

Kontakion

Wednesday and Friday: Cross

One 7 - G. Antho-Russian

The fier - y sword no longer guards the gate of

for in a strange and glorious wood the wood of the

cross has quenched flames. sting of death, and the vict'ry of

the now des- cend, for You have come, my Savior, crying to

those in Ha - des: "Re-turn a - gain to Par - a - dise!"