)

حَطَّ الْمُقْتَدِرِينَ عَنِ الْكِرَاسِيِّ وَرَفَعَ الْمُتَوَاضِعِينَ، مَلَأَ الْجِيَاعَ مِنَ الْخَيْرَاتِ، وَالْأَغْنِيَاءَ أَرْسَلَهُمْ فَارِغِينَ. (اللازمة)

عَضَدَ إِسْرَائِيلَ فَتَاهُ لِيَذْكَرَ رَحْمَتَهُ، كَمَا قَالَ لِأَبَائِنَا إِبْرَاهِيمَ وَنَسْلِهِ إِلَى الْأَبَدِ. (اللازمة)

(التاسعة) كُلُّ الْأَرْضِيِّينَ فَلْيَبْتَهِجُوا بِالرُّوحِ حَامِلِينَ الْمَصَابِيحَ، وَطَبِيعَةَ الْعَقْلِيِّينَ غَيْرِ الْهَيُولِيِّينَ فَلْتَحْتَفِلْ مَعًا، مُعَيَّدَةً لِمَوْسَمِ أُمِّ الْإِلَهِ الشَّرِيفِ وَهَاتِفَةً: إِفْرَحِي يَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِ النَّقِيَّةَ، الدَّائِمَةَ الْبَتُولِيَّةَ، وَالْكَلِيَّةَ الطُّوبَى.

الشماس: أَيْضًا وَأَيْضًا بِسَلَامٍ إِلَى الرَّبِّ نَطْلُبُ.

الجوق: يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنَا.

الشماس: أَعْضُدْ وَخَلِّصْ وَارْحَمْ وَاحْفَظْنَا يَا اللَّهُ بِنِعْمَتِكَ.

**Choir:** Lord, have mercy.

**Deacon:** Calling to remembrance our all-holy, immaculate, most-blessed and glorious Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints: let us commend ourselves and each other, and all our life unto Christ our God.

**Choir:** To Thee, O Lord.

**Priest:** For all the powers of Heaven praise Thee, and unto Thee do they ascribe glory: to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; now and ever, and unto ages of ages.

**Choir:** Amen.

Holy is the Lord our God. (*Thrice*)

Exalt ye the Lord our God, and worship at His footstool, for He is holy.

## THE SIXTH EOTHINON EXAPOSTEILARION IN TONE TWO

(\*\*Upon that mount in Galilee\*\*)

O Savior, clearly showing all \* that Thou art man by nature, \* when Thou wast risen from the tomb, \* Thou didst take food and didst eat; \* 'midst Thy disciples, Thou taughtest \* that they must preach repentance, \* then straightway Thou wast taken up \* to Thy heavenly Father, \* promising them \* to send down Thy Comforter soon thereafter. \* Transcendent God, both God and man, \* glory to Thine Arising.

## EXAPOSTEILARION AND THEOTOKION FOR THE SAINTS IN TONE THREE

(\*\*While standing in the temple's courts\*\*)

O Fathers of celestial mind \* of the great Seventh Council, \* with fervor pray the Trinity \* for us singing the praises \* of your divine and ven'erable \* and all-lauded gathering, \* that we may all be delivered \* from heretical error \* and from judgment eternal, \* and find the Kingdom of Heaven.

**الجوق:** يا رب ارحم.

**الشماس:** بعد ذكرنا الكليّة القداسة، الطاهرة، الفائقة البركات المجيدة، سيدتنا والدة الإله الدائمة البتولية مريم مع جميع القديسين، لنودع أنفسنا وبعضنا بعضاً وكلّ حياتنا للمسيح الإله.

**الجوق:** لك يا رب.

**الكاهن:** لأنه إياك تسبح كل قوّات السماوات، ولك يرسلون المجد أيها الأب والإبن والروح القدس، الآن وكلّ أوانٍ وإلى دهر الدهرين.

**الجوق:** آمين.

قُدوس هو الربُّ إلهنا. (ثلاثاً)

إزفَعوا الربَّ إلهنا، واسجدوا لموطي قدميه، لأنَّ الربَّ إلهنا قُدوس هو.

