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#### Βιβλία - Πηγαί

## Πεντηκοστάριον

Κυριακή τῆς Σαμαρείτιδος

Μηναῖον - ΤΗ Β΄ ΙΟΥΝΙΟΥ

#### ΟΡΘΡΟΣ

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Ήχος δ'.

Θεὸς Κύριος καὶ ἐπέφανεν ἡμῖν. Εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου.

**Στίχ. α΄.** Έξομολογεῖσθε τῷ Κυρίῳ καὶ ἐπικαλεῖσθε τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἅγιον αὐτοῦ.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Πάντα τὰ ἔθνη ἐκύκλωσάν με, καὶ τῷ ὀνόματι Κυρίου ἠμυνάμην αὐτούς.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Παρὰ Κυρίου ἐγένετο αὕτη καὶ ἔστι θαυμαστὴ ἐν ὀφθαλμοῖς ἡμῶν.

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - -

# Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον. Ήχος δ΄.

Τὸ φαιδρὸν τῆς ἀναστάσεως κήρυγμα, ἐκ τοῦ Ἁγγέλου μαθοῦσαι αἱ τοῦ Κυρίου Μαθήτριαι, καὶ τὴν προγονικὴν ἀπόφασιν ἀπορρίψασαι, τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις καυχώμεναι ἔλεγον· Ἐσκύλευται ὁ θάνατος, ἠγέρθη Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

## Δόξα. Τὸ αὐτό.

Τὸ φαιδρὸν τῆς ἀναστάσεως κήρυγμα, ἐκ τοῦ Ἁγγέλου μαθοῦσαι αἱ τοῦ Κυρίου Μαθήτριαι, καὶ τὴν προγονικὴν ἀπόφασιν ἀποὀρίψασαι, τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις καυχώμεναι ἔλεγον· Ἐσκύλευται ὁ θάνατος, ἠγέρθη

#### **Books - Sources**

#### **Pentecostarion**

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#### **CHOIR**

#### Mode 4.

God is the Lord, and He revealed Himself to us. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. [SAAS]

**Verse 1:** *Give thanks to the Lord and call upon His holy name.* 

**Verse 2:** All the nations surrounded me, but in the name of the Lord I defended myself against them.

**Verse 3:** And this came about from the Lord, and it is wonderful in our eyes.

From Octoechos - - -

# Resurrectional Apolytikion. Mode 4.

When the women disciples of the Lord heard the Angel joyously proclaim the resurrection, they cast aside the ancestral verdict, and boasting in glory they said to the Apostles, "Death has been despoiled! Christ God has risen, granting the great mercy to the world!" [GOASD]

# Glory. **Repeat.**

When the women disciples of the Lord heard the Angel joyously proclaim the resurrection, they cast aside the ancestral verdict, and boasting in glory they said to the Apostles, "Death has been despoiled! Christ

Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

Καὶ νῦν.

Άπολυτίκιον τῆς Έορτῆς.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Μεσούσης τῆς ἑορτῆς, διψῶσάν μου τὴν ψυχήν, εὐσεβείας πότισον νάματα· ὅτι πᾶσι Σωτὴρ ἐβόησας· Ὁ διψῶν, ἐρχέσθω πρός με καὶ πινέτω. Ἡ πηγὴ τῆς ζωῆς, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, δόξα σοι.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

"Ετι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ·** Σοί, Κύριε.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κάθισμα Α΄.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

God has risen, granting the great mercy to the world!" [GOASD]

Both now.

Apolytikion of the Feast.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Mode pl. 4.

O Lord, midway through the feast, give drink to my thirsty soul from the living waters of right belief. You, O Savior, proclaimed to everyone, "Let whoever is thirsty come to Me and drink." You are the fountain of life, O Christ our God. Glory to You! [5D]

#### **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 protect us, O God, by Your grace.

**CHOIR:** Lord, have mercy.

## **PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR:** Amen.

**CHOIR** 

Kathisma I.

From Pentecostarion - - -

## Ήχος δ'.

Άναβλέψασαι τοῦ τάφου τὴν εἴσοδον, καὶ τὴν φλόγα τοῦ Άγγέλου μὴ φέρουσαι, αἱ Μυροφόροι σὺν τρόμῳ ἐξίσταντο λέγουσαι. Ἄρα ἐκλάπη, ὁ τῷ λῃστῇ ἀνοίξας Παράδεισον; ἄρα ἡγέρθη, ὁ καὶ πρὸ πάθους κηρύξας τὴν ἔγερσιν; Ἀληθῶς ἀνέστη Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, τοῖς ἐν ἄδῃ παρέχων ζωὴν καὶ ἀνάστασιν.

### Δόξα.

## **Ήχος δ΄.** Ταχὺ προκατάλαβε.

Άνέστης ὡς ἀθάνατος, ἀπὸ τοῦ ἄδου Σωτήρ· συνήγειρας τὸν κόσμον σου, τῆ ἀναστάσει τῆ σῆ, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν· ἔθραυσας ἐν ἰσχύϊ, τοῦ θανάτου τὸ κράτος· ἔδειξας Ἐλεῆμον, τὴν ἀνάστασιν πᾶσι· διό σε καὶ δοξάζομεν, μόνε Φιλάνθρωπε.

#### Καὶ νῦν. Θεοτοκίον.

Τὸ ἀπ' αἰῶνος ἀπόκρυφον, καὶ Ἁγγέλοις ἄγνωστον μυστήριον, διὰ σού Θεοτόκε τοῖς ἐπὶ γῆς πεφανέρωται, Θεὸς ἐν ἀσυγχύτῳ ἑνώσει σαρκούμενος, καὶ Σταυρὸν ἑκουσίως ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν καταδεξάμενος· δι' οὖ ἀναστήσας τὸν πρωτόπλαστον, ἔσωσεν ἐκ θανάτου τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

## Κάθισμα Β'.

'Εκ τῶν ἄνω κατελθών, τῶν ὑψωμάτων Γαβριήλ, καὶ τῇ πέτρα προσελθών, ἔνθα ἡ πέτρα τῆς ζωῆς, λευχειμονῶν ἀνεκραύγαζε ταῖς κλαιούσαις· Παύσασθε ὑμεῖς, τῆς

#### Mode 4.

Looking up at the entrance to the sepulcher, then unable to endure the Angel's radiance, the Myrrh-bearing Women were frightened; and perplexed they said, "Has He been stolen, who opened Paradise to the Robber? Has He arisen, who before His Passion announced His rising?" Indeed, Christ God has truly risen, granting life and resurrection to those in the netherworld. [GOASD]

### Glory.

# **Mode 4.** Come quickly. Ταχὺ προκατάλαβε.

You rose, as immortal Savior, from the netherworld, \* and with yourself You also raised Your world by Your resurrection, O Christ our God. \* Mightily You shattered the power of death, O Master. \* Merciful Lord, You showed to all the resurrection. \* Therefore we glorify You, only benevolent God. [GOASD]

#### Both now. **Theotokion**.

O Theotokos, revealed through you to us on earth was the mystery, that was hidden for ages and unknown by the angels. God became incarnate, uniting natures without confusion, and for us He voluntarily accepted crucifixion, through which He resurrected the first-formed man, and He saved our souls from death. [GOASD]

#### Kathisma II.

From Pentecostarion -

# **Mode 4.** Joseph marveled. Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.

From exalted heights above Gabriel came down to earth; \* and he sat upon the rock wherein the Rock of life had lain. \* Arrayed in white, he cried out to the weeping women,

θρηνώδους κραυγῆς, ἔχουσαι ἀεί, τὸ εὐσυμπάθητον· ὃν γὰρ ζητεῖτε κλαίουσαι, θαρσεῖτε, ὡς ἀληθῶς ἐξεγήγερται· διὸ βοᾶτε, τοῖς Ἀποστόλοις, ὅτι ἀνέστη ὁ Κύριος.

# Δόξα.

## **Ἦχος δ΄.** Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.

Έκουσία σου βουλῆ, Σταυρὸν ὑπέμεινας Σωτήρ, καὶ ἐν μνήματι καινῷ, ἄνθρωποι ἔθεντο θνητοί, τὸν διὰ λόγου τὰ πέρατα συστησάμενον ὅθεν δεσμευθεὶς ὁ ἀλλότριος, θάνατος δεινῶς ἐσκυλεύετο, καὶ οἱ ἐν ἄδη ἄπαντες ἐκραύγαζον, τῆ ζωηφόρῳ ἐγέρσει σου Χριστὸς ἀνέστη, ὁ ζωοδότης, μένων εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Καὶ νῦν. **Θεοτοκίον.** Ήχος δ΄. Αὐτόμελον.

Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ, τὸ ὑπὲρ φύσιν θεωρῶν, καὶ ἐλάμβανεν εἰς νοῦν, τὸν ἐπὶ πόκον ὑετόν, ἐν τῇ ἀσπόρῳ συλλήψει σου Θεοτόκε, βάτον ἐν πυρὶ ἀκατάφλεκτον, ῥάβδον Ἀαρὼν τὴν βλαστήσασαν· καὶ μαρτυρῶν ὁ μνήστωρ σου καὶ φύλαξ, τοῖς ἱερεῦσιν ἐκραύγαζε· Παρθένος τίκτει, καὶ μετὰ τόκον, πάλιν μένει παρθένος.

