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The memory of St. George the Great-martyr is transferred to this day from April 23.

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at Vespers

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Memory of the Holy Great-martyr George

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Ἡ μνήμη τοῦ Ἁγίου Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου μετατίθεται εἰς τὴν σήμερον ἀπὸ τῆς 23ης Ἀπριλίου.

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ΕΣΠΕΡΙΝΟΣ

VESPERS

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

PRIEST

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

CHOIR

Amen.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἦχος πλ. α'.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι...

PRIEST

Mode pl. 1.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs... [GOA]

ΧΟΡΟΣ

...ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

CHOIR

...He has granted life.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι...

PRIEST

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PRIEST

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ΧΟΡΟΣ

...ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Στίχ. α΄. Ἀναστήτω ὁ Θεός, καὶ διασκορπισθήτωσαν οἱ ἐχθροὶ αὐτοῦ, καὶ φυγέτωσαν ἀπὸ προσώπου αὐτοῦ οἱ μισοῦντες αὐτόν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Στίχ. β΄. Ὡς ἐκλείπει καπνός, ἐκλιπέτωσαν· ὡς τήκεται κηρὸς ἀπὸ προσώπου πυρός.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Στίχ. γ΄. Οὕτως ἀπολοῦνται οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ Θεοῦ. Καὶ οἱ δίκαιοι εὐφρανθήτωσαν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

CHOIR

...He has granted life.

PRIEST

Verse 1: *Let God arise, and let His enemies be scattered, and let those who hate Him flee from before His face.*

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

Verse 2: *As smoke vanishes, so let them vanish, as wax melts before the fire.*

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

Verse 3: *So shall the sinners perish from the face of God. And let the righteous be glad.*

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Στίχ. δ'. Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν αὐτῇ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας...

ΧΟΡΟΣ

...καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

PRIEST

Verse 4: *This is the day the Lord made; let us greatly rejoice and be glad therein.*

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death... [GOA]

CHOIR

...and to those in the tombs He has granted life.

DEACON

In peace let us pray to the Lord.

CHOIR (after each petition)

Lord, have mercy.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

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

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

Ἐπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEACON

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

ᾠχος β΄.

Κύριε ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, εἰσάκουσόν μου, εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε. Κύριε, ἐκέκραξα πρὸς σέ, εἰσάκουσόν μου· πρόσχες τῇ φωνῇ τῆς δεήσεώς μου, ἐν τῷ κεκραγένοι με πρὸς σέ. Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε.

Κατευθυνθήτω ἡ προσευχή μου, ὡς θυμίαμα ἐνώπιόν σου, ἔπαρσις τῶν χειρῶν μου θυσία ἑσπερινή. Εἰσάκουσόν μου, Κύριε.

Στιχηρὰ Ἀναστάσιμα.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

Στιχηρὸν Α΄. ᾠχος β΄.

Ἐκ βαθέων ἐκέκραξά σοι, Κύριε· Κύριε, εἰσάκουσον τῆς φωνῆς μου.

Τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων ἐκ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα, τὸν Θεὸν Λόγον σαρκωθέντα, ἐκ Παρθένου Μαρίας, δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν· Σταυρὸν γὰρ ὑπομείνας, τῇ ταφῇ παρεδόθη, ὡς αὐτὸς

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

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

CHOIR

To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Amen.

CHOIR

Mode 2.

Lord, I have cried to You; hear me. Hear me, O Lord. Lord, I have cried to You; hear me. Give heed to the voice of my supplication when I cry to You. Hear me, O Lord. [SAAS]

Let my prayer be set forth before You as incense, the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice. Hear me, O Lord. [SAAS]

Resurrectional Stichera.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Sticheron 1. Mode 2.

Out of the depths I have cried to You, O Lord; O Lord, hear my voice. [SAAS]

He who was begotten of the Father before all ages, God the Logos, became incarnate of the Virgin Mary. Come let us worship Him. He endured the Cross and submitted to burial, as

ἠθέλησε· καὶ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, ἔσωσέ με τὸν πλανώμενον ἄνθρωπον.

Στιχηρὸν Β΄. Ἦχος β΄.

Γενηθῆτω τὰ ὦτά σου προσέχοντα εἰς τὴν φωνὴν τῆς δεήσεώς μου.

Χριστὸς ὁ Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, τὸ καθ' ἡμῶν χειρόγραφον, προσηλώσας τῷ Σταυρῷ, ἐξήλειψε, καὶ τοῦ θανάτου τὸ κράτος κατήργησε. Προσκυνοῦμεν αὐτοῦ τὴν τριήμερον ἕγερσιν.

Στιχηρὸν Γ΄. Ἦχος β΄.

Ἐὰν ἀνομίας παρατηρήσης, Κύριε Κύριε, τίς ὑποστήσεται; ὅτι παρὰ σοὶ ὁ ἰλασμός ἐστιν.

Σὺν Ἀρχαγγέλοις ὑμνήσωμεν, Χριστοῦ τὴν Ἀνάστασιν· αὐτὸς γὰρ Λυτρωτὴς ἐστὶ καὶ Σωτὴρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν· καὶ ἐν δόξῃ φοβερά, καὶ κραταιᾷ δυνάμει, πάλιν ἔρχεται, κρῖναι κόσμον ὃν ἔπλασεν.

Στιχηρὸν Δ΄. Ἦχος β΄.

Ἐνεκεν τοῦ ὀνόματός σου ὑπέμεινά σε, Κύριε, ὑπέμεινεν ἡ ψυχὴ μου εἰς τὸν λόγον σου. Ἦλπισεν ἡ ψυχὴ μου ἐπὶ τὸν Κύριον.

Σὲ τὸν σταυρωθέντα καὶ ταφέντα, Ἄγγελος ἐκήρυξε Δεσπότην, καὶ ἔλεγε ταῖς γυναῖξί· Δεῦτε ἴδετε, ὅπου ἔκειτο ὁ Κύριος· ἀνέστη γάρ, καθὼς εἶπεν, ὡς παντοδύναμος· διό σε προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν μόνον ἀθάνατον. Ζωοδότα Χριστέ, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

He so willed. And then He rose from the dead, and He saved me and all humanity who had gone astray. [GOASD]

Sticheron 2. Mode 2.

Let Your ears be attentive to the voice of my supplication. [SAAS]

Christ our Savior nailed to the Cross the bond which stood against us, and thus He canceled it; and He destroyed the power of death. We worship His rising on the third day.

[GOASD]

Sticheron 3. Mode 2.

If You, O Lord, should mark transgression, O Lord, who would stand? For there is forgiveness with You. [SAAS]

Let us join the Archangels and extol the Resurrection of Christ. He is the Redeemer and Savior of our souls; and He will come again, in awesome glory and mighty power, to judge the world which He created. [GOASD]

Sticheron 4. Mode 2.

Because of Your law, O Lord, I waited for You; my soul waited for Your word. My soul hopes in the Lord. [SAAS]

After You were crucified and buried, an Angel declared to the women that You are the Master, and he said to them, “Come, see the place where the Lord lay. He has risen, as He said; for He is almighty.” We therefore worship You, the only immortal One. O Christ the Giver of Life, have mercy on us. [GOASD]

Στιχηρά. Τοῦ Ἁγίου.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄. Αὐτόμελον.

Ἀπὸ φυλακῆς πρωΐας μέχρι νυκτός· ἀπὸ φυλακῆς πρωΐας ἐλπισάτω Ἰσραὴλ ἐπὶ τὸν Κύριον.

Ὡς γενναῖον ἐν Μάρτυσιν, ἀθλοφόρε Γεώργιε, συνελθόντες σήμερον, εὐφημοῦμέν σε, ὅτι τὸν δρόμον τετέλεκας, τὴν πίστιν τετήρηκας, καὶ ἐδέξω ἐκ Θεοῦ, τὸν τῆς νίκης σου στέφανον, ὃν ἰκέτευε, ἐκ φθορᾶς καὶ κινδύνων λυτρωθῆναι, τοὺς ἐν πίστει ἐκτελοῦντας, τὴν ἀεισέβαστον μνήμην σου.

