KYMTHA EVENING PRAYER

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, one true God;

Glory be to Him, and may His grace and mercy be upon us forever. Amen.

Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, by whose glory, the heaven and earth are filled, Hosanna in the Highest.

Blessed is He, who has to come, and is to come, in the name of the Lord; Glory be to Him in the Highest.

TRISAGION (KAUMA)

Holy art thou, O God!
Holy art thou, Almighty,
Holy art thou, Immortal,
† Crucified for us, Have mercy on us.(Repeat Thrice)

Lord, have mercy upon us, Lord be kind, and have mercy, Lord accept Thou our office And our entreaties, Have mercy on us.

Glory be to Thee, O God!
Glory be to Thee, O Creator,
Glory be to Thee, O King,
Christ who dost pity, on sinners thy servants. Barekmor

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, – hallowed be thy name, - Thy kingdom come, - Thy will be done on earth, - as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, - and forgive us our debts and sins, - as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, - but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, - the power and the glory, - forever and ever. –Amen

HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace, - our Lord is with thee. Blessed are thou among women, - and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, - our Lord Jesus Christ. O Virgin Saint Mary, - O Mother of God, - pray for us sinners, - now and at all times, - and at the hour of our death. -Amen.

OPENING PRAYER

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Spirit.

People: May His grace and mercy be upon us, - weak and sinful, in

both worlds forever and ever. Amen

Priest: O Lord God, enable us to adore Your Resurrection on this

third day in purity and holiness, along with the heavenly hosts; that we may be enlightened by upright behavior before You, and worship ceaselessly You, Your Father

and Your Holy Spirit, now and forever.

People: Amen

Psalm 51

Barekmor

Have mercy upon me, O Lord, according to Thy loving kindness, and according to the multitude of Thy mercies, blot out my transgressions.

Wash me from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sins; for I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sins are ever before me.

Against Thee, Thee only, have I sinned, and done evil before Thee. For Thou shall be justified Thy word, and blameless in Thy judgment. For I was born in iniquity and in sins did my mother conceive me.

For Thou has desired the truth, and made known to me the mysteries of Thy wisdom. Sprinkle upon me with Thy hyssop; purge me with it, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Fill me with Thy joy and gladness, and my feeble bones shall rejoice. Turn Thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew within me a right spirit. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Thy salvation and may thy glorious spirit uphold me. Then will I teach the iniquitous Thy way, and the sinners shall be converted to Thee.

Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall extol Thy righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall sing forth Thy praises.

For Thou hadst no delight in mere sacrifices; neither hadst Thou been reconciled by mere burnt offerings. The sacrifices acceptable to God are a humble spirit, and a broken heart, God despises not.

Do good to Zion, according to Thy good pleasure, and build Thou the walls of Jerusalem. Then wilt Thou be pleased with righteous sacrifices, and in whole burnt offerings. Then shall they offer bullocks upon Thine altar.

And to you belongs the praise O God. Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost **People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

HYMN

(Tune: Eee ninnudhanathin nal...)

- A-dam, head of human race shall rejoice on -Resurrection Day – O Lord- of all have mercy - on me
- 2. They did place You in the tomb as a dead man full with guard and seal—O Lord, of all have mercy on me
- 3. Messiah gladdened those on high and on this earth By Resurrection – O Lord- of all have mercy - on me
- 4. Ho-ly women disciples with frankincense Hastened to the tomb O Lord- of all have mercy on me

5. John - and Peter joyously - came to the tomb Running all the way – O Lord- of all have mercy - on me

Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.

6. Lo-rd! We laud Thy mercy and adore Thy grace Savior! eternal - O Lord- of all have mercy - on me

Psalm 141

¹O Lord, I call to You, come quickly to me. Hear my voice when I call to You.

²May my prayer be set before You like incense; may the lifting up of my hands be like the evening sacrifice.

³Set a guard over my mouth, O Lord; keep watch over the door of my lips.

⁴Let not my heart be drawn to what is evil, to take part in wicked deeds with men who are evildoers; let me not eat of their delicacies

⁵Let a righteous man strike me – it is a kindness; let him rebuke me – it is oil on my head. My head will not refuse it. Yet my prayer is ever against the deeds of evildoers;

⁶their rulers will be thrown down from the cliffs, and the wicked will learn that my words were well spoken.

⁷They will say, "As one plows and breaks up the earth, so our bones have been scattered at the mouth of the grave."

⁸But my eyes are fixed on You, O Sovereign Lord; in You I take refuge – do not give me over to death.

⁹Keep me from the snares they have laid for me, from the traps set by evildoers.

¹⁰Let the wicked fall into their own nets, while I pass by in safety.

Psalm 142

- ¹I cry aloud to the Lord; I lift up my voice to the Lord for mercy
- ²I pour out my complaint before Him; before Him I tell my trouble.
- ³When my spirit grows faint within me, it is You who know my way. In the path where I walk, men have hidden a snare for me.
- ⁴Look to my right and see; no one is concerned for me. I have no refuge; no one cares for my life.
- ⁵I cry to You, O Lord; I say, "You are my refuge, my portion in the land of the living."
- ⁶Listen to my cry, for I am in desperate need; rescue me from those who pursue me, for they are too strong for me.
- ⁷Set me free from my prison, that I may praise Your name. Then the righteous will gather about me because of Your goodness to me.

Psalm 119: 105-112

- ¹⁰⁵Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path
- ¹⁰⁶I have taken an oath and confirmed it, that I will follow your righteous laws.
- ¹⁰⁷I have suffered much; preserve my life, O Lord, according to Your word.
- ¹⁰⁸Accept, O Lord, the willing praise of my mouth, and teach me your laws.
- ¹⁰⁹Though I constantly take my life in my hands, I will not forget your law.

- ¹¹⁰The wicked have set a snare for me, but I have not strayed from your precepts.
- Your statues are my heritage forever; they are the joy of my heart.
- ¹¹²My heart is set on keeping your decrees to the very end

Psalm 117

¹Praise the Lord, all you nations; extol Him, all you peoples

²For great is His love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Praise the Lord. And to you belongs the praise O God. **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost **People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

HYMN

(Tune: En naadha nin krupa nine...)

