

TONE THREE

At the Vigil Divine Liturgy on Saturday

Psalm 140:

O Lord, I have cried to you, hear me. Hear me, O Lord!

O Lord, I have cried to you, hear me; re-ceive the voice of my pray'r when I

call up - on you. Hear me, O Lord! Let my pray'r

as-cend to you like in-cense and the lift - ing up of my hands like an

eve-ning sac - ri - fice. Hear me, O Lord!

The recited verses of the Lamp-lighting psalms are found on page 114.

Cantor: Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption,
Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

First Resurrectional Sticheron:

By your cross, O Christ our Sav - ior, the pow'r of Death has been

van - quished and the deceit of the Dev-il has been de - stroyed. The hu-man

race, saved by faith, of - fers you a hymn for - ev - er.

Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations, acclaim him all you peoples!

Second Resurrectional Sticheron:

O Lord, ev - 'ry - thing has been enlightened by your res - ur - rec - tion,

and Par - adise has been re - o - - pened. All cre - a - tion ex - tols you

and offers you a hymn for - ev - er.

Cantor: Strong is the love of the Lord for us; he is faithful forever.

Third Resurrectional Sticheron:

I glo - ri - fy the might of the Father, Son, and Ho - ly Spir - it. I praise

the Undivided Power, the Uncreat - ed Di - vin - i - ty, the Trinity one in

es - sence who reigns for - ev - er and ev - er.

Cantor: Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit,
now and ever and forever. Amen.

Dogmatikon:



O most hon - or - a - ble one, how can we not mar - vel at your giv - ing
birth to God and man? Most pure one, with - out know - ing man, you gave
birth in the flesh to the Son without a fa - ther, be - got - ten before all
ages of the Father with - out a moth - er. He underwent no change, confusion,
or di - vi - sion, but main - tained the prop - erties of each nature in - tact.
There - fore, O La - dy, Vir - gin Moth - er, beg him to save the souls of those
who rightly confess you as The - o - to - kos.

At the Divine Liturgy

Troparion:



Let the heav - ens re - joice, let the earth be glad; for the Lord

has shown the might of his arm. By his death the Lord has tram-pled Death;
 he has be-come the first - born of the dead; he has de - liv - ered
 us from the depths of Ha - des and has grant-ed great mer-cy to the world.

Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,
 now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - - - men.

Kontakion:

To - day, you a - rose from the grave, O mer - ci - ful Lord; you led us
 out of the gates of Death. To - day, Ad - am ex - ults and Eve re - joic - es.
 With them, the proph - ets and patriarchs ever praise the might of your di - vine
 pow - - - er.

If additional Kontakia are sung in Tone 3, the following are used:




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



Now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - - - men.

Prokeimenon (Psalm 46:7,2):



Sing praise to our God, sing praise; sing praise to our King, sing praise,
sing praise to our King, sing praise!

Verse: All you peoples, clap your hands; shout to God with cries of gladness.

Alleluia (Psalm 30:2,3):



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - - - ia!

Verse: In you, O Lord, I have placed my trust; let me never be put to shame.

Verse: Be a protector for me, O God, and a house of refuge for my salvation.

Communion Hymn – For Sunday (Psalm 148:1): *(music found on pages 78 - 81)*

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise him in the highest.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Tone 3 Samohlasen

Our Fa - ther, who art in hea - ven, hal - lowed be
thy name; thy king - dom come; thy will be done
on earth as it is in hea - ven. Give us this day our dai -
ly bread; and for - give us our tres - pass - es as we
for - give those who tres - pass a - gainst us; and lead
us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - li - ver us from
e - vil.