

## THE PROLOGUE

(For Prayers of all canonical hours)

**Priest:** † In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, one true God.

Glory to Him; and may His grace and mercy be upon us forever. Amen.

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God Almighty, by whose glory, the heaven and the earth are filled; Hosanna in the Highest.

Blessed is He who has come, and is to come in the name of the Lord God: Glory be to Him in the Highest.

### *Trisagion (KAUMA)*

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Lord, have mercy upon us  
Lord, be kind and have mercy  
Lord, accept Thou our office  
And our entreaties have mercy on us.

Glory be to Thee, O God  
Glory be to Thee, O Creator  
Glory be to Thee, O King,

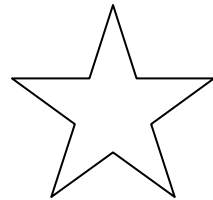
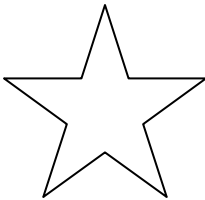
Christ who dost pity sinners Thy servants. **Barekmor.**

## LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who are in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts and sins, as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

## HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace, Our Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, out Lord Jesus Christ. O virgin Saint Mary, O mother of God, pray for sinners, now and at all times, and at the hour of our death. Amen.



## **PRAYER OF THE NINTH HOUR**

Prayer be to You O God, who gives life to the dead. Praise be to You O God, who grants resurrection to the entombed. We praise You and glorify Your Father who did send you and the Holy Spirit. *Barekmor.*

O Lord, one of the Trinity, who by Your own will stayed in the tomb for three days, give resurrection to our departed ones, for they were saved by Your precious blood.

*Moryo rahem melayn oo adarayn.*

O! merciful Lord, renew Your creation on the day of resurrection.

O! Lord, grant rest and comfort to our beloved departed ones who have lived and died with hope in You.

O! Lord, grant rest to our faithful departed in the bosom of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob.

May the souls and bodies together cry aloud and say: glory be to the one who has come and is to come to resurrect the departed. **Amen.**

**Kauma**

## Prayer of the Evening

### Psalms of the Evening

(Psalms 141, 142, 119: 105-112, 117)

**Kurielaison**, I call upon You, Lord; hear me! Give heed to my words and answer me.

Let my prayer be like incense in your sight, my uplifted hands be like an evening sacrifice. Lord, set a guard at my mouth, a sentry at the door of my lips, that my heart may not turn to evil and indulge in the deeds of wickedness.

Let me not sit at the table of the wicked. Let the righteous man teach me, let him reprove me, but the oil of the wicked shall not anoint my head, my prayer is against their evil deeds. When their judges are thrown down in stony places, they shall hear my words, for they are sweet.

Their bones are scattered at the mouth of the grave like the plow that breaks the earth. I lift up my eyes to you, Lord. I put my trust in you, do not leave my soul destitute.

Keep me away from the hands of the proud who have laid snares for me. Let the wicked fall into their own traps, while I go unharmed.

While my soul was in agony, I cried unto the Lord with my voice; with all my voice I made supplication. I poured out my affliction before Him, I told Him all my troubles. When my spirit was overwhelmed within me, then You know my path.

They have hidden snares for me in the way I have to walk. I looked to the right, but there was no one who knew me; no one cared for my soul. I cried unto You, O Lord! I said, You are my refuge and my portion in the land of the living.

Attend to my supplication; for I am in distress. Deliver me from my persecutors, for they are stronger than me. Lead me forth from prison that I may praise your name. the righteous shall wait for me because You will answer me.

Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path. I have sworn and have determined to keep Your holy decrees I am made to be low, Lord. Give me life according to Your word. Lord, be pleased with the words of my lips and teach me Your decrees.

My life is always in Your hands, I do not forget Your laws. The wicked have set traps for me, but I have not strayed from your commands. I treasure up Your testimonies. Truly they are the joy of my heart. Incline my heart to keep Your commands, in truth, for ever.

Praise the Lord, all you nations. Praise Him, all you people. Great is His goodness for us. Truly, the Lord's goodness is for ever. To you belongs praise, O God. **Barekmor.**

EQBO

O Lord, listen to our prayers with mercy and answer them with compassion. God accept, and be pleased in our worship and prayers and be gracious to us

**Staumen Kalos      Kuriyelaison**

**QULO – Offering of Incense**

Lord, let our prayers be like pleasing incense before you. Let it rise to the highest like an offering of fragrance. As you are pleased in the offer of incense, accept our worship, prayers, supplications and praises without counting our unworthiness, and grant our petitions. **Barekmor.**

**FOR THE INTERCESSION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD**

O Virgin Mother! Shield us from all menace that confront us and forbid from us the whirls and tides of this world. O Mother! Since you have acceptance in the presence of God, pray that your intercession grant us forgiveness and mercy, heal the sick, bring relief to the afflicted and the return of those who are away to us peacefully.

#### FOR THE INTERCESSION OF SAINTS

Martyrs! As in the time of deluge, when the righteous Noah protected the beasts that entered with him in the ark, let your intercession protect us from the tides and whirls that encircle this world.

#### FOR THE INTERCESSION OF PATRON SAINT

St. Thomas! your grace has astonished the heavenly beings. Your glorious name is praised on earth among us. Your good deeds have been counted worthy by your Lord Jesus Christ, and He has revered and upheld your memory. May your prayers be a refuge to us.

#### PRAYER OF REPENTANCE

O God, the lover of those who are unblemished and upright, grant us perfection in our hearts. Remove from us all evil and malicious thoughts. O Lord, open to us Your merciful door, as you did to the thief. Accept our repentance as you had accepted the penance of the tax collector and the sinful woman. O Lord, You are merciful and pleased with those who turn to You in repentance as You graciously pardoned Peter who came to you after he had denied you. Lord cleanse us from our sins and follies.

O Lord! we, the sinful, grieve about your dispassionate last judgment. When the great books of account are opened and our sins are read, let Your grace strengthen us and let your mercy help us. Let our sins be pardoned. O Lord! we acknowledge our sins, have mercy on us.

#### FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Lord! grant good remembrance to the faithful departed who have received Your atoning body and blood. Lord Jesus Christ, when You come gloriously with the company of angels, let our departed ones stand before you with praises. *Moriyora hem melainoo adarayn.*

*(Special prayers for the day may be said here)*

O Lord Jesus Christ, do not close the door of Your mercy on our faces. Lord, we confess that we are sinners, have mercy upon us. O Lord, Your love made you descend from Your place to us that by Your death, our death was abolished; have mercy upon us.

**QAWMO**  
**SOOTORO**

*Compline – Prayer before retiring to bed*

**QAWMO**

### **PRAYER OF REPENTANCE**

O Lord! teach us all Your commandments. By Your grace help us to live according to them. O God set guard to the open doors of our senses that the treasury of Your grace may not be detained from us.

**Barekmor**

O holy God, Your Holiness is adorned by all saints. O Lord, cleanse our thoughts and make us worthy to glorify Your name like the seraphim who proclaim and glorify Your Holiness.

**Moriyo rahem melain oo adarayn.**

### **SUPPLICATION**

O Lord, accept our worship and have mercy upon us.

Grant us compassion, mercy and forgiveness from your holy treasury.

O Lord, our deeds make You angry; but you never desire to be angry. You are merciful and Your tranquility is never disturbed.

Though our sins are abundant, they are like a drop of mud in Your Ocean of mercy. A drop of mud cannot soil the ocean.

O God who listens to prayers and grants supplications, be pleased in our prayers and grant our petitions in Your mercy.

## THE HYMN OF MOR EPHREM

1. Lord, Thy mercy on us cast  
Use our service, ev'ry piece  
Grant us from Thy treasure vast  
Mercy, blessing and release
2. Let me, Lord, before Thee stand  
Wakefully my watch I'd keep  
Should I fall to slumber's hand  
Guard Thou me from sinful sleep
3. Waking, if to wrong I take,  
Mercif'ly absolve Thou me  
Sleeping, if a sin I make  
Pardon grant in clemency.
4. By the cross † of Thy disgrace  
Grant me, Lord, a restful sleep  
Evil dreams do Thou efface  
Wicked thoughts far from me keep
5. Through the night conduct me, Lord  
Peaceful sleep give thou to me  
Lest foul thoughts in me find hoard  
Phatoms lest a terror be.
6. Grant Thy angel's watchful view  
Guard my limbs without abate  
Hateful lusts in me subdue  
By Thy living flesh I ate.
7. While I lie and sleep in calm  
May Thy blood my keeper be  
Let my soul dwell free from qualm  
In Thine image mad'st Thou me.



8. Overshadow with Thy hand  
Me a handicraft of Thine  
Let me in Thy fortress stand  
Mercy shielding round be mine.
9. While my body silent lies,  
May Thy pow'r its vigil keep  
Let my breath like incense rise,  
T'ward Thy greatness in my sleep.
10. Let not evil touch my bed  
By Thy mother's pleas for me  
By Thy blood atoning shed  
Satan's harm remov-ed be.
11. Since Thy word abides the same  
Guarded by Thy † cross I'd be  
Waking, I shall praise Thy Name  
Who didst love e'en feeble me
12. Grant O Lord, a list'ning ear  
With desire to do Thy will  
Let Thy peace at eve be near  
Night Thy righteousness fulfil
13. Savior Christ, our hearts inspire  
Thee to see effulgent bright  
Thee whose honor shines as fire  
Worshipped by all sons of light
14. Jesus, Savior of the world  
Thou who dwellest in the light  
Praise we Thee for love unfurled  
Mercy, now with future bright

15. Lord, our God, we give Thee praise  
Praise a thousand thousand fold  
Tens of thousands praises raise  
Mercy now, till time untold
16. Praise to Thee, to Thee be praise  
Angels serve Thee and adore  
Lord of Angels, we too raise  
Pray'rs and worship all the more
17. Praise to Thee, who art our boast  
One true God and one alone  
† Father, Son and Holy Ghost  
One in Three and Three in One
18. Praise the Lord who art our boast  
Prayers of feeble folk like us  
Who regards repentant tears  
As first-fruits, gifts offered thus
19. Earthly ones to Thee give praise  
Countless as the leaves of trees  
Thee whose glory angels raise  
Serving Thee as Thou dost please
20. Setting minds above the sod  
Thank we God, exalt Him most  
Who exists as one true God  
† Father, Son and Holy Ghost
21. Thou who hearest pray'rs to Thee  
Supplications who dost heed  
Hear us, reconcile-ed be  
Mercy show, and grant our need.

Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Kurielaison

## **Psalms 91, 121.**

**Barekmore.** You That sit in the shelter of the Most High,  
and abide in glory, in the shadow of God

**Barekmore.** Say to the Lord. ‘my trust and my refuge; the  
God in whom I confide.

For He shall deliver you from the snare of stumbling, and  
from idle talk.

He shall keep you under His feathers, and by His wings, you  
shall be covered; and His truth shall encompass you like an  
armor.

You shall not fear from the terror by night, and from the  
arrow that flies by the day.

And from the voice that travels in the darkness, and from the  
devastating wind in the noon.

Thousands shall fall at your side, and ten thousands at your  
right side.

They shall not come near to you, but with your eyes you shall  
see only. You shall see the revenge of the wicked.

(Since you have said). ‘Thou art the Lord, my trust, who hast  
placed Thy abode in the heights.

There shall no evil come near to you, neither shall any plague  
draw near to your dwelling place.

For He shall give His angels command concerning you, who  
shall protect you in all your ways.

And they shall bear you up in their hands, lest your foot  
stumble.

You shall tread upon the adder and the basilisk; and you shall  
trample down the lion and dragon.

(For the Lord has said): ‘Since he has sought me, I will  
deliver him and strengthen him

Since he has known my name he shall call upon me, and I will answer him, and be with him affliction.

I will strengthen him and honor him, with long life, will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation.

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I will lift my eyes to the mountain, from whence comes my helper.

My help is from the Lord who has made the heaven and the earth.

He will not suffer your foot to tremble; your keeper shall not slumber.

For neither slumbers, nor sleeps the keeper of Israel.

The Lord is your keeper. The lord shall overshadow you with His right hand.

The sun shall not smite you by day; nor the moon by night.

The Lord shall take care of you from all evil; the Lord shall take care of your life.

He shall watch over your exit and your entrance, henceforth for ever.

