

# Troparion of the Cross - Tone 1

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Court Chant

S  
A

O Lord, save Thy peo-ple, and bless Thine in - her - i - tance;

T  
B

Detailed description: This block contains the first line of the troparion. It features two staves for Soprano (S) and Alto (A) voices on the top staff, and two staves for Tenor (T) and Bass (B) voices on the bottom staff. The music is in a minor key (one flat) and 4/4 time. The lyrics are: "O Lord, save Thy peo-ple, and bless Thine in - her - i - tance;".

grant Thou un - to Or - tho - dox Christ - ians vic - tor - y o - ver en - e - mies;

Detailed description: This block contains the second line of the troparion. It features two staves for Soprano (S) and Alto (A) voices on the top staff, and two staves for Tenor (T) and Bass (B) voices on the bottom staff. The music continues in the same key and time signature. The lyrics are: "grant Thou un - to Or - tho - dox Christ - ians vic - tor - y o - ver en - e - mies;".

and by the pow - er of Thy Cross, do Thou preserve Thy com - mon - wealth.

Detailed description: This block contains the third line of the troparion. It features two staves for Soprano (S) and Alto (A) voices on the top staff, and two staves for Tenor (T) and Bass (B) voices on the bottom staff. The music concludes in the same key and time signature. The lyrics are: "and by the pow - er of Thy Cross, do Thou preserve Thy com - mon - wealth."

Adapted from the translation of R-monk Laurence, The Unabbreviated Horlogion, 1995