Let us sing to the Lord who by His di-vine com-mand
dried up the billow-ing sea where none might walk,
and through it led the peo-ple of Is-ra-el on foot:
for He has been great-ly glo-ri-fied.
We praise, we bless, we worship the Lord, praising and supremely exalting Him unto all ages.

The unwearied fire, fed with endless fuel, drew back in fear before the pure bodies and pure souls of the holy children; and as the undying

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flame decreased in strength, they sang an everlasting song:

O all ye works, praise ye the Lord and exalt Him above all

for ever.
Thou hast magnified, O Christ, the Theotokos who bore Thee:

from her, O our Creator, hast Thou taken a body of like passions

to our own, and so hast set us free from all our

igno-rance. Therefore with all generations we call her bless-ed and we

magni fy Thee.