

VEN. JOANNICIUS

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Beatitudes Verses (Tone 6)

Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called the sons of God.

By a tree was Adam deceived; yet again by the Tree of the Cross was the thief saved, who cried out: Remember me in Thy Kingdom, O Lord!

Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness sake, for theirs is the Kingdom of Heaven.

O Bestower of Life, Who hast broken down the gates and portals of hades, Thou hast saved all who cry out to Thee, O Saviour: Glory to Thine arising!

Blessed are you when men shall revile you and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely for my sake.

O Thou Who by Thy burial hast made death captive, and by Thy resurrection hast filled all with joy: remember me, in that Thou art compassionate.

Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven.

The myrrh-bearing women who came to the tomb heard an angel cry out: Christ, Who hath enlightened all things, is risen!

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

The Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit let us glorify, saying: O Holy Trinity, save Thou our souls!

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen!

O Virgin, who ineffably conceived in the latter days and gavest birth unto Thy Creator: Save those who magnify thee!

Troparion and Kontakion

Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone VI —

The angelic powers were at Thy tomb; the guards became as dead men: Mary stood by Thy grave, seeking Thy most pure body; Thou didst capture hell, not being tempted by it: Thou didst come to the Virgin, granting life; O Lord, Who didst rise from the dead, glory to Thee.

Troparion, Tone VIII —

By a flood of tears, thou madest the desert fertile; and thy longing for God brough forth fruits in abundance; by the radiance of miracles, thou illuminedst the whole universe, our father Joannicius: pray to Christ God to save our souls.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, Tone IV —

We, the faithful, gather, today, to honour thy memory, venerable Joannicius; and we implore thee to obtain mercy for us from the Lord.

Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone VI —

When Christ God, the Giver of Life, raised all of the dead from the valleys of misery with His mighty hand, He bestowed resurrection on the human race: He is the Saviour of all, the Resurrection, the Life, and the God of all.

Prokeimenon and Epistle

Tone 6: O Lord, save Thy people, and bless Thine inheritance!

verse: To Thee, O Lord, will I call. O my God, be not silent to me!

Epistle: (*Ephesians 2:4-10*) *Brethren,* God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), ⁶and raised *us* up together, and made *us* sit together in the heavenly *places* in Christ Jesus, ⁷that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in *His* kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. ⁸For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; *it is* the gift of God, ⁹not of works, lest anyone should boast. ¹⁰For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Alleluia Verses:

He who dwells in the shelter of the Most High will abide in the shadow of the heavenly God.

He will say to the Lord: "My Protector and my Refuge; my God, in Whom I trust."

Gospel: (Luke 8:41-56) *At that time,* ⁴¹And behold, there came a man named Jairus, and he was a ruler of the synagogue. And he fell down at Jesus' feet and begged Him to come to his house, ⁴²for he had an only daughter about twelve years of age, and she was dying. But as He went, the multitudes thronged Him. ⁴³Now a woman, having a flow of blood for twelve years, who had spent all her livelihood on physicians and could not be healed by any, ⁴⁴came from behind and touched the border of His garment. And immediately her flow of blood stopped. ⁴⁵And Jesus said, "Who touched Me?" When all denied it, Peter and those with him said, "Master, the multitudes throng and press You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?' " ⁴⁶But Jesus said, "Somebody touched Me, for I perceived power going out from Me." ⁴⁷Now when the woman saw that she was not hidden, she came trembling; and falling down before Him, she declared to Him in the presence of all the people the reason she had touched Him and how she was healed immediately. ⁴⁸And He said to her, "Daughter, be of good cheer; your faith has made you well. Go in peace." ⁴⁹While He was still speaking, someone came from the ruler of the synagogue's *house*, saying to him, "Your daughter is dead. Do not trouble the Teacher." ⁵⁰But when Jesus heard *it*, He answered him, saying, "Do not be afraid; only believe, and she will be made well." ⁵¹When He came into the house, He permitted no one to go in except Peter, James, and John, and the father and mother of the girl. ⁵²Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, "Do not weep; she is not dead, but sleeping." ⁵³And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead. ⁵⁴But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, "Little girl, arise." ⁵⁵Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately. And He commanded that she be given *something* to eat. ⁵⁶And her parents were astonished, but He charged them to tell no one what had happened.