Post-Gospel Stichera

The Elevation of the Holy Cross – September 14

Tone 2

Kievan Chant
arr. from B. Ledkovsky

Soprano

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy

Alto

Spirit; You are my mighty protection,

Tenor

O three-branched Cross of Christ; sanctify

Bass

me by your power, // that with faith and love I may

[venerate and glorify . . .]

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Now and ever, and unto ages of ages. Amen.

You are my mighty protection, O three-branched Cross of Christ; sanctify me by your power, //

that with faith and love I may venerate and glorify you.
Tone 6

Have mercy on me, O God, according to Your great mercy, and according to the multitude of Your tender mercies, // blot out my transgression!

Glorify you.
Tone 6

O Cross of Christ, the hope of Christians,
guide of those who have gone astray, haven of the
storm-tossed, victory in warfare, the safeguard

of the inhabited earth, physician of the sick,
resurrection of the dead: // have mercy on us.