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MELODIES OF FIVE OFFICES

IN

HOLY WEEK

HOLY APOSTOLIC CHURCH OF ARMENIA

BEING THE OFFICES FOR

PALM SUNDAY EVENING

FOR THE THIRD, SIXTH, AND TENTH HOURS OF

HOLY THURSDAY

AND FOR THE TENTH HOUR OF GOOD FRIDAY

TOGETHER WITH THE OFFICE FOR CANDLEMAS EVE.

WRITTEN DOWN IN MODERN MUSICAL NOTATION
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Forgiver of all sins,
Pardon us who hymn Thee
To sing Thy Glories ever!



INTRODUCTORY NOTE.

The Office for Palm Sunday Evening in the Armenian church is principally a solemn penitential service in preparation for Holy Week. It should be held in the porch, outside the door of the Church, but in India, for various reasons, it takes place in the chancel before the veiled Altar.

The service commences with Gospels alternating with hymns from the morning's services, re-echoing the joy of the feast commemorating the Coming of Christ into Jerusalem, when the altar is at length unveiled after the long fast of Lent. The Procession of Blessing the Four Corners of the World follows, performed during Easter-tide and on most festivals, (Page 19), then begin the daily evening Psalms, mingled with two hymns from the morning service of three verses each, and each verse sung thrice, the first (see pages 27, 29, 31) being perhaps one of the most melodious of the Armenian hymnal. follow evening prayers, and the long Exhortation of the Church (Pages 44 and 45), and on page 73 the "Opening of the Gates", a translation of which will be found on pages 78, 96, 102. In full canonicals, the Bishop or senior priest comes and kneels at the door of the Church (which represents the gate of heaven), and knocks, begging, with thrice repeated pleadings, for admittance with his flock. Angels question from within, and after many pleadings from without, the door is at last thrown open, and the "faithful enter with spiritual joy" typifying the admittance of the elect into heaven after the Last Judgment.

On Holy Thursday morning, another service is said in the porch of the Church, page 111, and after the Office for the 6th Hour p. 143, mass is celebrated, a long exhortation to communicants being read from the altar, (translated appendix A). In the evening the Washing of Feet takes place with many prayers and hymns, page 165.

At night the long service of Holy Thursday night is performed, which on account of its great length, I much regret having been unable to include in this volume. It needs a book to itself.

The Office for the 10th Hour of Good Friday, the "Burial of the Lord", is the last of the five Holy Week Offices herein presented.

The evening prayers and some other parts of the evening services are the same for Palm Sunday Evening, the Washing of Feet, Good Friday, and Candlemas Eve, so, for the sake of convenience in choir use, I have grouped all in one volume.

All the melodies here published, and many others still in MS. have, as were those of my first publication, "Melodies of the Armenian Liturgy" been written down by me from the singing of the Rev. P. H. Jacob, one of the few surviving pupils of the late Bishop Thaddeus of Julfa, Ispahan, who was a great authority on Armenian ecclesiastical melodies. And, like those of my former volume, these have also been harmonised with the assistance of Mr. Ernest Slater, F. R. C. O., Organist of the Cathedral Church of S. Paul, Calcutta. For the translation of the hymns and of the long prayers in the Appendix, I am indebted to Mr. Thaddeus Stephen, of the Armenian College, Calcutta, to whom my grateful thanks are due. The translation of the daily prayers and exhortations and of the hymn "Aisor Anchar" (see Page 211, and Appendix E', have been taken from a complete translation of the Jamakirk, or Hour Book, (the Book of Common Prayer of the Armenian Church). This translation was made for me by the late Mr. J. Chater on condition that I should have it revised before publication, a condition of course complied with. Very little correction however has been found necessary. Aisor Anchar is a celebrated hymn by S. Nierses Clajensis (1166), and, as only part of it is used at the Feet-Washing, I ventured to include the translation of the remainder in the Appendix.

The words Mode and Side so often found in the music require a

word of explanation. They correspond to Decani and Cantoris in the Western Churches, but in the Armenian Church, the sides are changed every day, in accordance with a regulation which would seem complicated and wearisome if explained in detail.

Among the hymns for Good Friday, the Hampartsi, Page 227, is specially remarkable, being a very good example of the elaborate mode of singing called Stieghi.

The hymns of Holy Week were principally written by S. S. Isaac and Mesrope and date from the fourth century. I refer of course to the words. As for the melodies of these hymns, they are all sung according to the fixed modes of Armenian ecclesiastical music, and I am unable to give any date for them. They must however be extremely old, and some are evidently far more ancient than those in which the progressions seem almost modern in comparison. This book offers a far more representative collection of Armenian Church music than my former publication of the melodies of the Liturgy. The airs of the Liturgy proper appear to be a collection apart from the airs of the Hymnal, and those of the Liturgy do not exhibit in so marked and distinctive a form the special features of the eight modes according to which Armenian ecclesiastical melodies are sung. as do the hymns of the Sharakan or Armenian Hymnal, whence the melodies of this volume are taken. Musicians will find pages 27, and onwards, pages 218, 256, 276, 281, 291, and the last line of 309, and onwards, especially interesting.

For the convenience of teachers and of those not acquainted with Armenian, a transliteration of the Armenian words is printed under the music. But this transliteration is by no means intended as a correct guide to Armenian pronunciation. To accomplish that would have been a task far beyond my powers. I would merely remark here that the a's are all broad, as in "father"; the i's are pronounced es, as in Italian and French; and the very peculiar sound I have attempted to render by uo is best imitated by the sounds of wo in "world", "word", "worm" and so on. The letter o in conjunction with u, must not have the sound of the long o in bolt, but somewhat the sound of o in of, the letters u and o together making a short sound which I at first tried to render by er, but on this heing objected to, I

attempted to imitate it by uo. When followed by a consonant such as v, uo as nearly as possible render the right sound. It is, however, so extremely difficult to make a correct transliteration that I can only, offer the barest attempt at a rendering, in the hope that its many short-comings may be overlooked, and not criticised.

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PALM SUNDAY. EVENING SERVICE.

ի յինն ժամուն ժողովեսցին ի դուռն եկեղեցւոյն.
At the ninth hour they shall assemble at the church door.

Dunganu 1.5.

Psalm 98.

48. Լերինք ցնծասցեն առաջի տեառն, զի գայ դի հատեալ է տէր ի դատել գերկիր։

Փխ. Օրենեցեք գաէր յօրենութիւն նոր, զի սքանչելիս արար։

Let the hills sing for joy together before the LORD, for He cometh to judge the earth.

O sing unto the LORD a new song, for He hath done marvellous things.

Ընթերցուածս Ցառակաց։ ԳԸ 8. հանր ՁՁ.

Ընթերցուածս Ցերեմիայ Մարգարէէ։ Բարութ. ԳԷ 4. ենի 36.

Պետրոսի Առաքելոյն Ի կաքուղիկեայց Առաջին Թղթոյն է Ընթերցուածս։ ԳԼ 1. նմը Ձ. Lection from the Proverbs. Chapter VIII. Verse 22.

Lection from Jeremiah the Prophet. Chapter IV. Verse 36.

Lection from the First Epistle General of Peter the Apostle.
Chapter I. Verse 3-10.

Alleluia, alleluia. The LORD is in His holy temple, the LORD'S throne is in heaven.



U-18-1nc-hu m-18-1nc-hu. Stp h mu-sup up he-pned.
Al-le-lu-ia, Al-le-lu-ia. Ter i tha-char surp iu-rum,



աէր յեր-կինս յա - Թոռ իւ-րում. Ter hier-kins ha - thuer iu - rum. Վիմագրատուն եւ տպարան Բրեյակոպֆ եւ Հերտել։



[The Priest makes the sign of the Cross over the congregation, saying Peace + be to all.]



And with thy spirit. Let us hearken with fear.



Priest. The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST, according to Luke.





Glory be to Thee, O LORD our GOD, Proschume. GOD speaks.





[N. 19. hup 29. Chapter XIX. Verse 29.]

Եւ ելցեն խաչիւ և Աւետարանաւ և ամենայն գարդութ ի Մափօր. և սկսանիցին Շարական ԱՉ։

And they shall come out with Cross and Gospel and all the ornaments required for the procession of blessing (the four corners of the world) and shall begin the Hymn of the First Mode.

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WOR VIERORHNIS.

Blessed above all, Who sittest on the cherubic throne, and voluntarily didst sit on an ass, praised art Thou, Who didst come to give us life.

For this do we offer Thee triumphant praise, O King of glory, and joining with the children do we hymn Thee, praised art Thou, Who didst come to give us life.

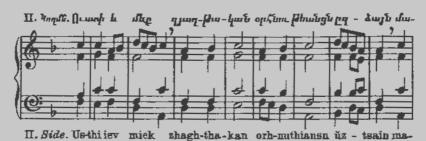
Hosanna in the highest; alleluia: praised be Thou Who comest in the Name of the LORD; alleluia: and blessed art Thou Who wilt come in the Name of the LORD. Alleluia.





i vie - ra nus-thil ha - va-na - ki . ha-chie - tsar pa-rie-







thutsaniemk kiez thaka vor pharatsunththgaisn orhna-panie - luov









24նի Օրթի. Orthi (as before). Սրբոյ Աշխատարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մատթեոսի։ Գէ՝ 21. The Holy Gospel of Jesus Christ, according to Matthew Chap. XXI.

Իսյոք **Ղուսա**

THAKAVOR KHOLHOV.

As a King in the world, Thou didst enter into the city of Jerusalem, sitting on the earth-made foal of an ass, to eall the heathen to worship.

The aged with olive boughs in their hands, and the children with palm branches, trooping in bands, were shouting Hosanna, blessed is He Who cometh in the Name of the LORD.

Rejoiced was the holy Sion, delighted were the holy churches, and with great joy they went to meet Him, and blessed the advent of the Saviour into the world.

ጉՁ. MODE 7. = 78 - 80.



Side. Tha-ka-wor kuoluov kuo . hashkhar muthar i kaghakn Ie - ru-







II. Mode. Tzierkn wosthuovktsi - thie - niok iev thgaikn wosthuovkar - ma-



- vie - niok iev ie-ram ie-ram tha-sukn a-gha-gha - kä









Alah Opph.

Orthi (as before)

Քահ. Սրբոյ Աւհտարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մարկոսի. (ԳԷ՝ Ձ.)

Priest. The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST, according to Mark. (Chapter II.)

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HUERJAM IEKN.

When CHRIST entered into the city of Jerusalem, there went to meet Him the aged with olive branches in their hands, and glorifying the Son of God.

From the Mount of Olives, the children were spreading their garments and bringing branches of trees to offer to the Son of God, the Holy Kine.

With olive branches and leaves the heathen children blessed Him. Rejoice, thou city of Jerusalem and thou, Sion the mother church, rejoice also.







-tsa - nä - i Astvats worthuin surptha-ka-wo-rin. n







Augh Opph.

Orthi as before.

Սրբոյ Աշետարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Ղուկասու. ԳԼ՝ 18. Հմը 31.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to Luke. Chapter XVIII. Verse 31.

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ZKALUSTH KUO CHRISTOS.

Thy entrance O CHRIST, this day into the new Jerusalem, the holy Church, do we extol with triumphant voice. Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

With the innocents do we praise Thee, Who for our salvation didst seat Thyself upon a colt. Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of LORD.

Sovereign Divine, maintain Thy church unshaken and preserve the worshippers of Thy Name in peace.



I Side. Zka-lusth kuo Chris-tos ai - sor hIe - ru - sa - ghäm

















ALER OFF.

Orthi as before

Սրբոյ Աշհատրանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Յօհաննու. ԳԷ 12. հմը 12.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to John. Chapter XII. Verse 12.

Ի ՅԱՐՈՒԹԵԱՆ

I HARUTHIAN.

On the day of resurrection, at the coming of the Saviour, the children spread their garments and praised with ceaseless voices, saying, Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

As offerings they brought branches of trees, strewing them in the way of the Son of God, and praised with ceaseless voices, saying, Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

The aged poured forth blessings, and the children glorified Him, and praised with ceaseless voices, saying, Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the LORD.





tha-ra-tsa-nä in mangunkn uz - han-thierts iev antha-thar









tsai-niv orh-nä - in orh-nial ie - kial an - vamp Thiar'n.







246h Umquan 4: Psalm 4.

48. Նչանեցաւ առ մեզ լոյս երեսաց ջոց. և հաուր ուրակունիւն որտից մերոց։

ՓԽ. ի կարդալ իմում լուար ինձ Աստուած ըստ արդարութեան . ի նեղութենկ ինձ անդորը արարեր, ողորմես ինձ և լուր աղօթից իմոց :

The light of Thy countenance shone upon us, and Thou gavest joy to our hearts.

When I cried unto Thee, Thou heardest my voice in justice; in my affliction Thou gavest me ease; have mercy on me, and hearken unto my prayer.

Ձկնի Ալելուիա Օրթի.

Alleluia. Orthi.

Սրբոյ Աւիտարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մատթէոսի։ ԳԼ 24. Հմը. 27.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to Matthew Chap. XXIV. V. 27.

[Procession of Blessing.]

Rupnq inpotest & Buchop bewillis. Exhortation when the procession is formed.

Deacon. Let us pray to the LORD for peace.

Choristers. LORD have mercy.

Deacon. For peace from above, and for the salvation of our souls, let us beseech the LORD.

Chor. LORD, have mercy.

Deacon. Have mercy on us, O LORD our GOD, according to Thy great mercy; let us all say together with one accord,

Chor. LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy.











Priest. Blessing and glory to the FATHER, and to the Son, and to the HOLY GHOST, now and ever, to all eternity.

Chor. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Priest. Blessed and guarded and protected be the east side of the world, and the Patriarchate of Armenia, by the sign of this holy Cross and holy Gospel, and by the grace of this day; in the Name of the FATHER and of the SON, and of the HOLY GHOST.

Chor. Now and ever and to all eternity. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

And they shall turn their faces to the West.

Priest. Blessed and guarded and protected be the west side of the world and the Kingdoms of Christianity; by the sign of this holy Cross (as before).

Chor. Now and ever (as before).

And they shall turn their faces to the South.

Priest. Blessed and guarded and protected be the South side of the world, the land, crops, and the produce of the year, by the sign of this holy Cross (as before).

Chor. (as before.)

And they shall turn their faces to the North.

Priest. Blessed and guarded and protected be the North side of the world, the monasteries, convents, towns and villages, and all those dwelling therein, by the sign of this holy Cross (as before).

Chor. (as before.)



Քան։ Օրենութիւն և փառրջ Հօրև Որդւոյ և Հո-գւոյն սր-բոյ. Priest. Orhnuthiuniev pharükHoriev Vorthuo iev Huo-kuin sür puo.









Այժմ և։ Ամէն։ Ալէլուիա. ալէլուիա. ալէլուիա. Now and. Amen. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia. (as before)

be quadual p pbs. h mutil quipting

And they shall turn to the altar and say again





Ձարոզ **Ս**ափօրի և խաչի.

Exhortation of the procession and of the Cross.

Սարկ։ Սուրբ խաչիւս աղաչեսցուր ղՁէր, զի սովաւ փրրկեսցէ զմեղ ի մեղաց և կեցուսցէ չնորհիւ ողորժութեան իւրոյ։ Ամենակալ Ձէր Աստուած մեր. կեցո և ողորժեա։

Deacon. Through this holy Cross let us beseech the LORD, that by this He may guard us from sin, and give us life by the grace of His mercy. ALMIGHTY LORD our GOD, save us and have mercy.

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PRAYER.

Պահպաննա գմեզ Քրիստոս Աստուած մեր ընդ հովանեաւ սուրբ և պատուական խաչիւդ քով ի խաղաղութեան․ փրկեա յերևելի և աներեւոյթ թշնամւոյն։ Արժանտւորեա դոհութեսակ փառաւորել ըզջեզ ընդ Հօր և ընդ Սրրոյ Հոգւոյդ․ Այժմ և միչտ և։

Preserve us, JESUS our GOD, in peace under the shadow of Thy venerated Cross, save us from our visible and invisible enemies. Make us worthy with thankfulness to glorify Thee with the FATHER and with the HOLY GHOST, now and ever to all eternity.

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And after, they shall come into the porch of the Church, first closing the Church door.

Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան ըզՏէր աղաչեսցուբ․ ընկալ, կեցո, և ողորմեա․

Deacon. Let us pray to the LORD for peace. Receive, save, and have mercy.

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Priest. Blessing and glory to the FATHER SON and HOLY GHOST.

Now and ever.

Umηdnu 2b: Psalm 85. (English version 86.)

խոնարդեցո Տէր զունկն քո և լուր ինձ, ղի աղջատ և տնանկ եմ ես։

Պահետ զանձն իմ սուրբ Տէր. և փրկետ գծառայս քո Աստուած իմ որ ի քեզ յուսացայ։

Ողորմեա ինձ Տէր զի առ քեղ աղաղակեցի զօրՀանապագ ուրախ արա զանձն ծառայի քո, զի առ քեղ Տէր համրարձի գանձն իմ.

Զի դու Տէր քաղցը և ուղիղ հա, բազումողորմ առ ամենեսեան որջ կարդան առ ջեղ.

Ունկնդիր Տէր աղօթից իմոց, և նայեա ի ձայն խնդրուածաց իմոց։

Выспер Նեղութեան իմոյ կարդացի առ ջեզ, և լուար ինձ։

Bow down Thine ear, O LORD, and hear me, for I am poor and homeless.

Keep me holy, O LORD, my GOD, save Thy servant that putteth his trust in Thee.

Be merciful unto me, LORD, for I cry unto Thee daily; gladden the soul of thy servant, for unto Thee do I lift up my soul.

For Thou, O LORD art kind and just, and plenteous in mercy to them that call upon Thee.

Give ear, O LORD, to my prayer, and incline to the voice of my supplication.

In the day of my trouble I called unto Thee, and Thou didst hear me.

ՍԻՐԱԽ ԼԵՐ

URAKH LIER.

Rejoice, holy church, at the advent of the Holy Only Begotten; be glad and rejoice together with all the saints.





Սաղմոս ՁԵ։ (չարունակեսցի.) Psalm 85. (continued.)

Ոչ որ է նահան բեզ յ Աստուածս Տէր, և ոչ որ է որպէս զգործս ըս.

Զամենայն ազգս գոր արարեր եկեսցեն և երկիրպագցեն առաջի Քո, և փառաւոր արասցեն գանուն քո յաւիտեան։

Մեծ ես դու Տէր և առնես սքանչելիս, և դու միայն ես Աստուած։

Առաջնորդետ ինձ ի ճանապարհի քում, և գնացից ի ճչմարտութեան քում, և ուրախ եղիցի սիրտ իմ երկընչիլ յանուանէ քումմէ։

խոստովան եղէց առ ջեզ Տէր Աստուած իմ բոլորով սրտիւ իմով։

Մեծ եղև ի վերայ իմ ողորմունիւն բո Տէր, և փբրկեցեր զանձն իմ ի դժոխոց ներջնոց։

Among the gods there is none like unto Thee, O LORD, neither are there any works like unto Thy works.

All nations whom Thou hast made shall come and worship before Thee, and shall glorify Thy name for evermore.

For Thou art great, O LORD, and doest wondrous things, Thou art GoD alone.

Lead me in Thy way and I shall walk in Thy truth, and my heart shall rejoice in the fear of Thy Name.

I will praise Thee, O LORD my GOD, with my whole heart, I will glorify Thy name for evermore.

For great was Thy mercy towards me, and from the nethermost hell hast Thou delivered my soul.

ինու Յոցգ

KHUNTHA HUIJ.

Rejoice greatly, thou daughter of the upper Sion, behold thy King coming seated on the unridden foal of an ass, Sinless, and Saviour, Who saves and gives us life.











Սաղմոս Ձեւ (չարունակեսցի) Psalm 85. (continued)

Աստուած անօրէնք յարեան ի վերայ իմ, և ժողովը Հզօրաց խնդրեցին զանձն իմ, և ոչ Համարեցան գջեղ Աստուած տռաչի իւրեանց.

Այլ դու Տէր Աստուած իմ դԹած ես և ողորմած, երկայնամիտ բաղումողորմ և ճչմարիտ, նայեա առ իս և ողորմեա ինձ։

Տուր զօրութիւն ծառայի քո, կեցո զորդի աղախնոյ քո,և արա առիս նչան բարութեան։

Տեսցեն ատելի**ջ իմ** և ամաչեսցեն, զի դու Տէր օդնեցեր ինձ և միկթարեցեր դիս։

O God, the unrighteous have risen up against me, and the assemblies of the powerful have sought after my soul, and have not set Thee, O God, before them.

For Thou, O LORD my GOD, art merciful and compassionate, longsuffering and plenteous in mercy and truth, turn Thou unto me, and have mercy upon me.

Give strength unto Thy servant, and help the son of Thine

handmaid, and show him a token of good.

They that hate me shall see it and be ashamed, for Thou, O LORD, hast holpen me and comforted me.

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ZUVARCHATSIR.

Rejoice and be glad, people of GOD, offer vows of faith and say, Blessed is He Who cometh in the Name of the LORD.













Rus: Owne Lop le Appeny: Bodd le Show:

Փառջ ջեզ Աստուած, փառջ ջեզ, յաղագս ամենայնի Տէր

Սարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան։ Քան։ Օրհնութիւն և փառք Հօր։

Priest. Glory be to the FATHER. Now and ever.

Glory be to Thee, O God, glory be to Thee, for all that we receive from Thee, glory be to Thee.

Deacon. Let us again. Priest. Blessing and glory.

Ապլահցո գիս Տէր ի մարդոյ չարէ, յառնէ անիրառէ փրկետ գիս։ Խորհացան դանօրէնուԹիւն ի սիրտո իւրեանց, գոր ամենայն

պատրաստեցան 'ի պատերազմ։

Սրեցին գլեղուս իւրեանց որպէս զօձի,և Թոյնք իժից 'ի ներքոյ չրԹանց նոցա։

Պահետ զիս Տէր ՚ի ձեռաց մեղաւորի, և ՚ի մարդոյ չարէ փրկեա զիս։

խորհեցան խափանել զգնացս իմ, Թագուցին ամբարտաւան**ջ** որոգայի ինձ։

Ղարս ձպեցին որոգայթ ստից իմոց, չուրջ զչաւղօք իմովք եղին ինձ պասթակղութիւն։

Ասացի Տէր Աստուած իմ ես գու, ունկն դիր Տէր ձայնի աղօթից իմոց։

Տէր Տէր գօրութիւն փրկութիան իմոյ, հովանի գլխոյ իմոյ յաւուր պատհրազմի։

Մի մատներ գիս Ցէր ՚ի ցանկութեիւն մեղաւորաց, ոյք խորհեցան վասն իմ՝ մի ընդ վայր հարկաներ դիս։

Ձի մի երբէջ բարձրասցին, և խորհուրդջ նոցամի կատարեսցին. վախճան կատարածի նոցա՝ վաստակ չրԹանց իւրեանց ծածկեսցէ գնոսա։

Արկցես ՚ի վերայ Նոցա զկայծակունս հրոյ, և կործանեսցես գնոսա. ՚ի տառապանաց մի կարասցեն կեալ ։

Մարդոյ լեզոշանոյ մի յաջողեսցի ՚ի վերայ երկրի, զայր մեդաւոր չարիք իւր որսասցեն ՚ի կորուստ ։ Ծանեայ զի առնես Տէր դատաստան աղջատի, և իրաւունս տնանկի։

Արդարք գոհասցին դանուանէ քումմէ, և բնակեսցին ուղիղք առաքի հրեսաց քոց։

Deliver me, O LORD, from the evil man, save me from the unjust man.

