Grace is poured out on your lips, O holy Father Chrysostom.

The Lord anointed you to be a priest of His people, to feed His flock in holiness and justice. Armed with the sword of strength, you cut off the confusion of error. // Cease not to pray for

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v: My mouth shall speak wisdom, the meditation of my heart shall be understanding.  (Ps 48/49:3)

Sticheron 2

Soprano: peace for the world and salvation for our souls!

Alto: Rejoice, father of orphans, sufferer of unjust banishment,

tenor: treasury of the poor, food of the hungry, converter of sinners, skilled physician of souls, interpreter of holy scripture,

tenor: living law of the Holy Spirit. Pray to Christ our God, that He...
may have mercy on us!

The world is enlightened by your words, O brilliant sun,

your charity is a bright star, a shining lamp, and a beacon for all,

guiding to salvation those lost in the stormy sea of this world.

O venerable John, intercede for us!

v: The mouth of the righteous shall proclaim wisdom, and his tongue shall speak of judgment. (Ps 36/37:30)