

KATAVASIAS OF PASCHA

First Tone'

English by Fr. G. Papadeas, music by N. Takis

π ₉ Ode 1
|| It is the Day of Res - ur - rec - tion! O peo -

ple, let us glo - ry in splen - dor! Δ Pas - cha, the Lord's

Pas - cha! π ₉ For Christ our God has trans - port - ed us

who sing the tri - um - phal_ hymn Δ from death to life and

from earth to heav - en. π ₉ Ode 3
|| Come let us drink _ a new

drink, not one mi - rac - u-lous-ly brought forth from bar - ren_ rock,

π ₉ but from the Foun - tain of Im - mor - tal - i - ty Δ

sprung forth from Christ's tomb from which we are ed - _ i - _ fied. π ₉

Ode 4
|| Let the God - in - spi - r'd proph - et Ha - bak-kuk keep with

us the di - vine ___ watch Δ and point out the light - ___ bear - ing

An-___ gel, who with a vi - brant voice de-clared: π ₉ To - day sal-

-va - tion comes to the world for Christ has ris - en as Al-

π ₉ **Ode 5** \parallel might - y. Let us a - rise in the ear - ly dawn Δ

and, in - stead of myrrh, of-fer hymns ___ to the Mas - ter; π ₉ and

we shall see Christ the Sun of Right-eous-ness dawn-ing life ___ to ___

π ₉ **Ode 6** \parallel all. You de - scend-___ ed in - to the deep-___ est parts ___

of the earth, π ₉ and you shat-tered the ev - er-last - ing bars which

held ___ fast those fet - tered. π ₉ And on the third day, like Jo - nah

from the whale, You a - rose ___ from the tomb. π 9 || Ode 7 The on - ly

bless-___ ed and glo - ___ ri-ous God ___ of our fa - ___ thers Δ

who re - deemed the chil - dren from the fur-___ nace be - came man,

suf-___ fered as mor - tal, π 9 and through suf - fer-ing He clothes

the mor - tal with the grace of in-cor - rup - tion. π 9 || We praise,

we bless, and we wor-___ ship the Lord. ___ π 9 || Ode 8 This is the

cho - sen and Ho - ly Day, the first ___ of the Sab - baths, Δ the

Queen and Sov - 'reign, the Feast of Feasts, π 9 the Fes - ti - val

of Fes - ti-vals, in which we bless ___ Christ ___ to all ag - es. π 9

NINTH ODE AND TROPARIA

π
 ρ
 1. O mag - ni - fy my soul, ___ Him who will-
 ing - ly suf - fered, Δ was bur - ied and a - rose ___ from the tomb
 ___ on the third day. π
 ρ Shine forth, O shine ___ forth! Shine
 forth, O New Je - ru - sa-lem, for on you there is dawn-
 ___ ing all the glo - ry of the Lord. π
 ρ Dance ___ now with joy
 and, O Zi-___ on, be glad! Δ Great-___ ly de-light, Pur - est The-
 -o - to - ___ kos, in the a - ri - sing of Him born of you.

π
 ρ
 2. O mag - ni - fy my soul, ___ Christ, the Giv - er of
 Life, Who a - rose ___ from the tomb ___ on the third day. π
 ρ Div-
 ine and be - lov-___ ed! The ver - y sweet - ness of your voice!

π 9 For you tru - ly have prom - ___ ised to be ev - er-more

with us π 9 un-___ to the end of the ag-___ es, O Christ.

Δ Where-___ fore with faith, we have as our an - ___ chor your

words of hope, ___ and are ju - bil - ant. π 9 3. Christ the new

Pas - cha, the liv - ing sac - ri-fice, Δ the Lamb of God Who takes

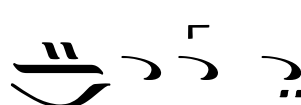
a-way the sin ___ of the world. π 9 A Pas - cha most ho-___

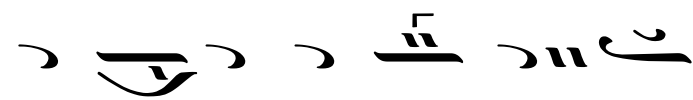
ly, O Christ, the great - est Pass - o-ver! O Wis - dom

and Lo - ___ gos and the Pow - er of our God. π 9 Grant ___ to


your peo - ple the clear-___ est of signs Δ that ___ we may share


in the nev - er - wan - ___ ing Day of Your King-___ dom with


 You, we__ pray. π
9 *Katavasia* The an - gel cried to her __ who


 was filled with grace, ex - clai - ming: Δ
9 "Re - joice, O pu-rest Vir-__


 gin! A - gain, re-joyce, I tell __ you, Δ
9 be - cause your Son


 is ri - __ __ sen from three days of en - tomb-ment." π
9 Shine

 forth, O shine __ forth! Shine forth, O New Je - ru - sa-

 lem, for on you there is dawn - __ ing all the glo - ry of the

 Lord. π
9 Dance __ now with joy and, O Zi - __ on, be glad!

 Great-__ ly de-light, Pur - est The - o - to - __ kos, Δ
9 in

 the a - ri - sing of Him born of__ you. π
9

NEW BYZANTIUM PUBLICATIONS

www.newbyz.org