They have imagined mischief in their hearts, continually have they made ready for battle.

They have sharpened their tongues like a serpent, adder's poison is under their lips.

Keep me, O LORD, from the hands of the ungodly, save me from the evil man.

They planned to obstruct my steps, the proud have laid a snare for me.

They laid cords to entrap my feet, and round my way they placed obstacles.

I said unto the LORD, Thou art my GOD, hear the voice of my prayers, O LORD.

O LORD, the LORD of my strength and salvation, the shelter of my head in the day of battle.

Betray me not, O LORD, unto the desires of the ungodly and of them that have planned evil against me, cast me not down.

That they may never rise up again, and their designs may not be fulfilled; at the end let the mischief of their own lips cover them.

Thou shalt cast sparks of fire on them, and destroy them by torture from which they shall be unable to live.

An evil speaker shall not prosper upon the earth, his own wickedness shall overthrow the ungodly.

I have known, O LORD, that Thou judgest righteously the poor and the homeless.

Surely the righteous shall give thanks unto Thy Name and the upright shall dwell in Thy presence.

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ZCHRISTOS.

CHRIST the KING, Who rests on the throne of glory, appeared on earth, seated on the foal of an ass.





Umquan db. Psalm 140. (English version 141).

Տէր կարդացի առ ջեղ և լուր ինձ, նայեա ՚ի ձայն աղօԹից իմոց ՚ի կարդալ իմում առ ջեղ։

Ուղիղ եղիցին աղօթե իմ որպես խունկ առաջի ջո Տեր.

համրարձումն ձեռաց իմոց պատարագ հրեկոյի։

Դիր Տէր պահապան բերանոյ իմոյ. և դուռն ամուր չբԹանց իմոց, զի մի խոտորհացի սիրտ իմ բանիւ չարուԹեան։

ի պատճառել զպատճառո մեղաց ընդ մարդո՝ ոյք գործեն

զանօրէնութիւն. և ոչ եղէց կցորդ ընտրելոց նոցա։

խրատեսցէ գիս արդարն ողորմութեամբ և յանդիման արասցէ, իւղ մեղաւորի մի օծցէ զգլուխ իմ, այլ աղօթեջ իմ ՚իկամս նորա։

Մեժելար դրեց աս վիդիր ժատաշանն ըսմա քուինրը հարին

իմոց և քաղցրասցին։

Որպէս Թանձրութիւն հողոյ զի սփռեալ է 'ի վերայ երկրի. դրուեսցին ոսկերը նոդա մերձ 'ի դժոխս։

Առ ջեղ Տէր Տէր են աչջ ին, ի ջեղ յուսացայ մի հաներ

զհոգի լինչն։ Պահեա զիս լորոզայԹէ որ Թագուցաւ ինձ՝ի դայԹակղուԹենէ

զործողին զանօրէնութիւն։ Անկցին ի ցանցս նորա մեղաւորջ. միայն եմ ես մինչեւ

Արինիր, ի მարնո րսևա դրմաշսև 5 - դիտոյր բոլ բու դիրչեր։ արմին։

LORD, I have cried unto Thee, hear Thou me, incline unto the voice of my prayer when I cry unto Thee.

Let my prayer be set forth as incense before Thee, the lifting up of my hands as an evening offering.

Put a watch, O LORD, on my mouth, and a strong door on my lips, that my heart may not go astray by evil words.

I will not sin because of the wickedness of others, and I shall not be a sharer of their deeds.

Let the righteous advise me in mercy, and let him reprove me, the oil of the wicked shall not anoint my head, but my prayers shall be for him.

Their judges were hindered by the rock, they shall hear my words and rejoice.

As thickly as dust is spread upon the earth shall their bones be scattered at the mouth of hell.

For mine eyes are unto Thee, LORD; O LORD, in Thee have I trusted, withdraw not my soul from me.

Keep me from the snares they have hidden for me, and from the traps of the workers of iniquity.

Let the ungodly fall into their own snares, whilst I alone shall escape.

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UNTH ARACH.

The Hebrews, assembled together, went forth to meet the KING, the aged bearing olive boughs in their hands, and the children branches of palm.

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Psalm 141. (English version 142).

Umganu dell.

Ձայնիշ իմով ես առ Տէր կարդացի, ձայնիշ իմով դտէր աղաչեսցի։

Սփռեցից առաջի Տետուն զաղօթես իմ, և զնեղութիւնս իմ առաջի նորա պատմեցից։

Դ Նուաղիլ յինկն հոգւոյ իմոյ, դու Տէր ծանհար գչաւիղս իմ.՝ի ճանապարհ յոր և գնայի, Թագուցաւ ինձ որոդայթ։

Հայէի յաջմէ և տեսանէի, և ոչ ոք ճանաչէր դիս կորհաւ յինէն փախուստ իմ. և ոչ դտաւ խնդրող անձին իմոյ։

Աղաղակեցի առ ջեզ Տէր և ասացի. դու ես յոյս և բաժին իմ յերկրին կենդանեաց։

Նայեա Տէր յաղօթես իմ. զի ես խոնարհ եղէ յոյժ. ապրեցո զիս ի հալածչաց իմոց. զի հզօրք եղեն քան գիս։

Տէր հան ի բանտէ դանձն իմ, դոհանամ դանուանէ քումմէ։ Եւ քեղ սպասեն արդարք մինչև հատուսցես։

I cried unto the LORD with my voice, with my voice unto the LORD did I make my supplication.

I shall pour out my prayers before the LORD, I shall make known to him my trouble.

When my soul fainted within me, Thou knewest my path, and in the way wherein I walked was privily laid a snare for me.

I looked on my right hand and saw that there was none that knew me, my refuge failed me, and no man cared for my soul.

I cried unto Thee, O LORD, and said, Thou art my hope, and my portion in the land of the living.

Attend unto my cry, for I have been brought very low; deliver me from my persecutors, for they have become stronger than I.

Bring my soul out of prison, that I may give thanks unto Thy name.

And the righteous wait for Thee until Thou doest justice.

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MIAPANAKAN TSAINIV.

With united voices they sang a new song, praising the Immortal King.







Rus. Oung hop h Appens: Both h Spin: Priest. Glory. Now and ever.

ՄԱՂԹԱՆՔ

SUPPLICATION.

Օրհնեալ տէր որ բնակեալդ ես ի բարձունս, և օրհնեալ են փառջ մեծութեան ջոյ. որ հաստատեյեր գլուսաւորս ի բարձունս. ի յերկնից լոյս ծագեցեր ընդ ամենայն տիեղերս։ Արտրեր դարեդակն լուսատու տունջեան, գլուսինն և դաստեղս լուսատու գիչերոյ, և գլոյս ճրագի. դու ես լոյս գովելի տուրբ և առաջին լոյսն. ի ջէն փախնու խաւարն. և դլոյս ջո կենդանի տէր ծագետ ի ոիրտս մեր։ Եւ մեջ միաբան աստացուջ օրհնեալ է անուն սուրբ փառաց ջոց. և ջեկ երդեմջ գօրհնութիւն և դփառո Հօր և Որդւոյ և Հոգւոյդ։ Այժմ և միչտ.

Blessed art Thou, O LORD, Who dwellest in the highest and blessed is the glory of Thy greatness, Who hast fixed the luminaries on high, and by their heavenly light hast illumined the whole world. Thou didst create the sun to give light in the day, the moon and the stars, and the light of the candle to brighten the night. Thou Thyself art glorious Light, the holy and original Light, before Whom the darkness vanishes away; dawn on our hearts, O LORD, Thy light that giveth life. And we shall say with one accord, Blessed be the holy glory of Thy Name, and to Thee shall we sing praises and glory, FATHER, SON, and SPIRIT. Amen.

Հասեալըս ի ժամ երեկոյիս ամենեքեան համրառնալով զձեռա մեր փառաւորեմը զջեզ տէր Աստուած մեր. որ չնորհեցեր մեզ գտիւս խաղաղութեամբ անցուցանել և հասանիլ ի ժամ երեկոյիս։ Արժանաւորեա զմեզ տէր, սուրբ սրտիւ, հրեչաակային երգով դոհարանութեւն մատուցանել տեառն Աստուծոյ ամենակալիդ. կեցո և ողորմեա։

Ողորմեաց մեղ տէր Աստուած մեր ըստ մեծի ողորմուԹեան ջում. ասասցուջ ամենեջեան միարանուԹեամբ. Տէր ողորմեա.

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Let us all, who have reached this hour of the evening, lifting up our hands glorify Thee, O LORD our GOD, Who hast granted unto us to pass this day in peace, and to arrive at this hour of the evening. Make us worthy, O LORD, with a clean heart, and with chants like the angels to return thanks unto Thee, O LORD GOD ALMIGHTY, give us life and have mercy.

Have mercy upon us, O LORD our GOD, with Thy great mercy. Let us all say together with one accord, LORD, have

mercy, LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy.

ՄԱՂԹԱՆՔ

SUPPLICATION.

Հասեալքս ի ժամ երեկոյիս ամենեքեան անդադար փառաւորեմք գՀայր և զՈրդի և ղՕուրբ Հոգիդ, այժմ և միչտ և յաւիտեսնս յաւիտենից. ամէն։

Let us all who have reached this hour of the evening with one accord unceasingly offer glory to the FATHER, Son, and

HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

Մեսեղիք:

Օրենհալ որ դաս յանուն տեսուն, օրենհալ որ դալոց ես։ Տէր Աստուած մեր երերեցաւ մեղ. արարէջ տօնս ուրախու-Թեան կանխաւ, մինչև յանկիւնս սեղանոյ։

Blessed art Thou that cometh in the Name of the LORD,

blessed art Thou that shalt come.

The LORD our GOD hath appeared unto us, hasten to make feasts of joy even unto the corners of the altar.

Ուղիղ եղիցին աղօԹք իմ Որպէս խունկ առաջի քո տէր. Համբարձումն ձեռւաց իմոց Պատարաղ երեկոլի։ Let my prayer be set forth As incense before Thee. The lifting up of my hands, As an evening offering.

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EXHORTATION.



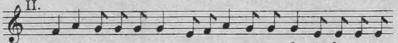
Սարկ։ Աս-ասցուք ա- մե-նեքեան մի-ա-րանութեամը.Տէր ո-ղորմեա։ As-sastsuk a-mieniekian mi-a-pa-nuthiamp Ter woghormia.

Deacon. Let us all say together with one accord, LORD have mercy.





Chor. LORD, have mercy.



Սարկ։ Վասն խաղաղութեան ա-ժենայն ալխար-հի և հաստատու-Deacon. Va-sen khaghaghuthian amienain ashkhar-hi iev hasthathu-



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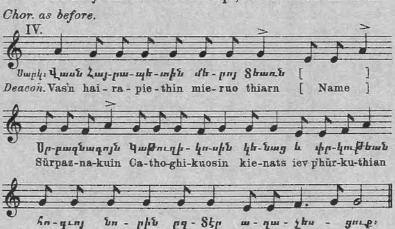
For the peace of the whole world, and the stability of the holy church, let us be eech the LORD.



Սարկ։ Վասն ա - մենայն սուրբ և ուղղա-փառ ե-պիս-կո-պո-սաց Deacon. Vasen a-mie-nain surp iev u-gha-par ie-pis-co-po-sats



For all holy and orthodox bishops, let us beseech the LORD.

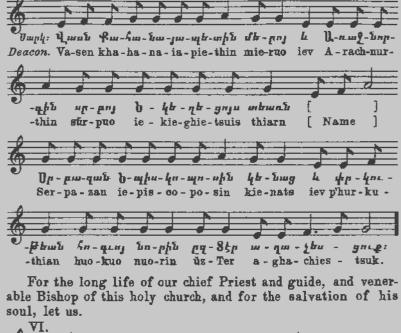


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For the long life of our venerable Patriarch the Catholicos (N), and the salvation of his soul, let us.





a-gha-chies - tsuk.

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Deacon. For all Varthapiets, priests, deacons, choristers, and all children dedicated to the service of the church, let us.



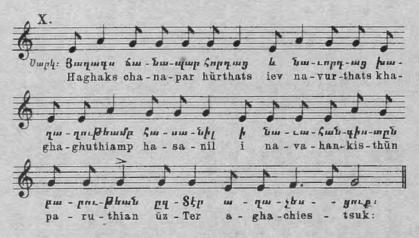
Deacon. For all pious and GOD loving princes, for their generals and their armies, let us.



Deacon. That the Almighty LORD may bring to a peaceful conclusion all the wars of their enemies, let us.



Deacon. For our fathers and brethren that are in captivity and in evil bondage, let us.



Deacon. That all travellers by land and by water may safely arrive at a haven of peace, let us.

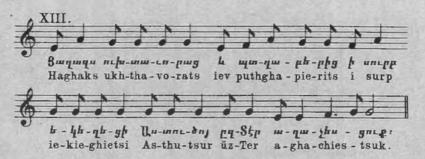




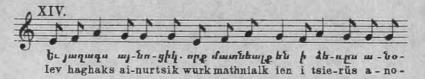
For the speedy recovery of the sick and the afflicted, let us.



For moderate weather, seasonable rain, and abundance of produce, let us.



For them that have taken vows and presented offerings to the holy church of God, let us.





And for them that have been betrayed into the hands of the ungodly for the sake of Christ's name, let us.



Chor. Save, O LORD, and have mercy upon them.





հաւտաով ի Քրիստոս ՆՆ-Ջի-ցին ըզ-Տէր ա-ղաչես - ցուք։ ha-vathov i Christos nunchietsin üz Ter a-ghachies-tsuk.

For the souls of the departed who have fallen asleep in Christ, in the true and orthodox faith, let us.







Chor. Remember, LORD, and have mercy.



Deacon. That our LORD GOD may save us from our enemies visible and invisible, let us.



LORD, have mercy.

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SUPPLICATION.

Բարեխօս ունիմը սուրբ գՄարիամ զԱստւածածինն զփառաւորհալ և օրճնեալ միչտ սուրբ կոյսն. սուրբ գՑովճաննէս մկրտիչն. սուրբ գՍտեփաննոս նախավկայն. սուրբ գԱռաքեալսն և գՄարգարէսն. գարի և գյաղԹող սուրբ զՎկայսն. Եւ զմեծ խոստովանողն Քրիստոսի զճայրապետն մեր զսուրբն Գրիգորիոս լուսաւորիչն Հայաստանեայց աշխարհի.

We have for our intercessors, Holy Mary, the Birthgiver of God, the ever glorified and blessed Holy Virgin; Holy John the Baptist; Holy Stephen the first martyr; the holy prophets and apostles; the brave, victorious and holy martyrs; and the great confessor of Christ, the holy Gregorius, the Illuminator of Armenia.



Deacon. And with these let us remember all other saints, and with them beseech the LORD.





Chor. Remember, LORD, and have mercy.







Chor. Grant, O LORD.



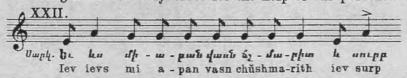
Let us ask of the LORD an angel of peace to guard our persons.



Deacon. Let us be seech the LORD for forgiveness and pardon of our sins.



Deacon. Let us be seech of the LORD the great and potent strength of the holy cross for the help of our persons.





Deacon. Let us moreover unanimously beseech the LORD for our true and holy faith.



Chor. LORD, have mercy.



Deacon. Let us commit ourselves and one another unto the Eternal LORD.



Chor. Unto Thee, O LORD, let us be committed.



Մարկ։ Ո - ղորմեաց մեզ Տէր Աստուած մեր ըստ մեծի ողորմու թեան
Wo-ghormiats miez Ter Astwats mier usth mietsi woghormuthian



enced. wa-waynee, w-db-bbehab dh-w-pw-bnc-bbadh: khum as-sastsuk a-mie-niekian mi-a-pa-nu-thiamp.

Deacon. Have mercy upon us, O LORD according to Thy great mercy. Let us all say together with one accord.





LORD have mercy, LORD have mercy, LORD have mercy.

UZOPR.

Լուր ձայնից մերոց տէր Աստուած մեր. ընկալ զաղաչանո մեր. զՀամբարձումն ձեռաց մերոց և ըզբանս աղօթից. սորելով զերեկոյի պատարագս մեր ի Հոտ անուչից ի Հաձոյս ջեղ պատրաստել։ Ցաւել ի մեղ տէր ամենակալ զՀաւատ, զյոյս, զսէր, և զամենայն գործս առաջինութեան.որպէս զի ըստ կամաց ջոց բարեսիրաց միչտ կրօնաւորեալջ բարեպաչտութեամբ ի տուէ և ՛ի գիչերի. և արժանաւորջ եղիցուջ յաղազս անձանց մերոց փրկութեան. և վասն Հոգևոր կենացդ աղաչել ղջեղ Տէր. և դատել ՛ի ջէն ղչնորհս և զողորմութիւն. և դոհանալով փառաւորեսցուջ ղՀայր և ղՈրդի և զսուրը Հոգիդ. այժմ և միչտ և յաւիտեանս յաւիտենից.

խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն.

Աստուծոյ երկիրպագեսցութ։ (Կամ) Ամկն. և ընդ հոգւոյդջում։

Քեզ երկիրպադանելով Տէր Աստուած մեր դոհանամք դքեն յազագս խաղաղութեամբ անցուցանելոյ՝ի մէնջ գերկարութեւն տունջեանս. Տուր մեզ Տէր աղաչեմք զքեզ զերեկս և զառաջիկայ գիչերս առանց մեղաց. և առանց դայթակղութեան անցուցանել հաստատուն կալ և մնալ ի հաւատ ի յոյսի սէր և ի պատուիրանապահութեան քոյ։ Ծնղրելով գխաղաղութեւն ամենայն աչխարհի, և Եկեղեցւոյ քում սրբոյ զհաստատութեւն և անձանց մերոց զփրկութեւն։ Որպէս դի ընդունելով ի քէն զհայցուածս մեր և դմեծ վայելչական փառաբանութեւն միչտ ի բարձունս առաջեսցուք ամենագոր չերութեանդ Քրիստոս Աստուած մեր. այժմ և.

PRAYER.

Hearken unto our voices, O LORD our GOD, accept our supplications, the lifting up of our hands, and the words of our prayers, sanctifying our evening offering and rendering it fragrant and pleasant unto Thee. Add unto us, Almighty LORD, faith, hope, and charity, and all works of virtue, so that, according to Thy benevolent will, ever leading a pious life by night and by day, we may render ourselves worthy of salvation, and may pray unto Thee, O LORD, for spiritual health, and may receive from Thee grace and mercy, with thankfulness glorifying the, FATHER, SON, and holy SPIRIT, now and ever to all eternity.

Peace be to all.

Chor. Let us worship God. (Or) Amen, and with thy SPIRIT.

Prostrating ourselves before Thee, O Lord our God, we thank Thee that we have passed this long day in peace. Grant unto us, Lord, we beseech Thee, to pass the evening and the approaching night without sin and without offence, that we may remain steadfast in faith, hope, and love, and in the keeping of Thy commandments, beseeching Thee for peace for the whole world, stability for Thy holy church and salvation for our souls. So that receiving what we request from Thee, we may ever in fitting words, send our glorifications up unto the highest, even unto Thine omnipotent dominion, O Christ our God, now and ever, unto all eternity. Amen.

Unice Uusniut

SURP ASTVATS.

HOLY GOD, Holy and Mighty, Holy and Immortal, Who didst come, and Who art to come have mercy upon us. (Sung thrice.)

*) Glorified and Blessed, ever Virgin Birthgiver of God, Mary, Mother of Christ, offer our prayers to thy Son, our God,







^{*)} Said by the Apostle Thomas.



Քան։ Փրկել զմեզ ի փորձունեն և յամենայն վտանդից մերոց։ Priest. That He may save us in temptation and in all our dangers.

ՔԱՐՈԶ.

EXHORTATION.

Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան գտեր աղաչեսցուք։

Վասն լսելի լինելոյ Տետուն Աստուծոյ ձայնի աղաչանաց մերոց բարեխօսութետմբ սուրբ Աստուածածնին. Եւ իջանելոյ ի վերայ մեր ողորմութեան և դթեութեան Տետուն Աստուծոյ։ Ամենակալ Տէր Աստուած մեր կեցո և ողորմեա։

Moreover let us beseech the LORD for peace.

May the voice of our prayers be heard by the LORD our God through the intercession of the Holy Birthgiver of God. And may the mercy and compassion of the LORD our God descend upon us. Almighty LORD our God, save and have mercy upon us.

Քան. Օրհնութիւն և փառջ Հօր և Որդւոյ և Հոգւոյն Սրբոյ. այժմ և միչտ։

խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն.

Priest. Blessing and glory to the FATHER, and the SON and the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever.

Peace be unto you.

[be when who were a server of the Evening Psalm.]

Համբարձի գաչս իմ ի լերինս, ուստի եկեսցէ ինձ օգնու-Թիւն։

Օգնութժիւն ինձ ի տետունէ եկեսցէ, որ արտր զերկինս և ղերկիր. Մի տար ի սասանութքիւն պոտն **ջ**ո, և մի **Ն**նջեսցէ պահապան ջո.

Որպէս ոչ ննջէ և ոչ ի քուն երթեայ պահապանն իսրայելի։ Ցէր պահեսցէ զքեզ. և տէր ընկալցի աջոյ ձեռամբըն իւրով։ Արեգակն ի տուէ քեզ մի մեղիցէ, և մի լուսին ի զիչերի. Ցէր պահեսցէ զքեղ յամենայն չարէ. պահեսցէ տէր զանձն քո. Ցէր պահեսցէ զմուտ և զել քո յայսմհետէ մինչև յաւիտեան. Փառք Հօր և Որդւոյ։ Այժմ և միչտ։

I lifted up mine eyes to the mountains, from whence shall come my help.

