

Troparion

TONE 4

O Christ God, Thou hast ascended in Glo - ry, grant-ing joy to Thy

disciples by the promise of the Ho-ly Spi - rit. Through the blessing they

were as - sured that Thou art the Son of God, the Re - dee - mer of

Kontakion

TONE 6

the world!

When Thou didst fulfill the dis-pen-sa - tion

for our sake, and u - nite earth to hea - ven : Thou didst ascend

in glo - ry, O Christ our God, not be-ing part-ed from those who

love Thee, but remaining with them and cry - ing: I am with you

and no one will be a - gainst you!

TONE 7

Prokeimenon

(Psalm 57)

Be Thou ex - alt-ed, O God, above the hea - vens and Thy glo - ry

o - ver all the earth!

VERSE: My heart is steadfast, O God,
my heart is steadfast! I will sing
and make melody in my glory!

The Hymn to the Theotokos

Taken from the Canon
Tone 5

Slow!

Mag - ni - fy, O my soul, Christ the Giv - er of Life, who

has a - scend - ed from earth to hea - ven! We mag - ni - fy, the

Mo - ther of God, who be - yond rea - son and un - der - stand - ing

gave birth in time to the Time - less One!

Communion Hymn

(Psalm 47)

God has gone up with a shout; the Lord with the sound of a trum-pet Alleluia(3).