

JANUARY

Sunday before Theophany of Our Lord. Epis. Colossians 2:8-12; Hebrews 13:17-21; 2 Timothy 4:5-8. Gos. Luke 2:20-21, 40-52; Mark 1:1-8. Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 6.

1 S (+) Circumcision of Our Lord; +) St. Basil the Great and his mother, St. Emilia (New Year. Thanksgiving Service)

2 M Holy Hierarch Sylvester, bishop of Rome; Ven. Seraphim of Sarov (*Forefeast of Theophany*)

3 T Holy Prophet Malachi; Martyr Gordius

4 W Synaxis of the Seventy Apostles; Ven. Teoctist; Ven. Apolinaria (*Fast free*)

5 T Holy Martyrs Theopemptus, Theonas; Ven. Syncletica (*Eve of Theophany*) (*Strict Fast*)

6 F (+) Holy Theophany of Our Lord Jesus Christ (Fast free)

7 S + Synaxis of the Holy Prophet, Forerunner and Baptizer John (Saturday after Theophany)

Sunday after Theophany. Epis. Ephesians 4:7-13. Gos. Matthew 4:12-17 (Beginning of the Lord's ministry). Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 7.

8 S Ven. George the Chozebite and Domnica

9 M Martyr Polyeuctus; Ven. Eustratius; Holy Hierarch Peter, bishop of Sebastea

10 T St. Gregory of Nyssa; + Ven. Antypas of Calapodest; Holy Hierarch Dometian, bishop of Melitene

11 W + Ven. Theodosius, founder of cenobite life in Palestine; Ven. Vitaly

12 T Martyr Tatiana the deaconess and Eustasia

13 F + **Martyrs Hermylus and Stratonicus**; Holy Hierarch James (Jacob), bishop of Nisibis

14 S Ven. Martyrs slain at Sinai and Raithu; St. Sava of Serbia; St. Nina (*Leave-taking of Theophany*)

29th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. (of the 28th Sunday): Colossians 1:12-18. Gos. Luke 17:12-19 (Ten lepers). Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 8.

15 S Ven. Paul of Thebes and John "Calabytes" (the hut-dweller)

16 M Veneration of the Precious Chains of the Holy Apostle Peter; Martyr Danax the reader

17 T +) Ven. Anthony the Great; Ven. Anthony the New of Berea

18 W + Sts. Athanasius and Cyril, archbishops of Alexandria

19 T Ven. Macarius the Great and Macarius of Alexandria; Holy Hierarch Mark, metropolitan of Ephesus; Virgin Martyr Euphrasia

20 F +) Ven. Euthymius the Great; Martyr Eusebius, Martyrs Innas, Pinnas and Rimmas

21 S Ven. Maximus the Confessor; Martyrs Neophytus and Valerian

32nd Sunday after Pentecost (Zacchaeus). Epis. 1 Timothy 4:9-15. Gos. Luke 19:1-10. Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 9.

22 S Holy Apostle Timothy; Monk-martyr Anastasius the Persian

23 M Hieromartyr Clement, bishop of Ancyra; Martyr Agathangelus; Holy Fathers of the 6th Ecumenical Council

24 T Ven. Xenia; Holy Hierarch Philon, bishop of Kolpasteia in Crete

25 W +) **Holy Hierarch Gregory the Theologian, archbishop of Constantinople; + Holy Hierarch Bretanion, bishop of Tomis**

26 T Ven. Xenophon, his wife Maria and their children Arcadius and John

27 F + **Translation of the Relics of the Holy Hierarch John Chrysostom**; St. Marciana the Empress

28 S Ven. Ephraim and Isaac of Syria; Ven. Paladius of Antioch; Ven. James the hermit

17th Sunday after Pentecost (Canaanite woman). Epis. 2 Corinthians 6:16-18; 7:1. Gos. Matthew 15:21-28. Tone 7. Mat. Gos. 10.

29 S Translation of the Relics of Hieromartyr Ignatius the Godbearer; Martyr Philotheus

30 M +) **Synaxis of the Three Hierarchs: Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian, & John Chrysostom**; Hieromartyr Hippolytus, bishop of Rome

31 T Holy Wonderworkers and Unmercenaries Cyrus and John

F E B R U A R Y

1 W Martyrs Tryphon, Perpetua & Felicitas (*Forefeast of Presentation of our Lord*)

2 T (+) Presentation of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Temple

3 F Righteous Simeon the God-receiver; Anna the Prophetess

4 S Ven. Isidor of Pelusium; Hieromartyr Abramius

33rd Sunday after Pentecost (*Publican and the Pharisee*). Epis. 2 Timothy 3:10-15. Gos. Luke 18:10-14. Tone 8. Mat. Gos. 11 (*Triodion begins*).

5 S Martyrs Agatha & Theodula

6 M Holy Hierarchs Bucolus, bishop of Smyrna and Photius, Patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Barsanuphius the Great

7 T Holy Hierarch Parthenius, bishop of Lampsacus; Ven. Luke of Hellas

8 W Great Martyr Theodore Stratelates; Prophet Zechariah (*Fast free*)

9 T Martyr Nichephorus (*Leave-taking of Presentation of the Lord*)

10 F +) Hieromartyr Haralambos; Virgin Martyr Valentina (*Fast free*)

11 S Hieromartyr Blaise, bishop of Sebaste; St. Theodora the Empress

34th Sunday after Pentecost (*Prodigal Son*). Epis. 1 Corinthians 6:12-20. Gos. Luke 15:11-32. Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 1.

12 S Holy Hierarch Meletius, archbishop of Antioch; St. Kristo the gardener

13 M Ven. Martinian; Holy Apostle Aquila and his wife Priscilla; Holy Hierarch Eulogius, patriarch of Alexandria

14 T Ven. Auxentius, Maron & Abraham

15 W Apostle of the Seventy Onesimus; Martyr Major

16 T Martyrs Pamphilius & Valens; Holy Hierarch Flavian, archbishop of Constantinople; St. Nicholas of Japan

17 F Great Martyr Theodore the Soldier (“Tyro”); St. Mariamne; Holy Emperor Marcian & Empress Pulcheria

18 S Holy Hierarch Leo, bishop of Rome (*Memorial Saturday*)

35th Sunday after Pentecost – Last Judgment (*Farewell to Meat*). Epis. 1 Corinthians 8:8-13; 9:1-2. Gos. Matthew 25:31-46. Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 2.

