

Sunday of Forgiveness. Cheesefare.

At Great Vespers, on "Lord, I have cried" sing 10 verses.

First, 6 verses for the Resurrection in the Tone of the week.

Then these 4 verses in Tone 6:

(I) From the morn - ing watch un - til night, from the morn - ing watch let
Is - ra - el hope in the Lord.
The Lord my Cre - a - - - tor took me as dust
from the earth, gave me a soul with the breath of
life, made me a liv - - - - ing crea - - - ture, and
hon -oured me as rul - - - - er on earth o - - - ver all things
vis - - - i - - ble and com - pan - - - - ion of an - - - - gels.
But Sa - - tan the de - - - ceiv - - er, us - - - ing the ser - - pent
as his in - - - stru - - - ment, en - ticed me by

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food, and part ----- ed me from the glo ----- ry of God

and gave me o --- ver to the earth to the low -- est

depths of death. But as Mas - ter and com - pas -----

----- sion - - ate, call me back

a --- gain.

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(II) For with the Lord there is mer - cy, and with him plen - ti - ful
re - demp - tion; and he will re - deem Is - ra - el from all his in - i - qui - ties.

In my wretch - ed - ness I have cast off the robe
wo - ----- ven by God, dis - o - - bey - ing your di - - vine
com - mand, O Lord, at the coun - sel of the en - e - - my,
and I am clothed now in fig leaves
and gar - - - ments of skin. I am con - demned to
eat the bread of toil in the sweat of my
brow, and the earth has been cursed, so



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that it bears thorns and this - tles for me. But, O
Lord, who in the last times were made flesh of a Vir - gin,
call me back and bring me a - - - gain in - to
Par - - - a - - - dise.

(I) Praise the Lord, all you na - tions; praise him, all you peo -- ples.
O pre - - - cious Par - - - a - - - dise, un - sur - - passed
in beau - - - - ty, dwell - - - ing
place built by God, un - - end - - - - - ing
glad - - - - - ness and de - - - light,

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The musical notation consists of eight staves of music in common time, treble clef, and B-flat key signature. The notes are primarily quarter notes and eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with each staff containing a portion of the text. The text is as follows:

glo - - - ry of the right - eous, joy of Proph - ets,
and a - - bode of Saints, with the sound
of your leaves pray to the Mak - er of all
to o - - - pen for me
the gates
which I closed by my
trans - gres - sions, and to count me wor - thy of the
Tree of Life, and of the joy which was mine when
I dwelt in you be - - fore.

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(II) For his mer - cy has been might - y to - wards us; and the truth of the
Lord en - dures to the ag - - - es.

Ad - am was ban - - - ished from Par - - a - - - dise through
dis - o - - be - - di - - - ence and cast out from de - light,

be - guiled by the words of a wom - - - an,

and na - - ked he sat op - po - site the place la - ment - - ing:

"Woe is me!" There - fore let us all make

haste to ac - cept the sea - - son of the Fast

and o - obey the tra - di - tions of the Gos - - - - - - - - - pel:

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so that through them we may be well - - pleas - - - ing to
Christ, and re - - ceive once more an a - bode
in Par - - - a - - - dise.

Glory. Tone 6:

(I) Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - - rit.
Ad - - - - am sat op - - po - site Par - - a - - - - dise, and
la - - - - ment - - - - ing his na - - - - - ked - ness, he wept:
"Woe
is me! By e - - - - vil de - - ceit
I was per - suad - ed and robbed, and

(Sunday of Forgiveness [Cheesefare], Great Vespers, page 8)

The musical notation consists of eight staves of Gregorian chant in G clef, B-flat key signature, and common time. The notes are primarily quarter and eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. The lyrics are written below each staff, corresponding to the musical phrases. The text is a Theotokion from the Dogmatikon, expressing the author's exile, poverty, and desire for return to God.

ex - - - - exiled far from glo - - - ry. Woe
is
me! I was na - - - ked in sim - plic - - - ty,
and now I am in want. But, O Par - - - -
- - - a - dise, no long - er shall I en - - joy your
de - - - lights, no long - er shall I look up - on the Lord my
God and Mak - - - er, for I shall re - turn to the
earth from which I was tak - - en. O Mer - - ci - ful
and Com - pas - - - sion - ate, I cry to you: "Have mer - cy
on me, who am fall - - - - en."

Both now. Theotokion Dogmatikon in the Tone of the week.

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At Lity, Glory, Tone 6:

Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - - rit.

The sun hid its rays, the moon and the stars

were turned to blood, the moun - - tains

were a - fraid, the hils trem - - - - bled,

when Par - a - - - dise was shut. As he de - part - - - ed,

Ad - - - - - dam beat his eyes with

his hands, and said: "O Mer - - ci - - - -

ful

One, have mer - cy on me, who am

fall - - - - - en."

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Both now. Theotokion, same Tone:

The musical notation consists of ten staves of music, each with a treble clef and a key signature of one flat (G minor). The notes are primarily quarter notes and eighth notes, with some sixteenth-note patterns. Measure lines and repeat signs are used to structure the piece. The lyrics are integrated into the music, with each staff containing a line of text corresponding to the melody.

Both now and for ev - er, and to the ag - es of ag - es. A --- men.

Mys - - - ti - cal - ly we sing your prais - - - - es, O Moth - - - - er of

God Mar - y, for you have been re - - vealed as throne

of the great King, all - - - - ho - - - ly dwell - ing,

more spa - cious than the heav - - - - ens, char - - i - ot of the

Cher - u - bim, and high - - - - - er than the Ser - - - - - a - phim,

brid - al cham - ber of glo - - - - ry: for from you

the God of all came forth

in - car - - - nate. Pray to him to

save our souls.

Aposticha for the Resurrection in the Tone of the week.

Glory. Tone 6:

(II) Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - - rit.

Through eat - ----- ing Ad - - am was cast out of

Par - ----- a - - - - dise. And so,

as he sat in front of

it, he wept, la - - - ment - - - ing with a pit - i - - - ful

voice, and say - - - - ing: "Woe

is

me! what have I suf - - - - - fered, wretch that

I am: I trans - gressed one com - mand - ment

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of the Mas - ter, and I am de - prived
of
eve ----- ry good thing. Most Ho ----- ly
Par - - a - - - dise, plant ----- ed
be -- cause
of me, and closed be - cause of
Eve, pray to him who made you and fash - - - ioned
me, that I may a - - - gain have my fill of
your flow - - - ers." Then the Sav - iour said to him:

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"I do not want the one I fash - - - - ioned to
per - - - - ish, but I wish for him to be saved,
and to come to know - - - ledge of truth, for the
one who comes to me, I will not turn a - way."

Theotokion:

(I) Both now and for ev - er, and to the ag - es of ag - es. A - - - men.

My Mak - er and Re - - deem - - - - -
er, Christ the Lord, by com - ing from your womb,
O Most Pure La - - - - - dy, and cloth - ing
him - self

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A musical score for a Gregorian chant, featuring ten staves of music in common time and G clef. The music consists of black note heads on white stems, with some stems having small vertical dashes near the top. The lyrics are written below each staff, aligned with the notes. The score includes the following lyrics:

in me, freed Ad ----- am from the for ----- mer
curse.

And so, All ----- pure La - dy,

as to her who is tru ----- ly Moth - er of

God and Vir ----- gin, we cry to you

the "Re -- joice,"

of the

An -- gel. Re - joice, Sov ----- ereign La ----- dy, de - fence

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and pro - tec -

tion,

and sal - va - tion of our souls.