أيها المُخلِّص، لما قُمتَ مِنَ القَبْرِ، أوْضَحْتَ ذاتَكَ إنساناً بالطَّبْع، لما انْتَصَبْتَ فِي وَسْطِ التَّلَامِيذِ، ثُمَّ أَكَلْتَهُمْ، وَعَلَّمْتَهُمْ مَعْمُودِيَّةَ التَّوْبَةِ، وَلِلْحِينِ صَعِدْتَ نَحْوَ أَبِيكَ السَّمَاوِيِّ، وَوَعَدْتَهُمْ بِإِرْسَالِ الْمُعْزِّي لَهُمْ، فَيَا أَيُّهَا الفائقُ اللاهوتِ، الإلهُ المُتَأَنِّسُ، المَجْدُ لِأَنْبِعَاتِكَ.

أيها الآباءُ السَّمَاوِيُّو العَزمِ، المُتَنَبِّهُونَ فِي المَجْمَعِ السَّابِعِ، إزفَعُوا ابْتِهالاً مُتَواصِلًا لِلثَّالُوثِ، أَنْ يُنْقَذَ مِنْ كُلِّ أَرْتَقَةٍ، وَمِنَ الدَّيْنُونَةِ المُؤَبَّدَةِ، المادِحِينَ اجْتِمَاعَكُمْ الإلهِيَّ، وَأَنْ يَنالُوا مَلَكُوتَ السَّمَاوَاتِ.

O Lord, Thou Who art more than good, \* through the prayers of Thy Mother \* and of the Fathers who convened \* in the seven great Councils, \* establish and build up the Church \* and make firm the holy Faith; \* show us all forth as partakers \* of the Kingdom of Heaven \* when to earth Thou returnest \* to judge the whole of creation.

### AINOI (PRAISES) IN TONE EIGHT

Let everything that hath breath, praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord from the heavens: praise Him in the heights. To Thee, O God, is due our song.

Praise ye Him, all His angels: praise ye Him, all His hosts. To Thee, O God, is due our song.

### For the Resurrection in Tone Eight

*Verse 1. This glory shall be to all His saints.*  
Though Thou didst stand in judgment, O Lord, condemned by Pilate, Thou didst not vacate Thy throne, sitting with the Father. Thou didst arise from the dead, releasing the world from the bondage of the stranger; for Thou art compassionate and the Lover of mankind.

*Verse 2. Praise God in His sanctuary; praise Him in the firmament of His power.*

Though, O Lord, the Jews placed Thee in a grave like dead, the soldiers guarded Thee as a slumbering King; and as a Treasure of life, they sealed Thee. But Thou didst rise and grant incorruptibility to our souls.

*Verse 3. Praise Him for His mighty acts; praise Him according to His excellent greatness.*

Thou didst give us Thy Cross, O Lord, as a weapon against Diabolus, who, unable to behold its power, doth fear and tremble; for it raiseth the dead and hath annulled death. Wherefore, do we worship Thy Burial and Resurrection.

أَيُّهَا الْفَائِقُ الصَّلَاحِ، بِشَفَاعَاتِ وَالِدَتِكَ وَالْآبَاءِ  
الَّذِينَ اجْتَمَعُوا فِي الْمَجَامِعِ السَّبْعَةِ، ثَبَّتْ  
الْكَنِيسَةَ وَأَيَّدَ الْإِيمَانَ، وَاجْعَلْنَا جَمِيعاً شُرَكَاءَ  
فِي مَلَكُوتِ السَّمَاوَاتِ، عِنْدَمَا تَأْتِي إِلَى  
الْأَرْضِ لِتَدِينِ الْخَلِيقَةَ بِأَسْرِهَا.

كُلُّ نَسَمَةٍ فَلْتُسَبِّحِ الرَّبَّ. سَبِّحُوا الرَّبَّ مِنْ  
السَّمَاوَاتِ، سَبِّحُوهُ فِي الْأَعَالِي، لِأَنَّهُ لَكَ يَلِيقُ  
النَّسْبِيحُ يَا اللَّهُ.

سَبِّحُوهُ يَا جَمِيعَ مَلَائِكَتِهِ، سَبِّحُوهُ يَا سَائِرِ  
قُوَّاتِهِ، لِأَنَّهُ لَكَ يَلِيقُ النَّسْبِيحُ يَا اللَّهُ.