Ὅτι παρὰ τῷ Κυρίῳ τὸ ἔλεος καὶ πολλὴ παρ' αὐτῷ λύτρωσις, καὶ αὐτὸς λυτρώσεται τὸν Ἰσραὴλ ἐκ πασῶν τῶν ἀνομιῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ῥωμαλέω φρονήματι, πεποιθὼς ἠὺτομόλησας, ὥσπερ λέων ἔνδοξε, πρὸς τὴν ἄθλησιν, ὑπερορῶν μὲν τοῦ σώματος, ὡς φθείρεσθαι μέλλοντος, τῆς ἀφθάρτου δὲ ψυχῆς, σοφῶς ἐπιμελούμενος, καὶ κολάσεων, πολυτρόποις ιδέαις ἐπυρώθης, ὡς χρυσὸς κεκαθαρμένος, ἐπταπλασίως Γεώργιε.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον, πάντα τὰ ἔθνη, ἐπαινέσατε αὐτόν, πάντες οἱ λαοί.

Τῷ Σωτῆρι συνέπαθες, καὶ θανάτῳ τὸν θάνατον, ἐκουσίως ἔνδοξε μιμησάμενος, συμβασιλεύεις λαμπρότατα, πορφύραν ἐξ αἵματος, ἐνδυσάμενος φαιδράν, καὶ τῷ σκήπτρῳ τῶν ἄθλων σου, ἐγκοσμούμενος, καὶ

Stichera. For the Saint.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4. Automelon.

Ὡς γενναῖον ἐν Μάρτυσι.

From the morning watch until night; from the morning watch until night, let Israel hope in the Lord. [SAAS]

To a brave one in martyr saints * we pay tribute to you today * gathered here together, victorious St. George. * For you completed the martyr's course; * devoutly you kept the faith; * and from God you have received * laurel crowns for your victory. * Therefore supplicate * that He free from corruption and from dangers * those who loyally now honor * your ever-ven'erable memory. [SD]

For with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is abundant redemption; and He shall redeem Israel from all his transgressions. [SAAS]

With a valiant attitude * as a lion you earnestly * advanced to the contest, O glorious St. George, * thus overlooking your physical * body that would decompose, * wisely caring for your soul * which remains incorruptible. * And when you endured * many methods of torture, you, O Martyr, * were refined like gold in fire * seven times over and purified. [SD]

Praise the Lord, all you Gentiles; praise Him, all you peoples. [SAAS]

Voluntarily suffering * with the Savior, O holy one, * emulating His death by death through martyrdom, * you now majestically reign with Him, * attired in the radiant * purple garment dyed in blood, * and equipped with the scepter that * marks the champion's prize,

στεφάνῳ τῆς νίκης διαπρέπων, ἀπεράντους εἰς αἰῶνας, Μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε.

Ὅτι ἐκραταιώθη τὸ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἡ ἀλήθεια τοῦ Κυρίου μένει εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

Τῷ τῆς πίστεως θώρακι, καὶ ἀσπίδι τῆς χάριτος, καὶ Σταυροῦ τῷ δόρατι, συμφραζάμενος, τοῖς ἐναντίοις ἀνάλωτος, ἐγένου Γεώργιε, καὶ ὡς θεῖος ἀριστεύς, τῶν δαιμόνων τὰς φάλαγγας, τροπώσμενος, σὺν Ἀγγέλοις χορεύεις, τοὺς πιστοὺς δέ, περιέπων ἀγιάζεις, καὶ διασφάζεις καλούμενος.

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Μηναιίου ---

Ἦχος πλ. β'.

Ἀξίως τοῦ ὀνόματος, ἐπολιτεύσω στρατιῶτα Γεώργιε· τὸν σταυρὸν γὰρ τοῦ Χριστοῦ, ἐπ' ὤμων ἀράμενος, τὴν ἐκ διαβολικῆς πλάνης χερσωθεῖσαν γῆν ἐκαλλιέργησας, καὶ τὴν ἀκανθώδη θρησκείαν τῶν εἰδώλων ἐκριζώσας, τῆς Ὁρθοδόξου Πίστεως κληῖμα κατεφύτευσας· ὅθεν βλυστάνεις ἰάματα, τοῖς ἐν πάσῃ τῇ οἰκουμένῃ πιστοῖς, καὶ Τριάδος γεωργός, δίκαιος ἀνεδείχθης· Πρέσβευε δεόμεθα, ὑπὲρ εἰρήνης τοῦ κόσμου, καὶ σωτηρίας τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

Ἦχος β'.

Παρήλθεν ἡ σκιά τοῦ νόμου, τῆς χάριτος ἐλθούσης· ὡς γὰρ ἡ βάτος οὐκ ἐκαίετο καταφλεγόμενη, οὕτω παρθένος ἔτεκες,

* and distinguished with laurel crowns of vict'ry * unto never ending ages, * O great and glorious Martyr George. [SD]

For His mercy rules over us; and the truth of the Lord endures forever. [SAAS]

With the breastplate of pious faith * were you armed, and the shield of grace * and the spear of Christ's cross, O holy Martyr George. * And you became thus invincible * contending against the foes. * Therefore routing demons' ranks, * as a model of excellence, * now you celebrate * with the Angels, while caring for the faithful * whom you sanctify and rescue * when they invoke your exalted name. [SD]

Glory.

From Menaion ---

Mode pl. 2.

True to your name was the manner of your life, O George the Victorious. For taking up the cross of Christ on your shoulders, you tilled the earth parched by diabolical delusion. As you uprooted the thorny religion of the idols, you planted the vine of the Orthodox faith everywhere. Therefore you pour out healings for the faithful throughout the civilized world; and you have shown yourself to be a righteous husbandman of the Trinity. We beseech you: intercede for the peace of the world and the salvation of our souls. [SD]

Both now.

From Pentecostarion ---

Mode 2.

When grace came, the shadow of the Law passed away. The bush of old was not consumed, even as it was burning; likewise

καὶ παρθένος ἔμεινας· ἀντὶ στύλου πυρός,
δικαιοσύνης ἀνέτειλεν Ἥλιος, ἀντὶ Μωϋσέως
Χριστός, ἡ σωτηρία τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Εἴσοδον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ

Ἐσπέρας καὶ πρωὶ καὶ μεσημβρίας αἰνοῦμεν,
εὐλογοῦμεν, εὐχαριστοῦμεν καὶ δεόμεθά σου, Δέσποτα τῶν
ἀπάντων, φιλόνητο Κύριε. Κατεύθυνον τὴν προσευχὴν
ἡμῶν ὡς θυμίαμα ἐνώπιόν σου καὶ μὴ ἐκκλίνῃς τὰς καρδίας
ἡμῶν εἰς λόγους ἢ εἰς λογισμοὺς πονηρίας, ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς
ἐκ πάντων τῶν θηρευόντων τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν· ὅτι πρὸς σέ,
Κύριε, Κύριε, οἱ ὀφθαλμοὶ ἡμῶν καὶ ἐπὶ σοὶ ἠλπίσαμεν· μὴ
καταισχύνῃς ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

ΚΛΗΡΟΣ ΚΑΙ ΛΑΟΣ

ᾠχος β΄.

Φῶς ἱλαρὸν ἀγίας δόξης ἀθανάτου
Πατρός, οὐρανοῦ, ἀγίου, μάκαρος, Ἰησοῦ
Χριστέ, ἐλθόντες ἐπὶ τὴν ἡλίου δύσιν, ἰδόντες
φῶς ἑσπερινόν, ὑμνοῦμεν Πατέρα, Υἱὸν καὶ
ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, Θεόν. Ἄξιόν σε ἐν πᾶσι καιροῖς
ὑμνεῖσθαι φωναῖς αἰσίσαις, Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ζῶν ὁ
διδούς· * διὸ ὁ κόσμος σε δοξάζει.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐσπέρας προκείμενον.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Προκείμενον. ᾠχος βαρῦς.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ
Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

you, a virgin, gave birth and still remained
a virgin. Instead of the pillar of fire, the Sun
of righteousness has risen. Instead of Moses,
there is Christ, the salvation of our souls. [GOASD]

Stand for the Entrance.