**Meet unto Thee, O God, is glory.**

**Barekmor.**

**Priest: † Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People: Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Halleluiah**

**Unto the ages of ages and for ever more**

## PRAYER OF MAR SEVERIOS

O Lord, who sittest in the secret place of the Most High, shelter us beneath the shadow of the wings of Thy Mercy, and have compassion upon us.

Thou, who hearest all things, in Thy loving kindness, Hearken to the supplication of Thy servants.

Grant us, O Messiah; our Savior; a peaceful evening and a sinless night, for Thou art a glorious king, and unto Thee, are our eyes lifted up.

Forgive our debts and our sins; have mercy upon us, both in this world and in that to come.

May thy loving kindness shelter us O Lord, and Thy grace be upon our faces. May Thy † cross protect us from the evil one and his hosts.

Let Thy right hand overshadow us all the day of our lives, and Thy peace reign among us, and Thou give hope and salvation to the souls that pray to Thee.

By the prayers of St. Mary, Thy Mother, and of all Thy saints, O God, forgive us our debts, and have mercy upon us.

Amen.

## PRAISE OF THE CHERUBIM

† Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His place for ever.

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and ever.

Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us

Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us

Holy and glorious Trinity, have compassion

and mercy upon us.

Holy art Thou, and glorious for ever

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Holy art Thou, and blessed is Thy name for ever and ever.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord

Glory be to Thee, O Lord

Glory be to Thee, ever our hope.

**Barekmor.**

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## NICENE CREED

**Deacon:** The wisdom of God, let us give heed, let us all stand well and respond to the prayer of this Rev. Priest and say:

**Priest: We believe in one true God....**

**People:** The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in the one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father, before all worlds, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten not made, being of the same substance with the Father, and by Whom all things were made. Who for men, and for our salvation, came down † from heaven, and was incarnate of the Holy Virgin Mary, mother of God, by the Holy Ghost, and became man, and was crucified † for us, in the days of Pontius Pilate, and suffered and died, and was buried, and the third day rose † again, according to his will, and ascended into heaven, and sat on the right hand of His Father, and shall come again in his great glory, to judge both the living and dead, whose Kingdom shall have no end.

And in the One living Holy Spirit, the life-giving Lord of all, Who proceeds from the Father, and Who with the Father and the Son, is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets and the apostles.

And in the one, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church, and we acknowledge one baptism, for the remission of sins, and look for the resurrection of the dead and the new life in the world to come. Amen. **Barekmor**

**Deacon:** Stoumen Kalos

**People:** Kurielayisson.



## I. COMMUNION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD

### KUKLIYON

(Tune : Ninnal Suthiyodu...)

**Priest:** See the royal daughter stand, Hal - u – Hal  
Glorious queen at—Thy right hand

**People:** Thy father's folk and home leave thou, Hal - u - Hal,  
The King desires thy- beauty now- **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

### EKBO

(Tune : Bhakthar Pukazhcha...)

**Priest:** Thou whose praise the church doth sing

**People:** Intercession for us bring.  
Unto Him, thine only Son,  
That He may not mercy shun  
**Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

### KOLO

(Tune: Manna Makalkayi)

**Priest:** Peace the bright archangel brought

**People:** Hailing Mary fair  
Favored is thy blessed lot  
Thou the Lord shall bear **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Like a ship did Mary bear  
Laud and honor be  
Him, the captain and the Lord  
God of all the world  
**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

-OR-



**ALTERNATE KOLO**  
(Tune : Mariammin Smaranam...)

**Priest:** Mary's memory  
**People:** Blessing for us be,  
May her pray'rs for us  
Be a fortress thus       **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Fragrance sweet of smell  
Through the air doth swell-  
For Virgin Mary  
God's Mother holy  
                  **Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

**BOVOOSA**  
(Tune : Moranesu Kurishum Nin...)

**Priest:** By Thy † cross, O Jesus Lord  
**People:** By Thy Mother's praying word  
Take from us and from our path  
Punishments and rods of wrath.

-OR-

**ALTERNATE BOVOOSA**  
(Tune: Nirtheedaruthe Parishudhe)

**Priest:** Cease not, Thou of grace a fount  
**People:** From thy pray'rs on – our account  
Unto Him Thine only Son  
That He may not mercy shun

## II. COMMUNION OF THE PATRON AND OTHER SAINTS

### KUKLIYON

*(Tune : Nayavan panapole...)*

**Priest:** The Righteous shall prosper like palm trees - Halleluiah  
And thrive like the cedars of - Lebanon

**People:** In age they shall thrive and be flourishing Halleluiah  
Yea, growing both fattened - and pleasing **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

### EKBO

*(Tune : Orupolingum...)*

**Priest:** (O St. Thomas), as in heav'n

**People:** Keep we here thy memory;  
Hear us as we honor thee,  
Thy entreaties be our aid  
**Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

### KOLO

*(Tune: Prarthanayin samayamithallo)*

**Priest:** Behold, the time of Prayer, (Mor Geevarghese)

**People:** Lead thou thy flock as always thou didst lead it  
Stretch forth thy hand like Moses- grant thy blessing  
Behold, they hearken humbly to thy praises.  
**Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Praise we the Father-who chose (Mor Gregorios)  
And praise the Son, who gave thee honored mem'ry  
Praise we the Holy Spirit, who didst crown thee  
Let mercy be ours always by thy pleading

**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

-OR-

**ALTERNATE KOLO**

*(Tune : Bhag'yam Nibiyarkum...)*

**Priest:** Bliss to the prophets,  
**People:** And the apostles,  
And to the martyrs  
At resurrection **Barekmor**

**Priest: † Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Those martyrs who longed  
For seeing the Christ  
By their death took wings,  
And fluttered to heights  
**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

**BOVOOSA**

*(Tune : Parishudhanmare Ningal...)*

**Priest:** Plead for us, ye holy Saints,  
**People:** Pray to Him whose will ye did,  
That from anger we be spared-  
That from scourges we be hid.