Help shall come to me from the LORD, Who made heaven and earth.

Suffer not thy foot to be moved, and He that keepeth thee shall not slumber.

For He that keepeth Israel shall slumber not, nor sleep.

The LORD shall keep thee, and the LORD shall receive thee with His right hand.

The sun shall not smite thee by day, neither the moon by night.

The LORD shall preserve thee from all evil, the LORD shall keep thy soul.

The LORD shall preserve thy going out, and thy coming in, from this time forth for evermore.

Glory. Now and ever.

[THE EVENING HYMN.]

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AISOR UNTH HRAKIERPIAN.

ANTIPHON. I lifted up mine eyes to the mountains, from whence shall come my help.

This day with the hosts of the flame-like, the aged offered blessings with branches, and the children with palms; Hosanna to Him that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

He on Whom the seraphim could not gaze with sheltered faces, sat on the unridden colt, praised by the children; Hosanna to Him that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

This day, with the aged and the children, do we also praise Thy advent as a new King to Jerusalem: Hosanna to Him that cometh in the Name of the LORD.

Blessed is He that cometh in the Name of the LORD, blessed art Thou Who shalt come again.





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Side. Zur sie-rov-pä-kun tsatska - par un - thu-nil woch pa -











Mode. Pha-ruk Hor. . iev Vor-thuo iev Huo-kuin . sur-puo.









Side. Aijm iev misht iev ha-vi-thia-nus ha-vi-thie-nits A - men.





ዋԱՐՈԶ.

EXHORTATION.

Վասն խաղաղութեան ամենայն աչխարհի, և հաստատութեան սրբոյ Եկեղեցւոյ զաէր աղաչեսցուք։ Ասասցուք ամենեքեան միաբանութեամբ։

Տէր ողորմեա . Տէր ողորմեա. Տէր ողորմեա.

For the peace of the whole world, and the stability of the holy church, let us be seech the LORD. Let us all say together with one accord.

LORD have mercy. LORD have mercy. LORD have mercy.

ԱՂዐԹ. R.

PRAYER.

Հայր գթած բարեխնամող արարիչ ամենայն արարածոց.ընկալ զպաղատանս ծառայից քոց ի ժամ հրեկոյիս. որ առատղ ես առամենեսեան պարզեւօք բարերարութեան քու Ողորմեա տէր աժենայն աշխարհի, և Եկեղեցւոյ քում սրբոյ. հիւանդաց վչտացերոց ճանապարհորդաց նաւորդաց խոստովանողաց ապաշխարողաց և հոգւոցն հանդուցելոց։ Ձի դու տէր ամենակալ դիտես զպէտս մեր եւ ղկարիս առաւել քան զոր խնդրեմք և իմանամք. և քեզ ընդ Որդւոյ և ամենասրբոյ Հոգւոյդ վայելէ փառք իչխանութիւն և պատիւ. այժմ և միչտ և յաւի։

Merciful and All-provident FATHER, Maker of all creatures, accept the prayers of Thy servants at this evening hour, O Thou Who art plenteous to all in Thy gifts of goodness. Have mercy, O LORD, on the whole world and on Thy holy church, on the sick, on the afflicted, on travellers by land and by water, on those who have renounced the world, on the penitent, and also on the souls of them that are at rest. For Thou, O ALMIGHTY LORD, knowest our wants and our necessities, and bestowest more than we can desire or know, and to Thee, with the SON and with the All HOLY SPIRIT belongeth glory, dominion and honour, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

Ակնի Հայր գնածին զգեցցի մինն ի պատուաւոր Քանանայից, և եկեսցէ ի դուուն Եկեղեցւոյն։

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ՕրՀնեալ եկեալ անուամբ տեսուն, և օրՀնեցաք զջեզ ի տանէ տեսուն։ Խոստովան եղերուք տեսուն, դի բարի է, դի յուիտեանէ ողորմու-Թիւն նորա.

Ասասցէ տունն իսրայէլի զի յաւիտեան է ողորմութիւն նորա.

Աստոցէ տունն Աբարօնի գի յաւիտեան է ողորմութիւն նորա.

Աստոցեն երկիւդաձը տետուն զի յուիտեան է ողորմութիւն նորտ.

ի նեղութեան իմում ես առ տէր կարդացի, և լուաւ ինձ յանդորը.

Տէր է իմ օգնական, և հս ոչ հրկհայց. զի արասցէ ինձ մարդ.

Տէր է իմ օգնական, և ես տեսից ի Թշնամիս իմ.

Բարի է յուսալ ի տէր ջան յուսալ ի մարդիկ․ բարի է յուսալ ի տէր ջան յուսալ յիչիանս․

Ամենայն ազինը չրջեցան գինև, և անուամբ տեառն յաղթեցի նոցա. Շրջելով չրջեցան գինև, պաչարեցին զիս ի միասին. և անուամբ տեառն վանեցի գնոսա.

Շուրջ եղեն զինև որպէս մեղուք վառեցան, բորբոջեցան որպէս փուլջ ի հուր. և անուամբ տետոն մերժեցի զնոսա.

ի մերժելն դրդուեցալ, և եղէ մերձ ի գլորել. և տէր ընկալաւ գիս. Ձօրունիւն իմ և օղնունիւն իմ տէր, և եղև ինձ ի փրկունիւն.

Ձայն ցնծութեան փրկութեան ի յարկս արդարոց.

ՍՀ տեառն արար զօրութիւն, աջ տեառն բարձր արար գիս․ և աչ տեառն արար զօրութիւն․

Ոչ մեռայց, այլ կեցից և պատմեցից զգործո տեառն. Խրատելով խրատեաց զիս տէր. և ի մահ ոչ մատնեաց. After the prayer "Merciful Father", one of the elder priests robed in his vestments, shall go to the door of the church. And they shall say in a loud voice Psalm 117 (English version 118).

ANTIPHON. Blessed be he that cometh in the Name of the LORD, and we bless Thee from the house of the LORD.

Put your faith in the LORD, for he is good, and His mercy endureth for ever.

Let the house of Israel now say, that His mercy endureth for ever.

Let the house of Aaron now say, that His mercy endureth for ever. Let them that fear the LORD now say, that His mercy endureth for ever.

I called upon the LORD in my distress, and He heard me.

The LORD is my help, I will not fear; what can man do unto me?

The LORD is my help, and I shall see this amongst mine enemies.

It is better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in man.

It is better to trust in the LORD than to put confidence in princes.

All nations compassed me about; in the Name of the LORD did I conquer them.

They compassed me about, they besieged me; in the Name of the LORD did I defeat them.

They swarmed about me like armed bees, they burned like thorns in the fire, in the Name of the LORD I drove them off.

As I drove them off I was nearly overthrown, but the LORD helped me.

The LORD is my strength and my help, and he is become my salvation.

The voice of rejoicing and salvation is in the dwellings of the righteous.

The right hand of the LORD did valiantly, the right hand of the LORD exalted me, the right hand of the LORD did valiantly.

I shall not die but live, and declare the works of the LORD.

The LORD counselled me, and He betrayed me not unto death.

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SHNORHIA MIEZ TER.

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And they shall sing together the Hymn of the Third Mode.

Grant us, LORD, vigilance with the wise virgins, and make bright the lanterns of our souls.

With shuddering do we fear to hear from Thee, O LORD, the answer, Verily I say unto you, I know you not.

When Thou shalt come in the glory of Thy FATHER, to judge the whole world, grant to us to stand on thy right hand,

That the door of mercy of the heavenly Bridegroom may be opened unto us, and that we may enter the nuptial abode with the wise virgins,

That we may be ready to meet the Bridegroom, and that we may enter the nuptial abode, and be not kept out with the foolish virgins.

That the lanterns of our souls may remain bright, and that we may be numbered amongst the united guests in the feast of the heavenly Bridegroom.

69. J = 80. Mode 3.



I. Shnorhia miez Ter arthnuthiun unth i mas-thun ku-sanatsn



iev zhuerkuerts mieruots lapthierus pai - tsa-ra - tsuo



II. Ier-kunchimk i khen Ter . zar-hu-rialk i pathas-khanuin



III. Ցորժամ գասփա-ուօք Հօր դա-տել ըզ-տի-ե-զերս ա-մենայն

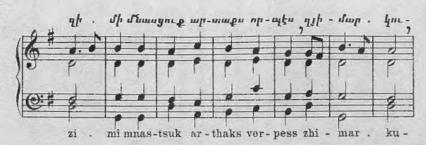


III. Huerjam kas pha-rok Hor thathiel uz-thi-ya-ziers amie-nain





arach pie-sa - in . iev műthtsuk i ha-rakasth nue - ra







iev paz-mietsus-tsies ŭz-miez ŭnth hra-vi - rialsn i kuo-



եւ յասարտիլն սկսանիցի ասել զգեցեալ Քանանայն աղիողորմ ձայնիւ. (քանզի

And after this hymn, the Priest, robed in his vestments, shall begin to say in a mournful voice (because this represents the awful mystery of the Last Day of Judgment, and of the Coming of CHRIST)

Open to us, LORD, open to us, LORD, open to us, LORD, the door of mercy, with tears in our eyes do we beseech Thee.

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And one of the priests will reply from inside and say,

Who are these, that I should open to them? For this is the door of the LORD, and only the innocent may enter here.

be Rushulushi upmugneum uuhgh: And the Priest will say from outside.

Not only may the innocent enter, but sinners, purified by confession and penitence, may also enter here.

h Chppnium muhgt:
And from inside he will say,

This is the gate of heaven, and the vale of sorrow promised by God to Jacob, rest for the innocent, a place of expiation for the sinful, the city of CHRIST, the dwelling place of the Angels, the place of assembly of the saints, a place of shelter, and the house of God.

be Ruhubugb upmugneum unhgh: And the Priest will say from outside.

Right and truthful are these words that thou sayest of the holy Church, for she is the immaculate mother, and from her are born the sons of light, and truth, for she is our hope of life, and through her we receive the salvation of our souls, and she is our road to right-eousness, by which we reach Christ, our Father in heaven.

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PATS MIEZ TER.





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ARJAN IEV CHŬSHMARITH.





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եւ ասասցեն Շարական ԲԿ։ And they shall sing hymns of the Fourth Mode. (Outside.)

ԻՄԱՍՏՈՒՆ ԿՈՒՍԱՆՔԸՆ

Nº 1. IMASTHUN KUSANKN.

I.

The wise virgins prepared their lamps with oil, and went forth to meet the heavenly Bridegroom with burning lights.

But the foolish virgins, having no oil, were not ready at the com-

ing of the Bridegroom, their lamps having no light.

Therefore let us prepare the spiritual oil, that we may be able to enter the nuptial abode of the immortal Bridegroom with lighted lamps.















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Nº 2. Huis Im.

Π.

My hope art Thou, LORD, Expiator of my transgression; despise not the flowing of my tears; have mercy on me, O God.

To Thee have I come for refuge like the prodigal son, Father, I have sinned against heaven and before thee; have mercy on me, O GOD.

Save me, O God, from the multitude of my sins, and render me worthy of Thy holy Kingdom, have mercy on me, O God.



II. Ar kiez a-pa-vi-nie-tsa wor-pess

mia ins Ast-ä - vats.



zana-rak vor-thin Hair mie-gha hierkins iev a-ra - chi .



vats i pa - zum mieghats i muots a - ra ar - ja - ni



kuoin surp ar-kai-u-thianth wo-ghor-mia ins As-tä - vats.

Nº 3. MIEGHK IM.

III.

My sins are numerous, and heavier than the sands of the sea, for against Thee only have I sinned, have mercy on me, O God.

Open, LORD, the door of mercy, for with tears I beseech Thee, for

against Thee only have I sinned, have mercy on me, O GoD.

Pour on me Thy compassion, O Thou of many mercies and Lover of man, for against Thee only have I sinned, have mercy on me, O God.









-ghor-mu-thian wor woghpa-luov kartham ar kiez khanzi







zum wo-ghorm iev mar-tha - ser khan-zi kiez mi-ai-



եւ յաւարտիլն սկսանիցի Ջանանայն արտաքուստ։

նաց մեզ Տէր, բաց մեզ Տէր, բաց մեզ Տէր, զդուռն ողորմութեան, որ ողոալով կարդամբ առջեզ։ (Տես ի թիւն 19.)

And after the hymns, the Priest will begin to say from outside.

Open to us, LORD, open to us, LORD, open to us, LORD, the door of mercy, with tears in our eyes do we beseech Thee. (See Pag. 79.)

From inside he will say.

Behold, we see our LORD CHRIST resting on the holy altar, and He calls to Himself those who have done His Will, saying, Where I am, there shall My servants be. (See Page 97.)

And the Priest will say from outside.

We are the price of the Blood of the SON of GOD; with gladness shall we bless our Saviour Christ, and let us all say together, Glory be to Thy awful coming, O LORD. (See Page 99.)

ULL SEVULEUR

AHA THIESANIEMK.









KIN IEMK.





Եւ ասեն միաբան Շարական ԲՁ։

And they shall sing together the hymn of the Third Mode.

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THAKAVOR P'HARATS.

O King of glory, we shall be ready, waiting with vigilance to go and meet Thee when Thou comest to judge the earth.

And with shining lights of faith in the ranks of the wise virgins

to enter the nuptial chamber of the heavenly Bridegroom.

Let us hasten to meet Him ere we hear the divine Voice, that we may not remain outside like the five foolish virgins with extinguished lamps.













III. Puthas-tsuk kankhial ha - rach kan uz-tsain Ast - va-tsa-





Ձկնի Քահանայն արտաքուստ ասէ.

Բաց մեզ Տէր. բաց մեզ Տէր. բաց մեզ Տէր զդուռն ողորմու Թեան, որ ողոալով կարդամբ առ բեց։ (Տես էջ 79.)

And after, the Priest outside shall say.

Open unto us, LORD, open unto us, LORD, open unto us, LORD, the door of mercy, with tears in our eyes do we beseech Thee. (See Page 23.)

And from inside he shall say.

Resounds the awe-inspiring Voice of the terrible God, saying, Behold, the Bridegroom cometh. Arise, and go to meet Him. (P. 10.9.)

And the Priest outside, with awe and trembling shall say.

Lo, behold me here with my children, thuse whom God hath given me; we earnestly long to behold CHRIST, and to hear His Words of bliss.

And from inside he shall say.

The Voice of God the Creator calls, saying, Come, ye blessed of My FATHER, inherit the kingdom, which has been prepared for you from the beginning of the world. (Page 105.)

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PUGHN AHAVORIN.



ԱՀԱ ԵՄ

AHA IES.







TSAIN ARARCHIN.



ie-kaik orh-nialk Hor

-sie -

luo



thiun'n i skus pa-nä.



Եւ ապա Քանանայն արտաքուստ ասէ։

Բացէք ինձ զդրունս արդարութեան, զի մտից ընդ այն և խոստովան եղէց Տեառն։

եւ բացցեն զդուոն. և ժողովուրդ քն ամենեքեան մացեն յեկեղեցին նոգեւոր ուրախութեամբ։ Եւ սկսանիցին Շարական ԴԿ։

And then the Priest shall say from outside.

Open unto me the door of righteousness, that I may enter with faith, and confess Thee, O LORD.

And then they shall open the door, and all the congregation shall enter with spiritual joy, and they shall begin to sing the hymn of the 8th mode.

ZOGHORMUTHIAN KUO.

Open to us Thy gate of mercy, LORD, and make us worthy of Thy luminous dwellings, with Thy saints.

In the dwellings prepared for Thy saints, receive us also, O Sav-

iour, as Thy children, in the life everlasting.

When Thou sittest on Thy throne, O awful Judge, have mercy on us Thy creatures, through the intercessions and prayers of Thy holy anchorites.

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MODE 8.



I. Zoghor-muthian kuo zthu-run pats . miez Ter. iev ar-ja-



-ni a - ra ŭz - miez lusie-ghan har - kats kuotsunth sarpus kuo



II. I patrasthial kuo hothie - va - nus sur-puotskuots un-kal



iev uz-miez Phurkich hur-thäkru-thiun i thupru-thian kie-nats.



III. I nus-thil kuo ha-thie - ni tha-tha-vor a-hiegh khna-



-hia ha-ra - ratsus kuo pa-rie-kho-su-thiampiev a-gho-



Ձկնի Օրթի։

Սրբոյ Աւհաարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի՝ որ ըստ Ցովհաննու.
ԳԼ՝ 12. հմր 44.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to John. Chapter XII. Verse 44. Սարկ։ Ծնղրեսցուք հաւատով միաբանութեամբ ՚ի տետոնէ ղի ղողորմութեան զչնորհս իւր արասցէ ի վերայ մեր։ Տէրն ամենակալ կեցուսցէ և ողորմեսցի։

Deacon. Let us beseech the LORD with faith and unity that He may extend to us the grace of His mercy. May the LORD ALMIGHTY save and have mercy upon us.

Chor. Save us, O LORD.

LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy.







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PRAYER.

Թագաւոր խաղաղութեան օղնական և փրկիչ անձանց մերոց Քրիստոս Աստուած մեր. պարսպեալ պահեա զժողովուրդս ջո ընդ հովանեաւ սուրբ և պատուական խաչի ջոյ ՛ի խաղաղութեան։ Փրրկեա յերեւելի և յաներեւոյթ թշնամոյն արժանաւորեա դոհութեամբ փառաւորել զջեզ ընդ Հօր և ընդ Սրբոյ Հոգույդ, այժմ և միչա և յաւիտեանս յաւիտենից, ամէն։

King of Peace, Sustainer and Deliverer of our being, O CHRIST our GOD, keep Thy people sheltered under the shadow of Thy holy and precious Cross in peace. Deliver them from their enemies visible and invisible, and render us worthy to thankfully glorify Thee, with the FATHER and with the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

Քան։ Օրհնեալ Տէր մեր Ցիսուս Քրիտոս, ամէն։ Հայր մեր որ յերկինս ես։

Priest. Blessed be our LORD JESUS CHRIST. Amen. Our FATHER which art in heaven.

Սարկ։ Օրհնեալ է Աստուած յամենայն ժամ, յամենայն ժամ օրհնութիւն նորա ի բերան իմ։

Քան։ Օրհնեալը եղերուը ՚ի չնորհաց սուրը Հոգւոյն. երԹայը խաղաղութեամբ և Տէր եղիցի ընդձեղ և ընդ ամենեսե անդ։ Ամէն։

Deacon. Blessed be GoD at every hour; at every hour shall His praises be in my mouth.

Priest. Blessed be ye by the grace of the HOLY SPIRIT. Go in peace, and may GOD be with ye and with all. Amen.

ԱՒԱԳ ՀԻՆԳՇԱԲԱԹ

HOLY THURSDAY.

Իսկ ի յերրորդում ժամու՝ ժողովեսցին ի դուռն Եկեղեցւոյն վասն արժակելոյ զապաշխարողոն. Թէ իցէ և Քէ ոչ զկարգն կատարել պարտ է։

[THE THIRD HOUR.]

At the third hour they shall gather at the door of the Church for the purpose of granting absolution to the penitents. But whether there be any penitents or not, this service shall be performed.

Rus: Օրենհալ Հոգիդ Սուրբ Աստուած Ջլմարիա. ամեն։ Priest. Blessed be the Holy Spirit, True God. Amen.

Սաղմոս Ծ։

Psalm 50. (English Version 51.)

Ողորժեա ինձ Աստուած. ըստ մեծի ողորմութեան բում։ Have mercy upon me, O God.

երգ երրորդի ժամու աւուրն զկնի ողորմեային։ Hymn of the Third Hour of the day, after the Voghormia (Miserere).

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ORHNIEMK UZKIEZ.

We bless Thee, FATHER Unoriginate, Creator of beings from nothing, Who didst create man out of dust in Thine Own Image. The head (Adam) was bowed down to the feet through forget fullness of Thy commands. Again do we say to Thee with the prodigal son, FATHER, I have sinned against Thee.

Thou, incomprehensible to the celestials, madest Thyself visible to man: Thou the Likeness of the Unchangeable FATHER didst invest Thyself with the likeness of the earth born. At the third hour Thou didst go to the Cross for the sake of Adam, the first created; together with the thief that was crucified with Thee, render us worthy of Paradise.

King of King, Spirit overflowing with grace, Thou Who didst appear in the shape of fiery tongues to those who were assembled in the holy upper chamber of the twelve apostles, and didst rest on their souls, hear us assembled here together, and descend upon us at this third hour.



- 1. Օրհնեմը ըգ-քեզ Հայր անուկիզբն է ից է ակ ՛ի յան գո-յից բար-
- 2. Երկնա-արացնան-քն-նե-լի ե-ղերմարդկանտեսանե-լի զդե-
- 3. Թագաւոր Թա-գաւո-րաց ա-ռատարուղի Հո-գիչնորհաց,ժո-



3. -ղո-վելոցն 'ի վերճատանն ա- ռաջելոցն եր-կո-տա - սան.'ի



1. լուվան ո-տից խոնարդեցաւ զի զպատուիրան քո մո-ռացաւ դար

2. լեր լերրորդժամ 'ի խաչին վասն Ա-դա-մայ նախաստեղծին ընդա-

8. հրոյ լեզուս ե - րև-ե-ցար յո - գիսնո-ցա վե-րա-նստար.լուր



1. ձեալ ա-սեմը՝ ստա-նա-ռակին թէ Հայր մեզայ բեզ ի յերկի-նս։

2. ւա-գակին բում խաչակցին ար - ժանա-ցո գմեղ դրախտի - ն։



3. յանուն ջո ժո-ղովելոցս էծ և առմեզ լերրորդ ժամու - ս։

ሆԱጊԹԱՆՔ.

SUPPLICATION.

Քան. Ցամենայն ժամու աղաչանք իմ այս են, ի մեղաց իմոց սուրբ արա զիս Տէր. և յօտարէն պանեա զծառայս քո մարդասէր Տէր։

Priest. These are my prayers at every hour. From my sins cleanse me, O LORD, and defend Thy servants from the strange one, O LORD, Thou Lover of man.

PUPAS.

Սարկ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան ղՏէր աղաչեսցուք, ընկալ կեցո և ողորմեա.

Deacon. Let us again pray to the LORD for peace. Receive, save and have mercy.

eus. Ophunephia h dung. Priest. Blessing and glory.

be mum muhi Umqu'nu f Pfre, anepquyu 2:
Uneuffi anepquy: Umqu'nug h'h: hb: h2:
And after, they shall repeat the following Psalms 24.25.26.
(English Version 25.26 and 27.)

