You are the beginning of salvation for all of us on earth, Virgin Mother of God. For the great Archangel Gabriel, God’s minister, was sent from heaven to stand before you to bring you joy: Therefore, we all cry to you: Rejoice, O unwedded Bride.
“Glory...” & “Now and ever...”
as sung before Troparia and Kontakia
Tone 8

1. “Glory...” alone.

2. “Now and ever...” alone.

3. “Glory...” & “Now...” together: Sing #1 followed by #2.

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