19 S Holy Apostles Archippos, Philemon & his wife Apphias of the 70

20 M Holy Hierarch Leo, bishop of Catania; Ven. Vissarion (*E,M,C*)

21 T Ven. Timothy; Holy Hierarch Eustathios, archbishop of Antioch (*E,M,C*)

22 W Uncovering of the relics of the Martyrs at the gate of Eugenios in Constantinople (*non-liturgical day*) (*E,M,C*)

23 T + Hieromartyr Polycarp, bishop of Smyrna; Ven. Gorgonia (*E,M,C*)

24 F +) **The first & second findings of the honorable head of St. John the Forerunner** (*non-liturgical day*) (*E,M,C*)

25 S Holy Hierarch Tarasios, patriarch of Constantinople (*E,M,C*)

36th Sunday after Pentecost - Expulsion of Adam from Paradise (*Farewell to Dairy*). Epis. Romans 13:11-14; 14:1-4. Gos. Matthew 6:14-21. Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 3.

26 S Holy Hierarch Porphyrios, bishop of Gaza; Martyr Photini, the Samaritan woman (*E,M,C*)

27 M Ven. Prokopios the Confessor and Thalelaeus; + **St. Raphael, bishop of Brooklyn** (*Beginning of Great Lent. Non-liturgical day. Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete – Part 1*).

28 T +) **Venerable John Cassian and Germanus of Dobrogea**; Ven. Basil the Confessor; Hieromartyr Proterius, patriarch of Alexandria (*non-liturgical day*) (*Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete – Part 2*)

MARCH

- 1 W Ven. Martyr Eudoxia; Ven. Domnina (*Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete – Part 3*)
- 2 T Hieromartyr Theodotos, bishop of Cyrenia; Martyr Hesychius (*Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete – Part 4*)
- 3 F Martyrs Eutropios, Kleonikos & Basilikos
- 4 S Ven. Gerasimos of the Jordan; Martyrs Paul & his sister Juliana (*St. Theodore Saturday - Memorial Saturday*) (*W,O*)

1st Sunday of Great Lent (Orthodoxy). Epis. Hebrews 11:24-26, 32-40. Gos. John 1:43-51. Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 4.

- 5 S **Martyr Conon of Isauria & Conon the Gardener; Ven. Mark the Hermit; St. Nikolai Velimirovic** (*W,O*)
- 6 M Holy 42 Martyrs of Ammoria; Uncovering of the Precious Cross
- 7 T Hieromartyrs **Ephraim, bishop of Tomis**, and bishops of Cherson: Basil, Capito, Eugene, Aetherius, Elpidius and Agathodoros
- 8 W Ven. Hierarch Theophylactus the Confessor, bishop of Nicomedia
- 9 T **+ Holy 40 Martyrs of Sebaste**
- 10 F Martyrs Quadratus, Cyprian & Dionysius and those with them
- 11 S Holy Hierarch Sophronius, patriarch of Jerusalem (*Memorial Saturday*)

2nd Sunday of Great Lent (St. Gregory Palamas). Martyrs of Communist Persecution. Epis. Hebrews 1:10-14; 2:1-3; Hebrews 7:26-28; 8:1-2 (Hierarch). Gos. Mark 2:1-12 (Healing of paralytic in Capernaum); John 10:9-16 (Hierarch). Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 5.

- 12 S Ven. Theophanes the Confessor; Holy Hierarch Gregory Dialogus, bishop of Rome; Ven. Simeon the New Theologian
- 13 M Translation of the relics of the Holy Hierarch Nicephorus, patriarch of Constantinople; Martyr Christina of Persia
- 14 T Ven. Benedict of Nursia; Hieromartyr Alexander the priest
- 15 W Martyrs Agapius, Publius & Timolaus
- 16 T Martyr Sabinas of Egypt; Ven. Christodoulos of Patmos
- 17 F Ven. Alexius, the man of God
- 18 S Holy Hierarch Cyril, archbishop of Jerusalem; **+ Holy Hierarch Nikolai of Zhicha** (*Memorial Saturday*) (*W,O*)

3rd Sunday of Great Lent (The Cross). Epis. Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:1-6. Gos. Mark 8:34-38; 9:1. Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 6.

- 19 S **Martyrs Chrysanthus & Daria, Claudius & Hilaria; Martyr Marian the deacon** (*W,O*)
- 20 M Ven. Martyrs slain at the monastery of St. Sabbas
- 21 T Holy Hierarch James the Confessor; Ven. Serapion
- 22 W Hieromartyr Basil, priest of Ancyra; Martyr Drosida, daughter of Emperor Trajan
- 23 T Ven. Martyr Nikon of Sicily & 199 disciples with him
- 24 F Holy Hierarch Artemon, bishop of Seleucia; Ven. Zachariah (*Forefeast of Annunciation*)
- 25 S **(+) Annunciation** (*F,W,O*)

4th Sunday of Great Lent (St. John of the Ladder). Epis. Hebrews 6:13-20; Ephesians 5:8-19 (Ven. John). Gos. Mark 9:17-32 (Healing of the epileptic son); Matthew 4:25; 5:1-12 (Ven. John) (Sermon on the mount – Beatitudes). Tone 7. Mat. Gos. 7.

- 26 S Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel; **Martyr Montanus the priest and his wife, Maxima; Holy 26 Martyrs in the Crimea** (*Leave-taking of Annunciation*) (*W,O*)
- 27 M Martyr Matrona of Thessalonika; Martyrs Philetus and Lidia, his wife, with their 4 children
- 28 T Ven. Hilarion the New; Ven. Stephen the Wonderworker
- 29 W Hieromartyrs Mark, bishop of Arethusa and Cyril the deacon; Martyrs Ionas and Varahisios (*Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete*)
- 30 T Ven. John of Sinai, author of The Ladder; St. Eubula, mother of St. Panteleimon

31 F + **St. Innocent of Alaska**; Hieromartyr Hypatios, bishop of Gangra; Martyr Benjamin the deacon
(Akathist to Birthgiver of God)

A P R I L

1 S Ven. Mary of Egypt; Martyr Gerontius (*Memorial Saturday*) (*W,O*)

5th Sunday of Great Lent (St. Mary of Egypt). Epis. Hebrews 9:11-14; Galatians 3:23-29 (Ven. Mary). Gos. Mark 10:32-45; Luke 7:36-50 (Ven. Mary). Tone 8. Mat. Gos. 8.

