

# Sept. 14

## THE ELEVATION OF THE LIFE-CREATING CROSS

### The First Antiphon

TONE 2 (Psalm 22)    REFRAIN

God, my God, at-tend to me! Why hast Thou for-sak-en me? Through the

prayers of the The-o-to - kos, O Sav - ior, save us. Why art Thou

so far from help-ing me, from the words of my groan - ing? O my God, I

cry by day, but Thou dost not an - swer; and by night, but find no rest.

Thou dwell - est in the sanc - tu - a - ry, the praise of is - ra - el.

\* REFRAIN \*

Glo - ry to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spi - rit,

now and ever and unto ages of a - ges. A - men.

\* REFRAIN \*

### The Second Antiphon

TONE 2

O God, why dost Thou cast us off for - e - ver?

REFRAIN (Psalm 74)

O Son of God cru-ci-fied

in the flesh, save us who sing to Thee: Al-le-lu - ia! Re-mem-ber

Thy con-gre-ga-tion, which Thou hast got - ten of old. Re-mem-ber Mount

\* REFRAIN \*

Zi - on, where Thou hast dwelt. \* REFRAIN \* God is our King be-fore the a-ges;

He has worked saivation in the midst of the earth. REFRAIN THEN G.N.E. Only-begotten

## The Third Antiphon

(Psalm 99 )

The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble!

(TROPARION)

The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the Cherubim; let the earth quake!

(TROPARION)

The Lord is great in Zion; He is exalted over all the peoples!

(TROPARION)

Bow down in worship to the Lord in His holy court.

(TROPARION)

### THE INTROIT OF THE LITTLE ENTRANCE

Extol the Lord our God; worship at His footstool, for it is holy!

(TROPARION)