\* "Women, even though you are emotional, \* You no longer need to lament and mourn. \* No more weeping, for the One you are seeking \* has truly risen, so be of good cheer. \* And go and tell it to His Apostles, \* that the Lord has truly risen." [GOASD]

## Glory.

## **Mode 4.** Joseph marveled. Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.

By Your voluntary will, O Savior, You endured the Cross, \* In a new tomb mortal men buried Your body, O Lord, \* who by a word had created the universe. \* Death, the ancient foe, was restrained by You \* and forcefully deprived of the spoils it had. \* And all the souls in Hades sang and glorified \* Your resurrection, which gave them life, \* "Christ the Giver of Life has risen! \* And He abides forever!" [GOASD]

Both now. **Theotokion. Mode 4.** Automelon.

Κατεπλάγη Ἰωσήφ.

Joseph marveled when he saw that which transcends nature's laws: \* You conceived without the seed of man, O Mother of God. \* Then he remembered the dew on the fleece of Gideon, \* the bush that Moses saw burning yet not consumed, \* and Aaron's rod that sprouted and blossomed forth. \* And your betrothed and guardian bore witness \* before the priests, and he cried aloud, \* "The Virgin gives birth, and after childbirth \* still she remains a virgin."

[GOASD]

# Εύλογητάρια Άναστάσιμα. <sup>3</sup>Ηχος πλ. α'.

Εύλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Τῶν Ἁγγέλων ὁ δῆμος, κατεπλάγη ὁρῶν σε, ἐν νεκροῖς λογισθέντα, τοῦ θανάτου δὲ Σωτήρ, τὴν ἰσχὺν καθελόντα, καὶ σὺν ἑαυτῷ τὸν Ἁδὰμ ἐγείραντα, καὶ ἐξ Ἅδου πάντας ἐλευθερώσαντα.

Εύλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Τί τὰ μύρα, συμπαθῶς τοῖς δάκρυσιν, ὧ Μαθήτριαι κιρνᾶτε; ὁ ἀστράπτων ἐν τῷ τάφῳ Ἄγγελος, προσεφθέγγετο ταῖς Μυροφόροις Ἰδετε ὑμεῖς τὸν τάφον καὶ ἤσθητε· ὁ Σωτὴρ γὰρ ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

Εύλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Λίαν πρωΐ, Μυροφόροι ἔδραμον, πρὸς τὸ μνῆμά σου θρηνολογοῦσαι· ἀλλ' ἐπέστη, πρὸς αὐτὰς ὁ Ἅγγελος, καὶ εἶπε· θρήνου ὁ καιρὸς πέπαυται, μὴ κλαίετε, τὴν ఉνάστασιν δέ, Ἀποστόλοις εἴπατε.

Εύλογητὸς εἶ, Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

Μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, μετὰ μύρων ἐλθοῦσαι, πρὸς τὸ μνῆμά σου, Σῶτερ ἐνηχοῦντο. Ἁγγέλου τρανῶς, πρὸς αὐτὰς φθεγγομένου· Τί μετὰ νεκρῶν, τὸν ζώντα

# Resurrectional Evlogetaria. Mode pl. 1.

Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your statutes.

When the hosts of the Angels saw how You were accounted among the dead, they all marveled. You, O Savior, are the One who destroyed the might of death; and when You arose You raised Adam with yourself and from Hades liberated everyone.

Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your statutes.

"Why do you mingle the ointments with your tears full of pity, O women disciples?" Thus the Angel who was shining in the tomb cried to the myrrh-bearing women. "See for yourselves the empty tomb and understand, that the Savior has risen from the sepulcher."

Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your statutes.

Very early in the morning, the myrrhbearing women were hastening to Your tomb lamenting. But the Angel appeared to them and uttered, "The time for lamentation has ended; weep no more. Go announce the Resurrection to the Apostles."

Blessed are You, O Lord, teach me Your statutes.

When the myrrh-bearing women had come with their spices to Your sepulcher, O Savior, they heard the voice of an Angel clearly speaking to them, "Why do you account

λογίζεσθε; ὡς Θεὸς γάρ, ἐξανέστη τοῦ μνήματος.

#### Δόξα.

Προσκυνοῦμεν Πατέρα, καὶ τὸν τούτου Υἱόν τε, καὶ τὸ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, τὴν Ἁγίαν Τριάδα, ἐν μιᾳ τῇ οὐσίᾳ, σὺν τοῖς Σεραφείμ, κράζοντες τὸ Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος, Ἅγιος εἶ, Κύριε.

#### Καὶ νῦν.

Ζωοδότην τεκοῦσα, ἐλυτρώσω Παρθένε, τὸν Ἀδὰμ ἁμαρτίας, χαρμονὴν δὲ τῷ Εὕα, ἀντὶ λύπης παρέσχες, ῥεύσαντα ζωῆς, ἴθυνε πρὸς ταύτην δέ, ὁ ἐκ σοῦ σαρκωθείς Θεὸς καὶ ἄνθρωπος.

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

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

"Ετι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

among the dead the One who lives? For as God, He has risen from the sepulcher."

## Glory.

We bow down in worship to the Father and His Son and the Holy Spirit, the Holy Trinity, one in essence; and we cry aloud with the Seraphim: Holy, Holy, Holy are You, O Lord.

#### Both now.

Giving birth to the Giver of life, O Virgin, you delivered Adam from sin, and to Eve you have rendered joy in place of sorrow. He who from you became incarnate, God and man, has directed to life him who fell from it.

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

#### **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 protect us, O God, by Your grace.

**CHOIR:** Lord, have mercy.

#### **PRIEST**

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ·** Σοί, Κύριε.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι ηὐλόγηταί σου τὸ ὄνομα καὶ δεδόξασταί σου ἡ βασιλεία, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰὧνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου - - -

## Ύπακοή. ϶Ήχος δ΄.

Τὰ τῆς σῆς παραδόξου ἐγέρσεως, προδραμοῦσαι αἱ Μυροφόροι, τοῖς Αποστόλοις ἐκήρυττον Χριστέ, ὅτι ἀνέστης ὡς Θεός, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Οἱ Ἀναβαθμοί. Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. Ἦχος δ΄.

Έκ νεότητός μου πολλὰ πολεμεῖ με πάθη· άλλ' αὐτὸς ἀντιλαβοῦ, καὶ σῶσον Σωτήρ μου.

Οἱ μισοῦντες Σιών, αἰσχύνθητε ἀπὸ τοῦ Κυρίου· ὡς χόρτος γάρ, πυρὶ ἔσεσθε ἀπεξηραμμένοι.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι πᾶσα ψυχὴ ζωοῦται, καὶ καθάρσει ὑψοῦται, λαμπρύνεται, τῆ τριαδικῆ μονάδι ἱεροκρυφίως.

## Άντίφωνον Β΄.

Έκέκραξά σοι Κύριε, θερμῶς ἐκ βάθους ψυχῆς μου· Κἀμοὶ γενέσθω, πρὸς ὑπακοὴν τὰ θεῖά σου ὧτα.

Έπὶ τὸν Κύριον ἐλπίδα πᾶς τις κεκτημένος, ὑψηλότερός ἐστι, πάντων τῶν λυπούντων.

**CHOIR:** To You, O Lord.

#### **PRIEST**

For blessed is Your name, and glorified is Your kingdom, of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR:** Amen.

#### **READER**

From Octoechos - - -

## Hypakoe. Mode 4.

The Myrrh-bearing Women hurried to declare the matter of Your paradoxal rising to Your Apostles, O Christ, that You rose, as God, and granted to the world the great mercy.

#### **CHOIR**

[GOASD]

# Anavathmoi. Antiphon 1. Mode 4.

From my youth, many passions war against me. O my Savior, I implore You, uphold me and save me. [GOASD]

You who hate Zion, be shamed by the Lord; for you will be withered like grass in the fire. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

By the Holy Spirit every soul is animated, and when purified, it is mystically uplifted and brightened by the triune Godhead. [GOASD]

## Antiphon 2.

I have cried to You, O Lord, from the depth of my soul with fervor. Let Your divine ears be attentive to me. [GOASD]

Everyone who has their hope in the Lord is higher than anything that could sadden them.

[GOASD]

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι, ἀναβλύζει τὰ τῆς χάριτος ἡεῖθρα, ἀρδεύοντα, ἄπασαν τὴν κτίσιν πρὸς ζωογονίαν.

### Άντίφωνον Γ΄.

Ἡ καρδία μου πρὸς σὲ Λόγε ὑψωθήτω, καὶ οὐδὲν θέλξει με, τῶν τοῦ κόσμου τερπνῶν πρὸς χαμαιζηλίαν.