Փառջ Հօր։ Այժմ և միչտ։ Gle Եւ ևս խաղաղութետն։ Օրհնութերւն և փառջ։ Bl

Glory. Now and ever. Let us again. Blessing and glory.

Սաղմոսը հե. հՂ։ հթ. Երկրորդ գուրդայ։ Second Group. - Psalms 27. 28. 29. (28. 29.30.)

Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան։ Օրգնութիւն և փառը։

фшид 20p L Присиј: Glory be to the FATHER. Let us again. Blessing and glory.

> вррпра фаграшу: Սաղմոսը Լ։ ԼԱ։ Third Group. Psalms 30 and 31. (31 and 32.)

Dung Lon: Glory to the FATEER. be ku: Let us again. Ophune Pheb h hung. Blessing and glory.

> Яприпра фиграці: Ошабица 12: Fourth Group. Psalm 36. (37.)

Dung Lop: Glory to the FATHER. B. Lu: Let us again. Օրհնութիւն և փառը։ Blessing and glory.

> Umganup Lt: LC: LP: Հինգերրորդ գուրդայ։ Fifth Group. Psalms 37. 38. 39. (38. 39. 40.) Dung Lop: L will: Glory to the FATHER (as before).

> Lingbennen gnepami: Ulunifnup b. bu. bR: Sixth Group. Psalms 40. 41. 42. (41. 42. 43.) фипр 20p: h шjli: Glory to the FATHER (as before).

Unoffe Budamant Tungunthe: 91' P. tifn 3:

ի նեղութեան իմում ես առ Տէր կարդացի, և լուաւ Աստուած լանդնդոց դժոխոց աղաղակի իմում։

Լուր Տէր ձայնի իմում գի ընկեցեր գիս ի խորս ծովու, և

շրջանք գետոց պաչարեցին գիս։

Ամենայն գրօսանը ջո և ալիջ ջո անցին ի վերայ իմ, և

ասացի Թէ մերժեցայ ուրեմն յերեսաց աչաց ջոց։

Upy hut fit juckify suiff h musup unche pa, ah shղան գինև ջուրք մինչև յանձն իմ, և անդունդք անհնարինք պայարեցին գիս։

Եւ մուտ գլուխ իմ ընդ փապարս լհրանց, ի9ի ես ՛ի խորս երկրի, և տեսի գնիգս հորա, գի էին որպէս ախը յաւիտենից.

և ելցեն յապականութենէ կեանք իմ։

Առ ջեզ Տէր Աստուած իմ՝ ի Նուազիլ անձին իմոյ կարդացի, և զջեզ Տէր յիչեցի, և մացեն աղօթեջ իմ*՝*ի տաճար սուրբ ջո.

Զի ոյք պահեին զունայնութիւն և զոտութիւն, յողորմու-

թենէ իւրհանց մերժեցան։

Այլ ես ի ձայն օրհնութեան խոստովան եղէց ջեզ. մատուցից պատարագս Տեառն, կատարեցից զուխտ իմ ՛ի փրկութեան։

Dung Lop & Appens: Ustil & ifim:

THE PRAYER OF JONAH THE PROPHET. Cap. II. verse 3.

In my distress I called upon the LORD, and He heard my voice from the chaos of hell.

Hear my voice, O LORD, for Thou didst cast me into the depth of the seas and the whirlpools of the rivers surrounded me.

All Thy waves and Thy billows passed over me, and I said, I am cast out from before Thine eyes.

Now shall I again look towards Thy holy temple? the waters encompassed me, even to my soul, and the great deeps were round about me.

My head entered into the clefts of the rocks, I descended into the depths of the earth, and saw the bars thereof, which were like unto everlasting bolts, and yet shall my life survive this corruption.

When my soul fainted within me, I cried unto Thee, and remembered Thee, O LORD my GOD, and my prayers shall enter in unto Thy holy temple.

They that regarded vanity and lying, by their own mercy were they forsaken.

But with the voice of blessing shall I confess Thee, I shall offer oblations unto the LORD, and shall fulfil the vow of my salvation.

Glory to the FATHER. Now and ever.

be 'h ծունկս անկեա՝լ սկսանին ողբաձայն Շարական ԴԿ. US.

Զարհուրեալ դողացաւ. Երիցս կրկնեա։ (Ձես էջ 117.) Սարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղուԹեան պՏէր աղաչեսցուք, ընկալ կեցո և ողորմիա.

Ruf: Ophune Phili k hung Lop k Oppens: Dotal k dhom:

Эшровиц шловер выбошвых Ушрашревь:

'h begne bent haned:

Tupbbul Cupului 74. US.

Rubigh hudur: bphgu hphabu: (Shu to 112.)

Սարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան. Քան։ Օրհնութիւն և փառը։

Դարձեալ աղօթը Ցովնանու Մարգարեին։

h bbquepbub baned:

Շարական 74. US.

Արդ անկեալ։ Երիցս կրկնեա. (8ես էջ 117.)

And on their knees they shall begin in a mournful voice the Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse I. (See Page 117.)

My most sinful body, full of every kind of sin, shudders in terror at Thine awful judgment, and at the unpardonable torture. (Sung thrice.)

Deacon. And again let us beseech the LORD for peace. Receive, save, and have mercy.

Priest. Blessing and glory (as before).

And again the prayer of Jonah the Prophet.

In my distress I called upon the LORD.

Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse II.

For voluntarily I fell into greater and greater sin, and now there awaits me the unpardonable torture. (Sung thrice.)

Deacon. And again let us. Priest. Blessing and glory.

And again the prayer.

In my distress I called upon the LORD.

Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse III.

Now, prostrate before Thee, I beseech, Saviour, and Benefactor, spare me who have sinned, and have mercy on me, a manifold sinner. (Sung thrice.)











եւ ապա ասեն, Աղօթը Մանասեի թագաւորին.

Տէր ամենակալ. Աստուած Աբրահամու, իսահակայ, Ցակովբայ և զաւակի նոցա արդարոց. ամենակալ Տէր Թող զմեղս իմ։

Որ արարեր զերկինս և զերկիր. և զաժենայն գարդ նոցա. աժենա։ Որ կապեցեր գծով բանիւ հրամանի քոյ. փակեցեր զխորտ կնքեցեր ահաւոր և փառաւորեալ անուամբ քով սրբով. ամենա։

Որ ամենայն ինչ սարսի և դողայ յերեսաց ահի զօրու-Թեան թո. ամենա։

Անրաւ է մեծ վայելչութիւն փառաց սրբութեան քո. սաստիկ է բարկութիւն սպառնալեաց քոց ի վերայ մեղաւորաց. անչափ և անքննին են ողորմութիւնք աւետեաց քոց. ամենա։

Դու, Տէր, բարձեալ, գնած, երկայնամիտ, բազումողորմ.

և զղջանաս ի վերայ, չարեաց մարդկան. ամենա։

Գու, Աստուած, ոչ եղեր ապաչխարութիւն վասն արդարոցն Աբրահամու, իսահակայ և Ցակոբայ. որջ ոչ մեզան ջեզ. ամենա։

Այլ եդեր ապաչխարութթիւն վասն իմ մեղաւորիս, զի մեղայ աւելի ջան պաւազ ծովու. և բազմացան անօրէհութթիւնջ իմ.ամենա։

Չեմ արժանի հայիլ և տեսանել զբարձրութիւնս երկնից, Դ բազմութենէ անօրէնութեան իմոլ. ամենա։

կորացետլ եմ ես ի բռնութենէ կապանաց երկաթից. և

ոչ գոյ ինձ հանգիստ. աժենտ.

Բարկացուցի զորտմտութիւն. և չար առաջի թո արարի. կանգնեցի պատկեր և բազմացուցի զցասումն. ամենա։

Եւ արդ Տէր խոնարհեցուցանեմ ըզծունը սրտի իմոյ. և

հայցեմ ի քաղցրութենկ քումմկ. ամենա։

Մեղայ. Տէր, մեղայ. և գանօրէնութերւնս իմ ես ինձէն զիտեմ. ամենա։

Աղաչեմ և խնդրեմ 'ի քեն Թող ինձ, Տեր, Թող ինձ. և մի

կորուսաներ դիս ըստ անօրէնութեան իմոլ. ամենա.

Մի՝ յաւիտեան բարկանար ինձ. Տէր. և մի յիչեր զչարիսն իմ. և մի պարտաւորեր զիս ընդ իջեալոն ի ներջոյ երկրի չարեշջ. ամենա.

Չի դու, Աստուած. Աստուած ապալխարողաց ես. և յիս

ցոյց զբարերարութիւնդ ջո՝ որ անարժան եմ. ամենա.

Կեցուսցես զիս ըստ բազում ողորմութեան ջում. և ես օրՀնեցից զջեղ գամենայն աւուրս կենաց իմոց. ամենա.

Ձջեղ, Տէր, օրենեն ամենայն ղուարԹունք երկնից.և քո

են փառը յաւիտեանս. ամէն.

Quine Lop le Appenj. Widd le dhim:

And after, they shall say.

THE PRAYER OF MANASSEH, THE KING.

LORD ALMIGHTY the GOD of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, and his righteous children; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Thou Who didst make the heavens and the earth, and all the adornments thereof; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Thou Who didst gird the sea by Thy comand, closedst up the deep, and didst seal them with Thy awful and glorious holy Name; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Thou, before Whose awful power all things shudder and

tremble; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Boundless and of great beauty is the glory of Thy holiness; severe is the threat of Thy anger upon sinners; inscrutable and illimitable are the glad tidings of Thy mercy; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Thou, O most exalted LORD, art compassionate, long-suffering, and plenteous in mercy, and pitiest mankind for their

evil doings; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Thou, O God, didst not set repentance for the children of Abraham, Isaak, and Jacob, that did not sin against Thee; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

But Thou didst set repentance for me, a sinner, for my sins are more in number than the sands of the sea, and manifold are mine iniquities; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

I am not worthy to look up and behold the height of heaven because of the multitude of mine iniquities; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

I am bent down by the force of my bondage of iron, and for

me there is no rest; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

I have aroused Thy wrath and acted wickedly before Thee, I have set up an image and added to the punishment of my own soul; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

And now, O LORD, with my whole heart do I humble myself to the ground, and beg of Thy kindness; LORD ALMIGH-TY, forgive me my sins.

I have sinned, O LORD, I have sinned, and mine iniquities are known unto me; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

I pray and beseech Thee, O LORD, forgive me, and destroy me not according to mine iniquities; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Be not angry with me for ever, O LORD, and remember not my evil deeds, and condemn me not with them that have descended below the earth with sin; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

For Thou, O God, art the God of the penitent, show Thy mercy to me who am not worthy of it; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

Save me according to Thy many mercies, and I will bless Thee all the days of my life; LORD ALMIGHTY, forgive me my sins.

All the ever-watchful ones above bless Thee, O LORD, for

Thine is the glory for ever. Amen.

Glory be to the FATHER. Now and ever.

Շարական ԴԿ: ՍՑ։ (Ցուն Ա)

Ամենակալ **ջ**աւետ ըզմեղս իմ. դի Աստուած ես ապաչխարողաց. (Երիցս կրկնեա.)

Lum ampatrus muta:

Տէր աժենակալ Աստուած.

Շարական 74: U8: (8nla A)

Եւ ղՀողիդ սուրբ մի Հանհր յինկն. դի Աստուած հա ապաշխարողաց։

(Երիցս կրկնեա.)

Եւ դարձեալ ասեն։

Stp withbulue Dannembe

Շարական ԴԿ։ US: (8ni6 4)

Եւ փըրկեա զիս յանագին նըրոյն. զի Աստուած ես ապաչխարողաց։

(Երիցս կրկնեա.)

Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse I. (Page 125.)
Almighty, blot out my transgressions, for Thou art the God of the penitent. (Sung thrice.)

And after they shall say again.

LORD ALMIGHTY, the GOD of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse II.

And take not away Thy Holy SPIRIT from me, for Thou art the GOD of the penitent. (Sung thrice.)

And again.

LORD ALMIGHTY, the GOD of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

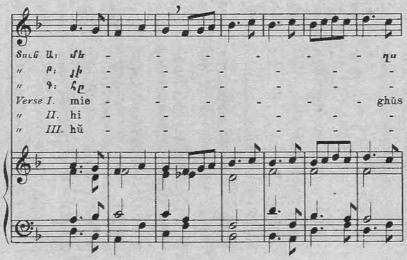
Hymn of the Eighth Mode, Verse III.

And save me from the terrible fire, for Thou art the GOD of the penitent. (Sung thrice.)

ԱՄԵՆԱԿԱԼ









Աղաչեմ և խնդրեմ ի քեն Տէր, Թող ինձ զմեղս իմ։ Բազումողորմ Տէր, ողորմեա ինձ.

Աստուած ջաշետ զիս զմեղաւորս ի մեղաց, և կեցո։

Արարիչ իմ և յոյս Աստուած, գթեա յիս ի մեղուցեալ ծառայս. և ողորմեա ինձ բաղմամեղիս։

Ամէնօրենեալ սրբուեի և միչա կոյս Աստուածածին Մարիամ. բարեխօսեա առ Տէր վասն իմ մեդաւորիս։

Ամենայն սուրբը Աստուծոյ բարեխօսեցէը առ Հայր ի յերկինս վասն մեր մեղաւորացս։

Քրիստոս, Որդի Աստուծոյ անոխակալ, ընկալ զաղաչանս մեր. զի՚ի քեզ են ապաւինեալ անձինք մեր.

Ցաղթեող գօրութեհամը. սուրը և կենդանարար և պատուական խաչիւ ջո, Տէր, պահպանհա գմեզ։

Առաջետ, 8էր, գՀրեչտակ խաղաղութեան ջո, որ եկհալ պահեսցէ զմեզ անխուովս ի տուէ և ի գիչերի։

Եւ մարդասիրութեամբ ջո յիչեա ըզմեզ, Տէր, յիչեա ըզմեզ, յորժամ գաս արջայութեամբ ջո, և ողորմեա մեզ։

I pray and beseech Thee, O LORD, forgive me my sins.

O most merciful LORD, have mercy upon me.

O LORD, absolve me, a sinner, from my sins, and save me.

O GOD, my Creator and Hope, pity Thy sinning servant, and have mercy upon me, a manifold sinner.

O above all blessed, holy, and ever virgin Birthgiver of God, Mary, intercede with the LORD for us sinners.

All ye saints of GoD, intercede with the FATHER in heaven for us sinners.

O Christ, the SON of a forgiving GOD, accept our prayers, for in Thee is our hope.

By the triumphant power of Thy holy, lifegiving and precious Cross, defend us, O LORD.

Send, O LORD, Thy angel of peace, who shall come and keep

us tranquil by day and by night.

And in Thy loving kindness, O LORD, remember us, O LORD, remember us when Thou comest in Thy kingdom, and have mercy upon us.

ՔԱՐՈ9

EXHORTATION.

Եկեալքս 'ի խոստովանութիւն ապաչխարութեան` հաւատով գյոյս միածնի Որդւոյն Աստուծոյ դիցուք 'ի սիրաս մեր, խնդրհլով 'ի նմանէ զջաւութիւն և զթողութիւն յանցանաց մերոց։
Վատն գի նա ինքն է նախախնամողն Աստուած յաւիտենական .
որ եկն կամաւ Հօր 'ի փրկել զարարածս. և ասաց զինքն լինել ջաւիչ մեղաւորաց, յոյս ապաչխարողաց, չնորհելով զհանդիստ աչխատելոց, ընդունելով զծանրաբեռնեալքս և զտաժանեալքս տեղութ յանձամիք բեկեալ սրտիւք անկցուք և լացցուջ առաջի Տետոն արարչին մերոյ. դի անցուսցէ 'ի մէնջ զցասումն պատուհասի յանցանաց մերոց բարերարութեամբն իւրով։ Ամենակալ Տէր Աստուած մեր կեցո և ողորմեա։

Those of us who are here present for confession and repentance, let us with faith place our hope in the Only Begotten Son of God, and request of Him absolution and remission of our sins; for He alone is the Provident and Ererlasting God, Who, according to the Will of the Father, came to save His creatures, and declared Himself to be the Forgiver of sius, and the Hope of the repentant, giving rest to the weary, receiving us, the heavy laden and troubled with sin, [who come to Him] in repentance with forgiveness. Now let us all, with humbled spirit and contrite heart, fall upon our faces and weep before the Lord our Creator, that He may in graciousness withdraw from us His anger, and the deserved punishment of our sins. Almighty Lord our God, save and have mercy upon us.

Տէր Աստուած փրկութեան մերոյ, որ ողորմածդ ես և ղթած երկայնամիտ բազումողորմ. և զղջանաս ի վերայ չարեաց մարդկան. որ ոչ կամիս զմահ մեղաւորին, այլ զդառնալ նորա ի չար ճանապարհէն և զկեալն. Դու, Տէր, առատ ողորմութեամրդ քով մխիթարեա զծառայս քո, և տուր սոցա տեղի ապաշխարութեան։ Հաչտեա մարդասիրութեամբ քով, և արա զսոսա անդամո Եկեղեցւոյ քում սրբոյ։ Որպես զի առողջացեալը հոդւով խոստովանութեամբ և ապաշխարութեամբ մտցեն լեկեղեցի քո սուրը։ Եւ ընդ ժողովրդեան քում, քեզ հանցեն դօրհնութեւն և զփառս Հօր և Որդւոյ և Հոգւոյն Սրբոյ. այժմ և միչտ և յաւիտեանս յաւիտենից. ամէն։

O Lord God of our salvation, Who art merciful and compassionate, long-suffering, full of pity, and Who desirest not the death of a sinner, but that he may turn from his wicked ways and live; do Thou, O Lord, in Thy great mercy, comfort Thy servants and grant them room for repentance. In Thy graciousness be reconciled unto them, making them worthy members of Thy holy Church. So that, with renewed spirit and true repentance, they may be enabled to enter Thy holy Church, and with Thy congregation to praise and glorify Thee, with the FATHER and with the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever to all eternity. Amen.

եւ ապա ասեն ողբաժայն Սաղմոս Ե. ի լման։ And then they shall say in the Elegiac Mode the whole of the 50th Psalm.(51st).

[Antiphon] Purge me with hyssop, and I shall be clean, wash me, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Thy great mercy, according to the multitude of Thy mercies, blot out my transgressions.

Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me.

Against Thee only have I sinned, and done this evil in Thy sight.

That Thou mightest be justified when Thou speakest, and triumph when Thou judgest.

In iniquity was I conceived, and in sin my mother bore me.

Thou, O LORD lovedst truth; with Thy wisdom Thou revealedst to me what is hidden and undiscovered.

Purge me with hyssop and I shall be clean, wash me and I shall be whiter than snow.

O LORD, make me to hear of joy and gladness, and my miserable 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 a right spirit within me.

Cast me not away from before Thy Face, and take not Thy holy Spirit from me.

Grant unto me the joy of Thy salvation, and establish me with Thy mighty Spirit.

Then will I teach transgressors Thy ways, and sinners shall return unto Thee.

Deliver me from guiltiness, O God, Thou God of my salvation, and my tongue shall rejoice in Thy righteousness.

O LORD, open Thou my mouth, and my tongue shall sing Thy praises. Hadst Thou desired it, we would offer Thee sacrifices, but Thou hast no pleasure in burnt offerings.

The sacrifices of GOD are a humble spirit, a pure heart and a humble spirit GOD does not despise.

O LORD, do good in Thy good pleasure unto Sion, and the walls of Jerusalem shall be raised up.

Then shalt Thou delight in offerings of righteousness; as sacrifices of vows, bullocks shall be offered upon Thine altar.

Glory be to the FATHER. Now and ever.



















Կողմն: Այժմ և միչա և յաւիտեանսյա-ւի-տե-նի ILE. Side. Aijm iev misht iev havi-thians ha-vi-thienits . men.

Ընթերգուածս յեսայեայ Մարգարէ է։ 91 60. Ruji 20.

Ընթերցուածո յեզեկիէլէ Մարգարէէ։ Lection from Exechiel the Prophet. 91, 86. Aufn 24.

Պօղոսի Առաքելոյն յերբրայեցւոց **₽ղ₽**ոյն է ըն₽երցուածս։ 91, 10. hun 19.

Lection from Isaiah the Prophet. LX. 20.

XXXVI. 24.

Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Hebrews. X. 19.

Dungfing bu. 'h juluf mum:

Ալելուիա, ալելուիա։ Որպես փափագի եղջերու յադրերս ջուրց, այնպես փափագի անձն իմ առ բեզ Աստուած։

And they shall repeat the whole of Psalm 41. (English version 42) Alleluia, alleluia.

As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after Thee, O GoD.

Ձկնի Ալելուիա Օրթի.

Սրբոյ Աշետարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Ղուկասու. ԳԼ 7. Հմը 36.

Alleluia. Orthi.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST, according to Luke. VII. 36.

Եւ Սարկաւագն քարոզեսցէ։

Լուիցէ Տէր ձայնի աղաչանաց մերոց. ամենակալ Տէր Աստուած մեր կեցո՝ և ողորմեա։

And the Deacon shall say aloud.

May the LORD hear the voice of our prayers. ALMIGHTY LORD our GOD, save and have mercy.

եւ ասա երեք անգամ Տէր ողորմեա. Եւ ապա կարդա զաղօթես զայս Սրբոյն Բարսեղի,

Տէր Աստուած Հայր ամենակալ արարիչ երկնի և երկրի։

And he shall say thrice, LORD have mercy, and then shall read the prayer of Saint Basil.

LORD GOD, FATHER ALMIGHTY, Maker of heaven and of earth.

Dungifnu det. Phe mum:

48. թացէր ինձ զդրունս արդարուԹեան, զի մտից ընդ այն և խոստովան եղէց Տեառն։

ΦԽ. խոստովան եղերուջ Տեսուն, զի բարի է։ և այլն. (8ես էջ 72.)

Psalm 117 (118) in antiphon.

Antiphon. Open unto me the door of righteousness that I may enter with faith, and confess Thee, O LORD.

Put your faith in the LORD for He is good. (See transl. Page 7.3.)

Եւ մտեալ յեկեղեցին սկսանիցին Շարական ԴԿ.

And they shall enter the church and begin the Hymn of the 8th Mode.

Չողորմունեան ջո զդուռըն բաց մեզ Տէր. (ծես էջ 107.) Open to us Thy gate of mercy, LORD. (See Page 107.)

b. 'h jurupuhlu, Umquan qu. And after, Psalm 99 (100).

ՔԱՐՈՉ

EXHORTATION.

