

## THE KATAVASIAI OF THE RESURRECTION SERVICE

Plagal First Tone

English translation by Fr. George Papadeas set to chant by N. Takis

### Ode 1



It is the Day of Res-ur - rec - tion! O peo-ple, let us glo-ry in splen-dor!



Pas - cha, the Lord's Pas - cha! For Christ our God has trans-



- port-ed us who sing the tri - um - phal hymn from death to life and from earth to

### Ode 3



heav - en. Come let us drink a new drink, not one mi - rac-u-lous-ly



brought forth from bar-ren rock, but from the Foun-tain of Im-mor - tal-i-ty



spring forth from Christ's tomb from which we are ed - i - fied.

### Ode 4



Let the God-in-spi-r'd proph-et Ha-bak-kuk keep with us the di-



- vine watch and point out the light-bear-ing An-gel, who with a



vi-brant voice de - clared: To - day sal - va-tion comes to the world for

### Ode 5



Christ has ris-en as Al - mighty. Let us a - rise in the ear-ly



dawn and, in-stead of myrrh, of-fer hymns to the Mas - ter; and we shall see

Christ the Sun of Right-eous-ness dawn-ing life to all.

## Ode 6

You de-scend-ed In-to the deep-est *uni.* parts of the earth, and you

shat-tered the ev-er-last-ing bars which held fast those fet-tered.

And on the third day, like Jo-nah from the whale, You a-rose from the tomb.

## Ode 7

The on-ly bless-ed and glo-ri-ous God of our fa-thers who re-

- deemed the chil-dren from the fur-nace be-came man, suf-fered as

mor-tal, and through suf-fer-ing He clothes the mor-tal with the

grace of in-cor-rupt-ion. We praise, we bless, and we wor-ship the Lord.

## Ode 8

This is the cho-sen and Ho-ly Day, the first of the Sab-baths, the

Queen and Sov-'reign, *uni.* the Feast of Feasts, the Fes-ti-val of Fes-ti-vals,

in which we bless Christ to all ag-es.

# ODE NINE – MEGALYNARIA

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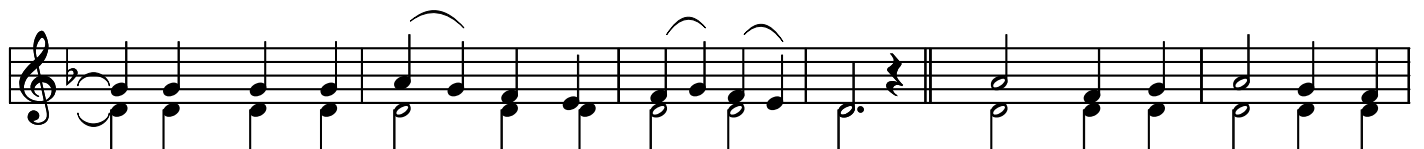
1. O mag-ni-fy my soul, Him who will-ing-ly suf-fered, was bur-ied and a-  
- rose from the tomb on the third day. Shine forth, O shine forth! Shine  
forth, O New Je - ru-sa-lem, for on you there is dawn - ing all the  
glo-ry of the Lord. Dance now with joy and, O Zi - on, be glad! Great-ly de-  
- light, Pur-est The-o - to - kos, in the a - ri-sing of Him born of you.. 2. O  
mag-ni-fy my soul, Christ, the Giv - er of Life, Who a - rose from the tomb on the  
third day. Div - ine and be - lov-ed! The ver-y sweet-ness of your voice! For you



tru-ly have prom - ised to be ev-er-more with us un - to the end of the



ag - es, O Christ. Where - fore with faith, we have as our an - chor



your words of hope, and are ju - bil - ant.. 3. Christ the new Pas-cha, the



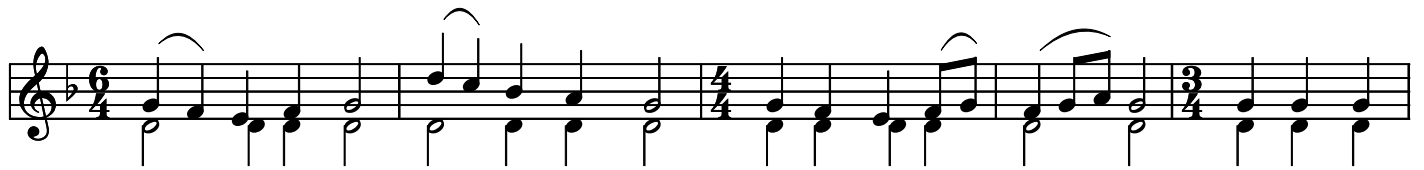
liv-ing sac-ri-fice, the Lamb of God Who takes a-way the sin of the world. A



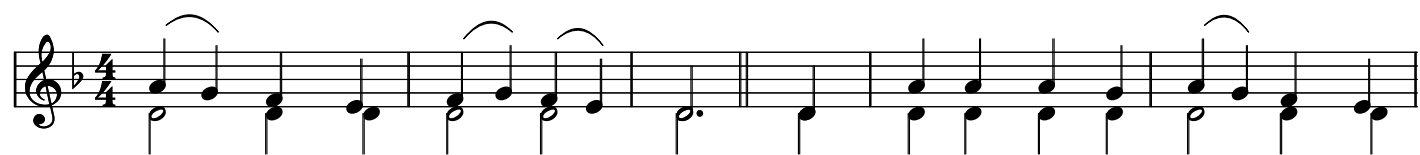
Pas-cha most ho - ly, O Christ, the great-est Pass-o-ver! O Wis-dom and



Lo - gos and the Pow-er of our God. Grant to your peo-ple the



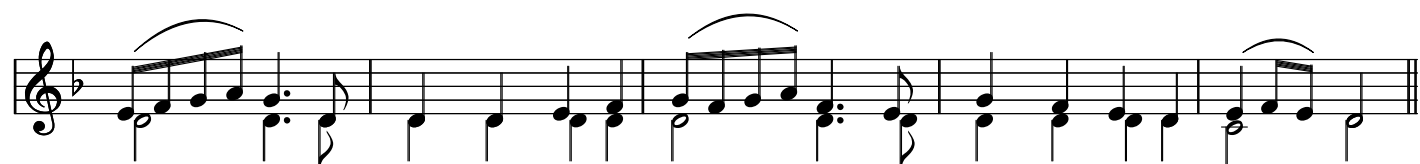
clear-est of signs that we may share in the nev-er - wan - ing Day of Your



King - dom with You, we pray. 4. The an - gel cried to her who was



filled with grace, ex - clai - ming: "Re - joice, O pu - rest Vir - gin! A - gain, re - joice, I



tell you, be - cause your Son is ri - sen from three days of en - tomb - ment."



Shine forth, O shine forth! Shine forth, O New Je - ru - sa - lem, for on you there is



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Zi - on, be glad! Great - ly de - light, Pur - est The - o - to - kos, in the a -



- ri - sing of Him born of you..