Έπὶ τὴν μητέρα αὐτοῦ, ὡς ἔχει τις στοργήν, ἐπὶ τῷ Κυρίῳ, θερμότερον φίλτρον χρεωστοῦμεν.

Δόξα· καὶ νῦν.

Άγίω Πνεύματι, θεογνωσίας πλοῦτος, θεωρίας καὶ σοφίας πάντα γὰρ ἐν τούτω, τὰ πατρῷα δόγματα, ὁ Λόγος ἐκκαλύπτει.

## Προκείμενον.

Άνάστα, Κύριε, βοήθησον ἡμῖν, καὶ λύτρωσαι ἡμᾶς, ἕνεκεν τῆς δόξης τοῦ ὀνόματός σου. (δίς)

**Στίχ.** Ὁ Θεός, ἐν τοῖς ἀσὶν ἡμῶν ἡκούσαμεν.

Άνάστα, Κύριε, βοήθησον ἡμῖν, καὶ λύτρωσαι ἡμᾶς, ἕνεκεν τῆς δόξης τοῦ ὀνόματός σου.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Έτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, ἐλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Άντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

Glory. Both now.

From the Holy Spirit the streams of grace well forth; they water all creation, so that life be engendered. [GOASD]

## Antiphon 3.

Let my heart be lifted up to You, O Logos; and none of the world's delights will entice me to be earthly-minded. [GOASD]

Whereas one has filial affection for his mother, for the Lord we ought to have a love even more fervent. [GOASD]

Glory. Both now.

In the Holy Spirit is the wealth of knowledge of God, contemplation and wisdom. For in Him the Logos discloses all the dogmas of the Father. [GOASD]

#### Prokeimenon.

Arise, O Lord; help us, and redeem us, because of the glory of Your name. (2)

**Verse:** O God, we heard with our ears.

Arise, O Lord; help us, and redeem us, because of the glory of Your name. [SAAS]

### **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 protect us, O God, by Your grace.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ βασιλεὺς τῆς εἰρήνης καὶ σωτὴρ τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ άγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

**Κοντάκιον. Τῆς Μεσοπεντηκοστῆς.** Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - - **΄ Ηχος δ΄.** Ὁ ὑψωθεὶς ἐν τῷ Σταυρῷ.

Τῆς ἑορτῆς τῆς νομικῆς μεσαζούσης, ὁ τῶν ἁπάντων Ποιητὴς καὶ Δεσπότης, πρὸς τοὺς παρόντας ἔλεγες, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός· Δεῦτε καὶ ἀρύσασθε, ὕδωρ ἀθανασίας· ὅθεν σοι προσπίπτομεν, καὶ πιστῶς ἐκβοῶμεν· Τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου δώρησαι ἡμῖν· σὺ γὰρ ὑπάρχεις πηγὴ τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν.

**Κοντάκιον. Τῆς Σαμαρείτιδος.** Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - - <sup>3</sup>**Ηχος πλ. δ΄.** 

Πίστει έλθοῦσα έν τῷ φρέατι, ἡ Σαμαρεῖτις ἐθεάσατο, τὸ τῆς σοφίας ὕδωρ σε, ῷ ποτισθεῖσα δαψιλῶς βασιλείαν τὴν ἄνωθεν ἐκληρώσατο, αἰωνίως ἡ ἀοίδιμος.

**CHOIR:** Lord, have mercy.

#### **PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR:** Amen.

#### **READER**

Kontakion. For Mid-Pentecost.

From Pentecostarion - - -

**Mode 4.** You who were lifted.

The feast according to the Law at its midpoint, O Christ our God, as the Creator and Master of everything, You said to all those who were present there, "Come that you might draw from Me the water of immortality." Hence with faith we cry to You as we prostrate before You. Your tender mercies grant to us, we pray. You are the fountain and source of our life, O Lord. [5D]

Kontakion. For the Samaritan Woman. From Pentecostarion - - - Mode pl. 4.

In faith came the woman of Samaria to the well and she beheld You who are the water of wisdom. When she had fully drunk thereof, this famous lady inherited the kingdom on high for eternity. [SD]

## Ὁ Οἶκος.

Τῶν σεπτῶν μυστηρίων ἀκούσωμεν, Ἰωάννου ἡμᾶς ἐκδιδάσκοντος, τὰ ἐν τῆ Σαμαρείᾳ γινόμενα, πῶς γυναικὶ ὡμίλει ὁ Κύριος, ὕδωρ αἰτήσας, ὁ τὰ ὕδατα εἰς τὰς συναγωγάς αὐτῶν συνάξας, ὁ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Πνεύματι σύνθρονος· ἦλθε γὰρ ἐκζητῶν τὴν εἰκόνα αὐτοῦ, αἰωνίως, ὡς ἀοίδιμος.

Ό λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Συναξαρίου.

## Συναξάριον

Τοῦ Μηναίου.

Τῆ Β΄ τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνὸς μνήμη τοῦ ἐν Ἁγίοις Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Νικηφόρου, ἀρχιεπισκόπου Κωνσταντινουπόλεως, τοῦ Ὁμολογητοῦ.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, οἱ Ἅγιοι τριάκοντα ὀκτὼ Μάρτυρες, ἐν λουτρῷ βληθέντες, τῆς θύρας ἐμφραγείσης, τελειοῦνται.

Ή Άγία Μήτηρ μετὰ τῶν τριῶν αὑτῆς τέκνων ξίφει τελειοῦνται.

Ό Όσιος Ίερομάρτυρος Έρασμος, ὁ ἐν τῆ Χερμελία τῆς Άχρίδος, ἐν εἰρήνη τελειοῦται.

Αἱ διὰ τοῦ Ἁγίου Ἐράσμου πιστεύσασαι τῷ Χριστῷ εἴκοσι χιλιάδες ξίφει τελειοῦνται.

Ό Άγιος Νεομάρτυς Ίωάννης, ὁ ἐν Άσπροκάστρω μαρτυρήσας ἐν ἔτει 1492, ξίφει τελειοῦται.

Ό Άγιος Νεομάρτυς Δημήτριος, ὁ ἐν Φιλαδελφεία μαρτυρήσας ἐν ἔτει 1657, μαχαίρα τελειοῦται.

#### Oikos.

Let us listen to John as he teaches us of divine mysteries that took place in Samaria: how the Lord conversed with a woman, after asking her for water, He who collected the waters in their gatherings, and who shares the throne with the Father and Spirit. For our famous Savior came seeking His image, for the kingdom on high for eternity.

Stand for the reading of the Synaxarion.

## **Synaxarion**

From the Menaion.

On June 2 we commemorate our Father among the Saints Nikiphoros the Confessor, Archbishop of Constantinople.

On this day the holy thirty-eight Martyrs, died by being placed in a bath-house with the door sealed.

On this day a holy Mother and her three children died by the sword.

The monastic Hieromartyr Erasmus reposed in peace in the town of Hermelia in Ohrid.

The twenty thousand that believed in Christ because of Saint Erasmus died by the sword.

The Holy New-Martyr John, who witnessed in Asprokastro in the year 1492 died by the sword.

The Holy New-Martyr Demetrius who witnessed in Philadelphia in the year 1657 died by the knife.

### Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου.

Τῆ ἀυτῆ ἡμέρα, Κυριακῆ πέμπτη ἀπὸ τοῦ Πάσχα, τὴν τῆς Σαμαρείτιδος ἑορτὴν ἑορτάζομεν.

#### Στίχοι

Ύδωρ λαβεῖν ἐλθοῦσα τὸ φθαρτὸν γύναι, Τὸ ζῶν ἀπαντλεῖς, ὧ ρύπους ψυχῆς πλύνεις.

Ταῖς τῆς σῆς Μάρτυρος Φωτεινῆς πρεσβείαις, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Καταβασίαι τοῦ Πάσχα 'Ωδὴ α'. Ήχος α'.

Άναστάσεως ἡμέρα, λαμπρυνθῶμεν λαοί, Πάσχα Κυρίου, Πάσχα· ἐκ γὰρ θανάτου πρὸς ζωήν, καὶ ἐκ γῆς πρὸς οὐρανόν, Χριστὸς ὁ Θεός, ἡμᾶς διεβίβασεν, ἐπινίκιον ἄδοντας.

## 'Ωδη γ'.

Δεῦτε πόμα πίωμεν καινόν, οὐκ ἐκ πέτρας ἀγόνου τερατουργούμενον, ἀλλ' ἀφθαρσίας πηγήν, ἐκ τάφου ὀμβρήσαντος Χριστοῦ, ἐν ῷ στερεούμεθα.

#### 'Ωδή δ'.

Έπὶ τῆς θείας φυλακῆς, ὁ θεηγόρος Άββακούμ, στήτω μεθ' ἡμῶν καὶ δεικνύτω, φαεσφόρον Ἅγγελον, διαπρυσίως λέγοντα· Σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ κόσμῳ, ὅτι ἀνέστη Χριστὸς ὡς παντοδύναμος.

#### From the Pentecostarion.

On this day, the fifth Sunday of Pascha, we celebrate the feast of the Samaritan Woman.