1- هَذَا الْمَجْدُ يَكُونُ لِجَمِيعِ أَنْبِرَارِهِ.

يَا رَبُّ، وَإِنْ كُنْتَ قَدْ وَقَفْتَ فِي الْحُكْمِ مُدَاناً  
مِنْ بِيلاطسَ، إِلَّا أَنَّكَ لَمْ تَخُلْ مِنَ الْكُرْسِيِّ  
جَالِساً مَعَ الْآبِ. وَقُمْتَ مِنْ بَيْنِ الْأَمْوَاتِ،  
وَأَعْتَقْتَ الْعَالَمَ مِنْ عُبودِيَّةِ الْغَرِيبِ، بِمَا أَنَّكَ  
رَوُوفٌ وَمُحِبٌّ لِلْبَشَرِ.

2- سَبِّحُوا اللَّهَ فِي قَدَيْسِيهِ، سَبِّحُوهُ فِي فَلَكِ  
قُوَّتِهِ.

يَا رَبُّ، وَإِنْ كَانَ الْيَهُودُ قَدْ وَضَعُوكَ فِي قَبْرِ  
كَمَائِتٍ، إِلَّا أَنَّ الْجُنْدَ كَانُوا يَحْرَسُونَكَ كَمَلِكٍ  
رَاقِدٍ، وَمِثْلَ كَنْزِ حَيَاةٍ خَتَمُوا عَلَيْكَ بِخَتْمٍ. إِلَّا  
أَنَّكَ قُمْتَ وَمَنْحَتَ عَدَمَ الْبَلَى لِنُفُوسِنَا.

3- سَبِّحُوهُ عَلَى مَقْدَرَتِهِ، سَبِّحُوهُ نَظِيرَ كَثْرَةِ  
عَظَمَتِهِ.

يَا رَبُّ، لَقَدْ أَعْطَيْتَنَا صَالِبِيكَ سِلَاحاً عَلَى  
الْمَحَالِ، لِأَنَّهُ يَرْهَبُ وَيَزْتَعِدُّ إِذْ لَا يَحْتَمِلُ أَنْ  
يَرَى قُوَّتَهُ، لِأَنَّهُ يُقِيمُ الْمَوْتَى وَقَدْ عَطَلَ  
الْمُتُونَ. لِذَلِكَ نَسْجُدُ لِذَفْنِكَ وَقِيَامَتِكَ.

**Verse 4.** Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet; praise Him with the psaltery and harp.

The angel proclaiming Thy Resurrection, O Lord, did frighten the guards; but to the women he cried out, saying: Why seek ye the Living among the dead? Verily, He hath risen, being God and hath granted life to the universe.

**For the Holy Fathers in Tone Six (\*\*Having laid up all their hope\*\*)**

**Verse 5.** Praise Him with the timbrel and dance; praise Him with stringed instruments and organs.

Making careful inquiry, \* with the Divine Spirit's guidance, \* and joining together all \* knowledge of things spiritual, \* as the scribes of God, \* the august Fathers wrote \* the celestial Symbol, \* the august Creed of our holy Faith, \* wherein they clearly teach \* that, with His Begetter, the Word of God \* is also co-beginningless \* and is consubstantial with Him in truth. \* For these godly-minded, \* all-glorious, and truly blessed Saints \* openly followed with fervent faith \* all that the Apostles taught.

**Verse 6.** Praise Him upon the loud cymbals: praise Him upon the high-sounding cymbals. Let everything that hath breath praise the Lord.

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4- سَبِّحُوهُ بِلَحْنِ البوقِ، سَبِّحُوهُ بِالْمِزْمَارِ  
والقيثارة.

يا رَبُّ، إِنَّ المَلَائِكَةَ المُنادِيَةَ بِقيامَتِكَ، أَمَّا  
للحُرَّاسِ فَأَرْهَبَ، وَأَمَّا لِلنِّسْوَةِ فَهَتَفَ قَائِلًا: لِمَ  
تَطْلُبْنَ الحَيِّ مَعَ المَوْتَى؟ قد قامَ بما أَنَّهُ إِلَهُ،  
وَمَنَحَ الحَيَاةَ لِلْمَسْكُونَةِ.

