

The Epistle Reading

Deacon: Let us attend!

Priest: Peace be unto all!

Reader: And to your spirit!

Deacon: Wisdom!

Reader: The prokeimenon in the ___ tone:
(The Reader chants the appropriate prokeimenon.)

People: *sing the prokeimenon*

Reader: *chants the prokeimenon verse*

People: *sing the prokeimenon*

Reader: *chants the first half of the prokeimenon...*

People: *...complete the prokeimenon.*

Deacon: Wisdom!

Reader: The Reading from the _____.

Deacon: Let us attend!

(The reader chants the appointed Epistle(s) for the day.)

Priest: Peace be unto you, Reader.

Reader: And to your spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

People: Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*(The reader chants the appointed Alleluia verses.
After each verse, the people sing the Alleluia.)*