- Thy grace brought Thee down, O, Lord!, Unto these servants, sinners
 Thy Church now doth cling to the, Wings of Thy Cross, have mercy!
- 2. By Thy power and glory rose, From the dead - Thou Messiah In Thy mercy raise us all, From this sea of sufferings, Lord!
- 3. On this holy, festive day,
 Of Thy resurrection, Lord
 Forgive our sins, that we may,
 Adore Thy grace and mercy.
- Eden's garden with the tree,
 Of life, at the center, bless'd
 Day and night was guarded by,
 Blazing swords of cherubim

Likewise, sleepless angels did, 5. Guard the tomb of Savior Christ Churches and Monasteries. Extol this Resurrection Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.

6. Lord, gladdened our departed, Who sleep with all hope in Thee Gladden servants at Thy right, On that Day of Resurrection

Deacon: Stoumen kalos...

People: Kurielaison

PROMEON

Priest: Let us all pray and beseech the Lord for grace and

mercy.

People: O merciful Lord, have mercy upon us and help us.

Glory and thanksgiving, praise and adoration, and Priest: exaltation unceasing, truly at all times and all hours, may

we ascribe unto Thee, O Lord.

Glory be to the good Lord, who came to die by His own holy will; entered into the tomb, by the fullness of His love; He who loves mankind; the exalted One who is highly placed above everything; unseen by nature; the rich One from whom myriad treasures could be drawn out; and who distributes His bounty to all the regions. To Him be glory and honor and worship at this time of evening prayer; and all festivals and seasons and hours, and all the days of our life.

People: Amen

(Incense is placed)

PRAYER OF ABSOLUTION (HOOSOYO)

Priest: Therefore, O Thou, who dost absolve and sanctify, who dost forgive and wipe away our misdeeds, and who dost not

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remember our evils, blot out, O Lord God, by the tender mercy of Thy love, my sins, great, many and innumerable, as also the sins of all Thy believing people. Absolve, O Good One, and have mercy on us. Remember us, O Lord God, in Thy mercy. And have remembrance also Lord, upon the souls of our fathers and mothers, of our departed ones, and of all the faithful departed children of Thy holy and glorious Church. Comfort, O Lord God, their souls and spirits and bodies. Sprinkle upon their bones the dew of Thy grace and mercy. And be Thou the Absolution and the Absolver, to them and to us. O Christ our King, our Lord and Master, Lord of Glory. Give heed to us, my Lord, come to our aid and help us. And redeem us, and receive our prayers and supplications. Remove and cut off, O God, by Thy mercy, all painful punishments. Spare us from the rods of wrath, forbid them by Thy mercy. And make us all worthy of that Supreme Good which is for men of peace. Of Thy bounty, grant us the gift of Christian perfection, so pleasing unto Thee, so becoming and so worthy of Thy divinity, again, make us all worthy of the Supreme Good. And unto Thee we offer up glory and praise, now and at all times, for ever and ever.

People: Amen

SEDRA

Priest: O, Christ, our Lord, by Your saving deeds, and Your divine love of humanity, chose Your catholic and apostolic Church from among all the gentiles, bought her with Your blood, and made her Your bride, You made us Your children and heirs, saved us by setting us free from the slavery of death and satan. Help us to observe Your divine commandments; to walk day and night according to Your commandments and to rejoice in You. May we proclaim Your life-giving gospel; and carry Your Evangelion among our own people and also gentiles; and walk along the path prepared for us by the holy apostles and the prophets who were great preachers; and follow their upright footsteps.

May we all be made perfect by Your divine will; and be crowned by the glory You have given them.

May we reveal to Your believing people the mystery of

Your commandments; preach to them the Word of Life

and happiness; be enlightened by Your glorious light; and be fully nourished from Your spiritual well- spring. May we raise to You everyday, sweet strains of music and becoming praise, also on the feast of Your glorious Resurrection from the tomb. Enable us to offer ceaseless and joyful praises to You and especially to Your glorious, miraculous and amazing Resurrection. Lord, grant peace, freely, to Your congregation, and tranquility to Your Church that awaits Your mercy, confesses Your crucifixion and believes in Your Godhead. Also grant joy and happiness, at Your right hand side, on the day of Your Second Coming, to the faithful departed who have passed out of this world. May we, and the children of Your Church offer praise and thanksgiving to You, to Your Father and Your Holy Spirit, now and forever.

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People: Amen

Priest: From God may we receive remission of debts and forgiveness of sins of both worlds for ever and ever.

People: Amen

HYMN AFTER INCENSE

(Tune: Nathan Mrutharidayil urapichadathe....)

1. Lo-rd gave Adam courage, among all the dead
"Be not troubled henceforth you think-ing of your sins.
I received beatings, thrashings, for your follies
Fruit of Eden you ate and I took bitter drink
Leaves covered - your nakedness then
Naked they - hung me on the tree
Father's wrath was removed by my blood - on the Cross"

Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

2. Re-joice, ye holy Church! Rejoice as our Lord On the third day, came to life and ro-se from the tomb Sin, - He killed by His murder; death by His death Cherubs' lance He effaced by lance that he suffered. Tomb's perdi-tion removed by His Tomb; gave life by Resurrection He suffered all - and effaced - all our transgressions Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

3. Come, let us entreat for our departed ones
To Messiah, that their souls in life eternal
May not be ruled over by shadows of sin
They did eat His body and drunk His precious blood
Thou did re-deem their souls, O, Lord
And they did - extol Thy great name
Beckon them, Lord, and make them stand at - Thy right hand.

Moriyo rahem melain o aa darein

(Incense is placed)

ETHRO

Priest: O, Lord you offered Yourself as the sanctifying sacrifice and the incense of reconciliation on Golgotha. You effaced the unrighteousness of the world by Your ascension on the cross. Accept this humble incense, which we, Your weak and sinful servants, have offered thee, because of your love for mankind. May this incense ascend to the holy of holies of your honor. Send us remission of debts and forgiveness of sins from your presence. Comfort our departed ones by your love for mankind now and for evermore

People: Amen

HYMN

(Tune: Nin murivukalee nnetten...)

1. Scent of Moroon I enjoyed from Thy wounds, my Lord!
Thy lips are soft and downy - like threads of fine silk
I came to watch - nay, guards all about
Leaving them I - ran to Golgotha
I saw Thee, side torn open, and all drenched in blood
"Praise to Thee, Lord! Who keeps us by Thy Holy Cross
Halleluiah"-thus we shout to Thee! Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost - Halleluiah

2. Thy beauty, Lord, marvelous - carried me away! Tune I have none to sing Thy - praise, O, Son of God! Saw Thee on high - at right of Father Deep down on earth - between two robbers Thy bed among those dead, no Lord, heav'n is Thy throne Sleepless angels on high, and mankind down on earth Halleluiah - shout Thy praises, Lord.