2 S Ven. Titus the Wonderworker; Martyrs Amphianus & Edesius (*W,O*)

3 M Ven. Nicetus the Confessor and Illyricus

4 T Ven. Joseph the Hymnographer, George of Mt. Maleon and Zosimas

5 W Martyrs Agathopodes & Theodulus; Martyr Victorin and those with him

6 T **Hieromartyr Irenaeus, bishop of Sirmium**; Holy Hierarch Eutybios, patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Gregory of Sinai and Platonida

7 F + **St. Tikhon, Enlightener of North America**; Martyr Calliopius; Holy Hierarch George the Confessor, bishop of Mitylene

8 S Apostles of the Seventy: Herodion, Agabus, Rufus, Phlegon, Asyncritus and Hermes; Holy Hierarch Celestin, bishop of Rome (*Lazarus Saturday – Memorial Saturday*) (*W,O*)

6th Sunday of Great Lent (Palm Sunday). Epis. Philippians 4:4-9. Gos. John 12:1-18. Follow the Triodion.

9 S (+) **Entrance of the Lord into Jerusalem** (*F,W,O*) (*Bridegroom Matins*)

10 M **Holy Monday**. Martyrs Terence, Pompeios, Africanus, Maximus and Zeno (*Bridegroom Matins*)

11 T **Holy Tuesday**. + **Holy Hierarch Callinicus of Cernica, bishop of Ramnicul**; Hieromartyr Antipas, bishop of Pergamum (*Bridegroom Matins*)

12 W **Holy Wednesday**. + **Martyr Sava of Buzau**; Holy Hierarch Basil the Confessor, bishop of Parium (*Holy Unction, Bridegroom Matins*)

13 T **Holy Thursday**. Hieromartyr Artemon; Martyr Eleftherios the Persian (*Twelve Gospels*)

14 F **Holy Friday**. +) **Holy Hierarch Pachomius of Gledin, bishop of Roman**; Holy Hierarch Martin the Confessor, bishop of Rome; Martyr Thomais (*Lamentations*) (*non-liturgical day*)

15 S **Holy Saturday**. Apostles of the Seventy: Aristarchus, Pudens & Trophimus; Martyr Crescens

Resurrection of Our Lord. Holy Pascha. Epis. Acts 1:1-8. Gos. John 1:1-17.

16 S (+) **Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ** (*Holy Pascha*).

17 M (+) **Bright Monday**. Hieromartyr Simeon, bishop in Persia

18 T (+) **Bright Tuesday**. Ven. John, disciple of St. Gregory of Decapolis

19 W Ven. John of Old Lavra; Hieromartyr Paphnutius (*Fast free*)

20 T + **Holy Hierarch Theotimus, bishop of Tomis**; Ven. Theodore Trichinas

21 F +) **Life-giving Fount of Mother of God**. Hieromartyr Januarius, bishop of Benevento; Martyr Alexandra the empress (*Fast free*)

22 S St. Theodore Sykeote, bishop of Anastasiopolis; Apostle Nathaniel

2nd Sunday after Pascha (St. Thomas). Epis. Acts 5:12-20. Gos. John 20:19-31. Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 1.

23 S +) **Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer**; Martyr Valerius

24 M +) **Holy Confessors: Elias (Iorest), Simion Stephan & Sava (Brancovich)**; Holy Hierarch Joseph the Confessor of Maramures; Martyrs Pasikrates and Valentine; Ven. Elizabeth

25 T Holy Apostle & Evangelist Mark; +) **Ven. Vasile (Romania)**

26 W Hieromartyr Basil (Vasilefs), bishop of Amasea; **Martyrs Cyril, Kindeas and Dasius of Axiopolis (Chernavoda)** (*F,W,O*)

27 T Hieromartyr Simeon, the kinsman of the Lord, bishop of Jerusalem; Apostles of the Seventy: Mark and Zenas

28 F Apostles of the Seventy: Jason & Sosipater; **Martyrs Maximus, Quinctilian and Dada at Dorostolum** (*F,W,O*)

29 S Holy 9 Martyrs at Cyzicus; Ven. Memnon the wonderworker

3rd Sunday after Pascha (Myrrhbearing Women). Epis. Acts 6:1-7. Gos. Mark 15:43-47, 16:1-8. Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 4.

30 S Apostle James, son of Zebedee; Holy Hierarch Donatus, bishop of Euroea

M A Y

- 1 M Prophet Jeremiah; Ven. Martyrs Euthymius, Ignatius and Acacius
- 2 T Translation of the relics of St. Athanasius the Great; + **Holy Hierarch Athanasius III, patriarch of Constantinople**
- 3 W +) **Ven. Irodion of Lainic**; Martyrs Timothy & his wife, Mavra (*F,W,O*)
- 4 T Martyr Pelagia; St. Monica, mother of Blessed Augustine; Ven. Valerian; + **Hieromartyr Vasily Martysz, missionary in America**
- 5 F Great-martyr Irene; New Martyr Ephraim (*F,W,O*)
- 6 S Righteous Job the long-suffering; Martyr Barbarus
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- 4th Sunday after Pascha (Healing of paralytic at Bethesda). Epis. Acts 9:32-42. Gos. John 5:1-15. Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 5.**
- 7 S Apparition of the sign of the Holy Cross over Jerusalem; + **St. Alexis Toth of Wilkes-Barre**; Martyrs Acacius and Quadratus
- 8 M +) Apostle & Evangelist John the Theologian; Ven. Arsenios the Great
- 9 T Prophet Isaiah; Martyr Christopher; Translation of the Relics of St. Nicholas to Bari
- 10 W Apostle Simeon Zealotes (*Mid-feast of Pentecost*) (*F,W,O*)
- 11 T Hieromartyr Mocius the priest; Holy Hierarch Methodius & Ven. Cyril, apostles to the Slavs
- 12 F +) **Martyr John of Wallachia**; Holy Hierarch Epiphanius, archbishop of Cyprus, and Germanos, patriarch of Constantinople (*F,W,O*)
- 13 S Martyr Glyceria; St. Sergius the Confessor
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- 5th Sunday after Pascha (Samaritan Woman). Epis. Acts: 11:19-30. Gos. John 4:5-42. Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 7.**
- 14 S **Martyr Isidore of Chios; Hieromartyr Therapont, bishop of Cyprus**
- 15 M Ven. Pachomios the Great; Holy Hierarch Achilles, bishop of Larissa; + **Holy Hierarch Jacob of Putna, metropolitan of Moldova**
- 16 T Ven. Theodore the Sanctified; Martyr Nicholas of Metsovo; + **Ven. Sila, Paisius and Natan of Sihatia in Putna**
- 17 W Apostle of the Seventy Andronicus and his wife, Junia; Ven. Nectarios and Theophanes (*Leave-taking of Mid-Feast of Pentecost*) (*F,W,O*)
- 18 T Martyrs Peter, Dionysius & Paul
- 19 F Hieromartyr Patrick, bishop of Prussia (*F,W,O*)
- 20 S Martyr Thallelaeus; Ven. Talasius; St. Lydia of Philippisia
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- 6th Sunday after Pascha (Healing of man blind from birth). Epis. Acts 16:16-34. Gos. John 9:1-38. Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 8.**
- 21 S +) **Equals-to-the-Apostles Emperor Constantine & his mother Helen**
- 22 M Martyrs Basiliscus & Marcellus; Holy Fathers of the 2nd Ecumenical Council
- 23 T Holy Hierarch Michael the Confessor, bishop of Synnada; Myrrhbearer Mary, wife of Cleophas
- 24 W Ven. Simeon the younger of the Wonderful Mountain (*Leave-taking of Pascha*) (*F,W,O*)
- 25 T (+) **Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ (Day of Heroes)**. + Third finding of the Honorable Head of St. John the Baptizer
- 26 F Apostles of the Seventy: Karpos & Alphaios; Martyrs Abercius and Helen (*F,W,O*)
- 27 S **Martyr Julius the Veteran**; Hieromartyrs Helladius and Therapont, bishop of Sardis; Holy Confessor John the Russian
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- 7th Sunday after Pascha (Holy Fathers of the First Ecumenical Council). Epis. Acts 20:16-18, 28-36. Gos. John 17:1-13 (Prayer of Jesus). Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 10.**
- 28 S Hieromartyr Eutychius, bishop of Melitene; Holy Hierarch Nicetas the Confessor, bishop of Chalcedon
- 29 M Virgin-martyr Theodosia; Hieromartyr Olivian
- 30 T Ven. Issac the Confessor and Barlaam
- 31 W Martyrs Hermias, Eusebios & Haralambos (*F,W,O*)