Սուրբ եկեղեցեաւս աղաչեսցուք գՏէր զի սովաւ փրկեսցէ զմեզ ՚ի մեղաց. և կեցուսցէ չնորհիւ ողորմութեան իւրոյ։ Ամենակալ Տէր Աստուած մեր կեցո և ողորմեա։

With the holy Church let us supplicate the LORD, that through her He may deliver us from sins, and regenerate us by the grace of His mercy. ALMIGHTY LORD our GOD, save and have mercy.

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PRAYER.

ի մէջ տաճարիս, և առաջի Աստուածընկալ և պայծառացեալ սուրբ նչանացս, և սուրբ սեղանոյմ խոնարհեալ երկիւզիւ երկիրպագանեմը. զսուրբ և ըզհրաչալի և գյաղթօղ զգալուստղ քո փառաւորեմը. և քեզ մատուցանեմը գօրհնութիւն և գփառս ընդ Հօր և ընդ Սրբոյ Հոդւոյդ. այժմ և միչա։

In the midst of this temple, and in the presence of these God-accepted and glorified symbols, and of this holy place, we humbly adore with dread. We glorify Thy holy, wondrous, and conquering Advent, and unto Thee we offer blessing and glory, with the FATHER and with the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever unto all eternity. Amen.

Եւ ապա ընթեռնուցու ծպիսկոպոսն կամ աւագ հրէցն զաղօթես օրճնութեան ի վերայ ապաչխարողաց։

Աղօթե և Օրենութեւն Սրբոյն Յոեաննու Ոսկեբերանին.

And then the Bishop or the chief priest shall read the prayers of blessing of St. John Chrysostom over the penitents.

And after the Exhortation "Let us with faith" (see Page 109.) he shall say thirty times "LORD have merey".

ULOPR PRAYER.

Քում ամենազօր և հրաչալի դալստեանդ Քրիստոս Աստուած մեր, երկիրպադանեն զօրք հրեչտակաց, զի դու միայն ունիս զանմահութիւն բնակեալդ ի լոյս անմատույց։ Եւ մեք հողեղեն արարածքս խոնարհեալք երկիւղիւ երկիրպագանեմք. ղսուրբ, զհրաչալի և զյաղթող դալուստդ քո օրհնեմք և փառաւորեմք։ Եւ ընդ երկնային զօրսն մատուցանեմք զօրհնութիւն և զփառա, ընդ Հօր և ընդ Սրբոյ Հոգւոյդ. այժմ և միչտ և յաւիտեանո յաւիտենից. ամէն.

Thine all-mighty and wondrous Advent, O CHRIST our GOD, the hosts of angels adore, for Thou alone possessest immortality and dwellest in light unapproachable. And we earthly creatures with humble fear adore Thee, and Thy holy, miraculous and triumphant Advent do we praise and glorify, and with the heavenly hosts offer praise and glory unto the FATHER and unto the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

Եւ դիցեն զսուրը Խայն և զԱւետարանն առաջի բեմին և համբուրեսցեն, և տացեն զչորեցդրամեանն զոր կարգեաց Մովսէս Ղեւտացւոցն։ Եւ օրճնեսցէ քանանայն զապաշխարողոն և արձակեսցէ։

And they shall place the Holy Cross and the Gospel before the Altar, and shall hiss them; and they shall present the four pieces of moncy which Moses ordained for the Levites. And the priest shall bless the penitents and let them depart.

PRAYERS OF THE SIXTH HOUR.

[BEING THE SERVICE PRECEDING THE CELEBRATION OF THE HOLY EUCHARIST.]

Իսկ ՚ի վեցերորդ ժամուն ժողովեսցին յեկեղեցին, ծածկեսցեն զսեղանն, և ասասցեն զմնացեալ Ողորմեայսն։

But, at the Sixth Hour, they shall assemble in the Church, veil the Altar, and repeat the remainder of the "Vog hormia," (Penitential daily service offered to the HOLY SPIRIT).

եւ ապա սկսանիցին Խոնարնեցո և Ապրեցո։ (8ես էջս 26, 28, և 33.) And after, they shall begin Psalms 85 and 139 (86 and 140) (See Pages 26, 28, and 34.)

ՄԱՂԹԱՆՔ. ՕրՀնեալ Տէր որ ընակեալդ ես. (8ես էջ 43.) SUPPLICATION. Blessed art Thou, LORD, Who dwellest in the highest. (Page 43.)

Քարոզ և մաղթանք Հասեալքի։ (8ku էջ 44.)

Exhortation and Supplication. Let us all, who have reached this hour of the evening. (Page 44.)

Thukat.

Լուացից սրբութեհամբ զձեռս իմ. և չուրջ եղէց զսեղանով Քո Տէր։

Տէր սիրեցի զվայելչութիւն տան թո, և զտեղի յարկի փառաց թոց։

I will wash my hands in innocency, so will I compass Thine altar, O Lord.

LORD, I have loved the beauty of Thine house, and the place where Thy glory dwelleth.

Ընթերցուածս ի Ծննդոց։ 91' 22. hufp 1.

Lection from the Book of Genesis. XXII. 1

Ընթերցուածս ձեսալեայ Մարգարէէ։ Lection from Isaiah the Prophet. 91 61. fifn 1.

LXI. 1.

Caffbpgnumbu'h annong Unughing: Lection from the Acts of the Apostle. 91 1. Sup 15. I. 15.

> Եւ ապա սաղմոս ծդ, ըստ ոգոգի ձայնիւ. And then the 54th Psalm, (55th) in the Elegiac Mode.

[Antiphon.] Their words were softer than oil, and they themselves like points of swords.

Give ear to my prayer, O GoD, hide not Thy Face from my supplication.

Look down on me, and hear me; I was grieved and in trouble in my distress.

The voice of the enemy and the troubling of the ungodly made me go astray; with injustice and in anger they were hating me.

My heart was troubled within me, and the fear of death was upon me.

Awe and trembling came upon me, and darkness covered me.

I said, O, that one would give me wings like a dove, then would I flee afar off, and rest in the wilderness.

I was awaiting my GoD, who would save me from the foolishness of anger and from the storms of wrath.

Sink them, O LORD, and divide their tongues, for I saw violence and strife in the city.

Day and night they go about the walls thereof, iniquity also and mischief are in their midst, and usury and deceit were never less in their streets.

If the enemy had shamed me, I would have borne it, and if one that hated me had boasted over me, I would have hidden myself from him.

But it was thou, a man mine equal, my guide and my friend.

Thou madest the same [thing] as a sweet food for me and for thee; we walked in the house of GoD as friends.

Let death come upon them, let them go down alive into hell, for wickedness is in their dwelling in the midst of them.

I called upon GoD and He heard me, in the evening, in the morning and at noon.

I complained and said, that He shall hear my voice; He will redeem my soul in peace from my neighbours, because they came upon me with force.

GOD shall hear them and humble them, He Who is from before eternity.

Because no retribution was made on them, they did not fear GOD.

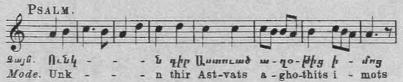
They divided from the anger of His Face and it penetrated their heart.

Their words were softer than oil, and they themselves like points of swords.

Cast thy burden upon the LORD, and He shall sustain thee; He shall never suffer the righteous to be moved.

But Thou, O God, shall bring them down into the pit of destruction; bloodthirsty and deceitful men shall not live out half their days, but I will trust in Thee.









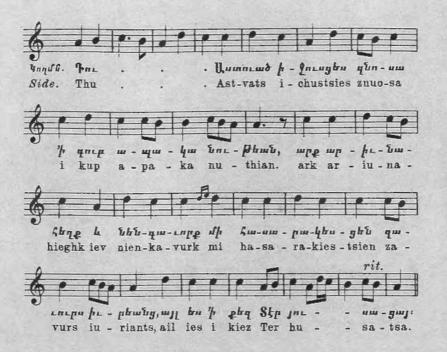












Ալելուիա. Օրթի.

Alleluia. Orthi.

Սրբոլ Աշետարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մարկոսի։ ԳԼ 14. Հմը 1.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to Mark. Chapter XIV. Verse I.

Եւ մինչ ընթեռնուն զսա. ելցէ Պատարագիչն ի սեղանն, և զգեստաւորեսցի, և քաղեսցէ գխորհուրդն մինյև ի Հաւատամբն։

And during this Lection, the Celebrant shall ascend to the altar and robe himself, and shall proceed with the celebration of the Mysteries as far as the Creed.

PUPAS.

Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան գՏէր աղաչեսցութ։

Աղաչիսցուք դամենակալն Աստուած զՀայր Տեառն մերոյ

հիսուսի Քրիստոսի դիագաւորն խաղաղութենան յաղագս խաղաղութեան, և վասն միայնոյ սուրբ Կաթուղիկէ և Առաջելական Եկեղեցւոյ. զի զբազում ամս խաղաղութեամբ տացէ
մեզ Տէր Աստուած մեր. և դթագաւորս խաղաղարարս առաջեսցէ առ մեզ վասն մեծի սուրբ և ահաւոր անուան իւրոյդպետս դաւառաց, զգօրավարս, դդօրադլուխս. դժողովուրդսդմուտս, և ղելս մեի խաղաղութեամբ պահեսցէ և զամենայն
պատերրազմունս թչնամւոյն խորտակեսցէ ի մէնջ։ Տէրն ամենակալ կեցուսցէ և ողորմեսցի։

Զերեկս մերձեալ, և դառաջիկայ դիչերս խաղաղութեամբ անցուցանել Հաւատով ՛ի Տեառնէ խնդրեսցութ. Դպ. Շնորհեա Տէր.

ԶՀրեչաակ խաղաղութեան պահապան անձանց մերոց *'*ի Տետունէ։

Զջաշութիւն և զթողութիւն յանցանաց մերոց՝ի Տետոնէ։ Զորբոյ խաչին մեծ և կարող զօրութիւնն յօգնութիւն ան-Հանց մերոց՝ի Տետոնէ խնդրեսցուջ։ Դպ. Տէր ողորմեա։

եւ ևս միարան վասն ճչմարիտ և սուրբ հաւատոյս մերոյ ղՏէր աղաչեսցութ։ Դպ. Շնորհետ Տէր։

Զանձինս մեր և զմիմեանս Տեառն Աստուծոյամենակալին յանձն արասցուջ. Դպ. Քեղ Տեառնդ յանձն եղիցուջ։

Ողորմեաց մեզ Տէր Աստուած մեր ըստ մեծի ողորմու-Թեան քում ասասցուք ամենեքեան միաբանուԹեամբ։ Դպ. Տէր ողորմեա. Տէր ողորմեա։

EXHORTATION.

And again let us beseech the LORD for peace.

Let us pray unto the Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the King of peace, for tranquillity and for the unity of the holy Catholic and Apostolic Church, that the Lord our God may be pleased to grant us many years of peace; and that He may send us, for the sake of His holy and awful Name, a peace-making ruler, and may also keep in peace the rulers of provinces, generals, and heads of armies, and also this congregation here present, and [may He keep in peace] our goings out and our comings in; and may all the assaults of the enemy be crushed out from amongst us. May the Lord Almighty save and have mercy upon us. That the approaching evening and the night before us may be passed with faith and in peace, let us beseech the Lord. Chor. Grant, O Lord.

For an angel of peace to guard our persons, let us beseech the LORD. Chor. as before.

For forgiveness and for the pardoning of our offences let us beseech the LORD.

For the great and potent strength of the holy Cross for the help of our persons, let us.

For our true and holy faith, let us also unanimously beseech the LORD. Chor. LORD, have mercy.

Let us commit ourselves and one another to the LORD Eternal. Chor. LORD, unto Thee let us be committed.

Have mercy upon us, O LORD our GOD, with Thy great mercy. Let us all say together with one accord. Chor. LORD, have mercy, LORD, have mercy.

Աղօթեր Լուր ձայնից։ Աուրբ Աստուած որ եկիր և դալոց ես։ Համրարձի։ (Տես է9ս 59. 61. 63.)

Prayer. Hearken unto our voices. Trisagion, HOLY GOD Who didst come. Evening Psalm. (See Pages 60.61.64.)

Lanor High-steric

AISOR KANKNIETSAV.

Morning Antiphon (preceding this Hymn when sung as Mangunk). O ye Children, bless ye the LORD, and bless ye the Name of the LORD.

Evening Antiphon. I lifted up mine eyes to the mountains, from whence shall come my help.

This day was raised the font of baptism for the remission of our sins.

This day our LORD washed the feet of the disciples, and thus spoke to them saying.

One amongst ye, brethren, will betray me unto death, and that one can be pointed out amongst ye, my disciples.

Then, hearing this, Peter looked inquiringly at John, to ask who this might be.

The words spoken by JESUS saddened the disciples, and they were all troubled.











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Հարոզ։ Վասն խաղաղութեան.

பேர்சு : 2 யுர முறியல்: (Shu te 71.)

Exhortation. For the peace of the whole world.

Prayer. Merciful and All Provident FATHER. (See Page 71.)

Ձկնի Սաղմոս իր։

կ8։ Պատրաստ արարեր առաջի իմ զսեղան ակն յանդիման նեղչաց իմոց։

ФԽ։ Տեր հովուեսցե զիս, և ինձ ինչ ոչ պակասեսցի

And after Psalm 22(23).

Thou hast prepared a table before me, against them that trouble me. The LORD is my shepherd, and I shall lack nothing.

Ելցեն դպիրքն զգեստաւորեալը և եկեսցեն առաջի սեղանոյն. և ըն-Թերցցին զգիրքն։

Then the Choristers shall come robed, and stand in front of the altar, and they shall read the Less'on.

Պօղոսի Առաջելոյն ի Կորնթացւոց Առաջին Թզթեոյն է Ընթերցուածո. ԳԼ 11. Հմբ 23.

The First Epistle of Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians XI. 23.

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Պատրաստ արարեր առաջի իմ զսեղան՝ ակն յանդիման նեղչաց իմոց։

Alleluia. Alleluia.

Thou shalt prepare a table before me, against them that trouble me.

Սրբոյ Աշետարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մատթէոսի։ Գլ 26. եմը 17.

Զայս Աւետարանս'ի սեղանն ընթեռնուցու սարկաւագն։ Ապա բացցեն գսեղանն, և ասասցեն զՀաւատամքն։

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST according to Matthew XXVI. 17.

This Holy Gospel the Deacon shall read from the altar.

Then the altar shall be unveiled, and the Creed will be said.

Դոկ յորժամ պատարագիչն հասանիցի յայն տեղին յորում ասէ Եւ տուր մեզ համարձակաձայն, ելցէ աւագ երէցն ի բեմն ունելով ի ձեռին զեաչն և զԱւետարանն և կարկառեսցէ, զեկուցանելով ժողովրդեան զբան սըրբոյն Բարսղի ի լուր ամենեցուն։ Նախ ահացուցիչ բանիւ, և ապա յորդորական մանապարհաւ ասելով։

Լուարուգ ինձ որդեակը իմ, և ես զերկիւղ Տեառըն ուսուցանեմ ձեզ աննախանձաբար։ և այլն.

And when the Celebrant comes to the part where he says "And give us power to open our mouths", the vicar shall ascend to the altar holding in his hand the Cross and the Gospel, and he shall with these emphasise his delivery of the following words of S. Basil, in the hearing of the congregation, first with awe-in-spiring language, and then in a persuasive manner, saying -

Hearken unto me, my sons, and I shall openly and freely instruct you, as though my own beloved children, in the fear of GoD.

(For the translation of this Homily see Appendix A.)

Եւ յաւարտիլն սկսանիցին Հայր մեր բարձր ձայնիւ։ Իսկ յորժամ Քրիստոս պատարագետլն վմարիցի, ասասցեն դպիրքն յորդորական ձայնիւ գտաղս գայս։

And then, they shall begin the Lord's Prayer in a loud voice. But after Christos patharakial has been sung, the Choristers shall sing with persuasive voices this melody.

CYU3A UULTHAR

IEKAIK MARTHIK'K.

Come ye all, approach the LORD in holiness; taste and see, the LORD of goodness is sweet.

This Bread is the Body of CHRIST, the Cup is the Blood of the new covenant, this secret mystery here revealed, in it doth God appear.

Those who are uncleansed in soul, stand afar with trembling, for this is a consuming fire which will burn the soul in an unworthy body.

(And other verses of the same kind.)





b. ապա ճաղորդեսցին արժանաւորքն, և արձակեսցին։ And those who are worthy shall receive Communion and shall be sent away.

EVENING SERVICE

CEREMONY OF THE WASHING OF FEET.

Իսկ յերեկոյին Ժ. ժամուն ժողովեսցին ի գաւիթ եկեղեցւոյն և կատարեսցեն զկարգ ոտնալուային զարարեալն սրըոյն Եփրեմի և զթարգմանեալն մեծին Գրիգորի վկայասիրի, Հայոց Հայրապետի։ Բայց յառաջագոյն պատրաստ ունելով զսպաս խորհրդական լուացման։

And in the evening, at the tenth hour, they shall congregate in the porch [or corridor] of the Church, and they shall perform the ceremony of Washing of Feet, which was performed by S. Ephraim, and the Canonor Order of which was translated by Gregory the Armenian Patriarch. But previously they should prepare the necessaries used in this symbolic washing of feet, and they shall place the Host on the place appointed for It, and they shall enter the tribune robed and vested, and they shall begin to chant the 50th Psalm (51st) in the Elegiac Mode.

48։ 8օդեա յիս մշակաւ և սուրբ եղէց, լուա և քան զձիւն սպիտակ եղէց։

ФЮ: Ողորմեա ինձ, Աստուած, ըստ մեծի ողորմութեան բում։ (Տես էջ 1.32.)

Antiphon. Purge me with hyssop and I shall be clean, wash me and I shall be whiter than snow.

Psalm. Have mercy on me, O God, according to Thy great mercy. (See Page 132.)

Ձկնի շարական ԱԿ։

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And then the Hymn of the Second Mode. (without Antiphon) This day was raised the font. (See Page 157.)

բո վասանակնը սանիասաժը ճանսմբոնք։

Եւ ևս դոմութիւն և երկրպադութիւն մատուսցուք Ցեառն մերոյ և փրկչին Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի, որ է ձառագայթ փա ռաց և ծաղումն էութեան անսկղբնական բնութեանն Հօր։ Որ նոյն ինջն այսօր, անբաժանելի դոլով յէական լուսոյն, խոնարհեցոյց զինջըն յաղջատ բնութիւնս մեր, առեալ զկերպարանս ծառայի, կատարեաց դանօրինական փրկադործութիւնըն. լուաց ղոտս աչակերտացն յօրինակ մեղ։ Աղաչեսցուջ և խնդրեսցուջ 'ի նմանէ. զի և այժմ խոնարհեսցի մարդասիրութեամբ իւրով` 'ի ժողովարանս մեր. և լուացմամբ երևելի ջրոյս այսմիկ. չնորհօք սրբեսցէ գաներևոյթ հոգիս մեր ՚ի մեղաց մերոց.ամենակալ Տէր Աստուած մեր կեցուսցէ և ողորմեսցի։

Եւ ապա ծ. 3էր ողորմեա, թիւ։ Եւ ի վճարիլն կարդասցէ Եպիսկոպոսն կամ քանանայն զաղօթես գայս.

Փառաւորեմը զջեզ Տէր մեր և փրկիչ Ցիսուս Քրիստոս Միածին Որդի և բան Հօր. և այլն.

And after this, the Deacon shall say.

Let us again offer our thanks and our devotion to our LORD JESUS CHRIST, Who is the Ray of glory, and Emanation from the Nature of the FATHER without beginning. He Himself, this day, without being separated from the Existent Light, did deign to come down into our lowly nature, and taking upon Himself the form of a menial, accomplished the ordained work of salvation and washed the feet of His disciples as an example to us. Let us pray and beseech of Him, that, at this hour also, He, of His love for mankind, should deign to come down into this our place of assembly, and by means of this ablution with this visible water, He may, through His grace, cleanse our invisible souls from our sins. ALMIGHTY LORD, our GOD, have mercy upon us.

And then he shall say, fifty times, LORD have mercy. And after the Bishop or a Priest shall read the following prayer.

We glorify Thee, our LORD and SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST, Only Begotten SON and Word of GOD.

(For the translation of this prayer see Appendix B.)

Եւ ապա առեալ Հուր արկցէ ի կոնքն խաչանման ասելով ձայնիւ սաղմոս իր։

կ8։ Չայն Ցեառն ի վերայ Չուրց. և Աստուած փառաց որոտաց. և Տէր ինջն ի վերայ Չուրց բազմաց։

ФЮ։ Մատուցեք Տետուն որդիք Աստուծոյ, մտտուցեք Տետուն պորդիս խոյոց։

And then he shall pour the water cross-wise into the basin, saying meanwhile Psalm 28 (29).

The Voice of the LORD over the waters, and the GOD of glory thundered, and the LORD Himself over many waters.

Offer to the LORD, O ye sons of GOD, offer to the LORD young rams.

CCPhpgnembu jbihg: 91 30. hun 17.

ССЕвидициви уврания **ԹագաւորուԹհանց։** 91. 7. fun 38.

Ընթերցուածս լերկրորդ Մնացորդաց: 91 4. fifn 2.

Ընթերգուածս լեսայեայ Մարգարէէ։ 91 44. hun 2.

Annah Unuphinili'h Annifruging 41 10. filn 1.

Առւաջին Թղթոյն է Ընթերցուածս։ 91 4. fun 7.

Lection from the Book of Exodus. XXX. 17.

Lection from the Book of Third Kings (1st Kings). VII. 38.

Lection from the Book of Second Chronicles. TV. 2.

Lection from the Book of Isaiah the Prophet. XLIV. 2.

Lection from the First Epistle Unul ին Թղ Թոյն է Ընթերցուածս։ of Paul the Apostle to the Corinthians

Bohmadine Unaphinia'h Կախուղիկեաց Lection from the First General Epistle of John the Apostle. IV. 7.

թրատ Երանելողն 80 հաննու Վարդապետին որ մակ-անուն Պլուգ ասի, արարեալ բան վասն Սիրոյ։

Աստուած սէր է։ և այլն։

Exhortation of the blessed Varthapiet Johannes, known by the name of Plouze, the writer of this discourse on Love.

GoD is Love, says the son of thunder, John the beloved disciple of CHRIST, and he who has that love dwelleth in GoD, and GOD in him.

(See Appendix C.)

Uitinchi mitinchi:

Պատրաստ արարեր առաջի իմ գսեղան ակն յանդիման նեղչաց իմոց։ Օծեր իւղով զգլուխ իմ, բաժակ քո որպէս անապակ արբեցոյց դիս։

Alleluia. Alleluia.

