Brief Aposticha

First Mode

Aposticha #1

By Thy passion, O Christ, we were freed from the passions, and by Thy Resurrection we were delivered from corruption. Lord, glory be to Thee.

Verse #2

The Lord is king; He is clothed with majesty. The Lord is
clothed with strength and He hath girt Himself.

Let creation rejoice, let the heavens be glad, let the nations clap their hands with joy. For Christ our Saviour hath nailed our sins to the Cross; and in slaying death, He hath granted us life. And as the Friend of man, He hath raised up the whole race of fallen Adam.

Aposticha #2

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For He established the world which shall not be shaken.

Aposticha #3

Though King of heaven and earth, O Incomprehensible

One, Thou wast crucified willingly out of love for man. On meeting Thee below, Hades was emmitted; whilst the souls of the righteous, on receiving Thee, were gladdened. And Adam, on seeing Thee, the Cre-
tor, in the nethermost parts, did arise. O wonder! How did the Life of all taste of death? were it not that He willed to enlighten the world that doth cry out and say: Thou that art risen from the dead, Lord, glory be to Thee.

Verse #4

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Ho-li-ness be-com-eth Thy house, O Lord, un-to length of days.
The myrrh-bearing women, carrying myrrh-oils,
reached Thy sepulchre with haste and lamentation; and not
finding Thine immaculate Body, they learned from the angel
of the new and strange wonder, and said unto the apostles: Ris-en is the Lord Who grant-eth great mer-cy un-to the world.
Glory... Both now...

Δόξα Πατρι

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Both now and ever, and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

Aposticha Theotokion

Ιδού πεπλήρωται

Be hold, fulfilled is the prophecy of Isaiah:

For as a virgin hast thou given birth, and after
giving birth, thou hast remained as thou wast before child-

so, He hath renewed all natures. But, O Mother of

that are offered unto thee in thy temple; but,

since thou holdest the Compassionate One in thine arms,

that our souls be saved.