

Doxastikon

Kievan tone 2

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

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

When Augustus reigned alone up - on the earth,

the many kingdoms of men came to end,

and when Thou wast made man of the pure Vir - gin,

the many gods of idolatry were des - troyed.

The ci - ties of the world passed under one sin - gle rule;

and the nations came to believe in one sov'reign God - head.

The peo - ples were enrolled by the decree of Cae - sar;

and we, the faithful, were enrolled in the Name of the God - head,

when Thou, our God, wast made man.

Great is thy mer-cy: glo - ry to Thee!