It was error itself that was bound by you, when you were cast into prison in chains as a prisoner in the Lord, O holy Apostle Peter.

For this reason we venerate you with our whole heart and kiss your chains in faith. Finding strength for our bodies and souls in them, we acclaim you fittingly as a companion of the angels and as
one who has seen God.

Cantor: Because with the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption, 

(on 3) Israel indeed he will redeem from all its iniquity.

The diverse families of the nations who had once been held in ignorance have received knowledge of God through you.

A vision of them was shown to you in the sheet seen lowered down from heaven containing all types of animals. Thus all ages glorify you, O Peter, bowing down before the chains which you bore for Christ.

Cantor: Praise the Lord, all you nations, 

(on 2) acclaim him all you peoples!

He whom you denied when He was being condemned, you now have praised
as risen from the dead, O holy Apostle. You announced Him to the whole world as the God-Man who dwelt among men in his surpassing goodness. Thus, with our whole heart we call you blessed, O illustrious Peter, bowing down before the chains which you bore for Christ.

Cantor: Strong is the love of the Lord for us; he is faithful forever. All repeat “He whom you denied when he was being condemned…”

Cantor: (Tone 6) Glory…

Doxastikon of the holy apostle Peter - Tone 6 samohlasen

To-day the foundation of the Church, Peter, the Rock of faith, shows us his honorable chains for the well-being of our souls. Come, let us embrace
them and crown him with our hymns of praise: "Hail, O fervent defender of the Faith, who freely confessed Christ with a fervent heart as the Son of God!

Hail, O you who bring joy to the world, and carry the keys to the kingdom of Heaven! Obtain grace for those who honor you wholeheartedly, embracing your revered chains with love. You stand before the throne of the divine King of all, constantly interceding for us sinners.

Cantor:  (Tone 1) Now and ever…

Dogmatikon in the Tone of the Week (Tone 1, p. 30)
Our ardent protector, Peter, the Rock of faith, again gathers us for a spiritual feast, offering to us his precious chains as a valuable sustenance, as a healing for our ills, consolation for the afflicted and a harbor for the shipwrecked. Come, let us all embrace them and entreat Him who glorified their bearer: “O Christ, save our souls!”

Cantor: Now and ever...

Aposticha theotokion in the same tone (Tone 6, p. 90)

Troparia in the Tone of the week (Tone 1, page 34)