-OR-

**ANOTHER BOVOOSA**

*(Tune: Mor Thoma Salguna Nidhiye)*

**Priest:** O Mor Thoma, named art thou,  
**People:** By the church that keeps thy feast,  
May thy Lord His peace bestow,  
Making it forever flow

## **BENEDICTION**

**Priest:** May God, the creator of heaven and earth, † bless you and keep you. May God † bless and sanctify all those who have participated in this spiritual evening prayer. May God our Lord grant you † and your faithful departed forgiveness of sins. O Father, Son and Holy Spirit, grant that our feeble and unworthy prayers be pleasing and acceptable before Thy exalted throne, now and always forever and ever.

**People:** Amen.

## **PRAYER**

*(Shudhamulla Bava....)*

O Holy Father, guard us by Thy Sacred Name, O Son of God, our Savior, protect us with Thy victorious Cross †. O Holy Spirit, make us worthy temples of Thy Holy habitation. O Lord, our God for ever shelter us under Thy divine wings, at all times, for ever. –Amen

## Prayer of the Midnight

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Blessed is He who has come, and is to come in the name of the Lord God: Glory be to Him in the Highest.

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Glory be to Thee, O God  
Glory be to Thee, O Creator  
Glory be to Thee, O King,  
Christ who dost pity sinners Thy servants.  
Barekmor.

#### **LORD'S PRAYER**

Our Father, who are in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts and sins, as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

#### **HAIL MARY**

Hail Mary, full of grace, Our Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, our Lord Jesus Christ. O virgin Saint Mary, O mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at all times, and at the hour of our death. Amen.

#### **Opening Prayer**

O Lord, who is wakeful and do not sleep, awaken us from our sleep in the sloth of sin that we may praise your wakefulness. O Living and eternal One who does not die, wake us up from the sleep in death and destruction that we may worship Your compassion. Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, who are being praised and adored on earth and in heaven, make us worthy to praise You and adore You in holiness, along with the glorious company of heavenly angels now and always and for ever. Amen.

**Psalms 134, 119: 116-176, 117**

**Barekmor.** Behold, all you servants of the Lord who stand in the house of the Lord through night watches, you praise the Lord.

**Barekmor.** Lift up your hands towards heavenly sanctuary and praise the Lord.

May the Lord that made the Heaven and earth bless you from Zion.

Lord, let my praise enter into Your presence. Let Your word grant me life. Let my supplication come before you. May Your words deliver me.

My tongue shall utter your words, for all your commandments are righteous.

When you teach me Your commandments, my lips shall utter Your praise. Since I have taken delight in Your laws, Your hand shall help me.

My soul has longed for Your salvation and I have meditated Your law. Let my soul live and it shall praise You. Let Your judgments help me.

I have gone astray like a lost sheep. Seek Your servant; for I have not forgotten Your commandments.

Praise the Lord, all you nations. Praise him all you people, for His kindness is great toward us. Truly, the Lord's goodness is for ever. **To you belongs praise, O God. Barekmor.**

O Lord! Who is awake without sleep, awaken us to repentance.

O Holy virgin, may your prayer be a stronghold to us.

O Prophets and Apostles, may your prayers be a stronghold to us.

Hermits and monks, may your prayers help us.

Lord, grant peace to the faithful departed.

Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Kurielaison.

## First Watch

### Intercession of Mother of God

#### Eqbo

**Leader:** O Holy Virgin Mother, pray to your only son for us that He may grant mercy and bestow peace among us. By your prayers, may wars be dispelled and kings reign in peace so that the children of the Church may praise the invisible and great power and celebrate the feast of happiness.

*All: Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Lord have mercy upon us, Lord be kind and have mercy, Lord answer us and have mercy upon us. Glory be to you, our Lord; Glory be to you, our Lord; glory be to you, our hope for ever. Barekmor.*

#### Qolo

**L:** O Lord, may the memory of Your blessed mother who brought You forth in virginity and holiness be a pleasing incense before You. May her memory be glorified on earth and in heaven above. **Barekmor.**

**A:** Holy Virgin, we praise the Father who chose you in the beginning, adore the Son who willed to take flesh from you and praise the holy Spirit who came down from heaven and dwelled in you. **Moriyo rahem ‘a lay noo ‘adarayn..**

#### Supplication

O! Son of God, remove from us the rods of wrath by the prayers of Your mother who carried you for nine months.



## Praise of the Cherubim

† Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His place for ever.  
† Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His place for ever.  
† Blessed is the glory of the Lord, from His place for ever  
and ever.

Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us  
Holy and glorious Trinity, have mercy upon us  
Holy and glorious Trinity, have compassion  
and mercy upon us.

Holy art Thou, and glorious for ever  
Holy art Thou, and glorious for ever  
Holy art Thou, and blessed is Thy name for ever and ever.

Glory be to Thee, O Lord  
Glory be to Thee, O Lord  
Glory be to Thee, ever our hope. **Barekmor.**

**Our Father**, who are in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts and sins, as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

**Hail Mary**, full of grace, Our Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, out Lord Jesus Christ. O virgin Saint Mary, O mother of God, pray for sinners, now and at all times, and at the hour of our death. Amen.

## Second Watch

### For the Intercession of Saints

#### Eqbo

**Leader:** O chosen and holy martyrs, blessed is the Lord who made you to be healing springs of help and solace for the world and made His power to dwell in the places where your bones rest, intercede for us before your Lord.

**All:** *Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Lord have mercy upon us. Lord be kind and have mercy, Lord answer us and have mercy upon us. Glory be to You, our Lord; glory be to You, our Lord; glory to You, our hope for ever. Barekmor.*

#### Qolo

**L:** Apostles! Adversaries have encircled the Church from all sides to hinder the spread of the gospel that you have preached. Therefore, intercede for us before the Lord who chose you, so that there may be no divisions and disputes in the Church and among the children of the Church. O Lord! Let Your truth be a furnace that keeps Your word as pure as gold. May the priests cry aloud in purity that, blessed is the Lord who sustains the growth of the Church. **Barekmor.**

**A:** O Lord, by the prayers of the chosen twelve apostles, bless the twelve months of the year. May the earth receive regular rain and sun that we may be blessed by the heavenly grace and the harvest of the earth. O Lord, by the rain and drizzle of Your blessing, may the fruits grow and the needy and the poor eat those and praise Your name.

**Moryo rahem ‘a lay noo ‘adarayn.**

**Bo ‘ootho**

O Lord, by the prayers of those who pleased you, have mercy on us.