#### Verses

Coming to fetch her fleeting water, a woman
The living water draws, by which
You wash her soul's sordes.

By the intercessions of Your Martyr Photini, O Christ our God, have mercy on us. Amen.

#### **CHOIR**

# Katavasias of Pascha Ode i. Mode 1.

Resurrection Day! O peoples, let us brilliantly shine! \* Pascha, the Lord's Pascha! \* For Christ our God has out of death \* passed us over into life, \* and likewise from earth \* to heaven, as we now sing \* unto Him a triumphal hymn. [GOASD]

#### Ode iii.

Come and let us drink a new drink, \* not one marvelously issuing from a barren rock, \* but one that Christ from the tomb \* pours out, incorruption's very source. \* For we are established in Him, [GOASD]

#### Ode iv.

Now let Habakkuk as a God-inspired prophet stand with us, \* keeping his divine watch, and show us \* the angelic messenger, who, shining, utters glowingly, \* "Today, for the world is salvation,\* because arisen is Christ, being omnipotent." [GOASD]

## 'Ωδη ε'.

Όρθρίσωμεν ὄρθρου βαθέος, καὶ ἀντὶ μύρου τὸν ὕμνον, προσοίσωμεν τῷ Δεσπότῃ, καὶ Χριστὸν ὀψόμεθα, δικαιοσύνης ἥλιον, πᾶσι ζωὴν ἀνατέλλοντα.

## 'Ωδη ζ'.

Κατῆλθες ἐν τοῖς κατωτάτοις τῆς γῆς, καὶ συνέτριψας μοχλοὺς αἰωνίους, κατόχους πεπεδημένων Χριστέ, καὶ τριήμερος, ὡς ἐκ κήτους Ἰωνᾶς, ἐξανέστης τοῦ τάφου.

## 'Ωδη ζ'.

Ό Παῖδας ἐκ καμίνου ἡυσάμενος, γενόμενος ἄνθρωπος, πάσχει ὡς θνητός, καὶ διὰ πάθους τὸ θνητόν, ἀφθαρσίας ἐνδύει εὐπρέπειαν, ὁ μόνος εὐλογητὸς τῶν Πατέρων, Θεὸς καὶ ὑπερένδοξος.

## Ώδὴ η΄.

Αἰνοῦμεν, εὐλογοῦμεν καὶ προσκυνοῦμεν τὸν Κύριον.

Αὔτη ἡ κλητὴ καὶ ἁγία ἡμέρα, ἡ μία τῶν Σαββάτῳν, ἡ βασιλὶς καὶ κυρία, ἑορτῶν ἑορτή, καὶ πανήγυρίς ἐστι πανηγύρεων, ἐν ἦ εὐλογοῦμεν Χριστὸν εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Ό λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν ἀνάγνωσιν τοῦ Εὐαγγελίου.

#### Ode v.

Arising at dawn very early, \* instead of ointment, a hymn let us offer unto the Master, \* and then we shall clearly see\* Christ, the Sun of Righteousness, \* causing true life to arise for all. [GOASD]

#### Ode vi.

You went down to the nether regions of earth, \* and You broke apart the bars that forever \* were closed on those who were held there, O Christ. \* From the sepulcher, \* as did Jonah from the whale, \* You arose on the third day. [GOASD]

### Ode vii.

The same One who delivered the Lads from fire, becoming a mortal man, \* suffers in the flesh; and by His Passion He arrays \* mortal nature with majesty, free of all \* corruption, the only God of the fathers, \* blessed and supremely glorious. [GOASD]

#### Ode viii.

We praise and we bless and we worship the Lord.

This is it, the Day which is chosen and holy, \* Day One of the Sabbaths. \* It is the queen-day, the Lord's Day, \* and the Feast of all feasts, \* and the Festival above every festival, \* on which we extol Christ and bless Him to the ages. [GOASD]

Stand for the Gospel reading.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ· Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι ἄγιος εἶ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐν ἁγίοις ἐπαναπαύῃ, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

## Ήχος β΄.

Πᾶσα πνοὴ αἰνεσάτω τὸν Κύριον. (δίς) Αἰνεσάτω πνοή πᾶσα τὸν Κύριον.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (3)

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Σοφία. Όρθοί. Άκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ· Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Έκ τοῦ κατὰ Ἰωάννην ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ· Πρόσχωμεν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (ἀπὸ τῆς ἁγίας τραπέζης)

Έωθινὸν Ζ΄ Ιω 20:1 – 10

Τῆ μιᾶ τῶν σαββάτων Μαρία ἡ Μαγδαληνὴ ἔρχεται πρωὰ σκοτίας ἔτι οὔσης εἰς τὸ μνημεῖον, καὶ βλέπει τὸν λίθον ἠρμένον ἐκ τοῦ μνημείου. τρέχει οὖν καὶ ἔρχεται πρὸς

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

**CHOIR:** Lord, have mercy.

#### **PRIEST**

For You, our God, are holy, and You rest among the holy ones, 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.

#### Mode 2.

Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. (2) Let everything that breathes praise the Lord. [SAAS]

#### **DEACON**

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

**CHOIR:** 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** (from the altar table)

Eothinon 7 Jn. 20:1 – 10

On the first day of the week, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb early, while it was still dark, and saw that the stone had been taken away from the tomb. So she ran, and

Σίμωνα Πέτρον καὶ πρὸς τὸν ἄλλον μαθητὴν ὃν ἐφίλει ὁ Ἰησοῦς, καὶ λέγει αὐτοῖς∙ ἦραν τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τοῦ μνημείου, καὶ οὐκ οἴδαμεν ποῦ ἔθηκαν αὐτόν. ἐξῆλθεν οὖν ὁ Πέτρος καὶ ὁ ἄλλος μαθητής καὶ ἤρχοντο εἰς τὸ μνημεῖον. ἔτρεχον δὲ οἱ δύο ὁμοῦ· καὶ ὁ ἄλλος μαθητής προέδραμε τάχιον τοῦ Πέτρου καὶ ἦλθε πρῶτος εἰς τὸ μνημεῖον, καὶ παρακύψας βλέπει κείμενα τὰ ὀθόνια, οὐ μέντοι εἰσῆλθεν. ἔρχεται οὖν Σίμων Πέτρος ἀκολουθῶν αὐτῷ, καὶ εἰσῆλθεν εἰς τὸ μνημεῖον καὶ θεωρεῖ τὰ όθόνια κείμενα, καὶ τὸ σουδάριον, ὃ ἦν ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτοῦ, οὐ μετὰ τῶν ὀθονίων κείμενον, άλλὰ χωρὶς ἐντετυλιγμένον εἰς ἕνα τόπον. τότε οὖν εἰσῆλθε καὶ ὁ ἄλλος μαθητὴς ό έλθὼν πρῶτος είς τὸ μνημεῖον, καὶ εἶδε καὶ έπίστευσεν· οὐδέπω γὰρ ἤδεισαν τὴν γραφὴν ότι δεῖ αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀναστῆναι. ἀπῆλθον οὖν πάλιν πρὸς ἑαυτοὺς οἱ μαθηταί.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ

Άνάστασιν Χριστοῦ θεασάμενοι, προσκυνήσωμεν Άγιον Κύριον Ίησοῦν, τὸν μόνον ἀναμάρτητον. Τὸν Σταυρόν σου, Χριστέ, προσκυνοῦμεν καὶ τὴν ἁγίαν σου ἀνάστασιν ὑμνοῦμεν καὶ δοξάζομεν· σὺ γὰρ εἶ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐκτός σου ἄλλον οὐκ οἴδαμεν, τὸ ὄνομά σου ὀνομάζομεν. Δεῦτε πάντες οἱ πιστοί, προσκυνήσωμεν τὴν τοῦ Χριστοῦ ἁγίαν ἀνάστασιν· ἰδοὺ γὰρ ἦλθε διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ χαρὰ ἐν ὅλῳ τῷ κόσμῳ. Διὰ παντὸς εὐλογοῦντες τὸν Κύριον, ὑμνοῦμεν τὴν

went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." Peter then came out with the other disciple, and they went toward the tomb. They both ran, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first; and stooping to look in, he saw the linen cloths lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb; he saw the linen cloths lying and the napkin, which had been on his head, not lying with the linen cloths, but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not know the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples went back to their homes. [RSV]

#### **CHOIR**

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

## **READER**

Having beheld the Resurrection of Christ, let us worship the holy Lord Jesus, the only sinless one. Your Cross, O Christ, we venerate, and Your holy Resurrection we praise and glorify. For You are our God; apart from You we know no other; we call upon Your name. Come, all faithful, let us venerate the holy Resurrection of Christ; for behold, through the Cross, joy has come to the whole world. Ever blessing the Lord, let us praise His Resurrection; for having endured the Cross for us, He destroyed death by death. [GOA]

άνάστασιν αὐτοῦ· Σταυρὸν γὰρ ὑπομείνας δι' ἡμᾶς, θανάτῳ θάνατον ὤλεσεν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

## Ψαλμὸς Ν΄ (50).

<sup>3</sup>Ηχος β΄. (ἢ τῆς ἑβδομάδος.)

Έλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου.

Έπὶ πλεῖον πλῦνόν με ἀπὸ τῆς ἀνομίας μου καὶ ἀπὸ τῆς ἁμαρτίας μου καθάρισόν με.

Ότι τὴν ἀνομίαν μου ἐγὼ γινώσκω, καὶ ἡ ἁμαρτία μου ἐνώπιόν μού ἐστι διαπαντός.

Σοὶ μόνῳ ἥμαρτον, καὶ τὸ πονηρὸν ἐνώπιόν σου ἐποίησα· ὅπως ἂν δικαιωθῆς ἐν τοῖς λόγοις σου, καὶ νικήσης ἐν τῷ κρίνεσθαί σε.

Ίδοὺ γὰρ ἐν ἀνομίαις συνελήφθην, καὶ ἐν ἁμαρτίαις ἐκίσσησέ με ἡ μήτηρ μου.

'Ιδοὺ γὰρ ἀλήθειαν ἠγάπησας· τὰ ἄδηλα καὶ τὰ κρύφια τῆς σοφίας σου ἐδήλωσάς μοι.

'Ραντιεῖς με ὑσσώπῳ, καὶ καθαρισθήσομαι· πλυνεῖς με καὶ ὑπὲρ χιόνα λευκανθήσομαι.

Άκουτιεῖς μοι ἀγαλλίασιν καὶ εὐφροσύνην ἀγαλλιάσονται ὀστέα τεταπεινωμένα.

Άπόστρεψον τὸ πρόσωπόν σου ἀπὸ τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν μου, καὶ πάσας τὰς ἀνομίας μου ἐξάλειψον.

#### **CHOIR**

## Psalm 50 (51).

**Mode 2.** (or the Mode of the week)

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression.

Wash me thoroughly from my lawlessness and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my lawlessness, and my sin is always before me.

Against You only have I sinned and done evil in Your sight; that You may be justified in Your words, and overcome when You are judged.

For behold, I was conceived in transgressions, and in sins my mother bore me.

Behold, You love truth; You showed me the unknown and secret things of Your wisdom.

You shall sprinkle me with hyssop, and I will be cleansed; You shall wash me, and I will be made whiter than snow.

You shall make me hear joy and gladness; my bones that were humbled shall greatly rejoice.

Turn Your face from my sins, and blot out all my transgressions.

Καρδίαν καθαρὰν κτίσον ἐν ἐμοί, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πνεῦμα εὐθὲς ἐγκαίνισον ἐν τοῖς ἐγκάτοις μου.

Μὴ ἀποὀῥίψης με ἀπὸ τοῦ προσώπου σου, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ ἅγιον μὴ ἀντανέλης ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

Άπόδος μοι τὴν ἀγαλλίασιν τοῦ σωτηρίου σου καὶ πνεύματι ἡγεμονικῷ στήριξόν με.

Διδάξω ἀνόμους τὰς ὁδούς σου, καὶ ἀσεβεῖς ἐπὶ σὲ ἐπιστρέψουσι.

'Ρῦσαί με ἐξ αἱμάτων, ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Θεὸς τῆς σωτηρίας μου· ἀγαλλιάσεται ἡ γλῶσσά μου τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου.

Κύριε, τὰ χείλη μου ἀνοίξεις, καὶ τὸ στόμα μου ἀναγγελεῖ τὴν αἴνεσίν σου.

Ότι εἰ ἠθέλησας θυσίαν, ἔδωκα ἄνο ὁλοκαυτώματα οὐκ εὐδοκήσεις.

Θυσία τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον· καρδίαν συντετριμμένην καὶ τεταπεινωμένην ὁ Θεὸς οὐκ ἐξουδενώσει.

Άγάθυνον, Κύριε, έν τῆ εὐδοκία σου τὴν Σιών, καὶ οἰκοδομηθήτω τὰ τείχη Ἰερουσαλήμ.

Τότε εὐδοκήσεις θυσίαν δικαιοσύνης, ἀναφορὰν καὶ ὁλοκαυτώματα.

Τότε ἀνοίσουσιν ἐπὶ τὸ θυσιαστήριόν σου μόσχους. Καὶ ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός.

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

Do not cast me away from Your presence, and do not take Your Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Your salvation, and uphold me with Your guiding Spirit.

I will teach transgressors Your ways, and the ungodly shall turn back to You.

Deliver me from bloodguiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall greatly rejoice in Your righteousness.

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

For if You desired sacrifice, I would give it; You will not be pleased with whole burnt offerings.

A sacrifice to God is a broken spirit, a broken and humbled heart God will not despise.

Do good, O Lord, in Your good pleasure to Zion, and let the walls of Jerusalem be built.

Then You will be pleased with a sacrifice of righteousness, with offerings and whole burnt offerings.

Then shall they offer young bulls on Your altar. And have mercy on me, O God. [SAAS]

Δόξα.

Ταῖς τῶν Ἀποστόλων πρεσβείαις, Ἐλεῆμον, ἐξάλειψον τὰ πλήθη τῶν ἐμῶν ἐγκλημάτων.

Καὶ νῦν.

Ταῖς τῆς Θεοτόκου πρεσβείαις, Ἐλεῆμον, ἐξάλειψον τὰ πλήθη τῶν ἐμῶν ἐγκλημάτων.

**Στίχ.** Ἐλέησόν με, ὁ Θεός, κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός σου, καὶ κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου ἐξάλειψον τὸ ἀνόμημά μου.

Άναστὰς ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἀπὸ τοῦ τάφου, καθώς προεῖπεν, ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν τὴν αἰώνιον ζωήν, καὶ μέγα ἔλεος.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σῶσον ὁ Θεὸς τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου· ἐπίσκεψαι τὸν κόσμον σου ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς· ὕψωσον κέρας χριστιανῶν ὀρθοδόξων καὶ κατάπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς τὰ ἐλέη σου τὰ πλούσια·

πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων δυνάμεων άσωμάτων, ίκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου ἐνδόξου προφήτου προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ίωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων άποστόλων, τῶν ἐν ἁγίοις πατέρων ἡμῶν μεγάλων ἱεραρχῶν καὶ οἰκουμενικῶν διδασκάλων Βασιλείου τοῦ Μεγάλου, Γρηγορίου τοῦ Θεολόγου καὶ Ἰωάννου τοῦ Χρυσοστόμου, Άθανασίου καὶ Κυρίλλου, Ίωάννου τοῦ Ἐλεήμονος πατριαρχῶν Άλεξανδρίας Νικολάου τοῦ ἐν Μύροις, Σπυρίδωνος ἐπισκόπου Τριμυθοῦντος, καὶ Νεκταρίου Πενταπόλεως τῶν θαυματουργῶν· τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων μεγαλομαρτύρων

Glory.

At the intercession of the Apostles, O Lord of mercy, blot out my many offenses. [SD]

Both now.

At the intercession of the Theotokos, O
Lord of mercy, blot out my many offenses. [5D]

**Verse:** Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the abundance of Your compassion, blot out my transgression.

Jesus, having risen from the grave as He foretold, has granted us eternal life and great mercy. [SD]

#### **PRIEST**

O God, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Look upon Your world with mercy and compassion. Raise the Orthodox Christians in glory, and send down upon us Your rich mercies:

through the intercessions of our allimmaculate Lady Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, by the power of the precious and lifegiving 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 George the triumphant, Demetrios the myrrh-streamer, Theodore the

Γεωργίου τοῦ τροπαιοφόρου, Δημητρίου τοῦ μυροβλήτου, Θεοδώρου τοῦ τήρωνος, Θεοδώρου τοῦ στρατηλάτου, Μηνᾶ τοῦ θαυματουργοῦ· τῶν ἱερομαρτύρων Χαραλάμπους καὶ Ἐλευθερίου, τῆς ἀγίας ἐνδόξου μεγαλομάρτυρος καὶ πανευφήμου Εὐφημίας· τῶν ἀγίων ἐνδόξων μαρτύρων Θέκλας, Βαρβάρας, ἀναστασίας, Αἰκατερίνης, Κυριακῆς, Φωτεινῆς, Μαρίνης, Παρασκευῆς καὶ Εἰρήνης· τῶν ὀσίων καὶ θεοφόρων πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ ἀγίου τοῦ ναοῦ)· τῶν ἀγίων καὶ δικαίων θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννης, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν ἀγίων·

ίκετεύομέν σε, μόνε πολυέλεε Κύριε, ἐπάκουσον ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν δεομένων σου καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Κύριε, ἐλέησον. (ιβ΄)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Έλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιλανθρωπία τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὖ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

## **ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

Ό λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Θ΄ Ὠδήν.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὴν Θεοτόκον καὶ μητέρα τοῦ φωτὸς ἐν ὕμνοις τιμῶντες μεγαλύνωμεν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

Κανὼν τοῦ Πάσχα. Ὠδὴ θ΄. Ὁ Εἰρμός. Ἦχος α΄.

