

Tone One

Hypakoe

The repentance of the thief gained him paradise by stealth; and the sighing of the ointment-bearing women proclaimed the glad tidings that thou wast risen, O Christ, and hadst bestowed upon the world thy Great Mercy.

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

O Lord, to thee in my sorrows do I cry. Hear thou my cry of pain. Verily, the divine desire shall be without delay upon the people of the wilderness, for that they have come out of the vain world.

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

Verily, glory and honor become the Holy Spirit, as they become the Father and the Son. Wherefore, do we praise the Triune, One in might.

Second Antiphon

O God, since thou hast raised me to the hills of thy laws, shed brightly thy light of virtue upon me, that I may praise thee. O Word, hold me fast with thy right hand; keep me and preserve me, lest the fire of sin consume me.

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

Verily, all creation together is regenerated by the Holy Spirit, and returns to its former being: for he is co-omnipotent with the Father and the Word.

Third Antiphon

My soul did rejoice with those who say: "Let us go into the courts of the Lord." My heart was exceedingly glad. Great fear shall be in the house of David, where the seats shall be set, and all tribes and tongues of the earth shall be judged.

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

Verily, it is meet to offer glory, might and power to the Holy Spirit as to the Father and to the Son, for the Trinity is one in substance, not in Person.

Tone Two

Hypakoe

The women went to the tomb after thy Passion to anoint thy body, O Christ God, where they saw a vision of angels, and were astonished; for they heard them crying with a loud voice: "The Lord is risen and hath granted the world Great Mercy."

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

Behold, O Savior, toward heaven I raise the eyes of my heart to thee. Save me by thine illumination. O Christ, have mercy upon us guilty men who transgress against thee often and in every hour. Give us, before the end, the means of a repentance acceptable to thee.

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

Verily, sovereignty over creation, its sanctification, and its motion are of the Holy Spirit; for he is God, consubstantial with the Father and with the Word.

Second Antiphon

Except the Lord were in our midst, who could have been kept safe from the man-destroying enemy? Verily, my enemies roar like lions, O Savior. Deliver not thy servant to their teeth.

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

The Holy Spirit is the Element of life and honor, for as God he doth establish all creatures and preserve them in the Father and the Son.

Third Antiphon

They who put their trust in the Lord are like the holy mountain, for they are never shaken by the attacks of Belial. They put not forth their hands to evil, who live the divine life; for Christ God will not deliver his inheritance to the evil ones.

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

The Holy Spirit is the Fount of all wisdom, for from him cometh grace to the Apostles; the Martyrs by him are crowned in their struggles, and the Prophets in foreknowledge look to him.

Tone Three

Hypakoe

To the ointment-bearing women the brilliant angel of sweet words, startling them, did say: "Why seek ye the living One in the grave? He is verily risen and hath emptied the tombs. Know ye, therefore, that the changeless one hath changed corruption to incorruption. And say ye to God: 'How dreadful are thy works, for thou hast saved mankind!'"

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

Thou didst verily deliver the captivity of Zion from Babylon, O Word. Likewise, draw thou me out of suffering into life. They who sow in Timan, with divine tears, shall reap with rejoicing the sheaves of eternal life.

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

With the Holy Spirit every gift is good, for he doth shine forth together with the Father and the Son, and in him doth all creation live and move.

Second Antiphon

If the Lord buildeth not the house of virtues, then vainly do we labor; but if he defend and protect our lives, none shall prevail against our city. The saints are verily the hire of the fruit of the womb. And they have not ceased to be thy sons in the Spirit, O Christ, and thou art like a father.

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

By the Holy Spirit hath all holiness and wisdom been observed, for he is the Creator of all the essence of creation. Therefore let us worship him, for he is God as is the Father and the Word.

Third Antiphon

Happy are they who fear the Lord, for they walk in the way of his commandments and eat of the fruits of universal life. Rejoice with gladness, O chief Shepherd, as thou beholdest thy children's children round about thy table, offering branches of good deeds.

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

Verily, all the richness of honor is of the Holy Spirit. And of him too is grace and life for all creation. Wherefore, he is to be praised with the Father and the Word.

Tone Four

Hypakoe

The ointment-bearing women hastened, running to the Apostles and related to them the account of thy Resurrection, O Christ, saying Thou hast risen because thou art God, granting the world Great Mercy.

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

The many sufferings from my youth combat me, but thou, O my Savior, assist and save me. O ye haters of Zion, depart in shame from before the Lord, for ye shall be dry by fire as the grass.

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

By the Holy Spirit every spirit shall live and shall be purified, ascending, and brilliant, through the one hidden and pure Trinity.

Second Antiphon

To thee, O Lord, have I cried fervidly from the depth of my soul. Let thy divine ears listen to me. All those who have placed their trust in the Lord shall transcend all sorrows.

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

Verily, the Holy Spirit doth overflow with streams and passages of grace, and doth water all creation with refreshing life.

Third Antiphon

Let my heart rise to thee, O Word, and let not the pleasures of the world enter into me to vie with the earthly life. And as each of us hath surpassing love to his Mother, the more should we love the Lord with utmost fervor.

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

By the Holy Spirit cometh the riches of divine knowledge, divine vision, and wisdom; for through him the Word doth proclaim all the commandments of the Father.

