In preparation for the contest, you anointed an assembly of martyrs and bolstered them by your steadfastness, glorious Mark. You finished your course together with them and all of you were found worthy of the joy of heaven.

[Righteous Father...]
Righteous father, entreat Christ our God to grant us His great mercy.
“Glory...” & “Now and ever...”
as sung before Troparia and Kontakia

**Tone 3**

1. “Glory...” alone.

2. “Now and ever...” alone.


Note: “Glory...” and/or “Now and ever...” is sung in the Tone and melody that follows.