

# Kontakion - Veneration of the Cross

Tone 7

Obikhod

Now the flam - ing sword no longer guards the gates of E - den;

it has been mysteriously quenched by the wood of the Cross.

The sting of death and the vict'ry of hell have been van - quished;

for Thou, O my Savior, hast come and cried to those in hell:

"Enter a - gain in - to Par - a - dise!"