Unto to the ages of ages and forever more- Halleluiah

3. Remembe-r our depa-rted, Lord! Thou console them!
Received You in bapti-sm; accepted Thee in
Holy Altar; they ate Thy Body
And drank the cup - of Thy precious Blood
Let them stand at Thy right hand Lord! In Thy kingdom
Rejoic-ing with Abraham - let them shout Thy praise
Halleluiah - Thou do console them!

GOSPEL

Halleluiah, Halleluiah... (Incense is placed)

Deacon: With calmness and reverence and with sober minds, let us give heed and listen to the Proclamation of the living words of God, in the Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, that is read to us.

Priest: † Peace be unto you all.

People: May the Lord God make us worthy, With Thy Spirit.

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, life giving preaching from (St.) the preacher who preaches life and salvation to the world.

People: Blessed is He- who has come and is to come. – Praise be to Him, who sent Him for our salvation, - and His mercy be upon us all – forever.

Priest: Now in the time of the dispensation of our Lord and our

God and our Saviour Jesus Christ, the word of life, God who had taken the flesh of the Holy Virgin Mary, these things did come to pass in this manner. †

People: We believe and confess.

(Priest reads the Gospel and ends by saying)

Priest: † Peace be unto you all

COMMEMORATION OF THE DEPARTED FAITHFUL

KUKLIYON

(Tune: Makkalilappan...)

Priest: As doth a father his children love- Hal - u - Hal So doth the Lord love those who fear His name

People: The days of man are but as grass- Hal - u - Hal He springs up like herbs that grow in fields **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost **People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

EKBO

(Tune : Sharanathale...)

Priest: They who served and died in hope

People: Trusting in Thy mercy, Lord;

May Thy living voice them raise From their graves to paradise **Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

KOLO

(Tune : Rakshakane Nin Gathrathe...)

Priest: Grant, O Savior, that the dead who ate Thy flesh,

People: Who drank Thy blood, the chalice of salvation,

May be raised up from their graves- yea, incorrupt, Clothed in glory full and bright, Lo they wait Thee

Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

People:

Borne aloft in state upon clouds of glory, Comes the Prince who giveth life to the dead ones Righteous ones the trumpet hear - of His angels; They proceed in glorious stoles to His presence Moriyo rahem melain o aa darein

BOVOOSA MOR YAKOB

(Tune: Uthanathal thansabhaye veendonam ...)

- 1. Son! Who redeemed Thy Church by Thy resurrection Grant Thy peace, Lord! And keep the children of Thy Church.
- 2. May strains of joy and gladness re-sound in the Church Thy peace may keep Thy holy Church like a fortress
- 3. May Thy peace, Lord, guard the doors of Thy holy Church Tranquility may greet all who enter therein
- 4. Adored is the Father who built Church and keeps it Worshipful Son, feasted her by death on the Cross
- 5. Praised be the Holy Spirit who makes all people Worship the Son, who from the tomb, rose in glory.
- 6. Heaven's peace! Who invites those above and on earth! By Thy Resurrection, make peace reign in Thy Church.

KAUMA

(Tune: Shudhan nee alloho...).

Holy art Thou, O God Holy art Thou, Almighty, Holy art Thou, Immortal, † Crucified for us Have mercy on us. (Repeat Thrice)

Lord, have mercy on us, Lord be kind and have mercy, Lord, accept our offices, (and) entreaties Have mercy on us. Glory be to Thee, O God!
Glory to Thee, Creator,
Glory to Thee, Christ who dost pity
Sinn-ers, thy servants **Barekmor**

Our Father, who art in heaven... Hail Mary, full of grace ...

SOOTHARA PRAYER

KAUMA

HYMN

(Tune: Njan anchunnen papathal...)

1. Afraid am I for my sins;

Garden joyous - that is kept - for saints

Let my - sins be no barrier

For me - to enter therein

Lift me from hell and save me,

Let me dwell in - mansions at - Your will **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost **People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

2. Praise to Thee, Messiah, King
Who opens doors - to those who - repent
Sinner - that I plead with Thee
Thou dis-pensith Thy graces
Gladden my heart - by Thy grace
Transform me Lord, - to be Thy - lyre
Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA MOR BALAI

(Tune: Papam cheithoroda...)

- 1. Thou, who shows mercy even on sinners Have mercy on us on Thy Judgement Day!
- 2. Grieving mortals knock at Thy mercy's door Lord, in Thy mercy, answer their pleadings!

- 3. Father in heaven, we do entreat Thee! Accept this office have mer-cy on us.
- 4. Lord of heavenly ones! hope of humankind Accept this office have mer-cy on us

Kurieleison, Kurieleison

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Psalm 91

Barekmor

You that sit in the shelter of the Most High and abide in glory; in the shadow of God.

Say to the Lord; 'My trust and my refuge; the God in whom I confide'.

For He shall deliver you from the snare of stumbling, and from idle talk.

He shall keep you under His feathers, and by His wings, you shall be covered; and His truth shall encompass you like an armor.

You shall not fear from the terror by night, and from the arrow that flies by the day.

And from the Voice that travels in the darkness, and from the devastating wind in the noon.

Thousands shall fall at your side and ten thousands at your right side.

They shall not come near to you but with your eyes you shall see only; You shall see the revenge of the wicked

Since You have said 'Thou art the Lord, my trust. Who has placed thy abode in the heights'.

There shall not evil come near to you; neither shall any plague draw near to your dwelling place. For He shall give His angles command concerning you, who shall protect you in all your ways.

And they shall bear you up in their hands, lest your foot stumble.

You shall tread upon the adder and the basilisk; and you shall trample down the lion and the dragon.

(For the Lord has said): 'Since he has sought me, I will deliver him and strengthen him'.

'Since he has known my name he shall call upon me and I will answer him, and be with him in affliction'.

I will strengthen him and honor him. With long life, will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation.

Psalm 121

I will lift up eyes to the mountain, from whence comes my helper.

My help is from the Lord who has made the heaven and the earth.

He will not suffer your foot to tremble; Your keeper shall not slumber.

For neither slumbers, nor sleeps the keeper of Israel; the Lord is your keeper.

The Lord shall overshadow you with his right hand. The sun shall not smite you by day nor the moon by night;

The Lord shall take care of you from all evil; the Lord shall take care of your life.