Thou hast prepared a table before me against those that trouble me. Thou hast anointed my head with oil; with Thy Cup, as with pure wine, hast Thou inebriated me.

Սրբոլ Աւհաարանիս Յիսուսի Քրիսաոսի որ ըստ Ցօհաննու. 91 43. Auf 1.

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Ձկնի Քարոզ եղանակաւ And then this Exhortation shall be sung.

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ASTVATS MIETS.

O great God, and wonder working Power, uncreate Essence, Who in mercy wast pleased to create all things out of nothing, we beseech Thee,

Hear, LORD, and have mercy.

O Thou, Who hast stretched the skies as a tent over the waters making the firmament a dwelling for Thy uncircumscribable Godhead, and Who didst create all the wonders thereof to the praise of Thy Holy Name, we beseech Thee,

Hear, LORD, and have mercy.

Thou didst make the scraphim and the cherubim, and the incorporeal beings of spiritual fiery nature, to hymn Thee with trisagion chants, and with them wast Thou pleased to accept from the earthborn glorification and praise of Thy omnipotent Sovereiguty, we beseech Thee,

Hear, LORD, and have mercy.

Ineffable Dawn and Bay of the Unfathomable and Incomprehensible FATHER, Who didst become Very Man, and Who didst, O Lover of man, come down for our salvation, we beseech Thee,

Hear, LOBD, and have mercy.

Thou, the fulfilment of the laws and the prophets, Who didst come of Thine Own free Will to the mystic upper chamber, and with ineffable humility, didst wash the feet of the apostles, we beseech Thee,

Hear, LORD, and have mercy.

Accept, O LORD this present oblation, which Thou didst manifest to us as an example of humility; through the intercession of Thy holy Mother, Mary, the ever Virgin Birthgiver of God, we beseech Thee.

Hear, LORD, and have mercy.

By the prayers of John the Baptist, Thy forerunner and herald of happy memory and ascetic life, by the shedding of the blood of the holy Stephen, the first witness and martyr, by the supplications of Thy elect apostles together with the martyrs crowned by Thee, we beseech Thee,

Remember, LORD, and have mercy.

Moreover for the growth amongst us of overflowing love and good works let us beseech,

Grant to us, O LORD GOD.

Let us comr it ourselves and one another unto the LORD Eternal. LORD, unto Thee let us be committed.

Have mercy upon us, O LORD GOD, according to Thy great mercy. Let us all say together with one accord,

LORD have mercy, LORD have mercy, LORD have mercy.



























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AIS KHUERHURT.

This mystery was fulfilled, there it was predicted, here it is finished.

GOD became man, submitted to law, and a priest became.

This day he ascended, sat in the upper chamber, partook of the lamb.

The old law vanished, the letter fulfilled, the new one began.

The LORD Who became man, for us was betrayed, for us he was sold.

A new mystery was revealed, He fell on his knees, He put on an apron.

And He washed in turn, their feet in a basin, to us an example. Those of low estate, them did He raise, and received them above.

The one who became proud, that same did fall down, nor rose up again.

O LORD, with Thy grace, wash us from our sins, from Thy Cup give us drink.

From our sins O loose us, Forgiver of sins, of Thee we beseech.





- 7. Եւ լուաց կարդաւ. գոտս նոցա կոնքաւ. մեզ օրինակաւ.
- 8. Վայր աստիճանաւ. դմարդիկ վերրարձաւ, յերկինս ընկալաւ։
- 9. Որ հպարտացաւ. նոյն կործանեցաւ.այլ ոչ կանդնեցաւ։
- 10. Տէր ջոյին չնորհաւ. լուա դմեզ բացկաւ. արբո բաժակաւ։
- 11. Անա ազատեա զմեզ ի մեղաց. ջաւիչ յանցանաց.



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SIRT'H IM.

My heart trembles, fear clutches me, on account of Judas. He, the LORD of all, before him He falls, down on His knees. He is not ashamed, nor is he afraid, that lover of silver.

A new altar is raised, with unleavened bread, and unmixed wine. On that evening the Saviour, sat down with the blessed, in that assembly.

The Bread as His Body, He blesses and eats, and to all doth He give.

That bread which was blest, like unto good works, which many can do.

The wine as His Blood, the new covenant's sign, to all doth He give.

Wine like unto virgin, or like unto martyr, who struggles till death.

My LORD, make us worthy, worthy of this bread, of Thy holy table. From our sins O loose us, Forgiver of sins, of Thee we beseech.





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VURK VOR PAPAKIN.

Those who desire to eat that Body in order to be cleansed,

They must humble themselves before their enemies according to the laws of the Saviour.

To forgive willingly from their hearts sins of others committed unto seventy times seven.

But those who rebel against the divine law,

If they confess after baptism, half of their sins will be forgiven.

But if they communicate, one fifth of their sins will be forgiven.

Again, those who think evil, but do not commit it, will be punished half and half.

(Other verses of the same kind.)





Եւ ՚ի վճարիլն, սկսանիցին զաղօթես զայս ՚ի վերայ Դեղոյն և Հրոյն ընթեռնուլ։

And after these are concluded they shall commence to read this prayer over the oil and the water.

Տէր մեր Ցիսուս Քրիստոս՝ Աստուած սքանչելագործ հզօր և փառաւորեալ։ (և այլն.)

O, our LORD JESUS CHRIST, Wonder-working GOD, of might and glory. (For the translation see Appendix D.)

Եւ ապա գևորթես ի վերայ Իւղոյն մեկուսի:

Քրիստոս Աստուած մեր, որ վասն բագում ողորմութեան քո ընկալար գօծումն իւղոյ ի պոռնիկ կընոջէն, և գյիչատակ նորա առանդեցեր ընդ ամենայն տիեղերս, ի ձեռն սուրբ աւետարանի քո քարոզութեան։ Ուստի և գնոյն իւղ օրկնութեան, ի տուչութենէ Հոգւոյն Սրբոյ ընկալեալ առաջելոցն որբոց, աւանդեղին ամենայն Հաւատացելոց, որպէս գի ջաՀանայական խորհրդածութեամբ պալտիցի ի մէջ եկեղեցւոյ սրբոլ։ Արդ՝ մեջ ըստ օրինակի իւղոյն այնորիկ, օրենեմջ զիւղս գայս ի յօծումն ոտից քոյոց հաւատացելոց և խնդրեմը ի մարդասիրութենկ բումմէ, առաջեա ի մեզ գնոյն Հոդի չնորհաց ջոց որ եկեալ ընակեսցի ի մեզ և բժչկեսցէ զվէրս Հոգլոս մերոց։ Որպէս դի միչա և յամենայն ժամ գոհանալով գամինառատ գնունենկ քումմկ, կատարեսցուք գլիչատակ Աստուածային խոնարհունեան քոյ. և փառաւորեսցուք զգօրութիւն սքանչելի անօրէնութեանց քոց, ըստ որում փառաւորեալ ես յաժենայն արարածող Տէր մեր և Փրկի, Ցիսուս Rehumnu' pun Lop le pun Uncep Lugenju. midd le dhom:

And then this prayer over the oil only.

O CHRIST our God, through the plenteousness of Thy mercy didst Thou suffer the adulterous woman to anoint Thee with oil, and didst hand down a memorial of this to the whole world through the preaching of Thy holy gospel. Again the oil of blessing was also received by the holy apostles, as a gift of the HOLY SPIRIT, and handed down to all believers, in order that, through priestly initiation, it might be used in Thy holy church. And now, like that same blessed oil, do we bless this oil to anoint the feet of Thy believers, and we beseech Thee, of Thy love for man, send down on us the same SPIRIT of Thy grace, that it may come and dwell in us and heal the wounds of our souls. So that while ever and at all times giving thanks for Thine abundant mercy, we may fulfil this, the memorial of Thy divine humility, and glorify the power of Thy wondrous ordinances, for which all created beings do glorify Thee, O JESUS our LORD and SAVIOUR, with the FATHER and the HOLY SPIRIT, now and ever, and to all eternity. Amen.

եւ յաւարտիլն, Տեստոնագրեսցեն Խաչիւ և Աւետարանաւ գիւղն, և գՁուրն ասելով.

Օրենհացի և արբեացի իւղա և Ջուրա այս նչանաւ աուրբ խաչիս և աուրբ Աւհտարանաւս, և աւուրս չնորհիւ, Յանուն Հօր և Որդւոյ և Հոգւոյն Սրբոյ, այժմ և միչտ, և յաւիտհանա յաւիտենից.

Ամեն. ալելուիա ալելուիա ալելուիա։ (երիցս կրկնեա։)

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And after this they shall bless with Cross and Gospel the oil and water saying.

Blessed and purified be this oil and this water, by the sign of this holy Cross and holy Gospel, and by the grace of this day, in the Name of the FATHER and of the SON, and of the HOLY GHOST, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia. (Thrice repeated. See Page 22.)

Exhortation. Through this holy Cross. (Page 25.)

Prayer. Preserve us, JESUS our GOD, in peace. (Page 25.)

եւ ապա զգեցուսցեն գեպիսկոպոսն կամ զմի ի պատուաւոր քանանայից․ որ առեալ զղենքակ, նսացի ի ծունկըս և լուասցէ զոաս ամենեցուն ի մեծաց մինչև ցփոքունըս, և այլքն պար առեալ յայսկոյս և յայնկոյս երգեսցեն քաղցը ձայնիւ, զՎերաձգօղն Երկնից և զԱյսօր Անճառն։

Իսկ լուացեալըն ճամրուրեսցեն զԱւետարանն և զսուրբ Խաչն և զաջ քամանային։

And after this, the Bishop or one of the elder priests shall robe himself in his vestments, and putting on an apron, shall kneel down and wash the feet of all present, from the greatest to the least, and the rest shall form a circle on both sides and shall sing in sweet melodious voices "Vieratskuoghn ierknits" and "Aisor anchar". And those that have been washed shall kiss the Gospel, the holy Cross, and the hand of the Priest.

ՎԵՐԱՁԳՈՂՆ ԵՐԿՆԻՑ

VIERATSKUOGH'N IERKNITS.

O miracle surpassing all others! The SON of the ETERNAL FATHER, the Extender of the heavens in the heights above us, is affected with our nature, assuming the office of a menial, while remaining undespoiled of His Godhead.

With water did the Word wash the feet of those who were already pure, thus impressing humility on their minds, that they might become the habitation of the Trinity.

He dispenseth His Body and His Blood, a newly ordained covenant, and a memorial of His voluntary death, to them that in holiness approach Him.

Fount of Light, and Bay of inextinguishable effulgence, Who voluntarily didst take on Thyself to wash the feet of the disciples, dispel from our midst the cloud of dark counsels, and shed light upon us.

- O Thou unconsumed perpetual Oblation, Who hast revealed to us the remission of sins through Thy Body and Blood, dispel from our midst. (as above)
- O Thou Who hast revealed this new covenant in expiation of those dead through the original tasting of our first father, dispel from our midst. (as above)
- O Thou Who dwellest both in heaven and upon earth, on this day didst Thou take on Thyself to wash the feet of Thy disciples; wash us also, O CHRIST, from our sine.

Thou Who receivest praise from the incorporeal watchful ones, wast pleased to offer Thyself in the Flesh as a sacrifice; O make me also worthy of Thy divine grace.

Thou Who art enthroned on cherubim, didst seat Thyself in the upper chamber, and didst grant us salvation through the life bestowing cup; O save us from the everlasting fire.

CHRIST GOD, Who for our sakes humbledst Thyself to suffer voluntary torture, and didst on this day wash the feet of the disciples in the sacred upper chamber; Saviour, we beseech Thee, have mercy.

O Thou Who hast prepared the mystic table, and didst on this day give drink from the cup of immortality to Thy holy disciples in the sacred upper chamber; Saviour, we beseech Thee, have mercy.

Cleanse our minds and our thoughts, that we also may communicate in holiness with Thy holy disciples in the sacred upper chamber; Saviour, we bestech Thee, have mercy.

Thou Who for us didst appear in the world, fulfilling everything that was ordained, this day didst Thou consummate the foreshadowed feast; Son of God, have mercy.

O Perfect Man and Immaculate Lamb, Who didst in the flesh condemn sin, and on this day didst humble Thyself to wash the feet of Thy disciples; SON of GOD, have mercy.

Word of the FATHER, and True High Priest, Who hast dispensed Thy world-regenerating Body and Blood to Thy disciples, this day do the earthborn communicate in the divine mysteries; Son of God, have mercy.

The Word from hefore eternity, He before Whom the seraphim shudder, and on Whom they dare not gaze, did on this day take the form of a servant: Bless Him with spiritual songs.

That which was foreshadowed, this day He fulfilled in deed, by cleansing the feet of the disciples from the wiles of the enemy: Bless Him with spiritual songs.

This day were we a second time set free from the curse on our first father, by tasting the Body and Blood of the Son of God; Bless Him with spiritual songs.



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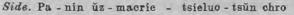
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Mode. Vor kaz-mie-tsier sie - ghan khur-hur - thuo iev ar-pu-









Side. Mak-ria ŭz-miths iev ŭz-khur-hurthus zi iev miek ha-









Mode. Vor va-sun mier hier-kri ie-rie-vial za-mie-nai-nun ka-









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ԱՅՍՕՐ ԱՆՋԱՌ

AISOR ANCHAR.*)

I.

For the completion of our salvation, This day the Dawn of Ineffable Light Into the upper chamber stepped, To celebrate the shadowy feast. And, ere began the mystic supper, Towel-engirded, the Diffuser of light, Taking water, as a menial, The feet of His disciples washed.

II.

To the Word of God, of light and glory,
Peter refused his feet unto Hands
Whose works are the heavens above,
And all things created above and below.
Unto Hands that had opened the eyes of the blind,
To Hands that had healed the dumb and the deaf,
That had raised him, Peter, from the sea,
Rebuking the waves, and they were becalmed.

III.

Rebuked for the mystery's non-comprehension,
The chosen head of the little flock
Turning, did humbly of Him beseech,
That not only his head, but his feet might be washed.
Then our LORD, answering said,
"The Head needeth not to be washed,
But the feet, that in holiness, they
To the Head united may be".

IV

To those up to now by parables taught, In His own Person, this day doth the LORD Extreme humility exemplify. This day the Unseen of the angels, His children of earth doth serve. This day the Adored of the seraphim To His own servants ministers.

V.

"If, I, your Master, the LORD of creation,
The feet of My servants have washed—
Thereby removing the stains of old—
In like manner, humility show to each other,
To break down the pride of your nature,
To raise up that nature from sin."

^{*)} See Introductory Note and Appendix E.

VI.

O Thou, Who with unsullied Hands,
Their feet didst cleanse and lave,
Teaching by humbleness to conquer wicked pride,
O wash me from the stains of sin,
Through prayers of holy hosts above.
And meekly to ascend to Heav'n
My footsteps do Thou guide.

VII.

The Law that to Moses was given at Sinai Fulfilled He by partaking of unleavened bread, And typic lamb with bitter herbs He ate. The old order He changed into new, And turned the shadow into light. Instead of the lamb of Passover Himself He offered, the Lamb of God.

VIII.

Immaculate and Incorruptible, His Own Virgin-born Body He gave Instead of the unleavened bread. For the blood of the covenant lamb His Blood of new testament shed. In place of the bitterest endive, A pure and holy life bequeathed.

IX.

To the hungry, the Bread of Life
The King of Creation did give.
To the afflicted with Adam, the Cup of Bliss.
"In place of the blood of old covenant,"
Said He, "This is the Blood of the New.
Do this in remembrance of Me,
Till the time of My coming again".

X.

We all, assembled here together, Beseech Thee, with that congregation Of Eleven, on whom Thou didst bestow Thy Redeeming Body, with the Cup, To grant us, LORD, at Thy Holy Table, Also with them to be partakers Of the Bread of Life, which we desire, And the Cup for which we thirst.

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XI.

From the holy lambs, the chosen apostles, Judas himself did separate, For silver betraying unto death The Lamb of God, the Bearer of our sins. And, the holy mystic meal approaching, The traitor bold and cunning with his master sups, The measure of his treachery fulfilling.

XII.

In supplicating tones, the Light besought That the blinded one might be restored. "One of you," said He "O Brethren, Shall betray Me unto death".

And Peter in fear, looked at John, And beckoned unto him to ask
Who it was that should betray the Master.













եւ զկնի լուացմանն, Օրթի։

Սրբոյ Աւհաարանիս Ցիսուսի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Ցօհաննու. ԳԷ 13. հմի 12.

And after the washing, Orthi.

The Holy Gospel of JESUS CHRIST, according to John. XIII. 12.

Ջկնի ջարոզ. խնդրեսցութ։ Կեցո Տէր. (Ձայնիւ։) Աղօթեջ։ Թագաւոր խաղաղութեան. (Տես էջս 109, 110.)

Exhortation. Let us request. Save, LORD. Prayer. King of peace. (Pages 109, 110.)

be windwiffe 'h hungwine frui. And they shall go in peace.

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GOOD FRIDAY.

Դոկ ի տասներորդ ժամուն ժողովեալ յեկեղեցին կատարհոցեն զկարգ Թաղմանն Քրիստոսի Աստուծոյ։

And at the tenth hour they shall assemble in the Church and perform the ceremony of the Burial of Christ.

Քան։ ՕրՀնեալ Տէր մեր Ցիսուս Քրիսաոս.ամէն։ Հայր մեր որ յերկինս ես։

Priest. Blessed be our LORD JESUS CHRIST. Amen. Our FATHER which art in heaven.

«ան։ Ես առ Աստուած կարդացի, և նա լուաւ ինձ լերեկոյս ՚ի վաղորդայն և հասարակ աւուր։

Սարկ։ Սպասէի Աստուծոյ իմոյ, և ակն ունէի կենարարին, որ փրկէ զծառայո իւր և կեցուցանէ։ Փառջ Հօր։ Այժմ և միչտ։

Priest. I called upon the LORD and He heard me, in the evening, in the morning, and at noon-day.

Deacon. I waited for my GoD, and longed for the Redeemer, who saveth His servant and giveth life. Glory. Now and ever.

Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան, և այլն։ ՕրՀնութիւն և փառջ։ խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն։

Let us again beseech. Blessing and glory.

Peace to all.

Priumphyn & Luphyn. (Shu tiu 26, 32)

Bow down Thine ear, O Lord. Psalm 85 (86). (See Page 26.)

Deliver me, O Lord. Psalm 139 (140). (See Page 34.)

Lagu Lahure

LUIS ZUVARTH.

Alleluia. Alleluia.

O Serene Light of hallowed glory from the Eternal, Heavenly, Holy, and Lifegiving FATHER, O JESUS CHRIST!

We who have assembled here together at the setting of the sun, have beheld the evening light, and do bless Thee, O GOD, FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT. And with one voice we say Amen. Render us worthy ever and at all times to praise with melodious voices the glorious Name of the All-holy Trinity. For Thou art the Giver of Life, wherefore the world doth glorify Thee.





















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Rupnq & Vunpulp Luntulph. (8hu to 44.)

Exhortation and Prayer. Let us all who have reached this hour.

(Page 44.)

Thubqh: Couplet or Versicle.

Ետուն ի կերակուր ինձ լեղի. և'ի ծարաւ իմ արդուցին ինձ ջացախ։

Եղիցին սեղանք նոցա առաջի նոցա յորոգայթ. ի հատու-

ցումն և ի գայթակղութիւն։

They gave me gall to eat, and when I was thirsty vinegar to drink.

Their tables should become a snare for them, and their retribution and fall.

Ընթերցուածո յերեմեայ Մարզարէէ։ ԳԸ 11. Հմր 18. Ընթերցուածո յեսայեայ Մարզարէէ։ ԳԸ 52. Հմր 13. Սաղմոս իա.

Lections from Jeremiah the Prophet. Chapter XI. Verse 48. and Isaiah the Prophet. LII. 43. Psalm. 21 (22).

Ուղիղ եղիցին աղաչանք մեր։ (8ես էջ 44.) Let my prayer. (See Page 44.)

Rupaq Unwithunner: Exhortation. Let us pray unto the Almighty God. (See Page 155.) Unoffp: Lach Amilips. (h. mjil.) (Stu 19 59). Hearken unto our voices. (Page 60).

Սուրբ Աստուած ... որ խաչեցար։ Բայց ի ծունկս անկեալ քանանայքն և ժողովուրդըն, իսկ զՓառաւորեալն մի ասիցեն։

Trisagion. Holy God — Who wast crucified. But both priests and congregation shall sing this on their knees, and they shall not add the "Ever blessed and glorified".

UNFLE MUSUFILL

SURP ASTVATS.

HOLY GOD, Holy and Mighty, Holy and Immortal, Who wast crucified for us, have mercy upon us.









Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան։ Վասն լսելի լինելոյ։ Օրհնութիւն և փառջ։ խաղաղութեւն ամենեցուն։ Ամէն և ընդ Հոգոյգ քում. (Տես էջ 63.)

Let us again beseech. etc. Priest. Blessing and glory. Peace be to all. Amen. And with thy spirit. (Page 63.) 2 mdpmpåh qmin ha'h ihphin. L mjib. (8tm ti 63.)

I lifted mine eyes to the mountains. (See Page 64.)

ԵԿԱՅՔ ՀԱՒԱՏԱՑԵԱԼՔ

IEKAIK HAVATHATSIALK.

Come, O ye faithful, let us bow down before the Holy Trinity. The Light co-existent with the FATHER was this day condemned by the chief priests to be crucified: He, the Immortal King.

He Whom the heavens could not contain, lifting on His Shoulder the tree of punishment, came to the place of execution to be crucified: He, the Immortal King. Glory. Now and ever.

The hosts of heaven were wonderstruck at the burial of the LORD in a new hewn grave, for He, Who is immortal in His Being, for the salvation of His creatures tasted death: He the Immortal King.

ՀԱՄԲԱՐՁԻ։ ԳԿ։ ՍՑ։ (յատեանն։)

MODE 8. STIEGHI.

ANTIPHON. I lifted mine eyes. (Page 65.)























Քարոզ։ Վասն խաղաղախետն. Աղօխը։ Հայր գրխած։ (Ցես էջ 71.) Սաղմոս ժե։ Ընթերցուածս յԱռակաց ԳԼ Ձ. Հմր 1։ Ընթերցուածս ի Զաքարիայ Մարգարէէ ԳԼ 1Ձ. Հմր Ց. Պետրոսի Առաքելոյն ի Կախուղիկեայց Առաջին Թղթեոյն է ընթերցուածս։ ԳԼ 3. Հմր 17. Օրթի։ Սրբոյ Աւետարանիս Ցիսասի Քրիստոսի որ ըստ Մատխէոսի ԳԼ 27. Հմր 57.