The prophets who spoke by the Holy Spirit, the disciples who witnessed you and the martyrs who embraced death in Your love will pray for us. Have mercy on us.

Saints! Pray with us to the Lord whom you have pleased by your deeds that He may remove from us punishments and the rods of wrath.

Lord, by the prayers of those who pleased you, have mercy on us. By their prayers and supplications have mercy on our souls.

**Praise of the Cherubim (P. 25)**

**Qawmo – Third Watch**

**For the Departed**

**Eqbo**

**Leader:** Lord, may our departed rest in Your glorious abode. Lord, pardon their faults and ours. Grant peace to them and remain gracious to us.

**All:** *Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Kurielaison, Lord have mercy upon us. Lord be kind and have mercy, Lord answer us and have mercy upon us. Glory be to You, our Lord; glory be to You, our Lord; glory to You, our hope for ever. Barekmor.*

**Qolo**

**L:** O! Christ our Lord, do not either be silent about us or remain distant from your worshippers; for You are our refuge. Lord, lead us in the path of life and make us worthy to sing praise to You by night and by day. **Barekmor.**

**A:** O Lord, have mercy on us when the graves and the rocks are rift and the dead arise on hearing from the heights the sound of the horn and the voice of the trumpet. Lord, at that hour make us stand on Your right side.

**Moriyo Rahem melayn oo adarayn.**

## Bo 'ootho

O Lord, who is merciful to sinners, have mercy on us on the day of Your judgment.

O merciful one, the afflicted are knocking at Your door. By Your grace answer their supplications.

Our heavenly Father, we pray that You accept our offerings and have mercy on us.

Lord of those above, the refuge of those on earth, accept our offerings and have mercy on us.

† *Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Glory be to you O, God.*

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† *Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Halleluiah, Glory be to you O, God.*

Be compassionate towards us in your mercy, O God of compassion; in our sacrifices and our prayers we make memory of our fathers who taught us, while they were alive, to be children of God; Son of God, raise them up in the heavenly kingdom with the just and the righteous in the world which does not pass away.

*O merciful God! Be gracious to us in Your mercy.*

Mary said: My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit rejoices in God, my Savior; Because he has looked upon the lowliness of his handmaid; for behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.

Because he who is mighty has done great things for me, and holy is his name. And his mercy is from generation to generation on those who fear him.

He has won victory with his arm, he has scattered the proud in the conceit of their heart. He has put down the mighty from their thrones, and has exalted the lowly.

He has filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he has sent empty away. He has given help to Israel his servant,

mindful of his mercy. Even as he spoke to our fathers, to Abraham and his seed forever.

**(Optional prayers for moronoyo days)**

How good and fair it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.

Like the oil which descends upon the head and upon the beard. Even the beard of Aaron, and descends to the hem of his robe. Like the dew of Hermon which descends on the mountain of Zion.

Because there the Lord promised a blessing and life for ever more. **To you belongs praise, O God. Barekmor.**

Let us make memory of Mary and may she help us by her prayers.

Let us make memory of the just and may they help us by their prayers.

Prophets, apostles, and martyrs, may your prayers be a stronghold to us.

Make us worthy, Lord, of the harbors of your martyrs and of the dwellings of your friends.

Compassionate and full of mercy, on the day of your judgment, have mercy upon us.

Blessed is he who does not keep his mercy from sinners who calls upon him. Barekmor.

**† Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

Make a good memory, Lord, of the children of the faithful Church.

*Unto to the ages of ages and forever more*

And let them stand at your right hand on the day when your majesty appears.

### **Alternate Eniono**

At all times and at all seasons, virgin mother of God, may your prayers be a stronghold for us.

By the prayers of your saints keep from us the evil one who at all times lays snares for us.

Jesus, our Lord, and our God, may your † cross be a stronghold for us and may we be protected beneath it.

Jesus, Word of God, guard the living by your † cross and pardon the dead in your mercy.

On all the days of our life let us thank and worship and praise the † Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.

Our God, full of mercy, on the great day when you come, raise us up at your right hand.

You who have made us worthy to sing praise to you at this time make us worthy to inherit your kingdom.

May your mercy be upon us, Lord, Lord of our death and our life, have mercy on our souls.

Lord have mercy upon us and help us.

### **From Psalms 148, 149, 150, 117**

Behold all that are asleep, awake and rise to sing praise. Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the heights.

Praise Him all His angels. Praise Him all His heavenly armies.

Praise Him, O sun and moon. Praise Him, all luminous stars. Praise Him, heavens of heavens, and waters above the heavens. Let them praise the name of the Lord.

By His word everything was made, for He commanded and they were created. He set them in their places for ever and gave them a law which shall not pass away.

Praise the Lord, all the earth, sea creatures and all oceans, fire and hail, snow and mist, stormy winds that obey His word.

Praise the Lord, all mountains and hills, all fruit trees and cedars, all bees and cattle, all creeping things and birds that fly.

Kings of the earth, and all people; princes, and all judges of the earth; both young men, maidens; old men and children; let them praise the name of the Lord.

For His name alone is exalted, His glory is on earth and in heaven. He also exalts the horn of His people, all His saints; even of the children of Israel, a people of His own.

Praise the Lord. Sing unto the Lord a new song, and His praise in the congregation of saints. Let Israel rejoice in Him that made Him. Let the children of Zion be joyful in their king.

Let them praise His name with tambourines and drums, and sing to Him with their harps. The Lord is delighted in His people. He gives salvation to the poor.

Let the righteous be joyful in glory. Let them sing aloud upon their beds and let their high praises be in their mouths.

His saints have the honor, with a two-edged sword in their hands, to execute vengeance upon the heathen and bring punishments upon the people, to bind their kings with chains, and their nobles with fetters of iron and to execute upon them the written judgment.

Praise Lord. Praise God in his sanctuary. Praise Him in the firmament of His power.

Praise Him for His powerful deeds. Praise Him for His infinite greatness. Praise Him with the sound of horn. Praise Him with the sound of the flute and harp.

Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet. Praise Him with the psaltery and harp. Praise Him with the timbrel and dance. Praise Him with stringed instruments and organs. Praise Him

upon the loud cymbals. Praise Him upon with the high-sounding cymbals. Let everything that has breath praise the Lord.