He shall watch over your exit and your entrance, henceforth forever. Meet unto Thee, O God, is glory. **–Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

Halleluiah – Halleluiah – Halleluiah

People: Unto to the ages of ages and forever more

PRAYER OF MOR SEVERIOS

O Lord, who sittest in the secret place of the Most High, shelter us beneath the shadow of the wings of thy mercy, and have compassion upon us.

Thou, who hearest all things, in Thy loving kindness, hearken to the supplication of thy servants.

Grant us O Messiah; our Savior! A peaceful evening and a sinless night, for Thou art a glorious king, and unto Thee, are our eyes lifted up.

Forgive our debts and our sins; have mercy upon us, both in this world and in that to come.

May thy loving kindness shelter us, O Lord and Thy grace be upon our faces. May Thy cross protect us, from the evil one and his hosts.

Let Thy right hand overshadow us all the days of our lives and Thy peace reign among us. Do Thou give hope and salvation to the souls that pray to Thee.

By the prayers of St. Mary, Thy Mother, and of all Thy Saints, O God, forgive us our debts, and have mercy upon us. **–Amen**

PRAISE OF THE CHERUBIM

(Ezekiel. 3:12)

- † Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His Place forever;
- † Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His Place forever;
- † Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His Place forever and ever

Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us;

Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us;

Holy and glorious Trinity, have compassion and mercy upon us.

Holy art Thou and glorious for ever

Holy art Thou and glorious for ever

Holy art Thou and blessed is thy name, forever and ever.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord.
Glory be to Thee, O Lord;
Glory be to Thee, ever our hope. **-Barekmor**

Our Father who art in Heaven... Hail Mary, full of grace...

THE NICENE CREED

We believe in one true God, The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things, visible and invisible:

And in the One Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God; begotten of the Father before all worlds; Light of Light; very God of very God; begotten, not made; being of the same substance with the Father; and by whom all things were made:

†Who for us men, and for our Salvation came down from heaven.

† And was incarnate of the Holy Virgin Mary Mother of God by the Holy Ghost and became Man:

†and was crucified for us in the days of Pontius Pilate and suffered, and died and was buried.

And the third day rose again, according to His will: and ascended into heaven, and sat on the right hand of the Father and shall come again in His great glory to judge both the living and the dead: whose kingdom shall have no end.

And in the One living Holy Spirit, the life-giving Lord of all who proceeds from the Father and who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified: who spoke by the prophets and the Apostles:

And in one, Holy Catholic and Apostolic Church. And we acknowledge one Baptism for the remission of sins: And look for the resurrection of the dead: and the new life in the world to come.

Amen, Barekmor, Stoumen kalos, Kurielaison.

I. COMMUNION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD

KUKLIYON

(Tune: Ninnal Stuthiyodu...)

Priest: King's daughter stands in glory, Hal - u – Hal

At thy right hand stands – the princess

People: Thy father's folk and home leave thou, Hal - u - Hal,

The King desires thy- beauty now- **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

People: Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

EKBO

(Tune: Bhakthar Pukazhcha...)

Priest: Thou whose praise the church doth sing

People: Intercession for us bring.

Unto Him, thine only Son, That He may not mercy shun **Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

ALTERNATE KOLO

(Tune: Mariammin Smaranam...)

Priest: Mary's memory

People: Blessing for us be,

May her pray'rs for us

Be a fortress thus **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

People: Fragrance sweet of smell

Through the air doth swell-

For Virgin Mary God's Mother holy

Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA

(Tune: Moranesu Kurishum Nin...)

Priest: By Thy cross, O Jesus Lord

People: By Thy Mother's praying word

Take from us and from our path Punishments and rods of wrath.

II. COMMUNION OF THE PATRON AND OTHER SAINTS

KUKLIYON

(Tune: Nayavan panapole...)

Priest: Righteous shall prosper like palm trees - Halleluiah

And thrive like the cedars of - Lebanon

People: In age they shall thrive and be flourishing – Halleluiah

Yea, growing both fattened - and pleasing Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

People: Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

EKBO

(Tune : Orupolingum...)

Priest: (O St. Thomas), as in heav'n

People: Keep we here thy memory;

Hear us as we honor thee, Thy entreaties be our aid

Stoumen kalos Kurielaison

ALTERNATE KOLO

(Tune: Bhag'yam Nibiyarkum...)

Priest: Bliss to the prophets, **People:** And the apostles,

And to the martyrs

At resurrection Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost

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People: Those martyrs who longed

For seeing the Christ By their death took wings, And fluttered to heights

Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA

(Tune: Parishudhanmare Ningal...)

Priest: Plead for us, ye holy Saints,

People: Pray to Him whose will ye did,

That from anger we be spared-That from scourges we be hid

PRAYER

(Shudhamulla Bava...)

O Holy Father, guard us by Thy Sacred Name, O Son of God, our Savior, protect us with Thy victorious Cross †. O Holy Spirit, make us worthy temples of Thy Holy habitation. O Lord, our God for ever shelter us under Thy divine wings, at all times, for ever.

–Amen

KYMTHA MORNING WORSHIP

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, one true God;

Glory be to Him, and may His grace and mercy be upon us forever.

Amen.

Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty, by whose glory, the heaven and earth are filled, Hosanna in the Highest.

Blessed is He, who has to come, and is to come, in the name of the Lord; Glory be to Him in the Highest.

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Glory be to Thee, O King,
Christ who dost pity, on sinners thy servants. Barekmor

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, – hallowed be thy name, - Thy kingdom come, - Thy will be done on earth, - as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, - and forgive us our debts and sins, - as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, - but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, - the power and the glory, - forever and ever. -Amen

HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace, - our Lord is with thee. Blessed are thou among women, - and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, - our Lord Jesus Christ. O Virgin Saint Mary, - O Mother of God, - pray for us sinners, - now and at all times, - and at the hour of our death. -Amen.

OPENING PRAYER

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

People: May His grace and mercy be upon us, - weak and sinful, in

both worlds forever and ever. -Amen

Priest: O Lord Jesus Christ, who became incarnate of the holy virgin; lived as a man in this world; and united Your Father and us mortals by Your sacrifice on the Cross, accept the office we offer you in remembrance of your holy mother, the holy prophets, martyrs and all Your saints. By their prayers, may we get spared from wrathful punishments, from evil spirits, and evil men; and live a life holy and well pleasing to You. We offer You praise and adoration now and forevermore.

People: Amen

Psalm 51

Have mercy upon me, O Lord, according to Thy loving kindness, and according to the multitude of Thy mercies, blot out my transgressions.

Wash me from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sins; for I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sins are ever before me.

