Brief Stichera

Second Mode

Ἐξάγαγε ἐκ φυλακῆς

Verse #1

Bring my soul out of prison that I may confess Thy Name.

Stichera #1

Τὸν πρὸ αἰώνων

Come, let us worship God the Word, Who was begotten of the Father before ages, and was incarnate of the Virgin Mary; for having endured the Cross, He was delivered over to burial, as He willed; and arising from the dead, He saved me, the erring man.
Verse #2

Ἐμὲ ὑπομενοῦσιν

The righteous shall wait patiently for me until Thou shalt reeward me.

Stichera #2

Χριστὸς ὁ Σωτὴρ ἡμῶν

av- ing nailed__ to the Cross the hand-writ-ing that was a-

gainst us, Christ our Sav-iour__ hath blot- ted it out, and hath de-stroyed the
do-min-i-on of death. We wor-ship His__ a-ris-ing on the third
day.
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Verse #3

'Ek baphéon

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0ut of the depths have I cried un-to Thee, O Lord; O

Lord, hear my voice.

Stichera #3

Σύν Ἁρχαγγέλοις

with the arch-angels let us praise the Resurrection of Christ; for He is the Re-deem-er and Sav-iour of our souls.

And in awe-some glo-ry and might-y pow-er, He com-eth a-gain
to judge the world which He fash-ioned.
Verse #4

Let Thine ears be attentive to the voice of my supplication.

Stichera #4

Be to the voice of my supplication.
Verse #5

Θὰν ἀνομίας...

If Thou should-est mark iniquities, O Lord, O Lord, who shall stand? For with Thee there is forgive-ness.

Stichera #5

Ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ σου...

Thy Cross, Thou didst abol- ish the curse of the tree; by Thy burial, Thou hast slain the might of death; and by Thine arising, Thou hast en-light-ened the race of man. Where-fore, we cry out to Thee: O Ben-e-fac-tor, Christ our God, glo- ry be to Thee.
Verse #6

"Ένεκεν τοῦ ὄνομάτός σου

For Thy Name's sake have I patiently waited for Thee, O Lord; my soul hath waited patiently for Thy word, my soul hath hoped in the Lord.

Stichera #6

'Ηνοίγησάν σοι Κύριε

Out of fear, the gates of death opened unto Thee, O Lord; and on beholding Thee, the gate-keepers of Hades trembled; for Thou didst crush the brazen gates, and didst break the iron bars. And Thou didst lead us out of darkness and the shadow of death, and didst break our bonds a-sunder.
Verse #7

from the morning watch until night, from the morning watch

let Israel hope in the Lord.

Stichera #7

hanging the hymn of salvation, with our mouths let us sing:

Come ye all, let us fall prostrate in the House of the Lord, saying:

Thou Who wast crucified upon the Tree, and didst arise from the dead,

and art in the bosom of the Father, be gracious unto our sins.
**Verse #8**

or with the Lord there is mercy, and with Him is plentiful redemption; and He shall redeem Israel out of all his iniquities.

**Verse #9**

praise the Lord, all ye nations; praise Him, all ye peoples.

**Verse #10**

or He hath made His mercy to prevail over us, and the truth of the Lord abideth for ever.
Glory...  
Δόξα Πατρι...

Both now...  
Καὶ νῦν

Dogmatic Theotokion  
Παρήλθεν ἡ σκιά
the stead__ of a pillar of fire, there hath arisen__ the
Sun of Righteousness; in the stead of Moses, Christ, the Salvation
of our souls.