DEACON (in a low voice)

Let us pray to the Lord.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

ENTRANCE PRAYER

In the evening, in the morning, and at midday, we
praise You, we bless You, we give thanks to You, and we
pray to You, Master of all, benevolent Lord. Let our prayer
be set forth before You as incense. Incline not our hearts to
evil words or thoughts, but deliver us all from those who
pursue our souls. For our eyes, O Lord, O Lord, are toward
You, and in You we hope. Leave us not embarrassed, O our
God.

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise.

CLERGY AND PEOPLE

Mode 2.

Gladsome light of holy glory of the holy,
blessed, heavenly, immortal Father, O Jesus
Christ: arriving at the hour of sunset and
having seen the evening light, we praise the
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, God. It is worthy
for You to be praised at all times with happy
voices, O Son of God and Giver of life; * and
therefore the world glorifies You. [SD]

DEACON

The evening Prokeimenon!

CHOIR

Prokeimenon. Grave Mode.

Who is so great a God as our God? You
alone are the God who does wonders. [SAAS]

Στίχ. Ἐγνώρισας ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς τὴν δύναμίν σου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

Στίχ. Καὶ εἶπα· Νῦν ἤρξάμην· αὕτη ἡ ἀλλοίωσις τῆς δεξιᾶς τοῦ Ὑψίστου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

Στίχ. Ἐμνήσθην τῶν ἔργων Κυρίου, ὅτι μνησθήσομαι ἀπὸ τῆς ἀρχῆς τῶν θαυμασιῶν σου.

Τίς Θεὸς μέγας, ὡς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν; σὺ εἶ ὁ Θεός, ὁ ποιῶν θαυμάσια μόνος.

Τὰ Ἀναγνώσματα

Τοῦ Μηναίου - - -

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Προφητείας Ἡσαΐου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Ἠσ μγ' 9 – 14

Τάδε λέγει Κύριος· Πάντα τὰ ἔθνη συνήχθησαν ἅμα καὶ συναθροῦνται ἄρχοντες ἐξ αὐτῶν. Τίς ἀναγγελεῖ ταῦτα ἐν αὐτοῖς; ἢ τὰ ἐξ ἀρχῆς, τίς ἀκουστὰ ποιήσει ἡμῖν; Ἀγαγέτωσαν τοὺς μάρτυρας αὐτῶν, καὶ δικαιωθήτωσαν. Καὶ εἰπάτωσαν ἀληθῆ. Γίνεσθέ μοι μάρτυρες, καὶ ἐγὼ μάρτυς Κύριος ὁ Θεός, καὶ ὁ παῖς, ὃν ἐξελεξάμην, ἵνα γνῶτε καὶ πιστεύσητε, καὶ συνῆτε, ὅτι ἐγὼ εἰμι. Ἐμπροσθέν μου οὐκ ἐγένετο ἄλλος Θεός, καὶ μετ' ἐμὲ οὐκ ἔσται. Ἐγὼ εἰμι ὁ Θεός, καὶ οὐκ ἔστι πάρεξ ἐμοῦ ὁ σὸφζων. Ἐγὼ ἀνήγγειλα

Verse: You made known Your power among the peoples.

Who is so great a God as our God? You alone are the God who does wonders.

Verse: I said, “Now I am beginning to see; this change is by the right hand of the Most High.”

Who is so great a God as our God? You alone are the God who does wonders.

Verse: I remembered the Lord’s works, for I will remember Your wonders of old.

Who is so great a God as our God? You alone are the God who does wonders.

The Readings

From Menaion - - -

READER

The reading is from the Prophecy of Isaiah.

DEACON

Wisdom. Let us be attentive.

READER

Is 43:9 – 14

Thus says the Lord: All the nations are gathered together, and the rulers shall be assembled from among them. Who will declare these things or tell us things from the beginning? Let them bring forth their witnesses, and be proven right; and let them speak the truth. “You are My witnesses, and I am a witness,” says the Lord God, “and My Servant whom I chose, that you may know and believe, and understand that I am He. Before Me there was no other God, nor shall there be after Me. I am God, and besides Me there is

καὶ ἔσωσα, ὠνεΐδισα, καὶ οὐκ ἦν ἐν ἡμῖν ἀλλότριος. Ὑμεῖς ἐμοὶ μάρτυρες, καὶ ἐγὼ Κύριος ὁ Θεός, ὅτι ἀπ’ ἀρχῆς ἐγὼ εἰμι, καὶ οὐκ ἔστιν ὁ ἐκ τῶν χειρῶν μου ἐξαιρούμενος. Ποιήσω, καὶ τίς ἀποστρέψει αὐτό; Οὕτω λέγει Κύριος ὁ Θεός, ὁ λυτρούμενος ἡμᾶς, ὁ Ἅγιος Ἰσραήλ.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Σοφίας Σολομῶντος τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Σολ γ' 1 – 9

Δικαίων ψυχαὶ ἐν χειρὶ Θεοῦ, καὶ οὐ μὴ ἄψηται αὐτῶν βάσανος. Ἔδοξαν ἐν ὀφθαλμοῖς ἀφρόνων τεθνάναι. Καὶ ἐλογίσθη κάκωσις ἢ ἔξοδος αὐτῶν, καὶ ἢ ἀφ’ ἡμῶν πορεία σύντριμμα, οἱ δὲ εἰσιν ἐν εἰρήνῃ. Καὶ γὰρ ἐν ὄψει ἀνθρώπων ἐὰν κολασθῶσιν, ἢ ἐλπίς αὐτῶν ἀθανασίας πλήρης. Καὶ ὀλίγα παιδευθέντες, μεγάλα εὐεργετηθήσονται, ὅτι ὁ Θεὸς ἐπέειπεν αὐτούς, καὶ εὗρεν αὐτοὺς ἀξίους ἑαυτοῦ. Ὡς χρυσὸν ἐν χωνευτηρίῳ ἐδοκίμασεν αὐτούς, καὶ ὡς ὀλοκάρπωμα θυσίας προσεδέξατο αὐτούς. Καὶ ἐν καιρῷ ἐπισκοπῆς αὐτῶν ἀναλάμπουσι, καὶ ὡς σπινθῆρες ἐν καλάμῃ διαδραμοῦνται. Κρινοῦσιν ἔθνη, καὶ κρατήσουσι λαῶν καὶ βασιλεύσει αὐτῶν Κύριος εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας, οἱ πεποιθότες ἐπ’ αὐτόν, συνήσουσιν ἀλήθειαν, καὶ οἱ πιστοὶ ἐν ἀγάπῃ προσμενοῦσιν αὐτῷ, ὅτι χάρις καὶ ἔλεος ἐν τοῖς ὀσίοις αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἐπισκοπὴ ἐν τοῖς ἐκλεκτοῖς αὐτοῦ.

no one who saves. I proclaimed, and I saved. I denounced foreign gods so there were none among you. You are My witnesses, and I am a witness,” says the Lord God. “Even from the beginning, there is no one who can deliver out of My hands; I will work, and who will reverse it?” Thus says the Lord God who redeems you, the Holy One of Israel. [SAAS]

READER

The reading is from the Wisdom of Solomon.

DEACON

Wisdom. Let us be attentive.

READER

WSol 3:1 – 9

The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torture will ever touch them. In the eyes of the undiscerning they seemed to have died, and their departure was considered to be misfortune, and their passage from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in man’s view they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Though chastened in a few things, great kindness will be shown them, for God tested them and found them worthy of Himself. He tested them like gold in a furnace and accepted them as a whole burnt offering. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and they will run about like sparks through straw. They will judge nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord shall reign over them unto the ages. Those who trust in Him will understand truth, and the faithful shall continue with Him in love,

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Σοφίας Σολομώντος τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Πρόσχωμεν.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Σολ ε΄ 15. ζ΄ 3