Against Thee, Thee only, have I sinned, and done evil before Thee. For Thou shall be justified in Thy word, and blameless in Thy judgment. For I was born in iniquity and in sins did my mother conceive me.

For Thou has desired the truth, and made known to me the mysteries of Thy wisdom. Sprinkle upon me with Thy hyssop; purge me with it, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Fill me with Thy joy and gladness, and my feeble bones shall rejoice. Turn Thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew within me a right spirit. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Thy salvation and may thy glorious spirit uphold me. Then will I teach the iniquitous Thy way, and the sinners shall be converted to Thee.

Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall extol Thy righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall sing forth Thy praises.

For Thou hadst no delight in mere sacrifices; neither hadst Thou been reconciled by mere burnt offerings. The sacrifices acceptable to God are a humble spirit, and a broken heart, God despises not.

Do good to Zion, according to Thy good pleasure, and build Thou the walls of Jerusalem. Then wilt Thou be pleased with righteous sacrifices, and in whole burnt offerings. Then shall they offer bullocks upon Thine altar.

And to you belongs the praise O God. Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

People: Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.O Merciful Lord, have mercy upon us by your grace.

Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

HYMN

(Tune: Mahimayode Kabareenu...)

- 1. Adored is Jesus who rose, in ma-gnificence From the tomb; He illumin-ed, crea-tures by His light.
- 2. Disciples Simon and John, hastened to the tomb And they returned all in joy, si-ngi-ng all the way.

- 3. On this day, first of the week, maiden and holy First Born Son came back to life, and raised all the dead
- 4. Churches and monasteries, re-jo-ice on this day For, those killers, Jesus did, ri-se and put to shame
- 5. Jesus rose, and poured on souls of de-parted ones Dew of mercy, and that made, them - all – jubilant

Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

6. Savior, Lord bless us with life, as you - did promise
Adore we Thee Lord and Thy re-su-rrection great.

Morivo rahem melain oo aa darein

Psalm 63

Kurielaison

¹O God, You are my God, earnestly I seek You

My soul thirsts for You, my body longs for You, in a dry and weary land where there is no water

²I have seen You in the Sanctuary and beheld Your power and Your glory

³Because Your love is better than life, my lips will glorify You

⁴I will praise You as long as I live, and in Your name I will lift up my hands.

⁵My soul will be satisfied as with the richest of foods; with singing lips my mouth will praise You

⁶On my bed I remember You; I think of You through the watches of the night

⁷Because You are my help, I sing in the shadow of Your wings

⁸My soul clings to You; Your right hand upholds me

⁹They who seek my life will be destroyed; they will go down to the depths of the earth

¹¹But the king will rejoice in God; all who swear by God's name will praise Him, while the mouths of liars will be silenced.

And to You belongs the praise, O God **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more

HYMN

(Tune: Daivam uyarthu...)

- Arose from death God in glory and gave life to Adam and all his – children Angels on high adored their Lord Earth was made bright And trembling stood wa-tchers then
- Simon Peter and Yuhanon ran along to Tomb of Jesus this morning Joyous was James and contented Was Saint Thomas And Saint Mathew sang – for joy
- Lord descended into Hades and saved the Church From worship of idols mute Defeating death – rose in glory And in His might From her en'mies saved – the Church
- 4. This day Lord as one out of that stupor of wine Rose alive from sleep of death He slew death; and gates of Hades Came crashing down Built His altar for ever

¹⁰They will be given over to the sword and become food for foxes

 This day God did rise from the dead – and those watchers He made them all so-re afraid They made known in Jerusalem "Christ is risen";
 Crucifiers were – ashamed. Barekmor

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Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

 Those departed – waiting for Thy Second coming Today saw Thy glory that Gladden all those sorrowful ones They adore Thee Rejoicing they raise – their heads.

Psalm 19

Kurielaison

¹The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of His hands.

²Day after day they pour forth speech; night after night they display knowledge

³There is no speech or language where their voice is not heard

⁴Their voice goes out into all the earth, their words to the ends of the world.

In the heavens he has pitched a tent for the sun, ⁵which is like a bridegroom coming forth from his pavilion, like a champion rejoicing to run his course

⁶It rises at one end of the heavens and makes its circuit to the other; nothing is hidden from its heat.

⁷The law of the Lord is perfect, reviving the soul. The statues of the Lord are trustworthy, making wise the simple

- ⁸The precepts of the Lord are right, giving joy to the heart The commands of the Lord are radiant, giving light to the eyes
- ⁹The fear of the Lord is pure, enduring forever. The ordinances of the Lord are sure and altogether righteous
- ¹⁰They are more precious than gold, than much pure gold; they are sweeter than honey, than honey from the comb
- ¹¹By them is your servant warned; in keeping them there is great reward
- ¹²Who can discern his errors? Forgive my hidden faults
- ¹³Keep your servant also from willful sins; may they not rule over me. Then will I be blameless, innocent of great transgression
- ¹⁴May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing in Your sight, O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer

And to You belongs the praise, O God Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more

HYMN

(Tune: Meseeha Jeevichezhunettu...)

- Messiah ro-se to life from death Guards and wa-tchers were a-shamed Bride of Chri-st, most holy Church Jubilant; worships her Lord.
- 2. Sunday morn, Peter and John Ran ahea-d to learn about That ama-zing news of- the Resurre-ction of Je-sus.

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- 3. To Thy ser-vants on this Day Of Thy re-surrection, Lord! Grant Thine un-bounded me-rcy And forgive their debts and sins.
- Churches and monaste-ries
 Are all ju-bilant this day
 They ado-re and worship thee
 Resurre-ction of the Son Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

5. Descended, God to that world Of the dead, to make a-new Adam's bo-dy; for it was His own im-age; and was lost.

Isaiah 42:10-13, 45:6

Kurielaison

¹⁰Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise from the ends of earth, you who go down the sea, and all that is in it, you islands, and all who live in them

¹¹Let the desert and its towns raise their voices; let the settlements where Kedar lives rejoice. Let the people of Sela sing for joy; let them shout from the mountaintops

¹²Let them give glory to the Lord and proclaim his praise in the islands

¹³The Lord will march out like a mighty man, like a warrior he will stir up his zeal; with a shout he will raise the battle cry and will triumph over his enemies

⁶So that from the rising of the sun to the place of its setting men may know that there is none other besides me. I am the Lord, and there is no other

And to You belongs the praise, O God Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more

HYMN

(Tune: Ennal nin...)