Exhortation. Let us again beseech. Prayer. Merciful and All Provident. (Page 71.) Psalm 15 (16). Lection from the Proverbs II.1., Zachariah the Prophet XII. S., First General Epistle of Peter the Apostle. III. 17., Holy Gospel according to Matthew, XXVII. 57.

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SURP ASTVATS.





Rus. Фрив qubq: Priest: That He may. etc. (Page 62.)

Ձկնի Շարական ՔՁ. Պարգեւատուն ամենեցուն. իւր սարօքն. Նախաաշնակ առնելով. զի Թաղումն Տետուն է։

And then the Hymn of the 3rd Mode, Parkievathun, appointed for the next morning, since this is the Burial of the Lord.

ՊԱՐԳԵՒԱՏՈՒՆ

PARKIEVATHUN.

The Bestower of gifts on all is this day sought as a gift from Pilate, and He Who clothes Himself with light, as it were a garment, is pleased to be shrouded by Joseph.

The Giver of life to all is this day placed in a new-hewn grave, and the Treasure of immortality is sealed with the ring of the priests.

CHRIST, the Salvation of His creatures, this day was placed in the new-hewn stone, and He Whom the heavenly hosts praise with hymns is guarded by soldiers.

CHRIST, Who is the ever living One, this day is begged from Pilate as a corpse, and He Who was the covering of the nakedness of Adam, willed to be shrouded by Joseph.

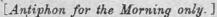
CHRIST the Bestower of immortality this day humbled Himself in death to be buried in dust, and He Who in unapproachable light doth dwell, was in the flesh [or in the body] placed in the heart of the earth.

The Sun of Righteousness, CHRIST, was this day placed in a dark pit, and the Ray of Glory from the FATHER was hidden under a stone in the midst of the earth.

CHRIST the Virgin-born is laid in a virgin grave, and the Destroyer of hell's tortures is sealed by the ring of the priests.

The Ever-watchful Creator of all this day slumbers amidst the dead; the sleepless Watcher over Israel is guarded by the soldiers.

The Joy of His ereatures, CHRIST, is this day lamented as dead by the mourners, and the incense of immortality is offered by the ointment bearers.



































[Sung in the morning only.]











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Սարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան ըզՏէր աղաչեսցուք։ Ընկալ, կեցո և ողորմեա։

Rus: Ophuniffer a dimne Lope Ujou a dhem:

Deacon. Let us again beseech the LORD for peace. Receive, save, and have mercy.

Priest. Blessing and glory. Now and ever.

24tg Orzitua

ZKIEZ ORHNIEMK.

Thee do we bless, Everlasting King, Immortal God of our fathers. He Whom created nature could not contain as God, is by death enclosed within the new hewn grave, thus creating of me a new man: Thee do we praise, O God of our fathers.

He Who was an unsealed writing is sealed by a ring, preserving us in safety by our faith in the Trinity: Thee do we praise, O Gon of our fathers.

Sung in the morning only

[O all ye works of the LORD, bless ye the LORD, praise Him and magnify Him in the highest for ever. O ye heavens, bless ye the LORD, praise Him and magnify Him in the highest for ever. Glory.]

Bless CHRIST the King, Who is honoured with awe by the invisible hosts, and magnify Him in the highest for ever. [Now and ever.]

Bless ye the unconquerable King, the Treasure of immortality, Who is guarded by the soldiers.

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HYMN OF THE FATHERS. MODE 5.

[FOR THE MORNING. Antiphon. Bless the LORD GOD of our fathers, and praise His Name for ever.]



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Mode. Vor an-pak krov has-tha-thial kar - thaz khun - ki



























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ASTVATSATSIN IERKNAIN THURN.

[Antiphon for the Morning. My soul doth magnify.]

Birthgiver of God, and gate of heaven, with his divine voice the angel announced to thee, Rejoice, O Blessed one, the LORD is with thee.

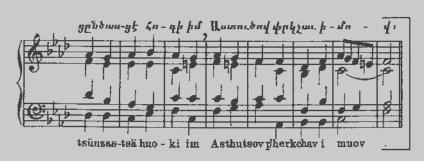
He Who sitteth amongst cherubim with the FATHER, wast pleased to dwell immaculately in thy womb: Rejoice, O Blessed one, the LORD is with thee.

He Who was surrounded with the fiaming swords of the seraphim, this day amongst men is seen in the arms of a mortal: Rejoice, O Blessed one, the LORD is with thee.

ANTIPHON FOR THE MORNING. = 132.

Mode 5.















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VOR PASHKOGHT IES.

Thou Who art the Distributor of all goodness, and Who bestowest gifts on Thy creatures, this day wast Thou pleased to be sought as a gift from Pilate, that Thou mightest grant to us also the gifts of Thy mercy. [Glory.]

Thou, Who wert clothed in inconceivable light of glory, this day with ineffable humility wast shrouded by Joseph, and placed in a grave, that Thou mightest regenerate us from our old sins unto immortal life. [Now and Ever.]

Thou the Uncircumscribable Word, Who art Co-existent with the FATHER, this day wast Thou pleased to be confined by the ring of the priests, O undespoilable Treasure, that Thou mightest save us from our transgressions.

[Antiphon for the morning. Have mercy upon me, O GoD, according to Thy great mercy.]





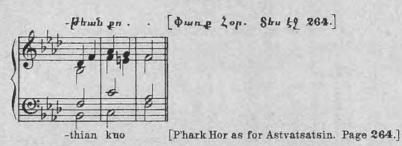














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HUOVSÄP CHUSHMARITH.

Joseph the true and righteous, sought from Pilate the Giver of gifts to all, bestowed on us as an undespoilable treasure. [Glory.] Shrouding with new linen, the Divine Body of the One Who wears light as a garment, He Who clothed us in undespoilable garments, [Now and ever]. [He] was laid in a new hewn grave, and sealed with a ring, He Who gave life to the first man and loosened man's bondage of death.

Antiphon for the morning. Bless the LORD of heaven, bless Him in the highest.

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Antiphon. J = 80 - 84.

MODE 5.



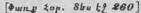




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उत्तर्धिक सम्द र्याम्यरप्रश्रम्य

HUOVSÄP KIEZ HAVATHATSIAL.

Joseph, who believed in Thee, petitioned Pilate to grant him Thy Divine Body.

Thy Immaculate and Divine Body he shrouded in new linen and laid in the grave.

Thou who art the Maker of all creatures, and who restest on the cherubim, wast sealed under a stone in the earth.

Umbynelip 74. Umbah:

MODE 8. STIEGHI.

Antiphon for the morning. Bless the LORD, O ye children, and bless the Name of the LORD.









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Քարոզ։ խնդրհացուք։ Կհայո։ (109.) Աղօթեր։ Քում ամենազօր և հրաչալի թաղմանդ։ (8ես էջ 142.)

Exhortation. Let us. _ Save, LORD. (109.) Prayer. Thine all-mighty and wondrous Burial. (Page 142.)

Եւ դիցեն զՍուրը Խաչն ի վերայ Սեղանոյն պատետլ սպիտակ դաստառակաւ ի խորհուրդ պատանացն Քրիստոսի. Եւ ապա պար առեալ սկսանիցին Շարական ԲԿ։

And they shall place the holy Cross on the table covered with a veil symbolising the Enshrouding of Christ, and then, standing round in a circle, they shall sing the Hymn of the Fourth Mode.

ԽԱՉԻ ՔՈ ՔՐԻՍՏՈՍ

KHACHI KUO CHRISTHUOS.

To Thy Cross, O Christ, we bow down, and Thy Holy Crucifixion do we magnify, and Thy Holy Burial do we glorify. Come, all ye faithful, let us worship Christ our God, for He came, and through His Cross gave great gifts of goodness to the world-Holy God, Holy and Mighty, Holy and Immortal, Who wast buried for us, have mercy upon us (Thrice). Glory to Thy Holy Cross. Alleluia. To Thy Holy Crucifixion (Betrayal, Passion, Resurrection, according to the day) Alleluia. To Thy Burial. Alleluia. The Light of Thy Countenance hath shined upon us, and Thou hast given joy to our hearts. Thou didst fill them with the fruits of corn, wine, and oil; Glory and worship to the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Now and ever.

With the lifegiving Cross which became our salvation, do we all praise Thee. With that which from the FATHER of Light shone upon the earth, and is the staff of power to the faithful, do we all praise Thee. With that which with great effulgence and marvellous glory appeared as a help against the enemy, do we all praise Thee. Glory. Our LORD JESUS with His Divine Words cried aloud on the Cross, and over against the stars He stretched forth His holy Divine Hands: in wrath he triumphed over the prince of darkness.





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Repeat from P'hark surp khachith.

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Priest. P'har - k iev ierkur-pa-ku-thiun Horiev Vor -





pa - niemk. Side. Vor i Ho-rä. lu - suo luis cha-ra-kai-



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kiez pa - rie - pa - niemk. Mode. P'hark Hor .



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mamp hra-shap ha-ra-päs ŭ-miez tsu - tsav i hok-nuthiun unt-



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pa - rie - pa - niemk. Side. Aijm iev misht iev ha-vi-thia-



րшп-п-վրն Տէր Вիսпւս ի խաչին. և ընդդէմ шипь - դաց կրն-



pa-ruovun Ter Hi-sus i khachin iev untthem asthieghats khun-



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Սուրբ խաչիւս։ Պահպանիչ։

Lupu woh Swa natemanie.

Then they shall sing the following melody in the elegiac mode.

Ասջուսծսծեւ Կոзսւ Մարեստ

ASTVATSATSIN KUISN MARIAM.

Mary, the Virgin Birthgiver of GOD, stood by the Cross of her Only Begotten, shedding tears from the grief of her heart, and in her pitiful voice she expressed herself thus, Woe to me, a thousand times woe to Thy mother's tortured heart, that I see Thee before me on the Cross.

My Son, my Son, JESUS, my Son, Light of the eyes of Thy virgin mother, my One Begotten Innocent Lamb, for what sin art Thou now on the Cross? Woe to me, a thousand times woe to Thy mother's tortured heart, that I see Thee before me on the Cross.

(Other verses of the same kind.)







ՏԵԱՌՆ ԸՆԴ ԱՌԱԶ

THIAR'N UNTH ARACH.

Candlemas Eve.

Քան։ Ես առ Աստուած կարդացի, և Նա լուաւ ինձ յերեկոյս 'ի վաղորդայն և 'ի հասարակ աւուր։

Սարկ։ Ծպասեի Աստուծոյ իմոյ, և ակն ունէի կենարարին, որ փրկէ գծառայս իւր և կեցուցանէ։

Քան: Փառջ Հօր. Մարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան. Քան։ Օրենութերւն և փառջ։

խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն. [Translation Page 217.]

Ponting Light. (Shu to 26.) Omne phy. b. Lu. Optime phi h dimme. Bow Thine ear. (see Page 26.) Glory to Thee. Let us again.

Blessing and glory.

խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն. Ապրեցո. (8ես էց 33.) Deliver me (34)

երգ կիրակամարց. Լոյս գրւարթ. (Տես էջ 218.) Luis zvarth (218)

Rupnq: Zunhulen 'f dud. h will. (Shu th 44)
Exhortation. Let us who have reached. (Page 44.)

Միսեղիք Գալստեան. Օրենեալ որ գաս յանուն տեսուն օրենեալ որ գալոց ես․ Տէր Աստուած մեր երեւեցաւ մեզ արարէք տօնս ուրախութեան կանկաւ. մինչև յանկիւնս սեղանոյ։ Ուղիղ եղիցին ազօթք իմ։ Որպէս խունկ առաջի քո Տէր։ Համբարձումն ձեռւաց իմոց։ Պատարագ երեկոյի։

Couplets. Blessed art Thou that cometh in the Name of the LORD; blessed art Thou who shalt come again. Our LORD our GOD hath appeared unto us; keep early the feasts of joy, even unto the horns of the altar. May my prayers ascend to Thee, Like incense before Thee, LORD, The lifting of my hands, As an evening sacrifice.

Unungate multibebuis of humanian Phunda: (8tu t. 2 45.) Let us all say together with one accord. (See Page 45.)

Աղօթել։ Լուր ձայնից մերոց։ խաղաղութիւն ամենեցուն։ Աստուծոյ երկիրպագեսցուջ։ Քեգ երկիրպագանելով։ Սուրբ Աստուած որ եկիր և գալոց ես։

Մաղթանը։ Փրկել զմեզ։ Քարոզ։ Եւ ևս։ Վասն լսելի։ Օրհնութիւն և փառջ։ Համբարձի գայս իմ։ (Ցես էջ 59 և այլն)

Prayer. Hearken unto our voices. Trisagion. HOLY GOD who didst come. Priest. That He may. Let us again. Blessing and glory. Evening Psalm. I lifted mine eyes. (See Pages 60-64.)

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MARMNATSIALT'H.

Antiphon. I lifted mine eyes. Hymn. O Word from before eternity, in the Body that Thou tookest from the Virgin, Thou camest this day to the temple to fulfil the law, for the salvation of the heathen. Glory. Thou Who sittest on the uncreated throne, and art praised by the angels, this day wert Thou lifted in the arms of Simeon, to make us worthy of life everlasting. Now and ever. Thou Who releasest us from all bondage, the Giver of gifts to all, this day, by the prayers of the aged man release me, a manifold sinner, from the bonds of death to everlasting life.





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Mode. Phark Hor iev Vor-thuo iev Huo-kuin . sur-puo.





i hrieshtha - kats ai-sor i Si - mä nialt



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Baguta. Այժմ և միչա և յաւի-ահանրոյաւի-ահնից ա dţu:

Aijm iev mishtiev ha vi-thianus ha vi-thienits a Side. men.



Vor ar-tsa-kicht ies ka-pie-luots par-kie-va - thu a -



-mienie-tsun ai-sor haitsmamp tsie-runuin ar-tsa-kia iev



zis ŭz - paz - ma-mieghs i ka - pa - nats ma - hu i



Սարկ։ Վասն խաղաղութեան։ Հան։ Հայր գթած։ (Տես էջ 71.)

Exhortation. For the peace. Priest. Merciful and All-Provident
Father. (See Page 71.)

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AISOR ANŬSKŬSPNAKAN.

This day the Word without beginning, Begotten of the Father's Bosom, coming to the temple, grants heaven to those created by the FATHER in heaven. This day He was lifted in the arms of Simeon, He Who created all creatures by His Word: let us praise Him. This day shall we, the faithful, praise with the aged Simeon the Word Co-existent with the FATHER and the HOLY SPIRIT. This day the Lifegiver, Whom Jerusalem received with rejoicing, came into the temple and was taken in the arms of Simeon. This day the earth was called heaven, because the LORD of lords, descending from heaven to earth, was pleased to be presented by the creature of His own Hands. This day CHRIST the GOD shone forth, as a Light to the heathen, and a Glory to His people Israel. This day Thou, O Saviour, camest to the temple, and the aged man, taking Thee in his arms, said, Now let Thy servant depart, O LORD. This day Thou, CHRIST our GOD, wast shewn to the world as a Light, and Salvation to the universe: save us, lovest man. This day Thou, CHRIST our GOD, the spiritual Sun, dawned on the world: save us (as before). This day God, the Word from the beginning, Incarnate of the Virgin, was fondled in the temple. The gray bearded aged man rejoiced, having the SON of GOD in his arms, and praised GOD, saying, Now let Thy servant depart in peace according to Thy Word, for mine eyes have seen GOD the Saviour.









Side. Ai-sor par-tsial ie-ghiev i kirkus tsie-ru - nuin vor pa-





Mode. Ai-sor iev miek ha-vatha-tsialks unth tsieru-nuin Si-mä - o -



ni uzpan hamakuo HorievSurpHuo-kuin , orhna-panies-tsuk-



Side. Ai - - sor . i tha char'n ie-kial kie - na - rar'n





zur khun-thu - thiamp un-ka-lav Ie - ru-sa - ghem.







Կողմն. Այ - - uo - ը հե-Թանո-սաց լոյս ծաղե-ցաւ Քրիս - տոս

Side. Ai - - sor . hie-thanu-sats luis tsakie-tsav Chris-tos



Astä-vats iev pharkiu - rum jo - ghovur - thian'n Is - ra-e - li.











luis iev p'hur-ku - thiun thi -ie -zie-rats Chris-tos As-tä-







kak'n vor tsa - kie - tsar thi - ie - zie-ratz Chris-tos. As-tä -









Սարկ։ Եւ ևս խաղաղութեան։ Քան։ Օրենութեւն և փառը։ Exhortation. Let us beseech. Priest. Blessing and glory.

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ORHNIEMK ŬZKIEZ.

We bless Thee Who wert sent by the FATHER, Ineffable Word of God, Who didst consent to become Incarnate of the holy Virgin, O God of our fathers. This day Thou camest to the temple. Inconceivable Saviour, and wert fondled in the arms of Simeon. Therefore with spiritual joy was Simeon crying aloud. Now let Thy servant depart, O LORD, according to Thy Word, O God of our fathers. Bless the One born of the most holy womb of the immaculate Virgin. They shall bless Him Who came this day to the temple and was received in the arms of Simeon.

2U.18: 42: d = 80.

MODE 7.













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(See 1st verse.)

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ATHUER KROVPÄAKAN.

This day Simeon appeared as a cherubic throne, having lifted in his arms the Incarnate Son of God, Whom the hosts of heaven everlastingly exalt. He cried aloud, the old man with his venerable beard rejoiced, saying, This is the Eternal King, Whom the hosts (as before). With tears he besought, saying Let me depart in peace by the intercession of the Holy Birthgiver, Whom the hosts.









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VORUO ARIAL.

Commanded by the HOLY SPIRIT not to see death till he saw the Anointed: LORD, by the prayers of the old man have mercy on us. Who, having received in his arms the Anointed, was beseeching of Thee death, which is life itself, and to depart in peace: LORD, by the prayers. In whose arms Thou wert fondled, and fulfilledst Thy desire to be presented in the temple: LORD, by the prayers.















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ZUR PHARAPANIEN.

Thou Who by the spiritual powers art praised in the highest, this day Thou camest, O CHBIST, to the temple to be presented, Who presentest Thy creatures to Thy FATHER. Thou in the flesh wast lifted in the arms of the old man, Who hast lifted Thy creatures, O CHRIST, and Who for our sakes wast born of the holy Virgin. Therefore will we with Simeon cry aloud, Thou Who from the FATHER of Light dawned for us, a Light and a Glory, - Glory to Thy Coming, O LORD.

8էր յերկնից։ d = 78-80. Ձայն։ Զոր փառաբա-նեն ՝ի բար-ձունսի - մանա-լի . Mode. Zur pha-ra-pa - nien i par - tsuns i - mana - li .



-thiunkn ai - sor i tha-charnie - kir hun - tsai - um'n Chris-thuos



Hor. VOL ŭn-tsai-ies za - ra-ra- tsŭs partsrieluo kum









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ANŬSKISP'N PANŬN.

Word without beginning from the FATHER Unoriginate, and begun through the Virgin by incarnation accomplished in the womb, yet present with the FATHER, at the appointed time becomes GOD and Man. Glory. The Incorporeal coming to be presented according to ordinance as one earth made, He the SON of GOD, in the bosom of the FATHER that He may present us, the earth born to the FATHER, as a forty days Child borne in the arms of the aged man becomes revealed GOD and Man. Now and ever. Therefore Simeon, rejoicing in spirit, exclaimed in the temple, Now let Thou Thy servant depart, O LORD, according to Thy Word, for I have seen the liniversal Saviour, GOD and Man.



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puo - van-tha - kie-luo -



-n sur - puo. Mu - thial unth o - ri - nok an - hiu-tha-























եւ յաւարտիլ չարականին Սաղմոս ղէ։ Գիրք Ղևտացւոց ԳՂ ժբ. հմր 6-6։ Առակաց ԳՂ ը. հմր 22-34։ Մարզարէ Եզեկիէլի ԳՂ խդ. հմր 1-2։ Մաղաքիայ ԳՂ լգ. հմր 1-4։ Առաքելոյն Գաղատացիս ԳՂ դ. հմր 24-29։ Ալելուիա. Օրենհալ որ գալոց ես անուամբ։ Աւետարան գ. ԳՂ բ. հմր 22-40։ Ձարոզ Վասն ՛ի վերուսա. և տեսանագրեսցեն դանդաստանն։ Սուրբ խաչիւս։ Ազժը. Պահպանիչ։ Եւ լուցցեն գնուրն և ասասցեն դտաղն Քրիստոս փառաց։

And after the hymn Psalm 97 (98). Leviticus XII., 6-8. Proverbs VIII., 22-84. Ezechiel XLIV., 1-2. Malachi XXXIII., 1-4. Galatians III., 24-29. Alleluia. Blessed is He Who shalt come. Gospel Luke II., 22-40. Exhortation and Procession of Blessing. Exhortation of the Procession and the Cross. (Pages 19-25.)

And then they shall kindle the fire and sing the Melody Christhues Pharats.

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CHRISTHUOS P'HARATS.

CHRIST the KING of glory, fulfilling the law, comes this day to be presented, on the fortieth day, to the town of Jerusalem, to the aged Simeon. His coming was proclaimed and His entry was awe some. The aged man was crying out in the temple what Isaiah had joie told, awake, arise, come forth, O Jerusalem, and with great joy arouse thy children to meet thy Saviour.





Abyn Stp: Stp nangahus (Shu to 109.)
Save, LORD. LORD, have mercy. (See Page 109.)

be wpowybugha: And they shall be dismissed.

APPENDIX A.

(See Page 162.)

Hearken unto me, my sons, and I shall openly and freely instruct you, as my own beloved children, in the fear of God, because it is my duty to do so, and woe be unto me, if I do not expound the word of God to you daily, that I may be able to acquaint you with what is the will of God, and with that which is good, pleasant, and perfect. For the prophet Ezechiel daily inspires awe unto me when he says, as on behalf of God, with regard to the duties of priests, as follows:

I set thee as a watchman over this people; if thou seest the sword coming and thou blowest not the trumpet, and they do not take warning, and the sword come and find any one of them unprepared, he will die in his iniquity, but his blood shall I require at thy hand.

