Sunday of Forgiveness

Doxastikon at the Aposticha

Byzantine Tone 6
Arr. Basil Kazan

(Glory by Rassem El Massih)

Glo-ry to the Fa-ther and to the

Son and to the Ho-ly Spir-it.

Ver-i-ly, Ad-am for eat-ing was driv-en from Par-a-dis-e. Where-fore, he sat op-po-site there-to,

wail-ing and mourn-ing in a pit-i-ful voice,

say-ing, Woe is me; what hath be-fall-en me, wretch-ed man? I trans-gressed one com-mand-ment of my Lord and
was denied all kinds of good things. Therefore, O most holy paradise, which for me was planted, and for the sake of Eve was closed, implore Him who made thee, that I may contemplate the flowers of Thy garden.

Therefore, the Savior cried out to him, saying: I desire not the loss of My creation, but that it be saved, and come to the knowledge of the truth; for he that cometh to Me, I shall not cast out.