Δίκαιοι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα ζῶσι, καὶ ἐν Κυρίῳ ὁ μισθὸς αὐτῶν, καὶ ἡ φροντίς αὐτῶν παρὰ Ὑψίστῳ. Διὰ τοῦτο λήψονται τὸ βασίλειον τῆς εὐπρεπείας, καὶ τὸ διάδημα τοῦ κάλλους ἐκ χειρὸς Κυρίου, ὅτι τῆ δεξιᾷ αὐτοῦ σκεπάσει αὐτούς, καὶ τῷ βραχίονι ὑπερασπιεῖ αὐτῶν. Λήψεται πανοπλίαν, τὸν ζῆλον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ὀπλοποιήσει τὴν κτίσιν εἰς ἄμυναν ἐχθρῶν. Ἐνδύσεται θώρακα, δικαιοσύνην, καὶ περιθήσεται κόρυθα, κρίσιν ἀνυπόκριτον. Λήψεται ἀσπίδα ἀκαταμάχητον, ὀσιότητα, ὄξυνεῖ δὲ ἀπότομον ὄργην εἰς ῥομφαίαν. Συνεκπολεμήσει αὐτῷ ὁ κόσμος ἐπὶ τοὺς παράφρονas, πορεύσονται εὖστοχοι βολίδες ἀστραπῶν, καὶ ὡς ἀπὸ εὐκύκλου τόξου τῶν νεφῶν, ἐπὶ σκοπὸν ἀλοῦνται, καὶ ἐκ πετροβόλου θυμοῦ πλήρεις ριφήσονται χάλαζαι. Ἄγανακτήσει κατ' αὐτῶν ὕδωρ θαλάσσης, ποταμοὶ δὲ συγκλύσουσιν ἀποτόμως. Ἀντιστήσεται αὐτοῖς πνεῦμα δυνάμεως, καὶ ὡς λαῖλαψ ἐκλικμήσει αὐτούς, καὶ ἐρημώσει πᾶσαν τὴν γῆν ἀνομία, καὶ ἡ κακοπραγία περιτρέψει θρόνους δυναστῶν. Ἀκούσατε οὖν, Βασιλεῖς, καὶ σύνετε, μάθετε, δικασταὶ περάτων γῆς, ἐνωτίσασθε οἱ κρατοῦντες πλήθους, καὶ γεγαιρωμένοι

because grace and mercy are upon His elect [and He watches over His holy ones]. ^[SAAS]

READER

The reading is from the Wisdom of Solomon.

DEACON

Wisdom. Let us be attentive.

READER

WSol 5:15 – 6:3

The righteous live forever, and their reward is with the Lord; and their care is by the Most High. Therefore they shall receive a kingly dwelling of dignity and a crown of beauty from the hand of the Lord, because He will shelter them with His right hand and protect them with His arm. He will take His zeal as His full armor and will turn His creation into weapons against His enemies. He will wear righteousness as a breastplate and put on impartial judgment as a helmet. He will take holiness as an unconquerable shield and sharpen His relentless wrath for a sword; and creation will fight with Him against the senseless. Well-aimed flashes of lightning will strike and leap to their object as from a well-drawn bow of clouds; and hailstones full of anger will be hurled as from an engine of war. The water of the sea will be vexed with them, and the rivers will wash over them severely. A powerful wind will oppose them, and like a storm it will winnow them away. Lawlessness will lay waste all the earth, and wrongdoing will overturn the thrones of rulers. Listen therefore, O kings, and understand; learn, O judges of the ends of the earth. Give ear, you

ἐπὶ ὄχλοις ἐθνῶν, ὅτι ἐδόθη παρὰ Κυρίου
ἡ κράτησις ὑμῖν, καὶ ἡ δυναστεία παρὰ
Ἐψίστου.

Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

(*Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)*)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου
Εὐαγγελίου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου
τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πρόσχωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

20:19 – 25

Οὔσης ὀψίας τῆ ἡμέρα ἐκείνη τῆ μιᾶ τῶν
σαββάτων, καὶ τῶν θυρῶν κεκλεισμένων ὅπου
ἦσαν οἱ μαθηταὶ συνηγμένοι διὰ τὸν φόβον
τῶν Ἰουδαίων, ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς καὶ ἔστη εἰς
τὸ μέσον, καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. καὶ
τοῦτο εἰπὼν ἔδειξεν αὐτοῖς τὰς χεῖρας καὶ
τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ. ἐχάρησαν οὖν οἱ μαθηταὶ
ιδόντες τὸν Κύριον.

that rule over multitudes, and take pride in
yourself over a multitude of nations. For power
was given to you from the Lord, and your
lordship from the Most High. ^[SAAS]

The Gospel

DEACON

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

(*Lord, have mercy. (3)*)

DEACON

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the holy
Gospel.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

PRIEST

The reading is from the holy Gospel
according to John.

DEACON

Let us be attentive.

CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

PRIEST

20:19 – 25

On the evening of that day, the first day
of the week, the doors being shut where the
disciples were, for fear of the Jews, Jesus
came and stood among them and said to them,
“Peace be with you.” When he had said this, he
showed them his hands and his side. Then the
disciples were glad when they saw the Lord.

Εἶπεν οὖν αὐτοῖς ὁ Ἰησοῦς πάλιν· εἰρήνη ὑμῖν. καθὼς ἀπέσταλκέ με ὁ πατήρ, καγὼ πέμπω ὑμᾶς. καὶ τοῦτο εἰπὼν ἐνεφύσησε καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς· λάβετε Πνεῦμα Ἅγιον· ἂν τινῶν ἀφῆτε τὰς ἁμαρτίας, ἀφίενται αὐτοῖς, ἂν τινῶν κρατῆτε, κεκράτηνται.

Θωμᾶς δὲ εἷς ἐκ τῶν δώδεκα, ὁ λεγόμενος Δίδυμος, οὐκ ἦν μετ' αὐτῶν ὅτε ἦλθεν ὁ Ἰησοῦς. ἔλεγον οὖν αὐτῷ οἱ ἄλλοι μαθηταί· ἐωράκαμεν τὸν Κύριον. ὁ δὲ εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· ἐὰν μὴ ἴδω ἐν ταῖς χερσίν αὐτοῦ τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων, καὶ βάλω τὸν δάκτυλόν μου εἰς τὸν τύπον τῶν ἥλων, καὶ βάλω τὴν χεῖρά μου εἰς τὴν πλευρὰν αὐτοῦ, οὐ μὴ πιστεύσω.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

H EKTENHE

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

Jesus said to them again, “Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I send you.” And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and said to them, “Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.”

Now Thomas, one of the twelve, called the Twin, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, “We have seen the Lord.” But he said to them, “Unless I see in his hands the print of the nails, and place my finger in the mark of the nails, and place my hand in his side, I will not believe.” ^[RSV]

CHOIR

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

LITANY OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION

DEACON

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

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

DEACON

Lord, Ruler of all, God of our fathers, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

DEACON

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

CHOIR (after each petition)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου ἡμῶν (δεῖνος).

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

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, ὑγείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως, συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν τῶν κατοικούντων καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ, τῶν ἐνοριτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιερωτῶν τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀειμνήστων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας (ἢ τῆς ἁγίας μονῆς) ταύτης καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν προαναπαυσασμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς κειμένων καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ ὀρθοδόξων.

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

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ὁ λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τῆς εὐχῆς.

DEACON

Again we pray for pious and Orthodox Christians.

Again we pray for our Archbishop (name).

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

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

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

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

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Amen.

Stand for the reading of prayer.

ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἐσπέρα ταύτῃ, ἀναμαρτήτους φυλαχθῆναι ἡμᾶς. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς τῶν Πατέρων ἡμῶν, καὶ αἰνετὸν καὶ δεδοξασμένον τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας. Ἀμήν. Γένοιτο, Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καθάπερ ἠλπίσαμεν ἐπὶ σέ. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, Δέσποτα, συνέτισόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου. Εὐλογητὸς εἶ, ἅγιε, φώτισόν με τοῖς δικαιώμασί σου. Κύριε, τὸ ἔλεός σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα· τὰ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου μὴ παρίδῃς. Σοὶ πρέπει αἶνος, σοὶ πρέπει ὕμνος, σοὶ δόξα πρέπει, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΤΑ ΠΛΗΡΩΤΙΚΑ

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν ἑσπερινὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)

Παράσχου, Κύριε.

READER

O Lord, keep us this evening without sin. Blessed are you, O Lord, God of our fathers, and praised and glorified is your name to the ages. Amen. O Lord, let your mercy be upon us for we have set our hope in you. Blessed are you, O Lord, teach me your commandments. Blessed are you, Master, grant me understanding of your commandments. Blessed are you, Holy One, enlighten me with your commandments. Lord, your mercy is forever. Do not despise the works of your hands. To you is due praise, to you is due song, to you is due glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. ^[HC]

(Amen.)