Μεγάλυνον ψυχή μου, τὸν ἐθελουσίως παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα καὶ ἐξαναστάντα τριήμερον ἐκ τάφου.

Φωτίζου, φωτίζου ἡ νέα Ἱερουσαλήμ· ἡ γὰρ δόξα Κυρίου ἐπὶ σὲ ἀνέτειλε. Χόρευε

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; and all Your saints:

We beseech you, only merciful Lord, hear us sinners who pray to you and have mercy on us.

#### **CHOIR**

Lord, have mercy. (12)

#### **PRIEST**

Through the mercy, compassion, and love for humankind of Your only-begotten Son, with whom You are blessed, and Your allholy, good and life-creating Spirit, now and ever and to the ages of ages.

#### **CHOIR:** Amen.

Stand for the singing of Ode ix.

#### **DEACON**

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

#### **CHOIR**

From Pentecostarion - - -

Canon of Pascha.
Ode ix. Heirmos. Mode 1.

O my soul, magnify Him who willingly suffered, was buried, and arose from the grave on the third day.

Arise, shine! Arise, shine, O new Jerusalem! Shine! \* For the glory of the Lord

νῦν, καὶ ἀγάλλου Σιών, σὺ δὲ ἁγνή, τέρπου Θεοτόκε, ἐν τῇ ἐγέρσει τοῦ τόκου σου.

Μεγάλυνον ψυχή μου τὸν έξαναστάντα, τριήμερον ἐκ τάφου, Χριστὸν τὸν ζωοδότην.

Φωτίζου, φωτίζου ἡ νέα Ἱερουσαλήμ· ἡ γὰρ δόξα Κυρίου ἐπὶ σὲ ἀνέτειλε. Χόρευε νῦν, καὶ ἀγάλλου Σιών, σὺ δὲ ἁγνή, τέρπου Θεοτόκε, ἐν τῆ ἐγέρσει τοῦ τόκου σου.

## Τροπάρια.

Χριστὸς τὸ Καινὸν Πάσχα, τὸ ζωόθυτον θῦμα, ἀμνὸς Θεοῦ ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἁμαρτίαν κόσμου.

"Ω θείας, ὢ φίλης, ὢ γλυκυτάτης σου φωνῆς· μεθ' ἡμῶν ἀψευδῶς γάρ, ἐπηγγείλω ἔσεσθαι, μέχρι τερμάτων αἰῶνος Χριστέ· ἡν οἱ πιστοί, ἄγκυραν ἐλπίδος, κατέχοντες ἀγαλλόμεθα.

Σήμερον πᾶσα κτίσις ἀγάλλεται καὶ χαίρει, ὅτι Χριστὸς ἀνέστη, καὶ ἄδης ἐσκυλεύθη.

<sup>3</sup>Ω Πάσχα τὸ μέγα, καὶ ἱερώτατον, Χριστέ· ὧ σοφία καὶ Λόγε, τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ δύναμις· δίδου ἡμῖν ἐκτυπώτερον, σοῦ μετασχεῖν, ἐν τῆ ἀνεσπέρῳ ἡμέρα τῆς Βασιλείας σου. has risen upon you. \* Zion, exult and be glad now. \* O pure Mother of God, rejoice, celebrating \* the resurrection of Christ your Son! [SD]

O my soul, magnify Christ who is the Giver of life, and who rose from the grave on the third day.

Arise, shine! Arise, shine, O new Jerusalem! Shine! \* For the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. \* Zion, exult and be glad now. \* O pure Mother of God, rejoice, celebrating \* the resurrection of Christ your Son! [8D]

## Troparia.

Christ is the new Pascha, the sacrificial Victim, the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world.

Divine and beloved and sweetest utterance of Yours! \* For You really and truly pledged that You will be with us \* unto the end of the age, O Christ. \* And we the faithful, clinging to Your promise, \* our anchor of hope, rejoice.

Today creation all is exultant and rejoices, for Christ has arisen, and Hades was despoiled.

O Pascha, the great and most sacred
Passover, O Christ, \* You the wisdom and
Logos and the power of God: \* Grant that we
may more distinctly partake of You \* on that
day that has no evening in Your kingly rule.

## Τῆς Θεοτόκου.

Ό αὐτός. Φωτίζου, φωτίζου.

## Δόξα.

Μεγάλυνον ψυχή μου, τῆς τρισυποστάτου, καὶ ἀδιαιρέτου, Θεότητος τὸ κράτος.

Συμφώνως Παρθένε, σὲ μακαρίζομεν πιστοί· Χαῖρε πύλη Κυρίου· χαῖρε πόλις ἔμψυχε· χαῖρε, δι' ἦς ἡμῖν ἔλαμψε, σήμερον φῶς τοῦ ἐκ σοῦ τεχθέντος, τῆς ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀναστάσεως.

#### Καὶ νῦν.

Χαῖρε, Παρθένε, χαῖρε, χαῖρε εὐλογημένη, χαῖρε δεδοξασμένη, σὸς γὰρ Υἱὸς ἀνέστη τριήμερος ἐκ τάφου.

Εὐφραίνου, ἀγάλλου, ἡ θεία πύλη τοῦ φωτός· ὁ γὰρ δύνας ἐν τάφῳ, Ἰησοῦς ἀνέτειλε, λάμψας ἡλίου φαιδρότερον, καὶ τοὺς πιστοὺς πάντας καταυγάσας, θεοχαρίτωτε Δέσποινα.

# Ώδὴ θ΄. Καταβασία. Ἡχος α΄.

Ὁ Άγγελος ἐβόα τῆ κεχαριτωμένῃ, Άγνὴ Παρθένε, χαῖρε, καὶ πάλιν ἐρῶ, χαῖρε, ὁ σὸς Υἱὸς ἀνέστη τριήμερος ἐκ τάφου.

Φωτίζου, φωτίζου ἡ νέα Ἱερουσαλήμ· ἡ γὰρ δόξα Κυρίου ἐπὶ σὲ ἀνέτειλε. Χόρευε νῦν, καὶ ἀγάλλου Σιών, σὺ δὲ ἁγνή, τέρπου Θεοτόκε, ἐν τῇ ἐγέρσει τοῦ τόκου σου.

## For the Theotokos.

**Same Mode.** Arise, shine.

Φωτίζου, φωτίζου.

Glory.

O my soul, magnify the power of the Godhead, that is three hypostases and also undivided.

O Virgin, with one voice, all we believers call you blessed. \* Metaphorical City and Gate of the Lord, rejoice! \* Light of your Son's resurrection from the dead \* shines on us today through you, O Lady. \* And therefore we salute you: Rejoice! [GOASD]

#### Both now.

Rejoice, blessed Virgin; rejoice, O glorified one. Rejoice, your Son has risen from the grave on the third day.

Be glad and exultant, divine gate of the light. \* For your Son, namely Jesus, having set within the tomb, \* rose and is shining more brightly than the sun, \* and He has fully illumined all the faithful, \* O Lady full of the grace of God. [SD]

## Ode ix. Katavasia. Mode 1.

The Angel cried aloud to the Lady full of grace: Rejoice, O pure Virgin; and again I say Rejoice. Your Son has truly risen from the grave on the third day.

Arise, shine! Arise, shine, O new Jerusalem! Shine! \* For the glory of the Lord has risen upon you. \* Zion, exult and be glad now. \* O pure Mother of God, rejoice, celebrating \* the resurrection of Christ your Son! [GOASD]

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

"Ετι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

ΧΟΡΟΣ· Κύριε, έλέησον.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

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

**ΧΟΡΟΣ·** Σοί, Κύριε.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ότι σὲ αἰνοῦσι πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπουσι, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰωνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**· Άμήν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

# Ήχος β΄.

Άγιος Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν. (δίς)

Ύψοῦτε Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν ἡμῶν καὶ προσκυνεῖτε τῷ ὑποποδίῳ τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ.

Ότι ἅγιός ἐστι.

Έξαποστειλάριον. Τοῦ Πάσχα.

Σαρκὶ ὑπνώσας ὡς θνητός, ὁ Βασιλεὺς καὶ Κύριος, τριήμερος ἐξανέστης, Ἀδὰμ ἐγείρας ἐκ φθορᾶς, καὶ καταργήσας θάνατον, Πάσχα τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, τοῦ κόσμου σωτήριον.

#### **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 protect us, O God, by Your grace.

**CHOIR:** Lord, have mercy.

### **PRIEST**

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

**CHOIR:** Amen.

#### **CHOIR**

#### Mode 2.

Holy is the Lord our God. (2) [SAAS]

Exalt the Lord our God, and worship at the footstool of His feet.

For He is holy.

