

**DIVINE LITURGY VARIABLES ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 04, 2026**  
**TONE 1 / EOTHINON 7; EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**& SECOND SUNDAY OF LUKE**

HIEROMARTYR HIEROTHEOS, BISHOP OF ATHENS; HIEROMARTYR PETER OF CAPITOLIA IN SYRIA;  
MARTYRS DOMNINA AND HER DAUGHTERS OF SYRIA

- *During the Little Entrance, chant the Resurrectional Apolytikion. The Eisodikon (Entrance Hymn) is "O come, let us worship... save us, O Son of God, Who art risen from the dead..." After the Little Entrance, chant these hymns in the following order:*

| RESURRECTIONAL APOLYTIKION<br>IN TONE ONE                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | أبوليتيكيون القيامة باللحن الأول                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| <p>When the stone had been sealed by the Jews, and the soldiers were guarding Thine immaculate body, Thou didst arise on the third day, O Saviour, granting the life unto the world. Wherefore, the powers of the heavens cried out to Thee, O Life-giver: Glory to Thy Resurrection, O Christ. Glory to Thy Kingdom, Glory to Thy dispensation, O only Friend of man.</p>                                                                                                                                                      | <p>إِنَّ الْحَجَرَ لَمَّا خُتِمَ مِنَ الْيَهُودِ، وَجَسَدَكَ الطَّاهِرَ حَفِظَ مِنَ الْجُنْدِ، قُمْتَ فِي الْيَوْمِ الثَّالِثِ أَيُّهَا الْمُخَلِّصُ، مَانِحاً الْعَالَمَ الْحَيَاةَ. لِذَلِكَ قَوَّاتُ السَّمَاوَاتِ، هَتْفُوا إِلَيْكَ يَا وَاهِبَ الْحَيَاةِ: الْمَجْدُ لِقِيَامَتِكَ أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ، الْمَجْدُ لِمُلْكِكَ، الْمَجْدُ لَتَدْبِيرِكَ، يَا مُحِبَّ الْبَشَرِ وَحَنَكَ.</p>                                                                                   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Now sing the apolytikion of the patron saint or feast of the temple.</i></li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| ORDINARY KONTAKION IN TONE TWO                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | قِنْدَاقُ بِاللْحَنِ الثَّانِي                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <p>O protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, mediation unto the Creator most constant, O despise not the suppliant voices of those who have sinned; but be thou quick, O good one, to come unto our aid, who in faith cry unto thee: Hasten to intercession, and speed thou to make supplication, thou who dost ever protect, O Theotokos, them that honor thee.</p>                                                                                                                                              | <p>يَا شَفِيعَةَ الْمَسِيحِيِّينَ غَيْرِ الْخَازِيَةِ، الْوَسِيطَةَ لَدَى الْخَالِقِ غَيْرِ الْمَرْذُودَةِ، لَا تُعْرِضِي عَنْ أَصْوَاتِ طَلِبَاتِنَا نَحْنُ الْخَطَاةَ، بَلْ تَدَارِكِينَا بِالْمَعُونَةِ بِمَا أَنْكَ صَالِحَةٌ، نَحْنُ الصَّارِخِينَ إِلَيْكَ بِإِيمَانٍ: بَادِرِي إِلَى الشَّفَاعَةِ وَأُسْرِعِي فِي الطَّلِبَةِ، يَا وَالِدَةَ الْإِلَهِ، الْمُتَشَفِّعَةَ دَائِمًا بِمُكْرَمِيكَ.</p>                                                                        |
| THE EPISTLE<br>(For the Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | الرسالة (لالأحد الثامن عشر بعد العنصرة)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| <p><i>Let Thy mercy, O Lord, be upon us.<br/> Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous.</i></p> <p><b>The Reading from the Second Epistle of St. Paul to the Corinthians. (9:6-11)</b></p> <p>Brethren, the one who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly; and the one who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Let each one do according to what he has purposed in his heart, not grudgingly, or under compulsion; for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to make all grace abound to you; that you, having</p> | <p>لِتَكُنْ يَا رَبُّ رَحْمَتُكَ عَلَيْنَا.<br/> ابْتَهِجُوا أَيُّهَا الصَّادِقُونَ بِالرَّبِّ.</p> <p><b>فصل من رسالة القديس بولس الرسول الثانية إلى أهل كورنثوس. (٩: ٦-١١)</b></p> <p>يَا إِخْوَةُ، إِنَّ مَنْ يَزْرَعُ شَحِيحاً، فَشَحِيحاً أَيْضاً يَحْصُدُ؛ وَمَنْ يَزْرَعُ بِالْبَرَكَاتِ، فَبِالْبَرَكَاتِ أَيْضاً يَحْصُدُ. كُلُّ وَاحِدٍ كَمَا نَوَى فِي قَلْبِهِ، لَا عَنْ ابْتِئَاسٍ أَوْ اضْطِرَارٍ. فَإِنَّ اللَّهَ يُحِبُّ الْمُعْطِيَ الْمُتَهَلِّلَ. وَاللَّهُ</p> |