LITANY OF COMPLETION

DEACON

Let us complete our evening prayer to the Lord.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

DEACON

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

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

DEACON

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

CHOIR (after each petition)

Grant this, O Lord.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

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

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

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

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

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

DEACON

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHOIR

To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνωμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ κλῖνας οὐρανοὺς καὶ καταβάς ἐπὶ σωτηρία τοῦ γένους τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ἐπιδε ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν κληρονομίαν σου· σοὶ γὰρ τῷ φοβερῷ καὶ φιλανθρώπῳ κριτῇ οἱ σοὶ δοῦλοι ὑπέκλιναν τὰς κεφαλὰς, τοὺς δὲ αὐτῶν ὑπέταξαν ἀχένας, οὐ τὴν ἐξ ἀνθρώπων ἀναμένοντες βοήθειαν, ἀλλὰ τὸ σὸν περιμένοντες ἔλεος καὶ τὴν σὴν ἀπεκδεχόμενοι σωτηρίαν· οὐς διαφύλαξον ἐν παντὶ καιρῷ καὶ κατὰ τὴν παροῦσαν ἐσπέραν καὶ τὴν προσιούσαν νύκτα ἀπὸ παντὸς ἐχθροῦ, ἀπὸ πάσης ἀντικειμένης ἐνεργείας διαβολικῆς καὶ διαλογισμῶν ματαιῶν καὶ ἐνθυμήσεων πονηρῶν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἐκφώνως)

Εἴη τὸ κράτος τῆς βασιλείας σου εὐλογημένον καὶ δεδοξασμένον, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ἡ Λιτή.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἰδιόμελον Α΄.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος α΄.

Ὁ λαμπρὸς ἀριστεὺς Γεώργιος, ἐν τῇ ἐνδόξῳ ἀθλήσει αὐτοῦ, τὰς ἄνω Δυνάμεις εὐφραίνει, καὶ σὺν αὐταῖς ἀγαλλόμενος νῦν, ἐπίγειον τοῖς πιστοῖς πανήγυριν ἤγειρε, καὶ συνορτάζειν ἡμῖν τοῖς δι' αὐτὸν ἠθροισμένοις, ὡς Χριστοῦ δοῦλος παραγέγονε. Διόπερ αὐτὸν ἀξίως τιμήσωμεν, ἀπαύστως πρεσβεύοντα τῷ τῶν ὅλων Θεῷ, δωρηθῆναι ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

DEACON

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

CHOIR

To You, O Lord.

PRIEST (in a low voice)

Lord our God, who inclined the heavens and came down for the salvation of humankind, look upon Your servants and Your inheritance; for they have bowed their heads and bent their necks to You, the fearsome yet compassionate Judge, not expecting human help, but awaiting Your mercy and anticipating Your salvation. Guard them at all times, this evening and the coming night, from every enemy, from all demonic activity against them, from unprofitable reflections, and from wicked thoughts.

PRIEST (aloud)

Blessed and glorified be the majesty of Your kingdom, of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

Procession and Litany.

CHOIR

Idiomelon 1.

From Menaion ---

Mode 1.

The illustrious and valorous George, in his glorious contest, gladdens the angelic hosts on high. And exulting now with them, he is throwing a festive celebration on earth for the faithful; and as a servant of Christ, he has come to celebrate with us who have gathered here for him. Therefore let us worthily honor him, as he unceasingly intercedes with the God of all, that great mercy be granted unto us. [SD]

Ἰδιόμελον Β΄.**ᾠχος α΄.**

Ἀριστείαις ἄθλων γεωργῶν τὰ κρείττονα,
τοὺς πόνους τῶν καρπῶν σου, τῷ Χριστῷ
προσήνεγκας, παμμακάριστε Μάρτυς
Γεώργιε, πίστει πόθον ἐνστησάμενος, ἐλπίδι
φόβον ἀπώσάμενος, ἀγάπη ἐκτίσω τὰ
οὐράνια πανεύφημε. Παρρησίαν οὖν ἔχων,
εὐπροσδέκτοις δεήσεσιν, αἴτησαι ταῖς ψυχαῖς
ἡμῶν τὴν εἰρήνην, ἰλασμόν τε ἁμαρτιῶν, καὶ
τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Ἰδιόμελον Γ΄.**ᾠχος α΄.**

Τοῦ μεγάλου Βασιλέως στρατιῶτα
Γεώργιε, χαῖρε καὶ εὐφραίνου· Θεῷ γὰρ
εὐηρέστησας, πάντων καταφρονήσας, ζωὴν
τὴν αἰώνιον εὔρες ἐν οὐρανοῖς· τὸ γὰρ σῶμα
σου πᾶσαν νόσον ἐξ ἀνθρώπων ἀπελαύνει·
Χριστὸς γὰρ ὃν ἐπόθησας, αὐτὸς σε δοξάζει
μακάριε.

Ἰδιόμελον Δ΄.**ᾠχος δ΄.**

Δεῦτε φιλομάρτυρες, ἄσματικὴν
ὕμνωδιαν, τῷ ἀναστάντι ἐκ τάφου Χριστῷ
προσάξωμεν. Σήμερον γὰρ ἔαρ νοητὸν
ἀνέτειλεν ἡμῖν, περκάζον ἄνθη τὰ λογικά,
ἡ παγκόσμιος μνήμη Γεωργίου τοῦ σοφοῦ
Μεγαλομάρτυρος, οὗ τινος τὰ στίγματα
ἀνανεοῦντες, κομιζόμεθα ἰαμάτων πηγᾶς.
Αὐτὸν καὶ νῦν ἱκετεύσωμεν, τοῦ πρεσβεύειν
ἀπαύστως τῷ Σωτῆρι Χριστῷ, εἰρήνην τῇ
οἰκουμένη δωρήσασθαι, καὶ ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν
τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Idiomelon 2.**Mode 1.**

You cultivated the higher things through
valor in the contests; and you offered the fruits
of your labors to Christ, O all-blessed Martyr
George. Through faith you started longing,
through hope you drove out fear, through love
you obtained the heavens, O all-lauded one.
Since you have intimate access to Him, with
acceptable entreaties pray for peace and pardon
of sins and great mercy for our souls. [SD]

Idiomelon 3.**Mode 1.**

Soldier of the great King, rejoice, O
George, and be glad. For you were pleasing
to God. You disdained all things and found
eternal life in heaven. Your body drives away
every illness from people. For Christ himself,
whom you so desired, glorifies you, O blessed
one. [SD]

Idiomelon 4.**Mode 4.**

O fans of the martyrs, come let us present
songful praise to Christ who is risen from the
tomb. For today has the spiritual springtime
opened to us, colored by the rational blossoms,
namely the universal memory of George the
wise Great-martyr. Reproducing his marks, we
derive wellsprings of cures. Let us now entreat
him to intercede unceasingly with Christ the
Savior to grant peace to the world and great
mercy to our souls. [SD]

Ἰδιόμελον Ε΄.

Ἦχος δ΄.

Πάντα τὰ ἔθνη κροτήσατε χεῖρας,
ἀλαλάζωμεν τῷ Θεῷ τῷ Σωτῆρι ἡμῶν, ὅτι ἐν
ξύλῳ ὑψωθείς, καὶ ἐν τάφῳ κατελθὼν, τὸν
Ἄδην ἐσκύλευσε, καὶ νεκροὺς συνήγειρε,
βοῶντας αὐτῷ· Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα,
Ἀλληλούϊα Χριστῷ τῷ ἀναστάντι.

Ἰδιόμελον Ϛ΄.

Ἦχος δ΄.

Στέφανον δόξης ἐπὶ κεφαλῆς σου
ἀνεδήσω, στεφανηφόρε Γεώργιε· τὸν γὰρ
ἀόρατον ἐχθρόν, ὡς ὁ Παῦλος ἐκβοᾷ, ὁρῶν
ἐκαρτέρησας, νικητὴς γενόμενος τῆς πλάνης
αὐτοῦ. Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα, Ἀλληλούϊα
Χριστῷ τῷ ἀναστάντι.

Ἰδιόμελον Ζ΄.

Ἦχος δ΄.