## Exaposteilarion. Of Pascha.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Mode 2. Automelon.

When You had slumbered in the flesh as one mortal, O King and Lord, You rose again on the third day, and raised up Adam from

## Τῆς Σαμαρείτιδος.

Σαμάρειαν κατέλαβες, Σωτήρ μου παντοδύναμε, καὶ γυναικὶ ὁμιλήσας, ἐζήτεις ὕδωρ τοῦ πιεῖν, ὁ ἐκ πέτρας ἀκροτόμου πηγάσας ὕδωρ Ἑβραίοις, ἣν πρὸς πίστιν σὴν ἔλαβες· καὶ νῦν ζωῆς ἀπολαύει, ἐν οὐρανοῖς αἰωνίως.

## Τῆς Μεσοπεντηκοστῆς.

Μεσούσης παραγέγονας, τῆς ἑορτῆς Φιλάνθρωπε, ἐν ἱερῷ καὶ ἐλάλεις· Οἱ δίψης ἔμπλεοι πρός με, ἔλθετε καὶ ἀρύσασθε, ὕδωρ ζῶν καὶ ἀλλόμενον, δι' οὖ τρυφῆς καὶ χάριτος, ζωῆς τε τῆς ἀθανάτου, ἐπαπολαύσετε πάντες.

# Οἱ Αἶνοι. Ἦχος δ΄.

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

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

Αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἥλιος καὶ σελήνη, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν πάντα τὰ ἄστρα καὶ τὸ φῶς.

Αίνεῖτε αὐτὸν οἱ οὐρανοὶ τῶν οὐρανῶν καὶ τὸ ὕδωρ τὸ ὑπεράνω τῶν οὐρανῶν. Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου.

decay and rendered death of no effect. Pascha of incorruption, salvation of the world. [5D]

### For the Samaritan Woman.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Mode 2. O Women, hearken.

My Savior and almighty God,\* who from a rock made water gush\* in the wilderness for the Hebrews,\* You traveled to Samaria;\* and with a woman You conversed\* and asked for a drink of water.\* Thus You drew her to faith in You;\* and now in heaven forever\* she enjoys life eternal. [SD]

## For Mid-Pentecost.

From Pentecostarion - - -

Mode 2. O Women, hearken.

Midway into the Feast, You came, \*
O Savior most benevolent, \* and stood in
the Temple saying, \* "You who are fed up
with thirsting, \* come to me and draw for
yourselves \* water living and welling up. \* I
tell you that through this you all \* will surely
enjoy divine grace, \* delight and true life
immortal." [SD]

#### Lauds. Mode 4.

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

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

Praise Him, sun and moon; praise Him, all you stars and light.

Praise Him, you heavens of heavens, and you waters above the heavens. Let them praise the Lord's name.

Ότι αὐτὸς εἶπε, καὶ έγενήθησαν, αὐτὸς ένετείλατο, καὶ ἐκτίσθησαν.

"Εστησεν αὐτὰ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος· πρόσταγμα ἔθετο, καὶ οὐ παρελεύσεται.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῆς γῆς, δράκοντες καὶ πᾶσαι ἄβυσσοι.

Πῦρ, χάλαζα, χιών, κρύσταλλος, πνεῦμα καταιγίδος, τὰ ποιοῦντα τὸν λόγον αὐτοῦ.

Τὰ ὄρη καὶ πάντες οἱ βουνοί, ξύλα καρποφόρα καὶ πᾶσαι κέδροι.

Τὰ θηρία καὶ πάντα τὰ κτήνη, ἑρπετὰ καὶ πετεινὰ πτερωτά.

Βασιλεῖς τῆς γῆς καὶ πάντες λαοί, ἄρχοντες καὶ πάντες κριταὶ γῆς.

Νεανίσκοι καὶ παρθένοι, πρεσβύτεροι μετὰ νεωτέρων αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου, ὅτι ὑψώθη τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ μόνου.

Ή έξομολόγησις αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ γῆς καὶ οὐρανοῦ. καὶ ὑψώσει κέρας λαοῦ αὐτοῦ.

"Υμνος πᾶσι τοῖς ὁσίοις αὐτοῦ, τοῖς υἱοῖς Ἰσραήλ, λαῷ ἐγγίζοντι αὐτῷ.

Άσατε τῷ Κυρίῳ ἆσμα καινόν, ἡ αἴνεσις αὐτοῦ ἐν ἐκκλησία ὁσίων.

Εὐφρανθήτω Ἰσραὴλ ἐπὶ τῷ ποιήσαντι αὐτόν, καὶ οἱ υἱοὶ Σιὼν ἀγαλλιάσθωσαν ἐπὶ τῷ βασιλεῖ αὐτῶν.

Αἰνεσάτωσαν τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ ἐν χορῷ, ἐν τυμπάνῳ καὶ ψαλτηρίῳ ψαλάτωσαν αὐτῷ.

Ότι εὐδοκεῖ Κύριος ἐν τῷ λαῷ αὐτοῦ καὶ ὑψώσει πραεῖς ἐν σωτηρία.

Καυχήσονται ὅσιοι ἐν δόξῃ καὶ ἀγαλλιάσονται ἐπὶ τῶν κοιτῶν αὐτῶν.

Αἱ ὑψώσεις τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν τῷ λάρυγγι αὐτῶν, καὶ ἑομφαῖαι δίστομοι ἐν ταῖς χερσὶν αὐτῶν.

Τοῦ ποιῆσαι ἐκδίκησιν ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν, ἐλεγμοὺς ἐν τοῖς λαοῖς.

Τοῦ δῆσαι τοὺς βασιλεῖς αὐτῶν ἐν πέδαις καὶ τοὺς ἐνδόξους αὐτῶν ἐν χειροπέδαις σιδηραῖς.

For He spoke, and they were made; He commanded, and they were created.

He established them forever and unto ages of ages; He set forth His ordinance, and it shall not pass away.

Praise the Lord from the earth, you dragons and all the deeps.

Fire and hail, snow and ice, stormy wind, which perform His word.

Mountains and all the hills, fruitful trees and all cedars.

Wild animals and all cattle, creeping things and flying birds.

Kings of the earth and all peoples, princes and all judges of the earth.

Young men and maidens, elders with younger, let them praise the Lord's name, for His name alone is exalted.

His thanksgiving is in earth and heaven. And He shall exalt the horn of His people.

A hymn for all His saints, for the children of Israel, a people who draw near to Him.

Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise in the assembly of His holy ones.

Let Israel be glad in Him who made him, and let the children of Zion greatly rejoice in their King.

Let them praise His name with dance; with tambourine and harp let them sing to Him.

For the Lord is pleased with His people, and He shall exalt the gentle with salvation.

The holy ones shall boast in glory, and they shall greatly rejoice on their beds.

The high praise of God shall be in their mouth and a two-edged sword in their hand.

To deal retribution to the nations, reproving among the peoples.

To shackle their kings with chains and their nobles with fetters of iron.

Τοῦ ποιῆσαι ἐν αὐτοῖς κρῖμα ἔγγραπτον· δόξα αὕτη ἔσται πᾶσι τοῖς ὀσίοις αὐτοῦ.

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Θεὸν ἐν τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ, αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν στερεώματι τῆς δυνάμεως αὐτοῦ.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

# Στιχηρὰ Ἀναστάσιμα. Ήχος δ'.

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

Ό Σταυρὸν ὑπομείνας καὶ θάνατον, καὶ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, παντοδύναμε Κύριε, δοξάζομέν σου τὴν ἀνάστασιν.

## Ήχος δ'.

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

Έν τῷ Σταυρῷ σου Χριστέ, τῆς ἀρχαίας κατάρας, ἠλευθέρωσας ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐν τῷ θανάτῳ σου, τὸν τὴν φύσιν ἡμῶν τυραννήσαντα, διάβολον κατήργησας· ἐν δὲ τῆ ἐγέρσει σου, χαρᾶς τὰ πάντα ἐπλήρωσας· διὸ βοῶμεν σοι· Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

# Ήχος δ'.

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

Τῷ σῷ Σταυρῷ Χριστὲ Σωτήρ, ὁδήγησον ἡμᾶς ἐπὶ τὴν ἀλήθειάν σου, καὶ ῥῦσαι ἡμᾶς, τῶν παγίδων τοῦ ἐχθροῦ· ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, ἀνάστησον ἡμᾶς πεσόντας τῆ ἁμαρτίᾳ, ἐκτείνας τὴν χεῖρά σου, φιλάνθρωπε Κύριε, τῆ πρεσβείᾳ τῶν Ἁγίων σου.

To fulfill among them the written judgment: this glory have all His holy ones.

Praise God in His saints; praise Him in the firmament of His power.