5- سَبِّحُوهُ بِالطَّبَلِ والمِصْرافِ، سَبِّحُوهُ  
بالأوتارِ وآلةِ الطرب.

إِنَّ الآبَاءَ المُوقِّرِينَ المَجِيدِينَ، الكَلْبِيِّ السَّعَادَةِ،  
والمُتَأَلِّهِ العِزْمَ بالحِقيقةِ، لَمَّا نَظَمُوا عِلْمَ  
النَّفْسِ بِجُمْلَتِهِ، وَتَأَمَّلُوا فِيهِ مَعاً بِدِقَّةٍ، بِالرُّوحِ  
الإِلَهِيِّ، رَقَمُوا بِكِتابَةِ إِلهِيَّةِ الدُّسْتورِ السَّماويِّ  
الشَّرِيفِ، الَّذِي فِيهِ يُعَلِّمُونَ جَلِيًّا بِأَنَّ الكَلِمَةَ  
مُساوٍ لِلابِ في الأَزَلِيَّةِ والجَوْهَرِ حَقِيقَةً،  
مُتَّبِعِينَ تَعالِيمَ الرُّسُلِ بِأَجلى بَيانٍ.

6- سَبِّحُوهُ بِنَعْمَاتِ الصُّنوجِ، سَبِّحُوهُ بِصُنوجِ  
التَّهْلِيلِ. كُلُّ نَسَمَةٍ فَلتَسبِّحِ الرَّبَّ.

إِنَّ الآبَاءَ المُوقِّرِينَ المَجِيدِينَ، الكَلْبِيِّ السَّعَادَةِ،  
والمُتَأَلِّهِ العِزْمَ بالحِقيقةِ، لَمَّا نَظَمُوا عِلْمَ  
النَّفْسِ بِجُمْلَتِهِ، وَتَأَمَّلُوا فِيهِ مَعاً بِدِقَّةٍ، بِالرُّوحِ  
الإِلَهِيِّ، رَقَمُوا بِكِتابَةِ إِلهِيَّةِ الدُّسْتورِ السَّماويِّ  
الشَّرِيفِ، الَّذِي فِيهِ يُعَلِّمُونَ جَلِيًّا بِأَنَّ الكَلِمَةَ  
مُساوٍ لِلابِ في الأَزَلِيَّةِ والجَوْهَرِ حَقِيقَةً،  
مُتَّبِعِينَ تَعالِيمَ الرُّسُلِ بِأَجلى بَيانٍ.

*Verse 7. Blessed art Thou, O Lord, the God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified by Thy Name forever.*

Since Christ's heralds had received \* all of the spiritual brightness \* of the Holy Spirit's light, \* and had been inspired of God, \* they proclaimed to all \* that divine oracle \* filled with wondrous wisdom, \* which, though few in words, is great in breadth. \* For they who staunchly fought \* for the Gospel's doctrines and for divine \* traditions clearly had received \* holy revelation from God on high; \* and being enlightened, \* those blessed Fathers set forth for the world \* that holy Faith which was taught of God, \* making known eternal truth.

*Verse 8. Gather together unto Him His holy ones who have established His covenant upon sacrifices.*

As true servants of Christ God, \* the godly shepherds assembled \* all their wise experience \* as the shepherds of the flock; \* and with godly zeal, \* stirring up righteous wrath, \* they wrought righteous judgment, \* driving off diseased and grievous wolves, \* when, with the Spirit's sling, \* they expelled them all from the Church's ranks, \* as fallen even unto death, \* stricken with a malady past all cure. \* For the holy Fathers \* were ven'erable initiates and seers \* of the divine preaching from on high, \* teaching sacred mysteries.

7- مُبَارَكٌ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ إِلَهُ آبَائِنَا، مُسَبَّحٌ  
وَمُمَجَّدٌ اسْمُكَ إِلَى الْأَبَدِ.