J U N E

- 1 T Martyr Justin the Philosopher and those together with him
- 2 F **+) Great-Martyr John the New of Suceava**; Holy Hierarch Nicephorus the Confessor, patriarch of Constantinople (*Leave-taking of Ascension of our Lord*) (*F, W, O*)
- 3 S Martyrs Lucillian, Hypatius and Paula the virgin; St. Kevin, Abbot of Glendalough (*Memorial Saturday*)
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- 8th Sunday after Pascha (Pentecost). Epis. Acts 2:1-11. Gos. John 7:37-53; 8:12. Follow Pentecostarion.**
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- 4 S **(+) Descent of the Holy Spirit. + Martyrs of Niculitsel: Zoticus, Atallus, Camisius and Philip**; Myrrhbearers Mary and Martha, sisters of Lazarus the Righteous
- 5 M **(+) Holy Trinity**
- 6 T Ven. Hilarion the New, abbot of the Dalmatian Monastery
- 7 W Hieromartyr Theodotus of Ancyra; Martyr Zenaida (*Fast free*)
- 8 T **Martyrs Nicander & Marcian**; Translation of the relics of Great Martyr Theodore the Soldier
- 9 F Holy Hierarch Cyril, archbishop of Alexandria (*Fast free*)
- 10 S Martyrs Alexander & Antonina; Hieromartyr Timothy, bishop of Prussa (*Leave-taking of Descent of Holy Spirit*)
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- 1st Sunday after Pentecost (All Saints). Epis. Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2. Gos. Matthew 10:32-33; 37-38; 19:27-30. Tone 8. Mat. Gos. 1.**
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- 11 S Apostles Bartholomew & Barnabas; Holy Hierarch Luke, archbishop of Crimea; Hieromartyr Mitrophan & the Chinese Orthodox Martyrs (1900)
- 12 M Ven. Onuphrius the Great and Peter the Athonite (*Beginning of Fast of Holy Apostles*)
- 13 T Martyr Aquilina; Holy Hierarch Triphyllius, bishop of Cyprus
- 14 W Prophet Elisha; Holy Hierarch Methodios, patriarch of Constantinople
- 15 T Prophet Amos; **Martyr Hesychius**; Blessed Augustine and Jerome
- 16 F Holy Hierarch Tikhon, bishop of Amathos; Hieromartyr Mark, bishop of Apollonias
- 17 S Martyrs Manuel, Sabel & Ismael, Innocent and Felix (*F, W, O*)
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- 2nd Sunday after Pentecost (American & Romanian Saints). Epis. Romans 2:10-16. Gos. Matthew 4:18-23 (Calling of first Apostles). Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 2.**
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- 18 S **Martyrs Leontios, Hypatios & Theodoulos**; Ven. Erasmus
- 19 M Holy Apostle Jude, brother of the Lord; Ven. Paisius the Great
- 20 T Hieromartyr Methodius the bishop; Holy Hierarch Kallistos, patriarch of Constantinople
- 21 W Martyrs Julian of Tarsus and Afrodisios
- 22 T **+) Holy Hierarch Gregory the Teacher, Metropolitan of Romanian Lands**; Hieromartyr Eusebios; (*F, W, O*)
- 23 F Martyrs Agrippina; Hieromartyr Aristocleus the priest
- 24 S **(+) Nativity of St. John the Baptist. + Translation of the relics of Great Martyr John the New of Suceava; + St. Nicetas of Remesiana** (*F, W, O*)
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- 3rd Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Romans 5:1-10. Gos. Matthew 6:22-33 (Worries of life). Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 3.**
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- 25 S **Virgin-martyr Febronia**; Martyr Orentius and his brothers; Martyr Livia (*F, W, O*)
- 26 M Ven. David of Thessaloniki; Holy Hierarch John, bishop of the Goths
- 27 T Ven. Sampson, the host of Strangers; St. Joanna the Myrrhbearer
- 28 W Translation of the relics of the Holy Unmercenaries Cyrus & John; Martyr Papias
- 29 T **(+) Holy Apostles Peter and Paul**
- 30 F + Synaxis of the 12 Apostles; **+) Holy Hierarch Ghelasius of Rametz** (*F, W, O*)

J U L Y

1 S +) **Holy Hierarch Leontius of Radautz**; Unmercenary Physicians Cosmas & Damian of Rome

4th Sunday after Pascha. Epis. Romans 6:18-23. Gos. Matthew 8,5-13 (Healing of centurion's servant). Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 4.

