Let us sing unto the only Savior and God, Who guided the people dry-shod in the sea, and drowned Pharaoh with all his forces; for He is glorified.
By the power of Thy Cross, O Christ, do Thou make steadfast mine understanding, that I may hymn and glorify Thy saving Ascension.
Ode 4

I have heard the report of the mighty deeds of Thy Cross, O Lord, how Paradise was opened thereby, and I cried: Glory to Thy power, O Lord.
Ode 5

Waking at dawn we cry unto Thee, O Lord, save us,

for Thou art our God; besides Thee

we know none other.
The abyss hath encompassed me, the sea-monster is become my grave; but I cried unto Thee, the Friend of man, and Thy right hand saved me, O Lord.
Ode 7

Canon I of Ascension, Tone 5

O Thou Who didst save the children who praised Thee in the furnace of fire, blessed art Thou, O God of our fathers.
We praise, we bless, we worship the Lord, praising and supremely exalting Him unto all the ages.
Ode 8

Unto God, the Son, Who was begotten of the Father before the ages, and was incarnate of a Virgin Mother in these last times,
give praise, O ye priests, and supremely exalt Him, O ye people
unto all the ages.
Refrain* of the 9th Ode:

Magnify, O my soul, Him Who hath ascended from earth to heaven, Christ the Giver of life.

* an alternate Refrain is available separately.
Ode 9

O thou who art God's Mother transcending mind and word,

who ineffably in time gavest birth unto the Timeless One,

thee do we the faithful magnify with one accord.

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