The Dormition of Our Lady
the Theotokos and Ever-virgin Mary

August 15

Apolytikion

Intonation: #1
First Mode

Allegro \( \frac{1}{2} \) 150

In giving birth, thou didst preserve thy virginity; in thy dormition, thou didst not forsake the world, O Theotokos. Thou wast translated unto life, since thou art the Mother of Life; and by thine inter-
ces - sions dost thou re - deem our souls_ from___death.

Finale:

our souls_ from___ death.
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Kontakion
Second Mode

Intonation: #4

Allegro \( \downarrow \, 150 \)

The grave and death could not hold the Theotokos, who is un-sleeping in her intercessions

and an un-failing hope in her meditations. For as the Mother of Life she was translated to

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life by Him Who dwelt in her ever-virgin womb.