Praise the Lord, all you nations. Praise Him all you peoples. For great is His goodness toward us. Truly, He is the Lord for ever. **To you belongs praise, O God. Barekmor.**

*Praise to the Holy Trinity. Praise to the Holy Trinity. We praise the glorious Trinity, eternal and everlasting. To you belongs the praise, O God, at all times. Barekmor.*

### **Qolo**

Holy virgin, chosen by God to be His mother that the curse on earth was removed, plead for us before your only Son that peace and harmony reign in the Church, among us and in the four quarters of the earth. Barekmor.

St. (*Name*) by your prayers, may God remove the rods of wrath from the earth and may peace and harmony reign in the Church and among us. May those who celebrate his memory be protected from all tribulations. **Men ‘Olam...**

Lord, may You garb in robes of glory in the heaven with Your right hand the faithful departed who have borne You by the baptism. Moryo rahem melayn oo adarayn.

### **Bo’ootho**

O Lord, be gracious to us, by the prayers of Your Mother and Your saints.

May the angel who brought peace to the Virgin Mary, and announced to her the message of salvation, come and announce to us that God is reconciled with us.

May the angels, who sprinkled dew on Hananiah, sprinkle the dew of mercy on the bones of the departed.

Lord, be gracious to us, by the prayers of Your Mother and of Your saints. By the prayers of Your Mother and saints sanctify us and our departed.



### **Angelic Hymn**

Like the heavenly angels who praise You up in the heights, we who are frail and sinful offer praise.

Glory to God in the highest heaven, and peace on earth, tranquility, and good will among men at all times and in all seasons.

We praise You, we bless You, we adore You. We sing to You a hymn of praise.

We give thanks to You because of Your great glory, Lord, our creator, king of heaven, God the Father almighty; we praise You, Jesus Christ, Lord God, God's only Son, along with the Holy Spirit.

Lord God, Lamb of God and the word of the Father, who takes away the sin of the world, be gracious to all.

You, who take away the sin of the world, incline your ear to us and receive our prayers.

You, who sit in glory at the right hand of Your Father, have compassion on us and be gracious to all.

Because You only are holy. Lord Jesus Christ, You deserve the great glory of God, the Father along with the Holy Spirit. Amen.

At all times and on all the days of our lives we bless You and praise Your holy and eternal name.

Blessed are You, Lord, Upholder of all, God of our fathers, Your name is blessed and glorified with praises, for ever and ever.

To you belongs glory, to you belongs praise, to you belongs honor, God of all, Father of truth; we praise You, Your only Son and the living holy Spirit, now and always and for ever and ever. Amen.

### Concluding Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, do not close the door of Your mercy on our faces. Lord, we confess that we are sinners, have mercy upon us. O Lord, Your love made you descend from Your place to us that by Your death, our death was abolished; have mercy on us.

Holy art Thou, O God  
Holy art Thou, Almighty  
Holy art Thou, Immortal,

† **Crucified for us, Have mercy on us. (3 times)**

Lord, have mercy upon us  
Lord, be kind and have mercy  
Lord, accept Thou our office  
And our entreaties have mercy on us.

Glory be to Thee, O God  
Glory be to Thee, O Creator  
Glory be to Thee, O King,  
Christ who dost pity sinners Thy servants.

Barekmor.

### LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who are in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts and sins, as we also have forgiven our debtors. Lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from the evil one. For Thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

### HAIL MARY

Hail Mary, full of grace, Our Lord is with thee; blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, our Lord Jesus Christ. O virgin Saint Mary, O mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at all times, and at the hour of our death. Amen.

## Prayer of the Morning

### Qawmo

### Psalms 51

Have mercy upon me, O Lord, according to Thy loving kindness, and according to the multitude of Thy mercies, blot out my transgressions.

Wash me from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sins; for I acknowledge my transgressions, and my sins are ever before me.

Against Thee, Thee only, have I sinned, and done evil before Thee. For Thou shalt be justified Thy word, and blameless in Thy judgment. For I was born in iniquity and in sins did my mother conceive me.

For Thou has desired the truth, and made known to me the mysteries of Thy wisdom. Sprinkle upon me with Thy hyssop; purge me with it, and I shall be whiter than snow.

Fill me with Thy joy and gladness, and my feeble bones shall rejoice. Turn Thy face from my sins, and blot out all mine iniquities.

Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew within me a right spirit. Cast me not away from Thy presence, and take not Thy Holy Spirit from me.

Restore to me the joy of Thy salvation and may thy glorious spirit uphold me. Then will I teach the iniquitous Thy way, and the sinners shall be converted to Thee.

Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, the God of my salvation, and my tongue shall extol Thy righteousness. O Lord, open my lips, and my mouth shall sing forth Thy praises.

For Thou hadst no delight in mere sacrifices; neither hadst Thou been reconciled by mere burnt offerings. The sacrifices

acceptable to God are a humble spirit, and a broken heart,  
God despises not

Do good to Zion, according to Thy good pleasure, and build  
Thou the walls of Jerusalem. Then wilt Thou be pleased with  
righteous sacrifices, and in whole burnt offerings. Then shall  
they offer bullocks upon Thine altar.

**To you belongs the praise, O God. Barekmor.**

O merciful God! Be gracious to us in Your mercy.

**Moryo rahem Melayn oo adarayn.**

**Psalms 63**

O God, You are my God, and earnestly I seek You.

Like a dry and thirsty land longing for water, my spirit thirsts  
for You and my body longs for You.

I truly looked up to You, to behold Your power and glory.

Because Your loving-kindness is better than life, my lips shall  
praise You.

Thus I will praise You while I am alive and I will raise my  
hands in Your name.

My soul shall be satisfied as with marrow and fat and my  
mouth shall sing Your glory with joyful lips.

I remember You as I lie on my bed. All night long, I think of  
You and meditate.

Because You have been my help, I will be protected under the  
shadow of Your wings.

My soul follows You and Your right hand keeps me safe.

Those that seek to destroy my soul shall go down into the  
depths of the earth.

They shall fail by the sword and their bodies eaten by wolves.  
But the king shall rejoice in God.

Everyone that swears by him shall be glorified. But the mouth of the liars shall be silenced.

**To you belongs praise, O God. Barekmor.  
Enyono**

O heavenly King, in the morning I come in Your presence and bow before Your throne. Pardon all the sins that I committed against You.

