We have completed the forty days that profit our souls.

Now let us beg the Lover of man: enable us to see the holy week of Your passion, that we may glorify Your mighty work, Your wonderful plan for our salvation,
as we sing with one heart and voice: // O Lord, glory to You!

O martyrs of the Lord, we beseech you to intercede with our God, that He may forgive our manifold sins, //

and grant our souls abundant mercy.

Wishing to see the tomb of Lazarus, O Lord, since of

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Sticheron 3
Your own will, You were soon to dwell in a tomb, You asked:

“Where have you laid him?” Learning that which was already known to You, You cried to Your beloved friend: “Lazarus, come forth!” And he who had no breath obeyed the Lord Who gave him breath, for You are the Savior of our souls.
You have come to the place of the burial of Laz-a-rus, O Lord, the tomb of a man four days dead. Weeping for Your friend, O Bread of Life, You raised him up. Therefore death was bound by Your voice, and grave clothes were loosened by Your hand. The band of disciples was filled with joy. One song of adoration was sung by
all: // Blessed are You, O Savior! Have mercy on us!

Your voice destroyed the kingdom of hell, O Lord. Your powerful word raised from the tomb the one who was four days dead. Lazarus became the saving first-fruits of the world’s regeneration.

All things are possible for You, O Lord and King of all. // Grant Your
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"Glo-ry to You, O bless-ed Lord!"

You came to Bethany to wake Laz-a-rus, O Lord, accom-pa-nied
by Your dis-ci-ples. You wept for him, but he was
raised by Your al-might-y power. A man four days dead cried to You,
O our Sav-i or: // “Glo-ry to You, O bless-ed Lord!”