

SUNDAY 22 NOVEMBER 2015

25th Sunday after Pentecost – Afterfeast of the Entry of the Most Holy Theotokos into the Temple

MATINS

“God is the Lord...” with its stichoi in Tone 8 followed by the **Troparia**:

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| Tone 8 | Troparion of the Resurrection Glory ... | Green Book page 16 |
| Tone 8 | Troparion of the Resurrection Both now ... | Green Book page 16 |
| Tone 4 | Troparion of the Entry into the Temple | White Book page 27 |

The **Kathismata** from the Octoechos for Tone 8. The Theotokia are replaced by those of the Afterfeast:

First Kathisma

The nourisher of our Life, now an infant in body, the offspring of the just Joachim and Anna, is offered to God today in the holy Sanctuary. She was blessed therein by the priest Zacharias. Therefore let us all, with faith, proclaim she is blessed, for she is the Mother of the Lord.

Second Kathisma

Consecrated unto God before thy conception; being born on earth thou art now offered unto Him as a gift, O pure one, fulfilling the promise made by thy parents. In purity returned from infancy unto the Holy Temple with lamps shining brightly, in truth thou wast thyself a Temple divine and a Vessel of the divine unapproachable Light. How truly great is thy sacred entrance, O only ever-virgin Bride of God!

Polieley is sung Matins booklet page 33

The **Evlogetaria** are sung Matins booklet page 35

The **Hypakoë**, **Anabathmoi** and the **Prokeimenon** with its accompanying stichos are all from the Octoechos Tone 8.

The 3rd Eothinon Gospel is read from the Holy Table.

After the Gospel:

“Having beheld the Resurrection of Christ ...” Matins booklet page 44

Psalm 50

Troparia following Psalm 50 Matins booklet page 46

The Intercession

The **Great Doxology** with the Troparion “Rising from the tomb ...”

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DIVINE LITURGY

TYPICAL PSALMS AND BEATITUDES

ENTRANCE HYMN

O come, let us worship and fall down before Christ. O Son of God, who art risen from the dead, save us who sing to Thee: Alleluia!

TROPARIA AND KONTAKIA

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| Tone 8 | Troparion of the Resurrection | Green Book page 16 |
| Tone 4 | Troparion of the Entry into the Temple | White Book page 27 |
| Tone 2 | Troparion of Saint Chad | Folder |
| Tone 8 | Kontakion of the Resurrection | Green Book page 16 |
| | Glory ... | |
| Tone 2 | Kontakion of Saint Chad | Folder |
| | Both now ... | |
| Tone 4 | Kontakion of the Entry into the Temple | White Book page 29 |

TRISAGION (“Holy God ...”) as usual.

PROKEIMENON Tone 8

Pray and make your vows * before the Lord our God!
v: In Judah God is known; His name is great in Israel!

PROKEIMENON Tone 3

My soul doth magnify the Lord * and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

EPISTLE: Ephesians 4:1-7 & Hebrews 9:1-7

ALLELUIA

v: Come let us rejoice in the Lord! Let us make a joyful noise to God our Saviour!
v: Let us come before His face with thanksgiving; let us make a joyful noise to Him with psalms!
v: Hearken, O daughter, and see, and incline thy ear!

GOSPEL: Luke 12:16-21 & Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28

MEGALYNARION

The angels beheld the entrance of the Pure One White Book page 33

COMMUNION HYMNS

Praise the Lord from the heavens! Praise Him in the highest! I will take the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.