Ἄσμα ἁσμάτων χορεύοντες ἅμα,
προσενέγκωμεν τῷ Χριστῷ φιλομάρτυρες, ὅτι
τὸν τύραννον ἐχθρόν, ὁ γενναῖος Ἀθλητῆς,
περνίσας κατέβαλε· διὸ πάντες ἄσωμεν
ἀπαύστοις φωναῖς· Δόξα Σῶτερ τῆ φρικτῆ σου
ἀναστάσει, δι’ ἧς ἔσωσας τὸν κόσμον.

Δόξα.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος β΄.

Νευέτω δίκαια, ἔφησεν ὁ Σολομών,
τοῖς βροτοῖς τὰ βλέφαρα· ἐλεηθήσεται γὰρ
παρὰ Χριστοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ὁ βλέπων λεῖα,
προηγόρευσεν. Εὐμαρῶς δὲ ταῦτα ἐνωτισθεῖς,
ὃ πολύτλα Γεώργιε, τοῦ Δεσπότη ταῖς
διδασκαῖς ἠκολούθησας, καὶ ἀνόμοις ἐκδοθεῖς

Idiomelon 5.

Mode 4.

All you nations, clap your hands; let us
shout with joy to God our Savior. For He
was lifted on a cross, and went down into a
grave, and then plundered Hades and raised the
dead with himself. And they cried out to Him:
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia to the resurrected
Christ. [SD]

Idiomelon 6.

Mode 4.

Your head was crowned with a glorious
halo, O crowned Martyr George. For you saw
the invisible enemy, about which Paul spoke,
and you persevered and were victorious over
its deceptive error. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia,
to Christ, who has risen! [SD]

Idiomelon 7.

Mode 4.

O fans of the Martyrs, let us celebrate
with dance, as we offer to Christ a song of
songs. For the valiant Athlete struck the
tyrant foe with his heel and brought him
down. Therefore, let us all with unceasing
voices sing, “O Savior, glory to Your terrific
resurrection, by which You saved the world!”

[SD]

Glory.

From Menaion ---

Mode 2.

Let your eyelids assent to righteous things,
said Solomon to mortals; and he foretold
that he whose looks are gentle will be shown
mercy by Christ God. Having readily heard
these sayings, O much-enduring George, you
followed the teachings of the Master. When

ἐκαρτέρησας, τῆς πλάνης τὰ ὄργια καταπτύσας
ὡς βέβηλα· τὸ σῶμα γὰρ ὃ παρέδωκας,
ὑπὲρ ἀγάπης τοῦ πλάσαντος, ὅλον μεληδὸν
κατετέμνετο· καὶ ὁ Βελίαρ μᾶλλον, ὅλος
αἰσχυνθεὶς ἐπιτρώσκετο, στεφηφόρον σε
ὀρῶν ἀκμαϊότατον. Ὅθεν ἐν αὐλαῖς οἰκῶν τοῦ
Κυρίου σου, σὺν ταῖς ἄνω Δυνάμεσι, πρέσβευε
ἀθλοφόρε Χριστῶ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.**

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

Ἦχος β΄.

Τὴν πᾶσαν ἐλπίδα μου, εἰς σὲ ἀνατίθην,
Μήτηρ τοῦ Θεοῦ, φύλαξόν με ὑπὸ τὴν σκέπη
σου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ (μεθ' ἐκάστην δέησιν)

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ
ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ Ἀρχιεπισκόπου
ἡμῶν (δεῖνος).

Ἔτι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς,
εἰρήνης, υἰγείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως,
συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν τῶν
δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ
ὀρθοδόξων χριστιανῶν τῶν κατοικούντων
καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ,
τῶν ἐνοριτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ
ἀφιερωτῶν τῆς ἀγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ

you were delivered over to the lawless, you
endured, disdain the pagan ceremonies
as abominations. Your body, which you
relinquished for the love of the Fashioner, was
completely dismembered. But it was Belial,
rather, who was completely put to shame
and wounded, seeing you crowned and in the
prime of strength. And now, O medal-winning
Saint, as you dwell in the courts of your Lord,
together with the hosts on high, intercede with
Christ, for the salvation of our souls. ^[SD]

Both now. **Theotokion.**

From Octoechos - - -

Mode 2.

O Mother of God, I have committed my
every hope wholly unto you. Keep me under
your shelter. ^[SD]

DEACON

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

CHOIR (after each petition)

Lord, have mercy. (3)

DEACON

Again we pray for pious and Orthodox
Christians.

Again we pray for our Archbishop (name).

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

τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ [...] τῶν ἐπιτελούντων τὴν πανήγυριν ταύτην.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ διαφυλαχθῆναι τὴν Ἁγίαν τοῦ Χριστοῦ Μεγάλην Ἐκκλησίαν, τὴν Ἱερὰν ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπὴν (καὶ τὴν Ἱερὰν ταύτην Μητρόπολιν), καὶ τὴν πόλιν ταύτην, καὶ πᾶσαν πόλιν καὶ χώραν, ἀπὸ ὀργῆς, λοιμοῦ, λιμοῦ, σεισμοῦ, καταποντισμοῦ, πυρός, μαχαίρας, ἐπιδρομῆς ἄλλοφύλων, ἐμφυλίου πολέμου καὶ αἰφνιδίου θανάτου· ὑπὲρ τοῦ ἴλεων, εὐμενῆ καὶ εὐδιάλλακτον γενέσθαι τὸν ἀγαθὸν καὶ φιλόανθρωπον Θεὸν ἡμῶν, τοῦ ἀποστρέψαι καὶ διασκεδάσαι πᾶσαν ὀργὴν καὶ νόσον τὴν καθ' ἡμῶν κινουμένην, καὶ ρύσασθαι ἡμᾶς ἐκ τῆς ἐπικειμένης δικαίας αὐτοῦ ἀπειλῆς, καὶ ἐλεῆσαι ἡμᾶς.

Ἔτι δεόμεθα καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ εἰσακοῦσαι Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν φωνῆς τῆς δεήσεως ἡμῶν τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν, καὶ ἐλεῆσαι ἡμᾶς.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν, ὁ Θεός, ὁ σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, ἡ ἐλπίς πάντων τῶν περάτων τῆς γῆς καὶ τῶν ἐν θαλάσῃ μακρὰν· καὶ ἴλεως, ἴλεως γενοῦ ἡμῖν, Δέσποτα, ἐπὶ ταῖς ἀμαρτίας ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἐλεήμων γὰρ καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ὑπάρχεις, καὶ Σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνωμεν.

servants of God [...] who are celebrating this feast.

Again we pray for the protection of the Holy and Great Church of Christ, our Sacred Archdiocese (and this Sacred Metropolis), this city and every city and land, from wrath, famine, pestilence, earthquake, flood, fire, sword, foreign invasion, civil strife, and accidental death. That our good and benevolent God may be merciful, gracious, and forgiving, and may divert and disperse all anger and disease coming against us, and deliver us from His impending justified threat and have mercy on us.

Again we pray that the Lord our God may hear the prayer of us sinners, and have mercy on us.

PRIEST

Hear us, O God our Savior, the hope of all the ends of earth and of those far off at sea, and forgive us, O Master, forgive us our sins, and have mercy on us. For You are merciful and benevolent God, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

PRIEST

Peace be with all.

CHOIR

And with your spirit.