2 S Placing of the robe of Mother of God in Blachernae; +) **St. Stefan the Great of Moldavia**; Holy Hierarch Juvenaly, patriarch of Jerusalem; + **Holy Hierarch and Wonderworker John of Shanghai and San Francisco**

3 M Martyr Hyacinth; Holy Hierarch Anatolius, patriarch of Constantinople

4 T Holy Hierarch Andrew, archbishop of Crete; Ven. Martha

5 W + Ven. Athanasius the Athonite; Ven. Lampadus

6 T Ven. Sisoës the Great; Martyr Lucy of Rome

7 F Great-martyr Kyriake; Ven. Thomas of Mt. Maleon; Martyr Evangelicus

8 S Great-martyr Procopius & his mother the Martyr Theodosia; +) **Martyr Epictetus the priest and Astion the monk**

5th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Romans 10:1-10 . Gos. Matthew 8:28-34; 9:1 (Cure of two demoniacs of Gadara). Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 5.

9 S Hieromartyrs and Bishops Pancratius & Cyril

10 M 45 Holy Martyrs at Nicopolis in Armenia

11 T Great-martyr Eufemia; St. Olga, equal to the Apostles and enlightener of Russia

12 W +) **Veneration of the Holy Icon of the Mother of God Prodromitsa of Mount Athos**; Martyrs Proclus & Hilary; Ven. Michael of Maleinus; St. Veronica; Ven. Paisius the Hagiorite (*F, W, O*)

13 T Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel; Ven. Stephen of St. Sava Monastery; Martyr Maria of Persia; Ven. Sarah

14 F Apostle Aquila of the Seventy; Martyrs Justus & Heraclius; Ven. Nicodemus the Hagiorite

15 S Martyrs Cyricus & Julita; St. Vladimir, enlightener of Russia

6th Sunday after Pentecost (Holy Fathers of 4th Ecumenical Council). Epis. Romans 12:6-14; Titus 3:8-15 (Fathers). Gos. Matthew 9:1-8 (Cure of the paralytic from Capernaum); John 17:1-13 (Prayer of Jesus)(Fathers). Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 6.

16 S Hieromartyr Athenogenes & his 10 disciples; Martyr Julia

17 M Great-martyr Marina (Margaret); Holy Hierarch Euphrasius, bishop of Ionopolis

18 T + **Martyr Emilian of Dorostolum**; Martyr Pambo

19 W Ven. Macrina, sister of St. Basil the Great; Ven. Dios; Uncovering of the relics of Ven. Seraphim of Sarov

20 T +) **Glorious Prophet Elijah (Elias) the Tishbite**; Mother Maria (Skobtsova) of Paris and those with her

21 F Ven. Simeon & John the ascetic; Prophet Ezekiel; + **Ven. Raphael and Parthenius of old Agapia**

22 S Myrrhbearer & Equal to the Apostles Mary Magdalene; Ven. Martyr Marcella

7th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Romans 15:1-7. Gos. Matthew 9:27-35 (Healing of two blind men and a mute man from Capernaum). Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 7.

23 S Translation of relics of Hieromartyr Phocas; Martyrs Apollinaris, Vitalis and Valeria

24 M Great-martyr Christina; Martyr Hermogenes; Martyrs Boris & Gleb

25 T Dormition of Righteous Ana, mother of the Birthgiver of God; Holy Fathers of the 5th Ecumenical Council; Ven. Olympiada and Eupraxia

26 W Hieromartyr Hermolaus; Martyr Parascheva of Rome; + **Ven. Ioannichius the New of Muscel**; + **St. Jacob of Alaska**

27 T + **Great-martyr and healer Panteleimon**; St. Clement of Ochrid

28 F Apostles of the Seventy and Deacons: Prochoros, Nicanor, Timon & Parmenas; Ven. Paul of Xeropotamou

29 S Martyr Callinicus, Benjamin and Mamant; Martyr Theodota and her sons

8th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 1 Corinthians 1:10-17. Gos. Matthew 14:14-22 (Multiplication of loaves in

the desert). **Tone 7. Mat. Gos. 8.**

30 S Apostles of the Seventy: Silas, Silvanus, Crescens, Epenetus & Andronicus; Hieromartyr Valentinus, bishop of Umbria

31 M Righteous Eudocimus; Righteous Joseph of Arimathea (*Forefeast of the Procession of the Holy Cross*)

AUGUST

- 1 T **Procession of the Holy Cross; Seven Maccabean Martyrs** (*Beginning of Fast of Mother of God*)
2 W Translation of the relics of the Protomartyr Stephen the Archdeacon; Righteous Gamaliel; Emperor Justinian the Great
3 T Ven. Isaac, Dalmatos and Faustus; Holy Myrrhbearer Salome; Ven. Theodora of Thessalonica
4 F Seven Holy Youths (Sleepers) of Ephesus; Martyr Tathuil
5 S **+) Ven. John Jacob the Hozevite**; Martyr Eusignius; St. Nonna, mother of St. Gregory the Theologian; Holy Hierarch Fabian, bishop of Rome (*Forefeast of Transfiguration*)

Sunday. Follow Menaion for the Feast. Epis. 2 Peter 1:10-19; Gos. Matthew 17:1-9.

- 6 S **(+) Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ** (*F, W, O*)
7 M **+) Ven. Teodora of Sihla**; Ven. Martyr Dometius the Persian; Holy Hierarch Narcissus, archbishop of Jerusalem; St. Irene the Empress
8 T Holy Hierarch Emilian the Confessor, bishop of Cyzicus and Myron, bishop of Crete
9 W Apostle Matthias; Ten Holy Martyrs who suffered for the icon of Christ; **+ Glorification of St. Herman of Alaska**
10 T Martyr and Archdeacon Laurence; Hieromartyr Sixtus, bishop of Rome; Martyr Hippolytus
11 F **+) Holy Hierarch Niphon, patriarch of Constantinople**; Martyr & Archdeacon Euplus
12 S Martyrs Photios & Anicletus (*W, O*)

10th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 1 Corinthians 4:9-16. Gos. Matthew 17:14-23 (*Cure of the lunatic*). **Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 10.**

- 13 S Translation of the relics of Ven. Maximus the Confessor; Ven. Dorotheus and Dositheus (*Leave-taking of the Transfiguration*) (*W, O*)
14 M Prophet Micah (*Forefeast of the Dormition of the Birthgiver of God*)

15 T (+) Dormition of the Birthgiver of God

- 16 W Translation of the Icon Not-Made-by-Hands of our Lord from Edessa to Constantinople; **+) Martyrs Constantin Brancoveanu & his sons: Constantin, Stefan, Radu, Matthew and the Counselor Ianache**; **+ Ven. Joseph of Varatec**; Martyr Diomedes
17 T Martyrs Myron the priest, Straton and Cyprian
18 F Martyrs Florus and Laurus
19 S Martyrs Andrew the General (Stratelates), Timothy, Agapius and Thecla