Gracious and compassionate Lord, I plead and long for your mercy. Pardon all the sins that I committed against you.

The one who is light and lives in light, make me worthy of Your light that does not succumb to darkness. **Barekmor.**

I praise the Lord whose name is being glorified in the heaven above by the heavenly beings and by the people on the earth. Amen.

### **Psalms 113**

Praise the Lord, the creator of light. Praise Him, you servants of the Lord. Praise the name of the Lord.

May the name of the Lord be blessed from the beginning and for ever.

From the rising of the sun to its setting great is the name of the Lord.

The Lord is high above all nations, and His glory is above the heavens.

Who is like the Lord, our God? He dwells in the heights above and yet He looks upon the depths.

He raises up the poor from the dust and make them sit with princes. He makes the barren women to be a joyful mother of children and he grants her a home.

**To you belongs praise, O God. Barekmor.**

### Eqbo

God help us. The whirls and waves of sins that we committed are encircling us. You be the port of peace for us that we may not sink in the sea of sins. We are waiting to repent. As You extended Your hand to Peter, extend Your hand to us and help us.

**Stomen Kalos**

**Kuriyelaison**

### Qolo

O Christ, our Lord, You offered Yourself as a pleasing incense before God the Father. Because of You, we may be a pleasing incense before God. Though our prayers and offerings are abominable and foul smelling, touch and purify us with Your holy hand which cleansed the lepers to make our prayers and offerings sweet smelling fragrances.

**Barekmor.**

### **For the Intercession of Mother of God**

God our Lord, by Your presence You jolted Mount Zion. While You were bearing the heights and the depths, You willed that Virgin Mary conceive You without marriage and bring You forth beyond description. May Your mother's name be glorified and help us by her prayers.

### **For the Intercession of Saints**

Martyrs! Pray for us that He may have mercy on us by His grace and save us from the punishment of the last day. Pray for us that we may be made worthy to see you when you receive the victorious crowns.

### **For the Intercession of the Patron Saint**

St. (*Name*), those who are in distress seek your help. May your prayer be a fortress and refuge for us. By your prayers, may our petitions be granted, sick people be healed and those who are being tempted by Satan be liberated.

### **For Repentance**

O God, You do not deny Your mercy to the sinners who call upon You. By Your compassion spare us from punishments and the rods of wrath. To praise You for Your mercy, grant us joyful months and prosperous years. By glorious sign of Your † cross guard us from the evil.

Lord, may we not be silent from praising you and withdrawn from glorifying You. Lord, do not judge us according to Your righteousness. We confess that we are sinners. If You judge us according to our sins, we cannot hope eternal life and cannot plead before You and shall inherit fiery-hell. Therefore, according to Your mercy pardon and forgive our sins.

Lord, when You judge us, let our sins not conceal us. When the righteous garb in glory, may we not be naked at the judgment. We confess that we have fallen in sin, extend Your hand unto us that we may stand again. O compassionate One, who opens the door to all those who repent, have mercy on us as You forgave the thief on Cross at Your side.

### **For the Departed**

Lord, grant peace and good memory to our departed fathers and brothers. Include them in the company of saints and in their ranks. When you sit at the throne for judgment and to separate the righteous from the evil, may they receive Your compassion. When You appear in Your grace, may they stand on Your right side. Moryo rahem ‘a lay noo ‘adarayn.

**Bo 'ootho of Mor Ya 'Qub**

O Lord, open Your great door full of mercy. Hear our petitions and show mercy to our souls.

O glorious light which enlightens all creation in the morning, enlighten our intellects so that we may praise Your mercy.

Lord, it is good to give thanks to You and to sing praise to Your exalted name, to proclaim Your goodness in the morning and Your faithfulness in the night. Lord, hear my voice in the morning. May I be seen ready before You in the morning.

Lord, have compassion on Your people. Lord, pardon and forgive all our sins. Holy One, let Your right hand overshadow us and Your name heal our weaknesses.

**Qawmo**



## Prayer of the Third Hour

Qawmo

Qolo

Our heavenly Father, answer us who are calling upon You. For we have no other father who can help us. By Your will, You created us from emptiness. Now that we have been created, Your anger may not destroy us. Lord, teach us to abide by Your commandments. By our righteous deeds may You be pleased in us. Lord, by Your grace have mercy on us.

**Barekmor.**

We repent that we have distanced ourselves from You by our deeds and sins and only of You for name sake. We desire to confess but our false pride do not allow us. We are eager to teach others but do not learn ourselves. Though we have quenched the thirst of others, we are still thirsty. Give us a drink from the streams that flowed from Your side which was pierced with spear and quench our thirst.

**Moryo rahem ‘ a lay noo ‘ adarayn..**

**Bo ‘ootho**

God, our Lord, we call upon You. Come for our help. Accept our supplications and have mercy on our souls.

Lord, we desire not to be aloof from your communion. Though our sins have driven us out, may your loving-kindness grant us admittance. The sins have deceived us and wounded us without compassion. O! great physician heal our painful wounds.

The evil one has trapped us in the snares that he laid for us. O Lord, break the snares and save us from danger. O! Good Shepherd search for the sheep that has gone astray; do not let its life be in the hand of the evil one who is searching for it.

Christ, our God who has power to send us to heaven or hell, have compassion on us and save us from hell.

Qawmo

## **Prayer of the Sixth Hour (Noon)**

**Qawmo**

O! holy Mother, do not discontinue your supplication for us. Intercede for us that your only begotten son may have compassion on us. **Barekmor.**

O God, the Lord of all, by the prayers and supplications of the prophets who loved You and Your disciples who preached Your gospel, may peace reign among the four quarters of the earth. **Men olam...**

Lord, both worlds are at Your command. Protect the living by Your cross. By Your grace pardon the sins of all those who have passed away with hope in You. **Moryo rahem**

**Bo 'ootho**

Lord, by the prayers of Your Mother and all saints, sanctify us and our departed ones.

Let Virgin Mary's memory be a blessing for us. May her prayers be a fortress for our souls.

Apostles, martyrs, disciples, and saints! Pray for us that He may grant us mercy.

Lord, sprinkle the dew of joy on the face of our departed fathers and brothers who have passed away with hope in You.

