Let us praise the Lord for he has been greatly glorified.

I lifted up my eyes to the mountains. From there my help will come.

By the sign of your all-conquering Cross, O Christ,
protect us, O loving One,

from the invisible enemy.

For only you are

King of glory, for he has been greatly glorified.

praised forever.

Upon it you stretched out your imperishable arms
and you poured out your blood
for the salvation of the universe.

For you alone are King of glory,
praised forever.

At your second coming,
make your servants worthy

to be renewed.

For you alone are King of glory,
praised forever.

Let your Cross protect us.

With its flaming brightness
it destroyed the enemy

and dissolved the sentence of condemnation,

and was named the tree of life,

for the salvation of the universe.

Glory to the Father and to the Son

and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.
Exalting, the heavens rejoice,

and this earth delights

at the manifestation of the holy Cross,

the four-armed Cross reaching out to the universe,

which illuminated this world

with rays like the sun.
Now and always

and unto the ages of ages. Amen.

Jerusalem rejoiced!

The faithful people delighted.

They were adorned and wondrously renewed.

For all creatures beheld the triumphant sign
and they were illuminated by the Light.