- On this day at Thy tomb angels came Along - all in white Holy women went ahead with Costly spices they were told by -Angels about Re-surrection
- Praise to Him who was dead and rose from the Tomb - by His will
 From the fall He raised all mankind
 And made us all rejoice in the Company of hea-venly hosts
- Angels came in white garb on Sunday
 At the holy tomb
 One of them sat on that rolled stone
 And told women Lord of all is Alive, and He rose from the dead Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

 Thy Resur -rection, Lo-rd rejoices Angels - in heaven This was told to Simon Peter By the women and that made John -Joyous n' exceeding-ly happy.

St. Luke 1: 46-55

Kurielaison

⁴⁶And Mary said: "My soul glorifies the Lord ⁴⁷and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior, ⁴⁸for he has been mindful of the humble state of his servant. From now on all generations will call me blessed,

⁴⁹for the Mighty One has done great things for me – holy is His name. ⁵⁰His mercy extends to those who fear Him, from generation to generation.

⁵¹He has performed mighty deeds with his arm; he has scattered those who are proud in their inmost thoughts.

⁵²He has brought down rulers from their thrones but He has lifted up the humble

⁵³He has filled the hungry with good things but has sent the rich away empty. ⁵⁴He has helped his servant Israel, remembering to be merciful ⁵⁵to Abraham and his descendants forever, even as he said to our fathers."

Barekmor

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Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

HYMN

(Tune: Thanmruthiyalazha kaake ...)

By Thy death Thou did efface
 Death that effaces all good
 Thou did save us from Satan's
 Cru-el yoke of slavery
 We, Thy servants adore Thee
 With voices that be-come Thee! -Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

2. Thou, holy Church, most holy!
Gather thy Children and pray
And adore the Son, who did
Save us by His glorious Cross †
We, His servants adore Him
With voices that be-come Him!

Psalm 113

Amen

¹ Praise the creator of light. Praise, O servants of the Lord, praise the name of the Lord.

² Let the name of the Lord be praised, both now and forevermore.

- ³ From the rising of the sun to the place where it sets, the name of the Lord is to be praised.
- ⁴ The Lord is exalted over all the nations, his glory above the heavens.
- ⁵ Who is like the Lord our God, the One who sits enthroned on high, ⁶ who stoops down to look on the heavens and the earth?
- ⁷ He raises the poor from the dust and lifts the needy from the ash heap; ⁸ he seats them with princes, with the princes of their people. ⁹ He settles the barren woman in her home as a happy mother of children. Praise the Lord.

Psalm 148

- ¹ Praise the Lord. Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise him in the heights above.
- ² Praise him, all his angels, praise him, all his heavenly hosts.
- ³ Praise him, sun and moon, praise him, all you shining stars. ⁴ Praise him, you highest heavens and you waters above the skies. ⁵ Let them praise the name of the Lord,

For he commanded and they were created. ⁶ He set them in place for ever and ever; he gave a decree that will never pass away.

- ⁷ Praise the Lord from the earth, you great sea creatures and all ocean depths, ⁸ lightning and hail, snow and clouds, stormy winds that do his bidding,
- ⁹ You mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars, ¹⁰ wild animals and all cattle, small creatures and flying birds,
- ¹¹ Kings of the earth and all nations, you princes and all rulers on earth, ¹² young men and maidens, old men and children. ¹³ Let them praise the name of the Lord, for his name alone is exalted; his splendor is above the earth and the heavens.
- ¹⁴ He has raised up for his people a horn, the praise of all his saints, of Israel, the people close to his heart. Praise the Lord.

Psalm 149

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- ¹ Praise the Lord. Sing to the Lord a new song, His praise in the assembly of the saints. ² Let Israel rejoice in their Maker; let the people of Zion be glad in their King.
- ³ Let them praise his name with dancing and make music to him with tambourine and harp. ⁴ For the Lord takes delight in his people; he crowns the humble with salvation. ⁵ Let the saints rejoice in this honor and sing for joy on their beds.
- ⁶ May the praise of God be in their mouths and a double-edged sword in their hands, ⁷ to inflict vengeance on the nations and punishment on the peoples, ⁸ to bind their kings with fetters, their nobles with shackles of iron, ⁹ to carry out the sentence written against them. This is the glory of all his saints. Praise the Lord.

Psalm 150

Praise the Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary; praise him in his mighty heavens.

- ² Praise him for his acts of power; praise him for his surpassing greatness. ³ Praise him with the sounding of the trumpet, praise him with the harp and lyre,
- ⁴ praise him with tambourine and dancing, praise him with the strings and flute, ⁵ praise him with the clash of cymbals, praise him with resounding cymbals. ⁶ Let everything that has breath praise the Lord. Praise the Lord.

Psalm 117

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.

¹ Praise the Lord, all you nations; extol him, all you peoples.

² For great is his love toward us, and the faithfulness of the Lord endures forever. Praise the Lord.
And to you belongs the praise, O God. **Barekmor**

HYMN

(Tune: Maanavor Vaanor mun nmun)

- 1. Angels and men before Thee Stand and worshi-p Thy glory Lord, Thou art all merciful And Thine is glory- and- praise.
- 2. On this Sunday was open Doors of heaven- high above And the dead who sleep in dust Received word of liv-ing hope.
- 3. Thy resurre-ction, Jesus! Gladdened all thy- creations Departed ones adore Thee Thou did meet them in- thei-r tomb. **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

Only bego-tten Son rose From the tomb, this-holy day Earth and heaven rejoiced as Messiah came ba-ck to- life.

ANOTHER HYMN (Tune: Yoodanmar Kurisil...)

- 1. Jews did -crucify the Lord And they- placed Him in the tomb Fear and - shame did cripple them At His -resurrection great Halle-lu-iah Oo Ha-lle-lui-ah!
- 2. Evil- men did lock Him up Great One, He holds ends of earth Like thun-der He did come out Lo! that- seal was unbroken! Halle-lu-iah Oo Ha-lle-lui-ah!

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3. Lord came- to His own to get
Share of- harvest from His field
They ha-nged Him outside the farm
So that- they may take it all
Halle-lu-iah Oo Ha-lle-lui-ah! Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

4. Lord ca-me seeking for the lost In His -world, in earnestness Those who -sealed Him in the tomb Were sha-med at Resurrection Halle-lu-iah Oo Ha-lle-lui-ah!

St. Matthew 5: 3-12

Kurielaison

- ³ Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ⁴ Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.
- ⁵ Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.
- ⁶ Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.
- ⁷ Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
- ⁸ Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.
- ⁹ Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God.
- ¹⁰ Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- ¹¹ Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you, and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me.