إِنَّ الْكَارِزِينَ بِالْمَسِيحِ الْمَغْبُوطِينَ، لَمَّا تَقَبَّلُوا  
مِصْبَاحَ الرُّوحِ الْقُدُسِ الْعَقْلِيِّ بِجُمْلَتِهِ، نَطَقُوا  
بِإِلْهَامِ إِلَهِيِّ بِالْوَحْيِ الْفَائِقِ الطَّبِيعَةِ، ذِي اللَّفْظِ  
الْيَسِيرِ وَالْمَفْهُومِ الْكَثِيرِ، مُتَصَدِّرِينَ بِالْعَقَائِدِ  
الْإِنْجِيلِيَّةِ وَالتَّقْلِيدَاتِ الْحَسَنَةِ الْعِبَادَةِ، الَّتِي لَمَّا  
اسْتَعْلَمْتُمْ لَهُمْ مِنْ الْعُلَى بِوُضُوحٍ، اسْتَتَارُوا  
وَأَثَبْتُوا الْإِيمَانَ الَّذِي تَلَقَّوهُ مِنَ اللَّهِ.

8- إِجْمَعُوا إِلَيْهِ أُبْرَارُهُ الَّذِينَ بَنَوْا عَهْدَهُ عَلَى  
الذَّبَائِحِ.

إِنَّ الرُّعَاةَ الْإِلَهِيِّينَ، بِمَا أَنَّهُمْ عَبِيدٌ أَخِصَاءُ  
لِلْمَسِيحِ، وَمُسَارُونَ كُلِّيُو الشَّرَفِ لِلْكَرَازَةِ  
الْإِلَهِيَّةِ، لَمَّا أَحْرَزُوا الْخُبْرَةَ الرُّعَائِيَّةَ بِجُمْلَتِهَا،  
وَاحْتَدَمُوا الْآنَ غَيْظًا بَعْدَلِ كُلِّيٍّ، طَرَدُوا بِحُكْمٍ  
حَقٍّ، عَنْ كَمَالِ الْكَنِيسَةِ، الذَّبَابَ الضَّارِيَّةَ  
الْمُفْسِدَةَ، وَرَجَمُوهَا بِمِقْلَاعِ الرُّوحِ، فَسَقَطَتْ  
كَأَنَّهَا إِلَى الْمَوْتِ، بِمَا أَنَّهَا مُعْتَلَّةٌ بِعِلَّةٍ لَا  
شِفَاءَ لَهَا.

## THE DOXASTICON OF THE HOLY FATHERS IN TONE EIGHT

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

When the rank of the holy Fathers flocked from the ends of the inhabited world, they believed in one Substance and one Nature of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, delivering plainly to the Church the mystery of discoursing in theology. Wherefore, in that we laud them in faith, we beatify them, saying: What a divine army, ye God-inspired soldiers of the camp of the Lord, ye most brilliant luminaries in the noetic firmament, ye impregnable towers of the mystical Zion, ye scented flowers of paradise, the golden lights of the Word, the boast of Nicaea and delight of the whole universe, intercede ceaselessly for our souls.

*Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.*

Most blessed art thou, O Virgin Theotokos, for through Him that was incarnate of thee is Hades despoiled, Adam is recalled from the dead, the curse is made void, Eve is set free, death is slain, and we are endowed with life. Wherefore, in hymns of praise, we cry aloud: Blessed art Thou, O Christ our God, Who is thus well pleased, glory to Thee.

## THE GREAT DOXOLOGY IN TONE EIGHT

Glory to Thee, who has shown us the Light. Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will among men.

We praise thee, we bless Thee, we worship Thee, we glorify Thee, we give thanks unto Thee for Thy great glory.

المَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ.