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| <p>always all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work. As it is written: "He has scattered abroad, He has given to the poor; His righteousness endures forever"; now He, who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food, will supply and multiply your seed for sowing, and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in all things for every generosity, which works through us thanksgiving to God.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <p>قَادِرٌ أَنْ يَزِيدَكُمْ كُلَّ نِعْمَةٍ، حَتَّى تَكُونَ لَكُمْ كُلُّ كِفَايَةٍ، كُلَّ حِينٍ، فِي كُلِّ شَيْءٍ، فَتَزْدَادُوا فِي كُلِّ عَمَلٍ صَالِحٍ. كَمَا كُتِبَ "إِنَّهُ بَدَّدَ، أَعْطَى الْمَسَاكِينَ، فَبِرَّهُ يَدُومُ إِلَى الْأَبَدِ." وَالَّذِي يَرْزُقُ الزَّارِعَ زَرْعاً وَخُبْزاً لِلْقَوْتِ، يَرْزُقُكُمْ زَرْعَكُمْ وَيُكَثِّرُهُ وَيَزِيدُ غِلَالَ بَرِّكُمْ. فَتَسْتَعْنُونَ فِي كُلِّ شَيْءٍ، لِكُلِّ سَخَاءٍ خَالِصٍ يُنْشِئُ شُكْرًا لِلَّهِ.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| <p><b>THE GOSPEL</b><br/><b>(For the Second Sunday of Luke)</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <p><b>الإنجيل (لأحد الثاني من لوقا)</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| <p><b>The Reading from the Holy Gospel according to St. Luke. (6:31-36)</b></p> <p>The Lord said: "As you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for He is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."</p> | <p><b>فَصَلِّ شَرِيفٌ مِنْ بَشَارَةِ الْقَدِيسِ لُوقَا الْإِنْجِيلِيّ الْبَشِيرِ وَالتَّلْمِيزِ الطَّاهِرِ. (٣٦-٣١:٦)</b></p> <p>قَالَ الرَّبُّ: كَمَا تُرِيدُونَ أَنْ يَفْعَلَ النَّاسُ بِكُمْ، كَذَلِكَ افْعَلُوا أَنْتُمْ بِهِمْ. فَإِنَّكُمْ إِنْ أَحْبَبْتُمْ الَّذِينَ يُحِبُّونَكُمْ، فَآيَةُ مِنَّةٍ لَكُمْ؟ فَإِنَّ الْخَطَاةَ أَيْضاً يُحِبُّونَ الَّذِينَ يُحِبُّونَهُمْ. وَإِذَا أَحْسَنْتُمْ إِلَى الَّذِينَ يُحْسِنُونَ إِلَيْكُمْ، فَآيَةُ مِنَّةٍ لَكُمْ؟ فَإِنَّ الْخَطَاةَ أَيْضاً هَكَذَا يَصْنَعُونَ. وَإِنْ أَقْرَضْتُمْ الَّذِينَ تَرْجُونَ أَنْ تَسْتَوْفُوا مِنْهُمْ، فَآيَةُ مِنَّةٍ لَكُمْ؟ فَإِنَّ الْخَطَاةَ أَيْضاً يَقْرِضُونَ الْخَطَاةَ لِكَيْ يَسْتَوْفُوا مِنْهُمْ الْمِثْلَ. وَلَكِنْ، أَحْبُوا أَعْدَاءَكُمْ، وَأَحْسِنُوا وَأَقْرِضُوا غَيْرَ مُؤَمِّلِينَ شَيْئاً، فَيَكُونَ أَجْرُكُمْ كَثِيراً، وَتَكُونُوا بَنِي الْعَلِيِّ. فَإِنَّهُ مُنْعِمٌ عَلَى غَيْرِ الشَّاكِرِينَ وَالْأَشْرَارِ. فَكُونُوا رُحَمَاءَ كَمَا أَنَّ أَبَاكُمْ هُوَ رَحِيمٌ.</p> |