Lord, by the prayers of Your mother and saints sanctify us and our departed.

**( Mor Severius)**

By the prayers of Your Mother who brought forth you and that of all saints; I will adore You O King, my Lord, the only begotten son, the word of the heavenly father, who are immortal, who by Your grace came for the life and salvation of all mankind, and did become incarnate of the holy and glorious Virgin Mary, Mother of God, who did become man, being God without change, and was † Crucified for us.

O Christ, our Lord, who by Your death did trample our death and destroy it, who is one among the Holy Trinity and are worshipped and glorified in the unity of Your Father and Your living Holy Spirit, have mercy upon us.

**Qawmo**

### **Nicene Creed**

**Deacon:** The wisdom of God, let us give heed, let us all stand well and respond to the prayer of this Rev. Priest and say:

**Priest:** We believe in one true God....

**People:** The Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in the one Lord Jesus Christ, the only begotten Son of God, begotten of the Father, before all worlds, Light of Light, Very God of Very God, begotten not made, being of the same substance with the Father, and by Whom all things were made. Who for men, and for our salvation, came down † from heaven, and was incarnate of the Holy Virgin Mary, mother of God, by the Holy Ghost, and became man, and was crucified † for us in the days of Pontius Pilate, and suffered and died, and was buried, and the third day rose † again, according to his will, and ascended into heaven, and sat on the right hand of His Father, and shall come again in his great glory, to judge both the living and dead, whose Kingdom shall have no end.

And in the One living Holy Spirit, the life giving Lord of all, Who proceeds from the Father, and Who with the Father and the Son, is worshipped and glorified, who spoke by the prophets and the apostles.

And in the one, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church, and we acknowledge one baptism, for the remission of sins, and look for the resurrection of the dead and the new life in the world to come. Amen. **Barekmor**

**Deacon:** Staumen Kalos

**People:** Kuriyelayison.

## I. COMMUNION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD

### KUKLIYON

*(Tune : Ninnal Suthiyodu...)*

**Priest:** See the royal daughter stand, Hal - u – Hal  
Glorious queen at—Thy right hand

**People:** Thy father's folk and home leave thou, Hal - u - Hal,  
The King desires thy- beauty now- **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

### EKBO

*(Tune : Bhakthar Pukazhcha...)*

**Priest:** Thou whose praise the church doth sing

**People:** Intercession for us bring.  
Unto Him, thine only Son,  
That He may not mercy shun  
**Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

### KOLO

*(Tune: Manna Makalkayi)*

**Priest:** Peace the bright archangel brought

**People:** Hailing Mary fair  
Favored is thy blessed lot  
Thou the Lord shall bear **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Like a ship did Mary bear  
Laud and honor be  
Him, the captain and the Lord  
God of all the world  
**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

-OR-

**ALTERNATE KOLO**  
*(Tune : Mariammin Smaranam...)*

**Priest:** Mary's memory  
**People:** Blessing for us be,  
May her pray'rs for us  
Be a fortress thus **Barekmor**

**Priest: † Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Fragrance sweet of smell  
Through the air doth swell-  
For Virgin Mary  
God's Mother holy  
**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

**BOVOOSA**  
*(Tune : Moranesu Kurishum Nin...)*

**Priest:** By Thy † cross, O Jesus Lord  
**People:** By Thy Mother's praying word  
Take from us and from our path  
Punishments and rods of wrath.

-OR-

**ALTERNATE BOVOOSA**  
*(Tune: Nirtheedaruthe Parishudhe)*

**Priest:** Cease not, Thou of grace a fount  
**People:** From thy pray'rs on – our account  
Unto Him Thine only Son  
That He may not mercy shun

## II. COMMUNION OF THE PATRON AND OTHER SAINTS

### KUKLIYON

*(Tune : Nayavan panapole...)*

**Priest:** The Righteous shall prosper like palm trees - Halleluiah  
And thrive like the cedars of - Lebanon

**People:** In age they shall thrive and be flourishing - Halleluiah  
Yea, growing both fattened - and pleasing

**Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Unto to the ages of ages and forever more.

### EKBO

*(Tune : Orupolingum...)*

**Priest:** (O St. Thomas), as in heav'n

**People:** Keep we here thy memory;  
Hear us as we honor thee,  
Thy entreaties be our aid  
**Stoumen kalos Kurielaison**

### KOLO

*(Tune: Prarthanayin samayamithallo)*

**Priest:** Behold, the time of Prayer, (Mor Geevarghese)

**People:** Lead thou thy flock as always thou didst lead it  
Stretch forth thy hand like Moses- grant thy blessing  
Behold, they hearken humbly to thy praises.

**Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Praise we the Father-who chose (Mor Gregorios)  
And praise the Son, who gave thee honored mem'ry  
Praise we the Holy Spirit, who didst crown thee  
Let mercy be ours always by thy pleading

**Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

-OR-

**ALTERNATE KOLO**

*(Tune : Bhag'yam Nibiyarkum...)*

**Priest:** Bliss to the prophets,  
**People:** And the apostles,  
And to the martyrs  
At resurrection      **Barekmor**

**Priest:** † **Glory be to the Father, Son and the Holy Ghost**

**People:** Those martyrs who longed  
For seeing the Christ  
By their death took wings,  
And fluttered to heights  
                 **Moriyo rahem melain oo aa darein**

**BOVOOSA**

*(Tune : Parishudhanmare Ningal...)*

**Priest:** Plead for us, ye holy Saints,  
**People:** Pray to Him whose will ye did,  
That from anger we be spared-  
That from scourges we be hid.

-OR-

**ANOTHER BOVOOSA**

*(Tune: Mor Thoma Salguna Nidhiye)*

**Priest:** O Mor Thoma, named art thou,  
**People:** By the church that keeps thy feast,  
May thy Lord His peace bestow,  
Making it forever flow

## BENEDICTION

**Priest:** May God, the creator of heaven and earth, † bless you and keep you. May God † bless and sanctify all those who have participated in this spiritual Morning Prayer. May God our Lord grant you † and your faithful departed forgiveness of sins. O Father, Son and Holy Sprit, grant that our feeble and unworthy prayers be pleasing and acceptable before Thy exalted throne, now and always forever and ever.

**People:** Amen.