He Who crusheth battles with His upraised arm
covered Phar-oah and his char-i-ots in the sea. Let us sing
unto Him, for He hath been glorified!
The image contains sheet music with lyrics set to a musical composition. The lyrics are a religious text, possibly from a hymn or a liturgical work, with the following content:

Unto the disciples Thou didst say, O Christ: "Remain ye in Jerusalem, until ye are invested with power from on high, and I will send you another Comforter like Me, the Spirit of Me and of the Father, in Whom ye shall be established."

The text appears to be a translation of a passage from the New Testament, specifically from John 14:16-17.
Perceiving Thine advent, O Christ, in latter times

the prophet, cried aloud: I have heard of Thy power, O Lord,

for Thou hast come to save all Thine anointed ones!
Out of fear of Thee, O Lord, the spirit of salvation was conceived among the prophets and born on earth; and it maketh the hearts of the apostles pure, and is restored upright, upon the faithful. For Thy precepts are light and peace.
Sailing amid the tumult of the cares of life,

I founder with the ship of sin and am cast to the soul
destroying beast; yet like Jonah I cry to Thee, O Christ:

Lead me up from the deadly abyss!
Cast into the fiery furnace, the venerable

children transformed the fire into dew, crying out thus in

hymnody: Bless-ed art Thou, O Lord God of our fathers!
The bush on Sinai which partook of fire without being consumed

revealed God unto Moses, who was slow of speech and spake

with difficulty; and divine zeal showed forth the three children

in the fire as invincible, who chanted: Hymn the Lord, all ye works

of the Lord, and exalt Him supreme-ly for ever!
Ode 9

Pentecost - Canon I

Tone 7

O Mother who knew-est not man, who gav-est birth

without experiencing corrup-tion, and lent flesh to the Word

Who hath fash-ioned all things, O Vir-gin The-o-to-kos,

thou recep-ta-cle of Him Whom naught can con-tain, and

dwell-ing place of the In-finite: thee do we mag-ni fy.

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