| <p>• The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom continues as usual.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <p><b>THE DISMISSAL</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <p><b>الختم</b></p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| <p><b>Priest:</b> May he who rose from the dead, Christ our true God, through the intercessions of his all-immaculate and all-blameless holy Mother; by the might of the precious and life-giving cross; by the protection of the honorable bodiless powers of heaven; at the supplication of the honorable, glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John; of the holy, glorious and all-laudable apostles; of our father among the saints, John Chrysostom, archbishop of</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | <p><b>الكاهن:</b> أَيُّهَا الْمَسِيحُ إِلَهُنَا الْحَقِيقِي، يَا مَنْ قَامَ مِنْ بَيْنِ الْأَمْوَاتِ، بِشَفَاعَاتِ أُمِّكَ الْكُلِّيَّةِ الطَّهَارَةِ وَالْبَرِّيَّةِ مِنْ كُلِّ عَيْبٍ؛ وَبِقُدْرَةِ الصَّلِيبِ الْكَرِيمِ الْمُخْيِي؛ وَبِطُلُوبَاتِ الْقَوَاتِ السَّمَاوِيَّةِ الْمُكَرَّمَةِ الْعَامِمَةِ الْأَجْسَادِ؛ وَالنَّبِيِّ الْكَرِيمِ السَّابِقِ الْمَجِيدِ يُوْحَنَّا الْمَعْمَدَانِ؛ وَالْقَدِيسِينَ الْمُشْرِفِينَ الرُّسُلِ الْجَدِيرِينَ بِكُلِّ مَدِيحٍ؛ وَأَبِينَا الْجَلِيلِ فِي الْقَدِيسِينَ يُوْحَنَّا الذَّهَبِيِّ</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| <p>Constantinople, whose Divine Liturgy we have now celebrated; of the holy, glorious and right-victorious martyrs; of our venerable and God-bearing fathers; of Saint N. (<i>patron saint of the church</i>); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God, Joachim and Anna; of the Hieromartyr Hierotheos, bishop of Athens, whose memory we celebrate; and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, forasmuch as he is good and loveth mankind.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | <p>الْقَمِ رَئِيسِ أَسَاقِفَةِ الْقُسْطَنْطِينِيَّةِ، كَاتِبِ هَذِهِ الْخِزْمَةِ الشَّرِيفَةِ، وَالْقَدِّيسِينَ الْمَجِيدِينَ الشُّهَدَاءِ الْمُتَأَلِّقِينَ بِالظَّفَرِ؛ وَأَبَائِنَا الْأَبْرَارِ الْمُتَوَشَّحِينَ بِاللَّهِ؛ وَالْقَدِّيسِ (ة) (فُلَان، فُلَانَة) شَفِيعِ (ة) وَحَامِي (ة) هَذِهِ الرَّعِيَّةِ الْمُقَدَّسَةِ؛ وَالْقَدِّيسِينَ الصِّدِّيقِينَ جَدِّي الْمَسِيحِ إِلَهِ، يُوَاكِيمَ وَحَنَّةَ؛ وَالشَّهِيدَ إِيروثاؤُسَ أَسْقُفَ أَثِينَا، الَّتِي نَقِيمُ تَذْكَارَهُ الْيَوْمَ، وَجَمِيعَ قَدِّيسِيكَ، أَرْحَمْنَا وَخَلَّصْنَا بِمَا أَنَّكَ صَالِحٌ وَمُحِبٌّ لِلْبَشَرِ.</p> |
| <p><b>Priest:</b> Through the prayers of our holy fathers, Lord Jesus Christ our God, have mercy upon us and save us.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <p><b>الكاهن:</b> بِصَلَوَاتِ آبَائِنَا الْقَدِّيسِينَ، أَيُّهَا الرَّبُّ يَسُوعُ الْمَسِيحُ إِلَهُنَا، أَرْحَمْنَا وَخَلَّصْنَا.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <p><b>Choir:</b> Amen.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <p><b>الجوقة:</b> آمين.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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