11th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 1 Corinthians 9:2-12. Gos. Matthew 18:23-35 (*Parable of the unforgiving debtor*). **Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 11.**

- 20 S Prophet Samuel; Martyrs Severus, Heliodorus and Theocharis
21 M Apostle Thaddeus; Martyr Bassa and her children; **Martyrs Donatus the deacon, Romulus the priest, Silvanus the deacon and Venustus**
22 T Martyr Agathonikos and those with him
23 W **Martyr Lupus**; Hieromartyr Irenaeus, bishop of Lyons (*Leave-taking of Dormition of Birthgiver of God*)
24 T Hieromartyrs Eutychos and Cosmas of Aetolia
25 F Translation of relics of the Apostle Bartholomew; Apostle Titus
26 S Martyr Adrian & his wife, Natalia

12th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 1 Corinthians 15:1-11. Gos. Matthew 19:16-26 (*Young rich man*). **Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 1.**

- 27 S Ven. Pimen the Great; Martyr Phenurios; Holy Hierarch Hosius, bishop of Cordova
28 M Ven. Moses the Ethiopian; Righteous Hezekiah
29 T **(+) Beheading of Prophet, Forerunner and Baptizer John** (*Strict Fast*)
30 W **+) Holy Hierarch Varlaam, metropolitan of Moldavia, and John of Rasca and Secu, bishop of Roman**; Holy Hierarchs Alexander, John and Paul the New, patriarchs of Constantinople
31 T Placing of the Belt (Sash) of the Birthgiver of God

SEPTEMBER

1 F + **Ven. Dionysius Exiguus (the Humble)**; Ven. Simeon the Stylite; 40 Martyrs of Adrianopolis
(*Beginning of Church Year*) (*Service of Thanksgiving*)

2 S Martyr Mamas; Holy Hierarch John the Faster, patriarch of Constantinople

13th Sunday after Pentecost. Ep. 1 Corinthians 16:13-24; Gos. Matthew 21:33-44 (*Parable of the evil laborers*). **Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 2.**

3 S Hieromartyr Anthimos, bishop of Nicomedia; Ven. Theoctistos; + **Ven. Neophytos and Meletios**

4 M Hieromartyr Babylas, bishop of Antioch; Prophet Moses; Martyr Petronius

5 T + Prophet Zachariah and Righteous Elizabeth, parents of St. John the Baptizer

6 W + Commemoration of the miracle of Archangel Michael at Colossae; Martyr Eudoxius

7 T Martyr Sozon; + **Ven. Simeon and Amphilocheus of Pangaratz** (*Forefeast of Birth of Mother of God*)

8 F (+) Nativity of the Birthgiver of God (F,W,O)

9 S Holy & Righteous Ancestors of God, Joachim and Anna; + **Ven. Chiriak of Tazlau**; + **Ven Onuphrius of Vorona**; Holy Fathers of the 3rd Ecumenical Council (*Saturday before the Lifting of the Cross*)

Sunday before the Lifting of the Cross. Epis. Galatians 6:11-18. Gos. John 3:13-17 (*Jesus' conversation with Nicodemus*). **Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 3.**

10 S **Martyrs Menodora, Metrodora and Nymphodora**

11 M Ven. Theodora of Alexandria; St. Euphrosynus the cook

12 T Hieromartyr Autonomus, Macedonius & Theodulus (*Leave-taking of Nativity of Birthgiver of God*)

13 W + Founding of the Church of the Resurrection in Jerusalem; Hieromartyr Cornelius the Centurion and Cyprian, bishop of Carthage; + **Ven. John of Prislop; Martyrs of Dobrogea: Macrobius, Gordian, Elias, Zoticus, Lucian and Valerian** (*Forefeast of Lifting of the Holy Cross*)

14 T (+) Lifting of the Holy Cross (Strict Fast)

15 F +) **Holy Hierarch Joseph the New of Partos, metropolitan of Banat**; + **Great-martyr Nicetas**; + Holy Hierarch Vissarion, archbishop of Larisa

16 S Greatmartyr Euphemia; Martyrs Melitina and Ludmilla (*Saturday after the Lifting of the Cross*)

Sunday after the Lifting of the Holy Cross. Epis. Galatians 2:16-20. Gos. Mark 8:34-38; 9:1 (*Take up the cross and follow Christ*). **Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 4.**

17 S **Martyr Sophia & her daughters: Faith, Hope and Love**

18 M Holy Hierarch Eumenios, bishop of Gortyna; Martyr Ariadne

19 T Martyrs Trophimos, Sabbatius & Dorymedon

20 W Great-martyr Eustathius, his wife Theopiste & their children Agapius & Theopistus

21 T Apostle Quadratus; Prophet Jonah (*Leave-taking of Lifting of the Holy Cross*)

22 F + **Hieromartyr Theodosius of Brazi monastery, metropolitan of Moldova**; Hieromartyr Phocas, bishop of Synope

23 S Conception of the Prophet, Forerunner & Baptizer John; Ven. Xanthippe and Polyxene

18th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 2 Corinthians 9:6-11. Gos. Luke 5:1-11 (*Miraculous catch of fish*). **Tone 7. Mat. Gos. 5.**

24 S **Protomartyr & Equal-to-the-Apostles Thekla**; + **Martyrs Peter the Aleut & Hieromonk Juvenaly of Alaska**; Ven. Silouan the Athonite

25 M Ven. Euphrosyne; Ven. Paphnutius of Egypt; Ven. Sergius of Radonezh

26 T +) **Repose of the Holy Apostle and Evangelist John**; +) **Ruler Neagoe Basarab**; Righteous Gideon

27 W + **Hieromartyr Anthimus, metropolitan of Romanian Lands**; Martyrs Callistratus & Epicharis

28 T + Ven. Chariton the Confessor; Prophet Baruch

29 F Ven. Cyriacus the hermit; Martyr Petronia

30 S Martyr Gregory the Illuminator, archbishop of Armenia; Martyr Rhipsime and Gaiana

OCTOBER

19th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 2 Corinthians 11:31-33; 12:1-9; Philippians 2:5-11 (Feast). Gos. Luke 6:31-36 (Sermon on the Plain - Love your enemies); Luke 10:38-42; 11:27-28 (Feast). Tone 8. Mat. Gos. 6.