إِنَّ مَصَافَّ الآبَاءِ الْقَدِيسِينَ، لَمَّا تَقَاطَرُوا مِنْ  
أَقَاصِي الْمَسْكُونَةِ، إِعْتَقَدُوا بِجَوْهَرٍ وَاحِدٍ وَطَبِيعَةٍ  
وَاحِدَةٍ لِلآبِ وَالإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدْسِ، وَسَلَّمُوا إِلَى  
الْبَيْعَةِ سِرِّ التَّكَلُّمِ بِاللَّاهُوتِ تَسْلِيمًا جَلِيًّا. فَإذْ  
نَمَدَحَهُمْ عَنِ إِيمَانٍ، نُعَبِّطُهُمْ قَائِلِينَ: يَا لَكُمْ مِنْ  
جَيْشِ إلهِي، يَا جُنُودَ مُعَسِّكِرِ الرَّبِّ، اللَّاهِجِينَ  
بِالله. كَوَاكِبِ الْجَدِّ الْعَقْلِيِّ الْكَلِيَّةِ الضِّيَاءِ. يَا  
أَبْرَاجًا مَنِيْعَةً لِصِهْيُونَ السِّرِّيَّةِ. يَا أَزْهَارَ  
الْفِرْدَوْسِ الْعَطِرَةِ الشَّدَى، وَالْأَفْوَاهِ الدَّهَبِيَّةِ  
لِلْكَلمَةِ. يَا فَخْرَ نَيْقِيَّةَ، وَبَهْجَةَ الْمَسْكُونَةِ. تَشَفَّعُوا  
بِلا انْقِطَاعٍ مِنْ أَجْلِ نَفُوسِنَا.

الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَاهِرِينَ. آمِينَ.

أَنْتِ هِيَ الْفَائِزَةُ عَلَى كُلِّ الْبَرَكَاتِ، يَا وَالِدَةَ  
الإِلهِ الْعَذْرَاءِ، لِأَنَّ الْجَحِيمَ قَدْ سُبِّبَتْ بِوَأَسِطَةِ  
الْمُتَجَسِّدِ مِنْكَ، وَآدَمَ دُعِيَ ثَانِيَّةً، وَاللَّعْنَةَ بَادَتْ،  
وَحَوَاءَ انْعَقَّتْ، وَالْمَوْتَ أَمِيَتْ، وَنَحْنُ قَدْ حَيِينَا.  
فَالذِّكْرُ نُسَبِّحُ هَاتِفِينَ: مُبَارِكُ أَنْتِ أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ  
إِلَهُنَا، يَا مَنْ هَكَذَا سُرَّ، الْمَجْدُ لَكَ.

المَجْدُ لَكَ يَا مُظْهِرَ النُّورِ، الْمَجْدُ لِلَّهِ فِي  
الْعَلَاءِ، وَعَلَى الْأَرْضِ السَّلَامُ، وَفِي النَّاسِ  
الْمَسْرَّةُ.

نُسَبِّحُكَ نُبَارِكُكَ، نَسْجُدُ لَكَ نُمَجِّدُكَ، نَشْكُرُكَ  
مِنْ أَجْلِ عَظِيمِ جَلَالِ مَجْدِكَ.



O Lord, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty; O Lord, the only begotten Son, Jesus Christ; and the Holy Spirit.

O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, that takest away the sin of the world, have mercy on us, thou that takest away the sins of the world.

Receive our prayer, Thou that sittest at the right hand of the Father, and have mercy on us.

For Thou only art holy, Thou only art the Lord, O Jesus Christ, to the Glory of God the Father. Amen.

Every day will I bless Thee, and I will praise Thy Name forever; yea, forever and ever.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, to keep us this day without sin.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord God of our Fathers, and praised and glorified be Thy Name forever. Amen.

Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we do put our hope in thee.

Blessed art Thou, O Lord: teach me Thy statutes. (*Thrice*)

Lord, Thou hast been our refuge in all generations. I said: Be merciful unto me; heal my soul, for I have sinned against Thee.

Lord, I have fled unto Thee: teach me to do Thy will, for Thou art my God.

For with Thee is the fountain of life; in Thy light shall we see light.

O continue Thy lovingkindness unto them that know Thee.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal: have mercy on us. (*Thrice*)

أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الْمَلِكُ، السَّمَاوِيِّ، الإِلَهُ، الإَب، الضَّابِطُ الْكُلِّ. أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الإِبْنُ الْوَحِيدُ، يَا يَسُوعُ الْمَسِيحُ، وَيَا أَيُّهَا الرُّوحُ الْقُدُسُ.

أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ الإِلَهُ، يَا حَمَلَ اللَّهِ يَا ابْنَ الإَب، يَا رَافِعَ خَطِيئَةِ الْعَالَمِ ارْحَمْنَا، يَا رَافِعَ خَطَايَا الْعَالَمِ.

