

Sunday, 4th February 2018
The Sunday of the Prodigal Son
Afterfeast of the Meeting of our Lord

Tone 2

Priestless Vespers (celebrated on Saturday night, 3rd February 2018):

Subdeacon: Through the prayers of our holy fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy upon us and save us.

Choir: Amen.

Reader: O Heavenly King... *and the rest of the Trisagion Prayers, through* ...but deliver us from the evil one.

Choir: Amen.

Reader: Lord, have mercy *x12*.

Come, let us worship God our King.

Come, let us worship Christ, our King and our God.

Come, let us worship and fall down before Christ Himself, our King and our God.

Come, let us worship and fall down before Him.

Psalm 103 is read in its entirety

Reader: Lord, have mercy. *x40*

Kathisma: *The first and last verses of each Psalm from the 1st Stasis of the 1st Kathisma are read, with Alleluia x3 between each one.*

Reader: Lord, have mercy. *x3*

The hand censer is lit.

Lord, I call upon thee on 10, tone 2: *Note: we chant all the lamplighting psalms*

Resurrection Octoechos Tone 2: four verses (Vespers folder)

Prodigal Son, Tone 1: three verses *repeat first verse* (Sheet)

Meeting of our Lord, Tone 1: three verses (Sheet)

Glory... Prodigal Son, Tone 2 (Sheet)

Both now... Dogmatic, Tone 2 (Vespers folder)

Gladsome Light

Prokeimenon of the day (*The Lord hath become king...*) Note: the reader chants the verses

Reader: Lord, have mercy. *x3*

Reader: Vouchsafe...

Aposticha: Resurrection (tone 2) (Vespers folder)

Glory... Prodigal Son Tone 6 (Sheet)

Both now... Meeting Tone 8 (Sheet)

Apolytikia: Resurrection Tone 2: (Vespers folder / Green book)

Glory... Resurrection Tone 2: (Vespers folder / Green book)

Both now... Meeting of our Lord (White book page 95)

Vespers dismissal:

Choir: Bless, Oh Lord!

Subdeacon: Through the prayers of our holy fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy upon us and save us.

Choir: Amen

Polychronion