

Apolytikia of the Resurrection

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By Your Cross You a - bol - ished death; to the thief You o - pened

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and com - mand - ed Your A - pos - tles to preach that You are ris - en, O Christ

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our God, be - stow - ing great mer - cy up - on the world.

For prayer and psalms, as for many other things, every time is suitable;
so that we praise God with psalms and hymns and spiritual songs,
while we move our hands in work, chanting with our tongue
if this is possible and conducive to the edification
of the faith, but if not, then in the heart.

-St. Basil the Great