تَقَبَّلْ تَضَرُّعَنَا أَيُّهَا الْجَالِسُ عَنِ يَمِينِ الإَبِ وَارْحَمْنَا.

لَأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ وَحْدَكَ قُدُّوسٌ، أَنْتَ وَحْدَكَ الرَّبُّ يَسُوعُ الْمَسِيحُ، فِي مَجْدِ اللَّهِ الإَبِ، آمِينَ.

فِي كُلِّ يَوْمٍ أُبَارِكُكَ، وَأُسَبِّحُ اسْمَكَ إِلَى الأَبَدِ، وَإِلَى أَبَدِ الأَبَدِ.

أَهْلُنَا يَا رَبُّ أَنْ نُحْفَظَ فِي هَذَا الْيَوْمِ بِغَيْرِ خَطِيئَةٍ.

مُبَارَكٌ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ إِلَهَ آبَائِنَا، وَمُسَبِّحٌ وَمُمَجِّدٌ اسْمِكَ إِلَى الأَبَدِ، آمِينَ.

لِتَكُنْ يَا رَبُّ رَحْمَتُكَ عَلَيْنَا، كَمَا تَكُنْ عَلَيْكَ.

مُبَارَكٌ أَنْتَ يَا رَبُّ عَلَّمَنِي حُقُوقَكَ. (ثَلَاثًا)

يَا رَبُّ مَلْجَأُ كُنْتُمْ لَنَا فِي جِيلٍ وَجِيلٍ، أَنَا قُلْتُ يَا رَبُّ ارْحَمْنِي وَاشْفِ نَفْسِي لِأَنِّي قَدْ خَطِئْتُ إِلَيْكَ.

يَا رَبُّ إِلَيْكَ لَجَأْتُ فَعَلَّمَنِي أَنْ أَعْمَلَ رِضَاكَ، لِأَنَّكَ أَنْتَ هُوَ إِلَهِي.

لِأَنَّ مِنْ قِبَلِكَ عَيْنُ الْحَيَاةِ، وَبِنُورِكَ نَعَايُنُ النُّورَ.

فَابْسُطْ رَحْمَتَكَ عَلَى الَّذِينَ يَعْرِفُونَكَ.

قُدُّوسُ اللَّهِ، قُدُّوسُ الْقَوِيِّ، قُدُّوسُ الَّذِي لَا يَمُوتُ ارْحَمْنَا. (ثَلَاثًا)

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

الْمَجْدُ لِلآبِ وَالْإِبْنِ وَالرُّوحِ الْقُدُّوسِ.

Both now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

الآنَ وَكُلَّ أَوَانٍ وَإِلَى دَهْرِ الدَّاهِرِينَ، آمِينَ.

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

قُدُّوسٌ الَّذِي لَا يَمُوتُ ارْحَمْنَا.

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

قُدُّوسُ اللَّهِ، قُدُّوسُ الْقَوِيِّ، قُدُّوسُ الَّذِي لَا يَمُوتُ ارْحَمْنَا.

### TROPARION IN TONE EIGHT

Having risen from the tomb, and having burst the bonds of Hades, Thou didst loose the condemnation of Death, O Lord, releasing all mankind from the snares of the enemy. Having manifested Thyself to Thine Apostles, Thou didst send them forth to proclaim Thee; and through them Thou hast granted Thy peace unto the civilized world, O Thou Who alone art plenteous in mercy.

إِذْ قُمْتَ يَا رَبُّ مِنَ الْقَبْرِ، وَقَطَّعْتَ رِبَاطَاتِ الْجَحِيمِ، غَلَبْتَ حُكُومَةَ الْمَوْتِ، وَأَنْقَذْتَ الْكُلَّ مِنْ فِخَاخِ الْعَدُوِّ، وَلَمَّا أَظْهَرْتَ ذَاتَكَ لِرُسُلِكَ أَرْسَلْتَهُمْ إِلَى الْكِرَازَةِ، وَمَنْحْتَ بِهِمْ سَلَامَكَ لِلْمَسْكُونَةِ يَا جَزِيلَ الرَّحْمَةِ وَحْدَكَ.



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