DEACON

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Σοί, Κύριε.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δέσποτα πολυέλεε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν,

πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἀσωμάτων, ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου ἐνδόξου προφήτου προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἐν ἁγίοις πατέρων ἡμῶν μεγάλων ἱεραρχῶν καὶ οἰκουμενικῶν διδασκάλων Βασιλείου τοῦ Μεγάλου, Γρηγορίου τοῦ Θεολόγου καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Χρυσοστόμου, Ἀθανασίου καὶ Κυρίλλου, Ἰωάννου τοῦ Ἐλεήμονος πατριαρχῶν Ἀλεξανδρίας· Νικολάου τοῦ ἐν Μύροις, Σπυρίδωνος ἐπισκόπου Τριμυθοῦντος, καὶ Νεκταρίου Πενταπόλεως τῶν θαυματουργῶν· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων μεγαλομαρτύρων Δημητρίου τοῦ μυροβλήτου, Θεοδώρου τοῦ τήρωνος, Θεοδώρου τοῦ στρατηλάτου, Μηνᾶ τοῦ θαυματουργοῦ· τῶν ἱερομαρτύρων Χαραλάμπους καὶ Ἐλευθερίου, τῆς ἁγίας ἐνδόξου μεγαλομάρτυρος καὶ πανευφήμου Εὐφημίας· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων μαρτύρων Θέκλας, Βαρβάρας, Ἀναστασίας, Αἰκατερίνης, Κυριακῆς, Φωτεινῆς, Μαρίνης, Παρασκευῆς καὶ Εἰρήνης· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ ἁγίου τοῦ ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου, οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν· καὶ πάντων σου τῶν ἁγίων·

εὐπρόσδεκτον ποίησον τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν· δώρησαι ἡμῖν τὴν ἄφεσιν τῶν παραπτωμάτων ἡμῶν· σκέπασον ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ σκέπῃ τῶν

CHOIR

To You, O Lord.

PRIEST

Most merciful Master, Lord Jesus Christ our God,

through the intercessions of our all-immaculate Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, by the power of the precious and life-giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, heavenly, bodiless powers, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, our fathers among the saints, the great hierarchs and ecumenical teachers Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian, and John Chrysostom; Athanasios, Cyril, and John the Merciful, patriarchs of Alexandria, Nicholas, bishop of Myra, Spyridon, bishop of Trimythous, Nektarios of Pentapolis, the wonderworkers; the holy, glorious, great martyrs Demetrios the myrrh-streamer, Theodore the soldier, and Theodore the general; Menas the wonderworker; Charalambos and Eleutherios, the hieromartyrs; the holy, glorious, and victorious martyrs; the glorious great Martyr and all-laudable Euphemia; the holy and glorious Martyrs Thecla, Barbara, Anastasia, Katherine, Kyriake, Fotene, Marina, Paraskeve and Irene; our venerable and God-bearing fathers; (local patron saint); holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna; the holy and glorious Great-martyr George the Trophy-bearer, whose memory we celebrate, and all Your saints:

Accept our prayer; grant us forgiveness of our transgressions; protect us under the shelter of Your wings; drive away from us

πτερύγων σου· ἀποδίωξον ἀφ' ἡμῶν πάντα ἐχθρὸν καὶ πολέμιον· εἰρήνευσον ἡμῶν τὴν ζώην· Κύριε, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς καὶ τὸν κόσμον σου, καὶ σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ ἢ ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ὑμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.

Θεοτόκε Παρθένε, χαῖρε κεχαριτωμένη Μαρία, ὁ Κύριος μετὰ σοῦ· εὐλογημένη σὺ ἐν γυναιξί, καὶ εὐλογημένος ὁ καρπὸς τῆς κοιλίας σου, ὅτι Σωτῆρα ἔτεκες τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐχή τῆς Ἀρτοκλασίας.

Κύριε, Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ εὐλογήσας τοὺς πέντε ἄρτους ἐν τῇ ἐρήμῳ καὶ ἐξ αὐτῶν πεντακισχιλίους ἄνδρας χορτάσας, αὐτὸς εὐλόγησον καὶ τοὺς ἄρτους τούτους, τὸν σῖτον, τὸν οἶνον καὶ τὸ ἔλαιον· καὶ πλήθυνον αὐτὰ ἐν τῇ πόλει (ἢ τῇ ἀγίᾳ μονῇ) ταύτῃ, καὶ τῷ κόσμῳ σου ἅπαντι· καὶ τοὺς ἐξ αὐτῶν μεταλαμβάνοντας πιστοὺς δούλους σου ἀγιάσον.

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ εὐλογῶν καὶ ἀγιάζων τὰ σύμπαντα, Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

every enemy and adversary; grant peace to our life; Lord, have mercy on us and on Your world; and save our souls, as You are good and benevolent.

PRIEST or: CHOIR

Hymn to the Theotokos.

O Virgin Theotokos, rejoice, Mary full of grace. The Lord is with you. Blessed are you among women, and blessed is the fruit of your womb; for you have borne the Savior of our souls. ^[SD]

DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

Blessing of the Loaves.

Lord, Jesus Christ our God, who in the wilderness blessed the five loaves and from them satisfied five thousand men, we pray You bless these loaves, this wheat, wine, and oil, and multiply them in this city, and throughout Your world; and sanctify Your faithful servants who partake of them.

For You are He who blesses and sanctifies all things, Christ our God, and to You we offer up glory with Your Father who is without beginning and Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

CHOIR

Amen.

ΚΛΗΡΟΣ

Πλούσιοι ἐπτώχευσαν καὶ ἐπείνασαν, οἱ δὲ ἐκζητοῦντες τὸν Κύριον οὐκ ἐλαττωθήσονται παντὸς ἀγαθοῦ.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

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ΧΟΡΟΣ

**Ἀπόστιχα.
Τὸ Ἀναστάσιμον.**

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

ᾠχος β΄.

Ἡ Ἀνάστασίς σου Χριστὲ Σωτήρ, ἅπασαν ἐφότισε τὴν οἰκουμένην, καὶ ἀνεκαλέσω τὸ ἴδιον πλάσμα. Παντοδύναμε Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

**Στιχηρὰ τοῦ Πάσχα.
ᾠχος πλ. α΄.**

Στίχ. α΄. Ἀναστήτω ὁ Θεός, καὶ διασκορπισθήτωσαν οἱ ἐχθροὶ αὐτοῦ, καὶ φυγέτωσαν ἀπὸ προσώπου αὐτοῦ οἱ μισοῦντες αὐτόν.

Πάσχα ἱερὸν ἡμῖν σήμερον ἀναδέδεικται· Πάσχα καινόν, Ἅγιον· Πάσχα μυστικόν· Πάσχα πανσεβάσμιον· Πάσχα Χριστὸς ὁ λυτρωτής. Πάσχα ἄμωμον· Πάσχα μέγα· Πάσχα τῶν πιστῶν· Πάσχα τὸ πύλας ἡμῖν τοῦ Παραδείσου ἀνοίξαν· Πάσχα, πάντας ἀγιάζον πιστούς.

CLERGY

Rich men turned poor and went hungry; but those who seek the Lord shall not lack any good thing. [SAAS]

CHOIR

Rich men turned poor and went hungry; but those who seek the Lord shall not lack any good thing. (2) [SAAS]

CHOIR

**Aposticha.
Resurrectional.**

From Pentecostarion ---

Mode 2.

Your resurrection has illumined the entire earth, O Savior Christ; and from the dead You summoned back Your creature. O almighty Lord, glory to You! [GOASD]

From Pentecostarion ---

**Stichera of Pascha.
Mode pl. 1.**

Verse 1: *Let God arise, and let His enemies be scattered, and let those who hate Him flee from before His face.*

Today a sacred Pascha has been revealed to us; a Pascha new and holy, a Pascha mystical, a Pascha all-venerable, Pascha, the Redeemer Christ himself; a Pascha that is blameless, a Pascha that is great, a Pascha of believers, a Pascha that has opened for us the gates of Paradise, a Pascha that sanctifies believers all. [SD]

Στίχ. β'. Ὡς ἐκλείπει καπνός,
ἐκλιπέτωσαν· ὡς τήκεται κηρὸς ἀπὸ προσώπου
πυρός.

Δεῦτε ἀπὸ θέας Γυναῖκες εὐαγγελίστριαι,
καὶ τῆ Σιών εἶπατε· Δέχου παρ' ἡμῶν χαρᾶς
εὐαγγέλια, τῆς Ἀναστάσεως Χριστοῦ·
τέρπου, χόρευε, καὶ ἀγάλλου Ἱερουσαλήμ,
τὸν Βασιλέα Χριστόν, θεασαμένη ἐκ τοῦ
μνήματος, ὡς νυμφίον προερχόμενον.

Στίχ. γ'. Οὕτως ἀπολοῦνται οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ
ἀπὸ προσώπου τοῦ Θεοῦ. Καὶ οἱ δίκαιοι
εὐφρανθήτωσαν.