1 S **+) Protection of the Mother of God; Apostle Ananias; Ven. Romanos the Melodist; + Ven. Joseph and Chiriac of Bisericani**

2 M Hieromartyr Cyprian; Virgin-martyr Justina

3 T Hieromartyr Dionysius the Areopagite; Martyr Theoctistus

4 W Hieromartyr Hierotheos, bishop of Athens

5 T Martyrs Charitina; + **Ven. Daniel and Misail of Turnu monastery**

6 F **+ Glorification of St. Innocent, Apostle to America; Apostle Thomas; Martyr Erotiida**

7 S + Great-martyrs Sergius & Bacchus; Hieromartyrs Julian the priest, Caesarius the deacon and Polychronius

20th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Galatians 1:11-19. Gos. Luke 7:11-16 (Resurrection of the son of the widow of Nain). Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 7.

8 S **Ven. Pelagia and Thais**

9 M Apostle James, son of Alphaeus; Ven. Andronicus and Athanasia

10 T Martyrs Eulampius & his sister Eulampia; Ven. Bassian and Theophilus the Confessor

11 W Apostle Philip, one of the 7 deacons; Holy Hierarch Theophanes the Confessor, bishop of Nicea; Holy Fathers of Optina

12 T Martyrs Probus, Tarachus & Andronicus; Holy Hierarch Cosmas, bishop of Maiuma

13 F **+ Translation of the relics of Apostle Andrew to Jassy; Martyrs Carpus, Papyrus, Agathodorus, Agathonike and Florentius**

14 S **+) Ven. Parascheva of Jassy; Martyrs Nazarius, Gervasius, Protasius & Celsius**

21st Sunday after Pentecost (Holy Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council). Epis. Galatians 2:16-20; Titus 3:8-15 (Fathers). Gos. Luke 8:5-15 (Parable of the Sower); John 17:1-13 (Fathers) (Prayer of Jesus). Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 8.

15 S Hieromartyr Lucian, priest in Antioch

16 M Martyr Longinus the Centurion

17 T Prophet Hosea; Ven. Martyr Andrew of Crete

18 W Apostle & Evangelist Luke; Martyr Marinus the Elder

19 T Prophet Joel; Martyr Varus; St. Cleopatra; Ven. John of Rila

20 F Great-martyr Artemius; Ven. Gerasimos of Kefalonia

21 S **+) Ven. Confessors: Bessarion, Sophronius; Martyr Oprea; Priest-Confessors: John of Gales and Moses Macinic of Sibiel; Ven. Hilarion the Great**

23rd Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Ephesians 2:4-10; Gos. Luke 8:26-39 (Cure of the demoniac of Gadara). Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 9.

22 S Holy Hierarch Abercius, bishop of Hieropolis, Equal-to-the-Apostles; Holy 7 Youths of Ephesus

23 M Apostle James, brother of the Lord, first bishop of Jerusalem; Holy Hierarch Ignatius, patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Macarius the Roman

24 T Great-martyr Arethas; Martyrs Mark, Sotirichos and Valentine

25 W Martyrs Marcian & Martyrius; St. Tabitha

26 T **+) Great-martyr Demetrios the myrrh-streaming**

27 F **+ Ven. Dimitrie the New (Basarabov); Martyr Nestor**

28 S **+ Holy Hierarch Iachint, metropolitan of the Romanian Lands; Martyrs Terence, his wife Neonila and their 7 children; Holy Hierarch Firmilian, bishop of Caesarea in Cappadocia**

24th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Ephesians 2:14-22. Gos. Luke 8:41-56 (Resurrection of Jairus' daughter). Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 10.

29 S Virgin-Martyr Anastasia the Roman; Ven. Abramius and Maria, his niece

30 M Hieromartyr Zenobius, bishop of Cilicia and his sister Zenobia; Apostle Cleopas

31 T Apostles Stachys, Amplias, Urban, Aristobulus, Narcissus and Apelles; + **Hieromartyr John (Kochurov) of Chicago (1917)**; Martyr Epimachus

NOVEMBER

- 1 W Holy Unmercenaries Cosmas & Damian of Mesopotamia
2 T Martyrs Acindynus, Pegasus, Aphthonius, Elpidephorus and Anempodistus
3 F Hieromartyrs Akepsimas, Joseph and Aethalas; Translation of relics of Great-martyr George in Lydia
4 S Ven. Joannicius the Great; Hieromartyrs Nicander and Hermas; St. Sylvia, mother of Gregory Dialogus
(Memorial Saturday)

22nd Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Galatians 6:11-18. Gos. Luke 16:19-31 (Rich man and Lazarus). Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 11.

- 5 S Martyrs Galaction and Episteme
6 M Holy Hierarch Paul the Confessor, patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Luke of Sicily
7 T 33 Martyrs of Melitene; Ven. Lazarus of Mount Galesius

8 W +) Synaxis of the Archangels Michael and Gabriel and all the heavenly powers

- 9 T Martyrs Claudius, Castor, Sempronian and Nicostratus; Martyrs Onesiphoros and Porphyrios; Ven. Matrona; Holy Hierarch Nectarios of Aegina
10 F Apostles Rodion, Sosipater, Olympas, Erastos, Tertius and Quartus; Great-martyr Orestes
11 S + Great-martyr Menas; Martyrs Victor, Vincent & Stephanida; Ven. Theodore the Studite

25th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Ephesians 4:1-7. Gos. Luke 10:25-37 (Good Samaritan). Tone 6. Mat. Gos. 1.

- 12 S Holy Hierarch John the Merciful, patriarch of Alexandria; +) Martyrs and Confessors of Nasaud: Athanasius, Basil, Gregory and Basil; Ven. Nilus the hermit
13 M +) Holy Hierarch John Chrysostom, archbishop of Constantinople and his mother, St. Anthusa
14 T + Apostle Philip of the 12 Apostles; Holy Hierarch Gregory Palamas, archbishop of Thessalonica
15 W +) Ven. Paisius (Velichkovsky) of Neamtz; Martyrs and Confessors Gurias, Samonas and Habibus the deacon (Beginning of Nativity Fast)
16 T Apostle & Evangelist Matthew (W,O)
17 F Holy Hierarchs Gregory the Wonderworker, bishop of Neocaesarea and Gennadius, patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Lazarus the Iconographer
18 S Martyrs Platon, Romanus & Zacchaeus (F,W,O)

26th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Ephesians 5:8-19. Gos. Luke 12:16-21 (Parable of the rich man who hoarded possessions). Tone 7. Mat. Gos. 2.