¹² Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

And to you belongs the praise, O God Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

HYMN

(Tune: Naadha nin - rajya...)

- Lord, as Thy Kingdom- comes in glory great Protect us all- under the wings of Thy Cross. †
- 2. Lord, as Thy Kingdom- comes in glory great Make us worthy- to be with Thy blessed saints.
- 3. Angels did proclaim- joy to the women At resurrection- of Only Bego-tten- Son
- 4. Lord, as Thy Kingdom- comes in glory great Accept us all- for we accepted Thee, Lord! **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost People: Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.

5. Lord, as Thy Kingdom- comes in glory great Show Thy mercy- on us and our de-pa-rted.

Deacon: Stoumen kalos... **People:** Kurielaison

PROMEON

Priest: Let us all pray and beseech the Lord for mercy and compassion.

People: O, Merciful Lord, have mercy upon us and help us.

Priest: Glory and thanksgiving, praise and adoration, and exaltation unceasing, truly at all times and all hours, may we ascribe unto Thee, O Lord.

Glory be to the good Lord, who without our entreating for it, came down to us, in order to save us from death; tore up the bond of our debts by His suffering; freely endowed our human race that is prone to death, by eternal life by His Resurrection. He gave joy and happiness to earthly and heavenly beings by rising from the dead. To Him be glory and honor and worship at this time of morning worship and at all times and seasons and hours and all the days of our life.

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People: Amen

(*Incense* is placed)

PRAYER OF ABSOLUTION (HOOSOYO)

Priest: Therefore, O Thou, who dost absolve and sanctify, who dost forgive and wipe away our misdeeds, and who dost not remember our evils, blot out, O Lord God, by the tender mercy of Thy love, my sins, great, many and innumerable, as also the sins of all Thy believing people. Absolve, O Good One, and have mercy on us. Remember us, O Lord God, in Thy mercy. And have remembrance also Lord, upon the souls of our fathers and mothers, of our departed ones, and of all the faithful departed children of Thy holy and glorious Church. Comfort, O Lord God, their souls and spirits and bodies. Sprinkle upon their bones the dew of Thy grace and mercy. And be Thou the Absolution and the Absolver, to them and to us. O Christ our King, our Lord and Master, Lord of Glory. Give heed to us, my Lord, come to our aid and help us, And redeem us, and receive our prayers and supplications. Remove and cut off, O God, by Thy mercy, all painful punishments. Spare us from the rods of wrath, forbid them by Thy mercy. And make us all worthy of that good end which is for men of peace. Of Thy bounty, grant us the gift of Christian perfection, so pleasing unto Thee, so becoming and so worthy of Thy divinity, again, make us all worthy of the Supreme Good. And unto Thee we offer up glory and praise, now and at all times, for ever and ever.

People: Amen

SEDRA

Priest: O Lord, you are the creator of all; all powerful and heroic. By your love for us, you came down for death on the Cross† for our salvation. You suffered mockery and scorn from the condemned Jewish people. You, the judge of

judges, stood before Pilate, the Governor, and was questioned like a criminal and malefactor. You were led to the judgment seat like an evil-doer. While being exalted upon cherubs with fear and devotion, You were hanged on the Cross† of contempt.

When you were nailed on the Cross† naked, you darkened the sun in its place; left the moon purple, and made the stars fall down from the rows. You sanctified the defiled atmosphere by extending your hands. Through a terrific shout, you tore the high curtain in the temple; and the earth trembled. You tore down mighty rock and opened the tomb.

By entering into Sheol, you killed death and Satan. You proclaimed hope, happiness, life and immortality to those who were there. You united those who were bound in Sheol. You set free those who were in tomb and under the cruel yoke of the evil deceiver.

You freely granted new life to all creations. You filled the whole world with peace, tranquility, and love of mankind. You commanded your disciples to preach the gospel of life and salvation; and they proclaimed to the whole world that "God has risen from the dead, His enemies have been shattered."

Therefore, O merciful Lord! We entreat you on this day of your saving and life-giving Resurrection; Save us from death and decay. Give us freedom from evil and abominable emotions. Arm us by your life-giving power so that we may take on evil thoughts and emotions. Enable us to be victorious over Satan and all his forces. Make us worthy of a blessed end, that we may greet you joyfully at your second coming. Forgive us our debts and sins. Sanctify our faithful departed who have died in the true faith; give them rest in your blessed mansions. We shall raise glory and adoration to you; now and forever.

People: Amen

Priest: From God may we receive remission of debts and forgiveness of sins in both worlds forever and ever.

People: Amen

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HYMN

(Tune: Agnyatmee yanmaree ...)

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

- Jewish prie-sts are enquiring if
 Seal is intact on the tomb
 In one breath, watchers cried out thus
 "Vouch we that seal is all safe
 We be-came like corpses then
 Amazing this, come and see
 Who would say we were dreaming?
 Mea-nwhile, can mortal ever,
 Truth shown by Most High- God, hide?"
 Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.
- 3. Lord, Thou gra-nt comfort to parents
 And brethren, own departed
 Make Thy de-votees all worthy
 To jo-in Thy glorious saints
 As Thou sit on Thy high throne
 Evil men are shown the door
 Let Thy servants see mercy
 As thy- magnificence dawns
 Let them- stand at Thy right hand
 Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

(Incense is placed)

ETHRO

Priest: O Lord, enable us to approach your presence with praises, and with the fine apparel of good deeds and, embellishment of blameless conduct, like those righteous women who came along with sweet incense and perfumes to anoint your holy body. Like those women, grant us to enjoy seeing you; hold on to, and adore your holy feet. And like your disciples in the Upper Room, make us also joyful by Your Peace. We shall praise and adore you, Your Father and your Holy Spirit, now and forever.

People: Amen

HYMN

(Tune: Daivathin Puthrane Mariam ...)

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Son,- rising from the dead, destroyed Zion
 She had † crucified Him, He betrothed holy church
 And - in the church He prepared table of Life
 Glory be to Him, who brought His Blood into it.
 Praise to Him- who saved us by cross †
 By His death -He granted us life

Praise to Him who bless'd us by His Bo-dy and Blood. **Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.**

3. Come, - let us entreat for our departed ones
To Messiah; that their souls in life eternal
May - not be ruled over by shadows of sin
They did eat His Body and drink His- precious Blood
Thou did re-deem their souls, O, Lord
And they did- extol Thy Great Name
Beckon them, Lord, and make them stand at Thy right hand.

