

# The Blessing and Dismissal

Deacon: Wisdom! Father, give the blessing.

Priest: Blessed is the One who is, Christ our God, always, now and ever and unto ages of ages.

Lenten Melody

A-men. Preserve, O God, the holy Orthodox faith and Or-tho-dox

Chris-tians, now and ever and unto ag-es of ag-es. A-men.

Priest: Most Holy Theotokos, save us.

More hon'orable than the cher-u-bim, and more glor'ous beyond compare

than the ser-a-phim, without defilement you gave birth to God the