From Pentecostarion - - -

# Resurrectional Stichera.

#### Mode 4.

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

You endured the Cross and death, and You rose from the dead. O almighty Lord, we glorify Your resurrection. [GOASD]

#### Mode 4.

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

By Your Cross You freed us from the ancient curse, O Christ; and by Your death You neutralized the devil who tyrannized our nature; and by Your resurrection, You filled the whole world with joy. Therefore we sing to You, who rose from the dead, "Glory to You, O Lord." [GOASD]

## Mode 4.

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

O Christ our Savior, by Your Cross, guide us to Your truth, and deliver us from the snares of the foe. Since You have risen from the dead, reach out Your hand and raise us who have fallen into sin, O benevolent Lord, at the intercession of Your Saints. [GOASD]

## Ήχος δ'.

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

Τῶν πατρικῶν σου κόλπων, μὴ χωρισθεὶς μονογενὲς Λόγε τοῦ Θεοῦ, ἦλθες ἐπὶ γῆς διὰ φιλανθρωπίαν, ἄνθρωπος γενόμενος ἀτρέπτως, καὶ Σταυρὸν καὶ θάνατον ὑπέμεινας σαρκί, ὁ ἀπαθὴς τῆ θεότητι· ἀναστὰς δὲ ἐκ νεκρῶν, ἀθανασίαν παρέσχες τῷ γένει τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ὡς μόνος παντοδύναμος.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -

# Στιχηρὰ τοῦ Πάσχα. Ήχος πλ. α'.

**Στίχ. α΄.** Άναστήτω 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 ἀνοῖξαν· Πάσχα, πάντας ἁγιάζον πιστούς.

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

Δεῦτε ἀπὸ θέας Γυναῖκες εὐαγγελίστριαι, καὶ τῆ Σιὼν εἴπατε· Δέχου παρ' ἡμῶν χαρᾶς εὐαγγέλια, τῆς ἀναστάσεως Χριστοῦ· τέρπου, χόρευε, καὶ ἀγάλλου Ἱερουσαλήμ,

#### Mode 4.

Praise Him with resounding cymbals; praise Him with triumphant cymbals; let everything that breathes praise the Lord. ISAASI

Never parting from the Father's bosom, Only-begotten Logos of God, You came to earth, for the sake of humanity, and without change became man. And in the flesh You endured the Cross and death, remaining impassible in divinity. As the only almighty Lord, You rose from the dead, and You granted immortality to the human race. [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]

**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 τὸν Βασιλέα Χριστόν, θεασαμένη ἐκ τοῦ μνήματος, ὡς νυμφίον προερχόμενον.

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

Αὶ μυροφόροι γυναῖκες, ὄρθρου βαθέος, ἐπιστᾶσαι πρὸς τὸ μνῆμα τοῦ Ζωοδότου, εὖρον Ἅγγελον, ἐπὶ τὸν λίθον καθήμενον, καὶ αὐτὸς προσφθεγξάμενος, αὐταῖς οὕτως ἔλεγε· Τί ζητεῖτε τὸν ζῶντα μετὰ τῶν νεκρῶν; τί θρηνεῖτε τὸν ἄφθαρτον ὡς ἐν φθορᾳ; ἀπελθοῦσαι κηρύξατε τοῖς αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς.

**Στίχ. δ΄.** Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν αὐτῆ.

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

 $\Delta \acute{o} \xi \alpha.$  Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - -  ${}^{3} \textbf{Ηχος πλ. β'.}$ 

Ή πηγὴ τῆς ζωαρχίας, Ἰησοῦς ὁ Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν, ἐπὶ τὴν πηγὴν ἐπιστὰς τοῦ Πατριάρχου Ἰακώβ, πιεῖν ἐζήτει ὕδωρ παρὰ γυναικὸς Σαμαρείτιδος. Τῆς δὲ τὸ ἀκοινώνητον τῶν Ἰουδαίων προσειπούσης, ὁ σοφὸς Δημιουργὸς μετοχετεύει αὐτήν, ταῖς γλυκείαις προσρήσεσι, μᾶλλον πρὸς αἴτησιν τοῦ ἀϊδίου ὕδατος· ὃ καὶ λαβοῦσα, τοῖς πᾶσιν ἐκήρυξεν εἰποῦσα·

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." [5D]

Glory. From Pentecostarion - - -

Mode pl. 2.

The Well of life's source, Jesus our Savior, came to the well of Jacob the Patriarch, and He asked a Samaritan woman for a drink of water. When she objected that a Jew would have no dealings with her, the wise Creator diverts her attention with His sweet words, and gets her to ask instead for the eternal water. When she had received it, she proclaimed it to all, saying,

Δεῦτε, ἴδετε τῶν κρυπτῶν γνώστην καὶ Θεόν, παραγενόμενον σαρκί, διὰ τὸ σῶσαι τὸν ἄνθρωπον.

Καὶ νῦν. Τοῦ Πάσχα.

Τοῦ Πεντηκοσταρίου - - - 'Ήχος πλ. α'.

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

Ό λαὸς ἵσταται διὰ τὴν Μ. Δοξολογίαν.

## Ή Μεγάλη Δοξολογία

Δόξα σοι τῷ δείξαντι τὸ φῶς. Δόξα ἐν ὑψίστοις Θεῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς εἰρήνη, ἐν ἀνθρώποις εὐδοκία.

Ύμνοῦμέν σε, εὐλογοῦμέν σε, προσκυνοῦμέν σε, δοξολογοῦμέν σε, εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, διὰ τὴν μεγάλην σου δόξαν.

Κύριε βασιλεῦ, ἐπουράνιε Θεέ, Πάτερ παντοκράτορ· Κύριε Υἱὲ μονογενές, Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, καὶ Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα.

Κύριε ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἀμνὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ Υἱὸς τοῦ Πατρός, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἁμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς, ὁ αἴρων τὰς ἁμαρτίας τοῦ κόσμου.

Πρόσδεξαι τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν, ὁ καθήμενος ἐν δεξιᾳ τοῦ Πατρός, καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

"Come and see the Knower of things hidden; He is God, and He has come in the flesh to save humanity." [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."

Stand for the Great Doxology.

## **Great Doxology**

Glory be to You who showed the light. Glory in the highest to God. His peace is on earth, His good pleasure in mankind.

We praise You, we bless You, we worship You, we glorify You, we give thanks to You for Your great glory.

Lord King, heavenly God, Father, Ruler over all; Lord, only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ; and You, O Holy Spirit.

Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, who take away the sin of the world, have mercy on us, You who take away the sins of the world.

Accept our supplication, You who sit at the right hand of the Father, and have mercy on us. Ότι σὺ εἶ μόνος Ἅγιος, σὺ εἶ μόνος Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἅμήν.

Καθ' ἐκάστην ἡμέραν εὐλογήσω σε καὶ αἰνέσω τὸ ὄνομά σου εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα καὶ εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος.

Καταξίωσον, Κύριε, έν τῆ ἡμέρα ταύτη, 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.

Εύλογητὸς εἶ Κύριε, δίδαξόν με τὰ δικαιώματά σου.

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Κύριε, καταφυγὴ ἐγενήθης ἡμῖν ἐν γενεᾳ καὶ γενεᾳ. Ἐγὼ εἶπα· Κύριε, ἐλέησόν με, ἴασαι τὴν ψυχήν μου, ὅτι ἥμαρτόν σοι.

Κύριε, πρὸς σὲ κατέφυγον. Δίδαξόν με τοῦ ποιεῖν τὸ θέλημά σου, ὅτι σὰ εἶ ὁ Θεός μου.

Ότι παρὰ σοὶ πηγὴ ζωῆς, ἐν τῷ φωτί σου ὀψόμεθα φῶς.

Παράτεινον τὸ ἔλεός σου τοῖς γινώσκουσί σε.

Άγιος ὁ Θεός, Άγιος Ἰσχυρός, Άγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (3) For You alone are holy, You alone are Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Every day I will bless You, and Your name will I praise to eternity, and to the ages of ages.

Vouchsafe, O Lord, this day, that we be kept without sin.

Blessed are You, O Lord, the God of our fathers, and praised and glorified is Your name to the ages. Amen.

Let Your mercy be on us, O Lord, as we have set our hope on You.

Blessed are You, O Lord. Teach me Your statutes.

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Blessed are You, O Lord. Teach me Your statutes.

Lord, You have been our refuge from generation to generation. I said: Lord, have mercy on me. Heal my soul, for I have sinned against You.

Lord, I have fled to You. Teach me to do Your will, for You are my God.

For with You is the fountain of life; in Your light we shall see light.

Continue Your mercy to those who know You.

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

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

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

Άγιος Άθάνατος, έλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Άγιος ὁ Θεός, Άγιος Ἰσχυρός, Άγιος Άθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

Μετὰ τὸ τέλος τῆς Δοξολογίας λέγομεν Τροπάριον Άναστάσιμον.

## $^{3}$ **Hχος δ΄.** (ἢ τῆς ἑβδομάδος.)

Σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ κόσμῳ γέγονεν. Ἄσωμεν τῷ ἀναστάντι ἐκ τάφου καὶ ἀρχηγῷ τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν· καθελὼν γὰρ τῷ θανάτῳ τὸν θάνατον, τὸ νῖκος ἔδωκεν ἡμῖν, καὶ τὸ μέγα ἔλεος.

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

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

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

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

*After the Doxology, sing the following Resurrectional Troparion.* 

## **Mode 4.** (or the Mode of the week)

Today has salvation come to pass in the world. Let us sing to Him who resurrected from the tomb and is the Author of our life. For, destroying death by death, He gave us the victory and the great mercy. [SD]