Now that sword means the menace of hell, and the trumpet means the commandment of God, which now I place before you, my brethren. I am a human being like yourselves, and sunk still deeper in sin, but, as I am appointed an overseer and counsellor, with tears and many heartfelt sighs do I lovingly place before you the will of God. Not that I intend to say any new thing, and with fictitious words to distract your minds, for verily, in truth I have myself to give an account before God, therefore I shall speak to you from the established rules and canons of the holy fathers, only in simpler language. But you must first know, that the rank of priesthood was not entrusted to the angels for this reason — that they are beings without sin, — but to mankind, in order that, as we sin, and hope to be forgiven by Christ, we should in the same way be enabled to give you the hope of forgiveness and repentance. And now I beg of everyone with patience to listen to me.

Now the heavens open from above, and Christ, descending, rests on this holy altar, and all the hosts of heaven descend invisibly to the earth to serve the Son of God, and they circle round this altar, and the Holy Ghost unsparingly dispenses His gifts of goodness to those who draw nigh in holiness. And now do you, my brethren,

with great fear and reverence, impress on your hearts not to contemplate only this visible bread and wine but [to contemplate] the great Mystery which is hidden from our bodily sight, and which may be seen only with the eyes of the soul by those who in holiness seek This, by which the spirit is nourished, and is gladdened with divine joy. For God has the power of converting It into flesh and blood, as has happened to one of the Saints. But because our senses cannot tolerate actual flesh and blood, therefore has God manifested It to us under the semblance of bread and wine. But do not you look on it as bread, and do not you contemplate it as wine, for this is the true Body and Blood of Christ. No one should dare to draw near to It with familiarity or contempt, as to a slight thing, for this is a flaming fire which will burn and consume sinners, therefore it is a necessity first to purify oneself by repentance, that we may not with our many sins be burned by this fire. For the souls of those who will not quit their sins, and are nailed to them, shall by it be consumed. And at the same time let no one despairingly turn aside from this, or entertain vain fear in his heart, because such is not fear, but contempt of God. For this is the gate of the kingdom of heaven, and the very kingdom of heaven itself, which is Christ the Son of God, and our God, and they who approach it with purity shall become the adopted children of the Heavenly Father. But it is to be remembered that every true son bears a resemblance to his father, and when you say, Our Father which art in heaven, and you offer prayers, you ought to show in yourselves a resemblance to Him, that your prayers may be heard. For, if you bear no resemblance to the Heavenly Father in His perfection and benevolence, He will not hear you, and He will not incline to your supplications, but the father of evil, who is in hell, and after whose works you follow, he will hear you. Now, hearing this, cast away all wickedness, and all deceit, forgive from your hearts each one his brother his offences, and put aside all illfeeling against each other, in order that you may receive mercy from the Heavenly Father and may become worthy of this sacrifice. Expel all of you from amongst you all unbelief and want of faith, and cleanse your consciences from all such. Purify yourselves of jealousy, deceit, wickedness, bypocrisy, pride, conceit, arrogance, flattery,

contradiction, hatred; of usury, and the root of all evils, the love of money, and all greed; and of feminine affectation; of witchcraft and charms, and all wicked things, and enmity, and of lust; especially should you expunge from your conversation all unseemly, profane and blasphemous words by which you insult each other; cast off also unrighteous idolatry, and disorderly and shameful vice, the mention of which offends and disgusts the mind of the speaker as well as of the hearer. Because in the Day of Judgment, full of worms shall be the mouths of those who do not avoid these sins. For the Lord hath said, Whosoever calleth his brother a fool, he shall be condemned to hell fire. Now you must uproot this from amongst you. There should be (amongst you) no adulterer, no fornicator, no thief, no robber, no glutton, no drunkard, no evil wisher, no plotter of evil, no murderer, no breaker of the peace, no one of cruel ruthless nature, no intriguer, no unclean person, no profane, or malevolent person, no perjurer, no breaker of promises, no person unrighteous or unjust, no evil speaker, and no one guilty of any other sin. Because there are other sins which are mortal, and which I do not consider fit to mention in this place. And in addition to all this [let there be a mongst youl no heretic, and by saying this, I advise you entirely to cast off the old man with all his evil deeds. But, arousing yourselves, clothe yourselves with modesty, holy behaviour, and good intentions, and he ye humble, gentle, forgiving, peaceful, merciful towards the sick and afflicted; compassionate, pitiful to the homeless, to the poor, and to those in want. Adorn yourselves with all virtues, with love, with faith, and with hope, and have in you perfect love both to God and man, because the crown of all virtues is love, from a pure heart and simple faith. Honour your fathers and mothers; love your wives as yourselves; and you, women, be obedient to your husbands as you would be to God. All of you, have the fear of God in you, and keep holy the first day of the week. Young men and maidens, love purity, that by receiving this holy Food you may shine as a crystal on which are reflected the rays of the sun, and thus growing in virtue, you may live, and you may not be condemned, according to the words of the apostles. Because in truth there are plagues and many troubles and unbearable afflictions, leprosy and all

other such things, that arise from the approaching unworthily to this holy table.

No one should enter here on the pretence of showing to the outsiders that he is one of the communicants, because such a pretender has nothing in unity with God, for God is not deceived; do not feel ashamed before man, because in this is there no shame whatever, but the great shame will be that which one will feel at the Day of universal Judgment. And that which you conceal from me now, and which you do not confess, and which you do not repent of, there in the presence of the great Judge will be publicly laid bare. There shall you not be able to conceal your actions, for there your accuser shall be your own soul.

Now I have told you all unreservedly, and hereafter am I blameless; your blood be on your own heads, I am innocent of it. My responsibility extends only thus far. But I know there are some amongst you that despise my words, therefore I call as evidence these very words which I have spoken to-day to you from this sanctuary, and on the Day of Judgment, before the throne of Christ, I shall quote them, this holy Gospel hearing witness. Then at that hour, the despiser shall not be able to show contempt, but he will be disgraced and punished, and he will be sent into the unquenchable flames.

Here I bring my words to a conclusion, as whatever was necessary to be said regarding this holy Mystery we have stated briefly and in fitting words.

Now those who communicate worthily, adorned with good works, will be been and crowned with Peter and the apostles by Christ our God; and those who partake in a rebellious spirit, they, as it were, a second time crucify the Son of God; and those who shamefully and unworthily communicate shall receive the portion of Judas the traitor, and of the crucifiers. Now you know in what your duty consists.

But may the Holy Ghost, Who is the Dwelling of the Saints, and is the Source of all goodness, cleanse your souls and bodies, and make the Communion of this salvation-giving Mystery the forgiveness of your sins; to Whom with the Father, and Only Begotten Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory to all eternity. Amen.

APPENDIX B.

(See Page 166.)

We glorify Thee, our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son and Word of God, Lord and Creator of angels and of mankind, God of consuming fire, at the mere looking towards the glory of Whose Godhead the fireformed hosts shudder terror-struck, and the seraphim shelter their faces with their wings while offering ceaseless praises before the throne of Thy Sovereignty. Thou, Lord, at the appointed time of our salvation, didst deign to become Incarnate of the holy and immaculate Virgin Mary, and didst pass sinlessly through all human passions by taking the debt of Adam on Thy Divine Body taken from our nature, and didst fulfil all things as ordained, saving us from the curse of the law. Thou camest to the upper chamber, fulfilling that also which was foreshadowed by the Mosaic law, and Thou, Who art served by incorporeal fiery beings, because to Thee are bowed the knees of all - of beings heavenly, earthly, and infernal this day through Thy Love for mankind, fulfilling all that was ordained, didst stoop down at the knees of Thy holy apostles, and didst wash the feet of mortals, setting us thereby a great and beautiful example.

And now, Lord of mercy and benevolence, as at that hour Thou didst teach us to imitate Thy salvatinn-giving humility, so also, grant now to Thy sinful servants, as, prostrated face downwards, we beseech the mercy of Thy manloving grace, to receive forgiveness of our sins with this seemingly insignificant water. So that, through this example by which we wash the feet of one another, and with our feeble bodies perform what Thou hast exemplified to us, Thou mightest pour on us Thy most abundant and most powerful grace, and cleanse us from all the filth and stains of our sins. Take Thou away from amongst us all the pride and arrogance which Satan through his treachery has brought on our weak nature. Make us worthy with clear eyes to look towards the life-bestowing descent of Thy grace. Clothe us upon with that true humility, swerimess, kindness of heart, and love, which are the crown and keystone of the ordinances taught by Thee to Thy pure and shining disciples, in order that, by this showing forth of

the memorial of Thy salvation-giving Sufferings, we may be enabled to celebrate Thy glorious Resurrection with the ranks of Thy holy apostles, and with them confessing Thee to be Christ our God, to glorify Thee with the Father and the Holy Spirit.

Peace be to all

And with thy spirit.

Again do we worship and glorify Thee, Christ our God, Co-existent with the Father, and Consubstantial with the Holy Ghost, Who art ever glorified and praised by the ceaseless trisagion chant of the incorporeal and fireformed watchful ones above, in ineffable and wondrous circling rhythm. And Thou art pleased also to receive thanksgivings from us earthly beings, who, following the tradition received from Thy holy apostles, and, so far as lies in our power, imitating those above, circle before Thy Sovereignty prepared with this perceptible sweet and pleasant fragrance. Receive, O Lord, from us sinners, the incense which at this moment we offer unto Thee, as a remembrance of Thine act of humility performed for us, and fill us with the sweet perfume of Thy Divinity in human Form, which Thou didst assume for our sakes; and hy means of this visible washing, wash and cleanse our incorporeal souls from the fatal poison of the serpent, and make us worthy to he holy temples and dwellings of the Holy Trinity, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

APPENDIX C.

(See Page 167.)

EXHORTATION OF THE BLESSED ARCHIMANDRITE JOHANNES.
A DISCOURSE ON LOVE.

God is Love, says the son of thunder, John, the beloved disciple of Christ, and he who hath that Love dwelleth in God, and God in him. And now, my brethren, hearken and understand this discourse on Love. Every one that loveth God, loveth his brother also, for the love of

God is shown by the love ye bear towards your brother. For, he who loves not the brother whom he sees, how shall he love God Whom he cannot see? The proof that we love God lies herein, that we love our brother with a spiritual, and not with a carnal love, for spiritual love differs from carnal love, which, as we continue, we shall explain in the rightful place. But now, everyone who loves is known by God, and he knows God, and everyone who loves not his brother with sympathy, dwells afar from God and the Divine grace cannot be received by him. Every one that loves his brother with a clean (or pure) heart, becomes a dwelling for God, and God dwells in him. For the Lord Himself loved us, and sent the Spirit of truth to dwell in us. For it is by means of love that our comprehensible spirit (mind) may become one with the Inconceivable Spirit of God. And as He loved us, likewise is it His Will that we should, in the selfsame manner, love one another. See, therefore what courage is inspired by love, in this, that it makes man like unto God. For through His Love, God became Man, and showed us that men by their love for God may become like God. For God so loved the world that He sent His Only Begotten Son for the salvation of the world. And if we love each other as God loved us, there is no evil that can intercept our love. For he that loves is known amongst men, and is of good courage before God. For such a one has no fear of sin or of death, but is armed with the love of God and remains undaunted in the face of the most terrible danger. Where there is love, there is no fear; as is said by John, in love is there no fear, for perfect love casteth out fear. For fear cometh from suffering (or grief), and love from confidence. As fear is cast out by love, where there is no love, there is the fear of judgment and dread of perdition in the Great Day of awful Judgmeut. But love makes a man fearless of all danger. I would say, that love which knows not doubt, for doubt and love cannot dwell together.

And it is evident that love, not only in the world of everlasting life produces fruits of peace, but in this world also does it east away all enmity, jealousy, and hatred, spite, wickedness, evil speaking, blasphemy, discontent, backbiting, pride and arrogance, and above all, the mother of all evil, that is, covetousness and the love of money.

Now whoever has love, is free from all these evils, and will reach heaven, the safe and peaceful haven, the state of beatitude.

What is more restful than love, by which one is free from all trouble and doeth that which is agreeable in the sight of God?

Love is the key to the kingdom of heaven, and the path to everlasting life. Love maketh men the sons of God and heirs to the kingdom of heaven. By love is a corrupt nature made pure, and mortals are converted into immortals. Love maketh things earthly into heavenly, and raises the dust-born into beings of fiery essence.

And now, who shall show forth the stupendous greatness of Love? For it is inexpressible and unutterable; just as is the Uncreated Nature of God inscrutable, thus also is the nature of Love. And as God is illimitable, but is ever near to us all, and as He dwelleth in the meek and lowly, and in all who tremble at His Words, likewise is Love near to all who desire it. And it will some of itself and dwell amongst those who seek it, for Love loveth those who love, and hateth those who hate. To those who seek it, it is, like God, ever nigh unto them. For God is Love, and with the love of a pure heart and simple faith is He well pleased.

APPENDIX D.

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O our Lord Jesus Christ, Wonder-working God of might and glory, Inscrutable, Inconceivable, Transcendent over all glories, Who sittest on the chariot of the cherubim, and art hy the celestial trisagion-chanting seraphim acknowledged to be One of the Holy Trinity, wherefore they do offer unto Thee also that same thrice-holy glorification offered to the Father and to the Holy Spirit with flaming mouths and awe-inspiring voices, trembling before the throne of Thy Godhead, declaring the whole earth to be filled with Thy glory!

Thou, Lord, irresistibly drawn by Thy love for humanity, couldst not abandon Thy creatures, those whom Thou didst create out of dust, but wast pleased to receive praise from our nature also, joining our earthly and lowly nature with the fiery spiritual incorporeal essences of those above. And, coming unto the world in unity with the Will of the Father and the Holy Spirit, and from the holy and spotless Virgin Mary taking on Thyself the form of a menial, Thou, Very Word of the Father, didst clothe Thyself with a Body incorruptible and immaculate by a new and marvellous Unity, and fulfilling all that was shadowed forth by the laws, didst become the Completion of all the laws and prophecies, Thou Thyself the True Law-giver, our God Jesus Christ.

And in fulfilment of all, Thou camest to that mysterious upper chamber in order to accomplish the new salvation-giving mystery, and didst carry out the typical killing of the Lamb established by Mosaic law, which was first performed in Egypt.

For Thou Thyself, O Lord, art the True and Holy High Priest, in Thyself the completion of all mysteries, and the Atonement for the sins of the whole world, who by Thyself once offered, didst break up Thy Body through love, and, dispensing It to Thine elect disciples. didst command unto them to relate to us Thy voluntary Sufferings for our sakes, and Thy Death, until the time of Thy second and glorious Coming again.

But, before all this, with ineffable humility having divested Thyself of Thy garments, Thon didst put on an apron, Thou Who art alothed in light as with a garment, and as a Man, didst stoop down on Thy Knees before Thy disciples, to wash their feet of earthly mould, Thou to Whom all earthly creatures and infernal beings bow the knee. And Thou didst teach them true humility by saying, I set ye an example, that even as I did unto you, so also should ye do one to another.

And now, Beneficent Lord, we Thy servants and the flock of Thy pasture, having gathered together in the court of Thy temple, according to Thy divine ordinance, which Thou didst bestow on us through the medium of Thy holy apostles, do beseech Thee to send down from Thy sovereign throne the Co-existent Holy Spirit, Co-glorious with Thy Father, that He may come and abide in this our place of assembly and sanctify this water to the lightening of our sins, directing our footsteps in the path of virtue, that, our feet being thus

strengthened, we may, armed with Thy Cross, advance without stumbling, walking in the everlasting way of Thy commandments. And may we become worthy to receive together with Thy Saints, a portion of their inheritance of light, and with thanksgiving to glorify the Most Holy Trinity now and ever unto all eternity.

Peace be unto you And with thy spirit.

Again do we prostrate ourselves and beseech of Thine all compassionate pity to pardon the vices and iniquities of our souls by means of this water, as in the days of Noah Thou didst cleanse the whole world from its sins, and as the leprosy of Naaman the Syrian was cleansed by the waters of Jordan, and as the divers diseases by the troubling of the waters of Siloam, and the sins of the whole world by means of the holy font of the second birth.

And as Thou didst, at that hour, testifying to Thy Perfect Manhood, according to what was ordained, stoop and wash the feet of Thy chosen apostles, strengthening their feet to preach the gospel to the whole world with boldness, and to fearlessly trample under foot the power of the enemy, so likewise show Thy miraculous power, manloving Lord, hy means of Thy invisible coming down into this our gathering, so that we also, fortified by Thy grace, may without hindrance walk in the ways of Thy commandments, and become worthy to attain salvation with all Thy Saints, and thankfully to glorify Father, Son and Holy Spirit, now and ever, to all eternity. Amen.

APPENDIX E.

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XIII.

With loving care for His belov'd disciples Their anxious grief our Lord dispelled, And gave the sop to Judas, pointing out The hidden traitor, who receiving it — Of the grace of divine Spirit stript — Did, with the betrayal of his Master, Himself to the devil betray.

XIV.

When of the Supreme Light deprived, The lover of darkness went out, The Lord His enlightened disciples warned Against being offended of Him that night. Peter with rashness the thought disowned, Till later the cock's crowing him reproached. Then Christ of His departure spake And of the coming of the Holy Ghost.

XV.

From the mystic chamber went He forth
To the other side of Cedron's vale,
Replacing Adam in Eden's garden
By entering the garden there.

May we, O Lord, with him there enter,
With him whom Thou didst first cast out,
Worthily again to inherit,
The mansions of our Father above.

XVI.

With sorrowful thoughts of His coming Passion

Apart He drew, with three disciples.
"To save the world My Soul is willing, But the nature of My Flesh is weak"
Not that the one was strong and mighty Or the other frail and weak in danger—But, united, one with the other,
More willingly would the Sufferings bear.

XVII.

Aloud He offered prayers for me
To His Father Uncreate.
He, to Whom the world doth kneel,
Humbly kneeling down, did pray
"If, to save mankind be possible
Without my death, as it is written.
Then let this cup of death pass from me—
Though not My will, but Thine, be done."

XVIII.

While covered with the sweat of dread, Which fell as rounded drops of blood, To strengthen Him an angel came; Fulfilling that which had been written, The Word of God man's nature wholly taking —

For it was meet that in Him He should

The fears and sorrows of his Incarnation.

XIX.

Ray of glory, Who in man's nature Suff'redst the Agony of that night, And prayed'st unto thy Father above, Pierce through us with the light of heaven Dispelling the fear of the evil one, And binding up our soul and body In the holy righteous fear of God.

XX.

Approached then Judas the betrayer With a band of Pharisees,
And, like the fallen angels, fell,
To rise again no more.
To these, with a deceitful kiss
The signal of His Death then giving,
Pretending love, he thus betrayed Him
To Him evil for good returning.

XXI.

Then Peter, moved with tender love Severed the ear of the servant Malchus, — That ear which would not hear the Lord. But, as physician and as God Our Lord approaching swiftly healed it. But this the blind ones could not see.

XXII.

Then was scattered the new flock,
After the smiting of its brave Shepherd;
And Peter, the rock, who alone followed
Him,

By a mere girl shaken was.

But when, at the bird's predicted crow Our Lord turned Himself, and at Peter looked —

He, remembering the words of Christ, Wept bitterest tears, recovering his fall.

XXIII.

O. Thou, who the rock of the Church forgave,

Sustained him from falling, to stand again, Because he wept bitterly tears of repentance,

O grant to us, Lord, that we, in like

Guarded may be against pitfalls of error.
O grant to mine eyes abundance of tears,
And pour on my head the waters of
ocean.

XXIV.

Thou, who settest free all fettered hands, Thine own, which none can bind, to fetters gav'st,

And thus wast to the high priest's palace brought.

The impious menials smote that Face On which the winged ones dare not gaze. With filthy mouths they spat on Him, Whose Spittle made the blind to see.

XXV.

- O Thou, Who wast by bondsmen bound, Whilst man from Adam's bondage setting free,
- O loose me from the self-wound chains of hell.
- O Thou Who in Thine Innocence didst stand

Beside the culprit in the judgment hall, With sinners judge me not, O Lord, When in Thy Father's glory Thou shalt come.

XXVI.

O Thou Who wast for Adam's sins So shamefully derided,

O wipe from off my face those sins Through impudence committed.

Thou Who forgav'st the impious ones, Who struck on Thy Most Holy Face, O smite with greater force that evil one Who strikes us with their self-same might.

XXVII.

On the morning of that ancient feast The torch of light stood in the judgment hall, A servant sitting in the judgment seat. And He to Pilate'a questionings gave no reply,

Fulfilling that which of Him had been , written --

"Like was he to a man which did not speak."

XXVIII.

By common soldiers garbed in robes of scorn

Was he, Who rays of light and glory Round about Him as a mantle wove.

Bowing down, they then did mock and strike him,

With reeds they struck Him, and with thoms they crowned

The One Who came to pluck our thoras of sin.

XXIX.

To the place of a skull where was laid the first man,

He, at Whose Presence the Cherubim tremble,

Patiently bore His Cross of wood. To drink they gave Him wine with myrrh. And nourishment with gall, by tasting

which,
He changed for us to sweet and pleasant

The bitterness of the forbidden fruit.

XXX.

The hosts above with terror were amazed At the sight of their Lord to nakedness stript, —

His Garments divided, lots cast on his Vesture. —

Sharply pierced were His Hands and Feet As prophetic David sang.

The Fingers that wrote on the tablets of stone

To the cross of wood were nailed.

XXXI.

Stretched were His Hands for the hands of Adam,

His Feet for those that neared the bitter fruit

Upon that tree which by His Holy Death Was changed into the Tree of Life. Stript naked hung the Giver of Laws, A criminal on either side. But of all the blind assembled there

But of all the blind assembled there None but the robber Him recognised.

XXXII.

The sun in the sky turned day into night, And the shadows veiled His nakedness, That no unworthy eye might see it. At noon the sun darkened for Adam's sin, But at the ninth hour, with glory shone forth.

When death by death was overcome,

XXXIII

As by the cross she stood, the Mother of Our Lord

Shed tears of sorrow when she heard her Only Son

Cry out with thirst, receiving gall
And vinegar, the One who made the rock
Gush forth with water, and through Eden
rivers flow.

XXXIV.

As waned the third hour, our mother Eve To the serpent's crafty wiles did yield. At the sixth did Adam fall, By her heguiling words persuaded. At that same hour, Our Blessed Lord On the cross for their ains atoned. And when Adam of old did Eden quit, He placed the robber there.

XXXV.

As He to His Father cried aloud With touching words, "Eloi, Eloi!" Freely His Spirit yielding up, Our human souls he then presented. The earth to its foundations shook, The veil of the temple reut in twain, And the dead from their graves uprose.

XXXVI.

Miraculous wonder of wonders!
The Crucified God Who died for me
Did in our human nature die,
To manifest the immortal God.
By the streams of His Side is His Church established
And, purified by water, she doth drink His Blood.
Giving glory to the Father with the Son.