- 19 S Prophet Obadiah; Martyr Barlaam (F,W,O)
20 M +) Ven. Gregory of Decapolis; Martyr Dasius; Holy Hierarch Proclus, archbishop of Constantinople (Forefeast of Entrance of Birthgiver of God in Temple) (W,O)
21 T (+) Entrance of the Birthgiver of God in the Temple (F,W,O)
22 W Apostles Philemon, Archippus, Onesimos and Apphia; Martyr Cecelia
23 T + Ven. Anthony of Iezeru-Valcea; Holy Hierarchs Amphilochiu, bishop of Iconium and Gregory, bishop of Agrigentum (W,O)
24 F Hieromartyrs Clement, bishop of Rome and Peter, bishop of Alexandria (W,O)
25 S + Great-martyr Catherine; Great-martyr Mercurius (Leave-taking of Entrance of Birthgiver of God in Temple) (F,W,O)

30th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Colossians 3:12-16. Gos. Luke 18:18-27 (The rich aristocrat - keeping the commandments). Tone 8. Mat. Gos. 3.

- 26 S Ven. Alypius the Stylite, Nikon and Stylianus of Paphlagonia (F,W,O)
27 M Great-martyr James the Persian; Ven. Nathaniel and Pinoufrius (W,O)
28 T Venerable-martyr Stephen the New; Martyr Irenarchus (W,O)
29 W Martyrs Paramon & Philoumenus; Ven. Pityrim
30 T +) Holy Apostle Andrew the first-called, Protector of Romania; +) Holy Hierarch Andrew Saguna, metropolitan of Transylvania; Holy Hierarch Frumentius, bishop of Ethiopia; + Ven. Sebastian (Dabovich) (F,W,O)

DECEMBER

- 1 F Prophet Nahum; Ven. Philaret the Merciful
2 S Prophet Habakkuk; Martyr Myrope; Holy Hierarch Solomon, archbishop of Ephesus (*F,W,O*)

31st Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. 1 Timothy 1:15-17. Gos. Luke 18:35-43 (Healing of Blind Man in Jericho). Tone 1. Mat. Gos.4.

- 3 S + **Elder George of Cernica; Prophet Zephaniah (Sophonios)** (*F,W,O*)
4 M + Great-martyr Barbara; Ven. John of Damascus; + **Hieromartyr Alexander (Hotovitzky), missionary in America** (*W,O*)
5 T +) Ven. Sabbas the Sanctified; Martyr Athanasius (*W,O*)
6 W +) **Holy Hierarch Nicholas the Wonderworker, archbishop of Myra in Lycia** (*F,W,O*)
7 T +) **Martyr Philothea of Arges; Holy Hierarch Ambrose, bishop of Milan** (*W,O*)
8 F Ven. Patapius; Apostles Caesar, Tychicus and Onesiphorus
9 S Conception of the Birthgiver of God by St. Anna; Prophetess Anna (Hannah), mother of the Prophet Samuel (*F,W,O*)

27th Sunday after Pentecost. Epis. Ephesians 6:10-17. Gos. Luke 13:10-17 (Healing of the crippled woman on the Sabbath). Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 5.

- 10 S **Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes & EUGRAPHUS** (*F,W,O*)
11 M Ven. Daniel the Stylite & Luke the New (*W,O*)
12 T +) Holy Hierarch Spyridon the Wonderworker, bishop of Tremithus; + **Holy Hierarch Mardarije, first Serbian bishop in America and Canada** (*W,O*)
13 W +) **St. Herman of Alaska; + Holy Hierarch Dosoftei, metropolitan of Moldova;** Great-martyrs Eustratius, Auxentius, Eugene, Mardarius and Orestes; Virgin-martyr Lucy
14 T Martyrs Thyrsus, Callinicus, Philemon & Arianus (*W,O*)
15 F + Hieromartyr Eleutherius, bishop of Illyria, and his mother Martyr Anthia; Martyr Susanna
16 S Prophet Haggai (Aggaeus); Empress Theophania (*F,W,O*)

28th Sunday after Pentecost (Forefathers of the Lord). Epis. Colossians 3:4-11. Gos. Luke 14:16-24 (Parable of the great banquet). Tone 3. Mat. Gos. 6.

- 17 S **Prophet Daniel and the 3 Holy Youths: Ananias, Azarias & Misael** (*F,W,O*)
18 M +) **Ven. Daniel the Hermit of Voronetz;** Martyrs Sebastian and Zoe; Holy Hierarch Modestus, archbishop of Jerusalem (*W,O*)
19 T Martyr Boniface; St. Aglae; Holy Hierarch Gregentios, bishop of Ethiopia (*W,O*)
20 W Hieromartyr Ignatius the God-bearer, bishop of Antioch (*Forefeast of Birth of Christ*)
21 T Martyr Juliana of Nicomedia; Martyr Themistocles (*W,O*)
22 F + **Holy Hierarch Peter Mogila, metropolitan of Kiev;** Great-martyr Anastasia (*non-liturgical day*)
23 S 10 Martyrs of Crete; Holy Hierarch Paul, archbishop of Neocaesarea (*F,W,O*)

Sunday before the Birth of Christ (Ancestors of the Lord). Epis. Hebrews 11:9-10, 32-40. Gos. Matthew 1:1-25 (Genealogy of the Savior). Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 7.

- 24 S Ven. Nun-Martyr Eugenia (*Eve of Birth of Christ*)
25 M (+) **Birth of our Lord, God & Savior Jesus Christ**
26 T (+) **Synaxis of the Most Holy Birthgiver of God; +) Ven. Nicodemus of Tismana;** Hieromartyr Euthymius the Confessor, bishop of Sardis
27 W +) **Apostle and Protomartyr Stephen the Archdeacon;** Ven. Theodore the Confessor (*Fast-free*)
28 T 20,000 Martyrs of Nicomedia
29 F 14,000 Infants (Holy Innocents) slain by Herod; Ven. Marcellus and Thaddeus (*Fast-free*)
30 S Virgin-martyr Anysia; Ven. Theodora; Ven. Leo

Sunday after the Birth of our Lord (Joseph the Betrothed, David the Prophet and James, brother of the Lord). Ep. Galatians 1:11-19. Gos. Matthew 2:13-23 (Escape into Egypt). Tone 5. Mat. Gos. 8.

- 31 S Ven. Melania of Rome; **Martyr Hermes;** St. Theophylactus of Ochrid (*Leave-taking of Birth of Christ*)
(*Service of Thanksgiving for the new year*)