Αἱ μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, ὄρθρου βαθέος,
ἐπιστᾶσαι πρὸς τὸ μνήμα τοῦ Ζωοδότου,
εὔρον Ἄγγελον, ἐπὶ τὸν λίθον καθήμενον,
καὶ αὐτὸς προσφθεγξάμενος, αὐταῖς οὕτως
ἔλεγε· Τί ζητεῖτε τὸν ζῶντα μετὰ τῶν νεκρῶν;
τί θρηνεῖτε τὸν ἄφθαρτον ὡς ἐν φθορᾷ;
ἀπελθοῦσαι κηρύξατε τοῖς αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς.

Στίχ. δ'. Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ
Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν
αὐτῇ.

Πάσχα τὸ τερπνόν· Πάσχα Κυρίου,
Πάσχα· Πάσχα πανσεβάσμιον ἡμῖν ἀνέτειλε·
Πάσχα ἐν χαρᾷ ἀλλήλους περιπτυξώμεθα·
ὦ Πάσχα, λύτρον λύπης· καὶ γὰρ ἐκ τάφου
σήμερον, ὥσπερ ἐκ παστοῦ, ἐκλάμψας
Χριστός, τὰ Γύναια χαρᾶς ἔπλησε λέγων·
Κηρύξατε Ἀποστόλοις.

Verse 2: *As smoke vanishes, so let them
vanish, as wax melts before the fire.*

Come now from that sight, O you women
and heralds of good news, and say to Zion,
“Receive from us the joyful tidings of the
Resurrection of Christ. O Jerusalem, be
exultant, dance and leap for joy, for you have
witnessed Christ the King coming forth as a
Bridegroom from the sepulcher.” ^[SD]

Verse 3: *So shall the sinners perish from
the face of God. And let the righteous be glad.*

The myrrh-bearing women at dawn very
early, standing outside the tomb of the Giver-
of-Life, found an Angel who was seated upon
the stone. And the Angel addressed them, and
this is what he said, “Why do you seek among
the dead the One who is alive? Why do you
grieve as though corruptible the Incorrupt? So
go back and proclaim it to His Disciples.” ^[SD]

Verse 4: *This is the day the Lord made;
let us greatly rejoice and be glad therein.*

Pascha of delight! Pascha, the Lord’s
Pascha! A Pascha all venerable has risen
for us. Pascha! With joy let us embrace one
another. Pascha, the ransom from sorrow!
Today from the sepulcher Christ emerged
resplendently as from a bridal chamber,
and the women He filled with joy, saying,
“Proclaim this to the Apostles.” ^[SD]

Δόξα. **Τοῦ Ἁγίου.**

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄.

Τὸν νοερὸν ἀδάμαντα, τῆς καρτερίας ἀδελφοί, πνευματικῶς εὐφημήσωμεν, Γεώργιον τὸν αἰόδιμον Μάρτυρα, ὃν ὑπὲρ Χριστοῦ πυρούμενον, ἐχάλκευσαν κίνδυνοι, καὶ ἐστόμωσαν βάσανοι, καὶ ποικίλαι κολάσεις ἀνήλωσαν, σῶμα τὸ φύσει φθειρόμενον· ἐνίκα γὰρ ὁ πόθος τὴν φύσιν, διὰ θανάτου πείθων τὸν ἐραστήν, διαβῆναι πρὸς τὸν ποθούμενον, Χριστὸν τὸν Θεόν, καὶ Σωτῆρα τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν.

Καὶ νῦν. **Τοῦ Πάσχα.**

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

Ἦχος πλ. α΄.

Ἀναστάσεως ἡμέρα, καὶ λαμπρυνθῶμεν τῇ πανηγύρει, καὶ ἀλλήλους περιπτυξώμεθα. Εἴπωμεν ἀδελφοί, καὶ τοῖς μισοῦσιν ἡμᾶς· Συγχωρήσωμεν πάντα τῇ Ἀναστάσει, καὶ οὕτω βοήσωμεν· Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

Ἦχος πλ. α΄.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου ---

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

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Τοῦ Ἁγίου.

Τοῦ Μηναίου ---

Ἦχος δ΄.

Ὡς τῶν αἰχμαλώτων ἐλευθερωτῆς, καὶ τῶν πτωχῶν ὑπερασπιστῆς, ἀσθενούντων

Glory. **For the Saint.**

From Menaion ---

Mode 4.

O brethren, let us spiritually extol that veritable diamond of endurance, George the illustrious Martyr. He was set on fire for the sake of Christ and forged by perils. Tortures trained him. Multiple martyrdoms devastated his body, which by nature was subject to decay. For love's longing overcame nature, persuading the lover to cross over, by means of death, to the loved One, Christ our God and the Savior of our souls. [SD]

Both now. **Of Pascha.**

From Pentecostarion ---

Mode pl. 1.

It is the day of the Resurrection. Let us shine brightly for the festival, and also embrace one another. Brethren, let us say even to those who hate us, "Let us forgive everything for the Resurrection." And thus let us cry aloud, "Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life." [SD]

Mode pl. 1.

From Pentecostarion ---

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

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For the Saint.

From Menaion ---

Mode 4.

As the one renowned for setting captives free and for defending those in poverty, the

ιατρός, βασιλέων ὑπέρμαχος, Τροπαιοφόρε
Μεγαλομάρτυς Γεώργιε, πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ
Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Ἦχος πλ. α΄.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ
θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι,
ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

ΠΡΟΕΣΤΩΣ ἢ ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Στερεώσαι Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς τὴν ἁγίαν καὶ
ἀμόμητον πίστιν τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ ὀρθοδόξων
χριστιανῶν σὺν τῇ ἁγία αὐτοῦ Μεγάλῃ
Ἐκκλησίᾳ, τῇ ἱερᾷ ἡμῶν Ἀρχιεπισκοπῇ, [τῇ
ἱερᾷ Μητροπόλει ταύτῃ] καὶ τῇ πόλει ταύτῃ εἰς
αἰῶνας αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα σοι, Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν Χριστὸς ὁ
ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν ταῖς πρεσβείαις
τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμόμου ἁγίας
αὐτοῦ Μητρός· δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ
ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ· προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων

physician of the sick and the champion of
emperors, great and victorious Martyr George,
intercede with Christ our God, beseeching Him
to save our souls. [SD]

Mode pl. 1.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Christ is risen from the dead, by death
trampling down upon death, and to those in the
tombs He has granted life. [GOA]

PRIEST

Let us pray to the Lord.

CHOIR

Lord, have mercy.

PRIEST

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

CHOIR

Amen.

HIERARCH or READER

The Lord God make firm the holy and pure
faith of the pious Orthodox Christians, together
with the Holy and Great Church of Christ, our
Sacred Archdiocese, [this Sacred Metropolis,]
and this city, to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

PRIEST

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

May He who rose from the dead, Christ
our true God, through the intercessions of
His all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother,
the power of the precious and life-giving
Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless

ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων ἀσωμάτων· ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων ἀποστόλων· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ ἁγίου τοῦ ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων θεοπατόρων Ἰωακείμ καὶ Ἄννης· καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου ἐνδόξου Μεγαλομάρτυρος Γεωργίου τοῦ Τροπαιοφόρου, οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν· καὶ πάντων τῶν ἁγίων ἐλεήσαι καὶ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος καὶ ἐλεήμων Θεός.

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη.

ΛΑΟΣ

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη.

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ΛΑΟΣ

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Δόξα τῇ ἁγίᾳ αὐτοῦ τριημέρῳ ἐγέρσει.

ΛΑΟΣ

Προσκυνοῦμεν αὐτοῦ τὴν τριήμερον ἔγερσιν.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Χριστὸς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν, θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, καὶ τοῖς ἐν τοῖς μνήμασι, ζωὴν χαρισάμενος.

powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious, and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, the holy and glorious Great-martyr George the Trophy-bearer, whose memory we celebrate, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, as He is good, benevolent, and merciful God.

Christ is risen!

PEOPLE

Truly He is risen!

PRIEST

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PRIEST

Glory to His holy Resurrection on the third day!

PEOPLE

We worship His Resurrection on the third day!

PRIEST

Christ is risen from the dead, by death trampling down upon death, and to those in the tombs He has granted life.

ΛΑΟΣ

Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος.

PEOPLE

Truly the Lord is risen!