Tone Five

Hypakoe

The minds of the ointment-bearing women were dazzled by the angelic scene, and their souls with the divine Resurrection. Wherefore, they spake to the Apostles, saying: "Declare in the nations the Resurrection of the Lord who worketh wonders with you, who bestoweth on us the Great Mercy."

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

O my Lord, I sing to thee like David in my sorrow. Save my soul from the deceitful tongues. Verily, the life of the dwellers in the wilderness is a very happy one, for by divine passion are they ever carried up.

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

By the Holy Spirit are all creations seen and unseen preserved, the control thereof being in himself who is without doubt one of the Trinity.

Second Antiphon

Come, my soul, let us ascend the mountain yonder, whence cometh thy help. O Christ let thy raised right hand encompass me, preserving me from all evil deceits.

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

By the Holy Spirit do we speak divinely, saying, Verily, thou art God, Life, Love, Light, and Mind. Thou art goodness. Thou dost reign for ages.

Third Antiphon

I have been filled with great joy by those who say to me: "Let us go into the courts of the Lord." Verily, I have offered a constant prayer. In the house of David dread wonders take place, for there is a burning fire consuming every evil mind.

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

Verily, the Holy Spirit is the Element of life and its beginning, for through him doth every living thing breathe, as is the Father and the Word.

Tone Six

Hypakoe

By thy willing yet life-giving Death, O Christ, thou hast crushed the gates of Hades, because thou art God, and hast opened the old paradise; and having risen from the dead, thou hast redeemed our life from corruption.

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

To the heavens do I lift mine eyes, O Word of God. Have mercy upon me that I may live by thee. O Word, have mercy upon us who are despised, and make us good and chosen vessels.

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

Verily, in the Holy Spirit is the cause of salvation for all; for when he bloweth on one worthily, he doth raise him speedily from earthly things, doth wing him and cause him to grow, and doth rank him in the heavenly places.

Second Antiphon

Were not the Lord in our midst, it would not be possible for any of us to stand firm in his wrestling with the enemy; for only thereby do the victors attain the exaltation of victory. Woe is me! How shall I escape the enemies while I am a lover of sin? Wherefore, deliver not my soul, O Word, like a bird, to their teeth.

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

Verily, through the Holy Spirit is everyone made divine; and in him is pleasure, understanding, safety, and blessing; for he is equal to the Father and the Word together.

Third Antiphon

They who trust in the Lord are feared by their enemies and are wondered at by all; for their sight is very high. The party of the righteous hath secured thee as its succor, O Savior, and therefore shall not reach out its hands to iniquities.

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

Verily, the Holy Spirit hath might over all; for him do all the heavenly hosts worship, and every breath below.

Tone Seven

Hypakoe

O Thou that hast taken our image and our likeness, and endured crucifixion in the flesh, save me by thy Resurrection, O Christ God, for thou art the Lover of Mankind.

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

O Savior, who didst restore Zion from the captivity of error, deliver me from the bondage of sufferings and restore my life. He that soweth sorrow in the south, fasting with tears, the same shall reap sheaves of reviving and ever-nourishing joys.

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

In the Holy Spirit is the fountain of divine treasures, for from him cometh wisdom, awe, and understanding. To him, therefore, be praise, glory, might, and honor.

Second Antiphon

If the Lord buildeth not the house of the soul, then vainly do we labor; for without him no need in saying is ever complete. Verily, the saints, who are the hire of the fruit of thy womb by the moving of the Spirit, flourish the beliefs of fatherly adoption.

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

By the Holy Spirit was existence bestowed on all creation; for he is of the Godhead before existence, and he is the unapproachable Light, the God of all, and their life.

Third Antiphon

Verily, they who fear the Lord are now for ever blessed; for they have found the way of life in the never-decaying glory. O High Priest, as thou seest thy children's children like plants around thy table, rejoice and be happy and offer them to Christ.

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

By the Holy Spirit is the abundance of gifts, the richness of glory, and depth of the great ordinances; for he is worshipful and coeternal in glory with the Father and the Son.

Tone Eight

Hypakoe

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

Anabathmoi

First Antiphon

From my youth the enemy hath tempted me and with temptations hath he beguiled me. But I, O Lord, trusting in thee, have rejected him in shame. They who hate Zion shall become like grass before it is pulled up; for Christ shall cut down their necks with the scythe of torment.

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

Verily, in the Holy Spirit all shall live; for he is Light of Light, a great God. Let us, therefore, praise him with the Father and the Word.

Second Antiphon

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

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

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

Third Antiphon

To thee have I cried, O Lord. Listen and turn thy ear towards me when I shout. Purify me before thou raisest me from this place. Verily, everyone shall return and disappear in his mother the earth, and shall be dissolved at once, to receive either honors or punishments as reward for what he hath done in his lifetime.

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

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

Fourth Antiphon

Behold, how good and how beautiful for the brethren to live together, for of this did the Lord promise eternal life. Verily, he who beautifieth the flowers of the field commandeth that no one take heed for his dress.

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

Verily, the Holy Spirit is the Cause of all and containeth in himself the harmony of safety, for he is truly equal to the Father and the Son in substance.