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GOSPEL

Halleluiah, Halleluiah... (*Incense is placed*)

Deacon: With calmness and reverence and with sober minds, let us give heed and listen to the Proclamation of the living words of God, in the Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, that is read to us.

Priest: † Peace be unto you all.

People: May the Lord God make us worthy, With Thy Spirit.

Priest: The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, life giving preaching from (St.) the preacher who preaches life and salvation to the world.

People: Blessed is He- who has come and is to come. Praise be to Him, who sent Him for our salvation, - and His mercy be upon us all forever.

Priest: Now in the time of the dispensation of our Lord and our God and our Savior Jesus Christ, the word of life, God who - had taken the flesh of the Holy Virgin Mary, these things did come to pass in this manner. †

People: We believe and confess.

(Priest reads the Gospel and ends by saying)

Priest: † Peace be unto you all

KUKLIYON

(Tune: Ninnal stuthiyodu rajamakal...)

King's daughter stands in glory Hal-u-Hal At thy right hand stands the princess

Righteous shall prosper like palm trees Hal-u-Hal And thrive like the cedars of – Lebanon

As doth a father his children love- Hal-u-Hal So doth the Lord loves those who fear His name **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost **People:** Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.

EKBO

(Tune: Sthudhi daivathinuyarthil...)

Glory be to God on high

To His mother honour be Crown of glory to martyrs And mercy upon those dead **Stoumen Kalos, Kurielaison**

KOLO

(Tune: Thathan slomo Gabriel...)

Blessed Mary was given
Peace by Father from Heaven
Through fiery angel Gabriel
Mouthful of peace, he came down
And spoke, "Our Lord is with thee
Behold, He shall dawn in thee. **Barekmor**

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

Peace shall be unto prophets
Peace unto Apostles too
Peace always unto martyrs
Above all they loved the Lord
Peace un-to the holy Church
Abode for children of God
Unto the ages of ages and for ever more.

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We re-member forefathers
Taught us during their life time
That we be children of God
Son of God shall comfort them
In hea-ven, along with His
Elect saints and righteous ones
Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA MOR YAKOB

(Tune: Udhanathal thansabhaye veedonam puthra...)

- 1. Son of God, Thou saved Thy Church by Resurre-ction Lord, grant Thy peace, and keep the children of Thy Church
- 2. He trampled death, and slept on His victorious Cross In might He did, on the third day, wake up from sleep
- 3. Dead tired was He, on the Cross †; now full of vigor Rose in glory, without perdition by scourging
- 4. Father David, when he saw this glorious coming To his harp he, hastened and set tune of music
- 5. And he sang thus: "like a man out of wine, Lord did Dispense joy to friends, and confounded all His foes."
- 6. O, Heavenly Peace! Who reconciled earth and heaven Grant, Lord, peace to Thy Church, by Thy Resurrection

KAUMA

Holy art Thou, O God - Halleluiah Holy art Thou, Almighty, - Kurielaison Holy art Thou, Immortal, † Crucified for us Have mercy on us. (Repeat Thrice) Lord, have mercy upon us, - Halleluiah Lord be kind and have mercy, - Kurielaison Lord, accept our offices, (and) entreaties; Have mercy on us.

Glory be to Thee, O God! - Halleluiah Glory to Thee, Creator, - Kurielaison Glory to Thee, Messiah, King who dost pity Sinners, thy - servants, **Barekmor**

Our Father, who art in heaven....,
Hail Mary, full of grace

THIRD HOUR

KAUMA

HYMN

(Tune: Udayon Naadha Neeyudhanam...)

Lo-rd and our God!

At Thy Re-surrection, saw Thee
Like a gard'ner - Mary Ma-gda-lene
"My son, if you - have removed His Body, then
Tell me where to - myself shall - ta-ke Him"
Said the Lord then:
"I am He, I am alive; You shall go and Tell my disciples"

Barekmor

Priest: Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

2. On- this first day

This Sunday, First Born of God came back to life

And He saved with Him

A-dam, first born

of creatures all on this earth

Took him along - to Father with Him.

Shout His praises!

Children of- Adam, He did redeem you all

He, Lord of - Adam!

Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA MOR EPHREM

(Tune: Njangal thankarthave nee karunyam...)

- Lord of all! In Thy- mercy, Have Thy me-rcy on us all Son of God, Thou granted us, Freedom by Resu-rrection.
- 2. This Sunday we are all filled, With courage living and hope Living One came to life, and Confounded cruci-fiers.
- 3. On this great day, this Sunday, Christ our Lord, rose from the tomb Ascended to high heaven, Sat at right hand of Father.
- 4. Lord of all! In Thy mercy, Have Thy mercy on us all Son of God, Thou granted us, Freedom by resu-rrection.
- By Thy Resurrection, Lord, Messiah! Thou redeemed us Bestow thy blessings on us, And on our departed ones.

SIXTH HOUR

KAUMA

(Tune: Udayon Naadha giriseena nin sa...)

Trembled Mount Sinai
 In Thy presence Lord!
 And Virgin Mary
 Carried Thee who dost carry
 Mountains and depths in Thy hand
 She conceived Thee sans marriage
 And gave birth amazingly,
 Magnify her memory, Lord! - Barekmor †

Priest :- Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Ghost

- Saints are invited
 To that high kingdom
 And life eternal
 That no eye hath ever spied
 Ne-ver heard by mortal man
 Nor discerned by human hearts
 Greatly blessed are righteous ones
 Who did love, Christ with all their heart.

 Unto the ages of ages, and for ever more.
- 3. Those our departed
 Received seal † of Christ
 In their Baptism
 They did eat His body, and
 Drank from His atoning blood
 They shall be raised from the dust
 To life eternal and shall
 Put on bright, garments of glory.
 Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein

BOVOOSA MOR BALAI

(Tune: Jannani parishudha prarthanayal natha...)

- H1. Absolve us O Lord, and our departed By entreaties of Thy mo-ther and saints
- H2. Mary's memory be a great blessing
 And her pray'rs be a fortress- for our souls
- H3. Prophets, Apostles, Martyrs and righteous Beseech and beg for mercy- for us all
- H4. Sprinkle Lord Thy dew of gladness upon Fathers and brethren, who sleep- in Thy hope
- H5. Praise to thee who extol remembrance of Holy Mother, Saints; and rai-ses the dead

H6. Absolve us O Lord; and our departed By entreaties of Thy mo-ther and saints.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSONS

Reader: "The song of glory and salvation, in the tabernacle of the righteous", the Holy Spirit through David did sing.