

Monday: Holy Angels

Tropar Tone 4:

O Leaders of the heavenly armies, * although we are always unworthy we beseech you * that with your prayers you may encircle us * with the protection of the wings of your angelic glory. * Watch over us as we bow low and earnestly cry out to you: * "Deliver us from trouble, * O Princes of the heavenly armies."

Kontakion Tone 2:

Glory be....now and ever and forever. Amen.

O Leaders of the armies of God, * and servants to the Divine Glory,* guardians of men and leaders of the angels, * intercede for us in all our needs, *and obtain abundant mercy;* for you are the leaders of the heavenly armies.

Prokimenon Tone 4:

You made the winds Your messengers, and flaming fire Your ministers.

v. Bless the Lord, O my soul! Lord, God how great You are.

Alleluia Tone 5:

*v. Praise the Lord, all His angels, praise Him all His hosts.
v. He commanded and they were made; He established them forever.*

Communion Verse:

You made the winds Your messengers, and flaming fire Your ministers. Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Tuesday: The Forerunner

Tropar Tone 2:

The remembrance of the Just is worthy of praise, * but the Lord's testimony is sufficient for you, O Forerunner; * for it has shown that you are indeed more worthy of honor than the Prophets. * You were found worthy to baptize the Lord Whom you foretold. * Thereafter, you suffered for the truth * and, rejoicing, also announced the good news to those in the Abyss * that God had appeared as man * taking away the sins of the world * and granting to all of us the abundance of mercy.

Kontakion Tone 3:

Glory be.../ now and ever and forever. Amen.

Today, she who was once barren * gives birth to the Forerunner of Christ, * the Fulfillment of all prophecy. * In the Jordan, John laid his hand upon Him Whom the prophets foretold * showing himself to be The Prophet, * The Herald and Forerunner of the Word of God.

Prokimenon Tone 7:

The just man is glad in the Lord and takes refuge in Him.

v. Hear my voice, O Lord, when I pray to You.

Alleluia Tone 4:

v. The just will flourish like the palm tree and grow like a cedar of Lebanon.

v. Planted in the house of the Lord, they will flourish in the courtyard of our God.

Communion:

The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance; an evil report, he shall not fear.

Wednesday: The Cross and Mother of God

Tropar Tone 1:

Save Your people, O Lord and bless Your inheritance. *
Grant victory to Your faithful people against enemies, *
and protect Your community by Your cross.

Kontakion Tone 4:

Glory be; Now and ever...
Willingly raised upon the cross, O Christ our God, * You
bestowed Your mercies upon a new people bearing Your
name. * With Your power grant joy to our Church * Giving
her victory over enemies,* with the invincible standard, Your
weapon of peace, * as an ally.

Prokimenon Tone 3:

My soul magnifies the Lord, and my spirit has rejoiced in God
my Savior, and my spirit has rejoiced in God my Savior.

*v. Because He has regarded the humility of His
handmaid; for behold, from henceforth all generations
shall call me blessed.*

Alleluia Tone 8:

*v. Hear, O daughter, and see, and incline your ear.
v. The rich among the people long to see your face.*

Communion verse:

I will take the chalice, the chalice of salvation; and call upon
the name, the name of the Lord. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Thursday: St. Nicholas

Tropar Tone 4:

The sincerity of your deeds has revealed you to your
people * as a teacher of moderation, * a model of faith,
and an example of virtue. * Therefore, you attained
greatness through humility, * and wealth through
poverty.* O Father and Archbishop, Nicholas,* ask Christ
our God to save our souls.

Kontakion Tone 3:

Glory be to the Father: Now and ever:
You were truly a priestly worker in Myra, O Holy Nicholas, *
for zealously living the Gospel of Christ, you dedicated your
life to your people; * you saved the innocent from death. *
Therefore, you have been sanctified * as one who has
entered they mystery of God's grace.

Prokimenon Tone 7:

The just man will rejoice, in the Lord, and will put his trust in
Him.

v. Hear my voice, O God, when I pray to You.

Alleluia Tone 4:

*v. Your priests shall be clothed with holiness; Your
faithful shall ring out their joy.
v. Happy the man who fears the Lord, who takes
delight in all His commands.*

Communion Hymn:

The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance. An evil
report, he will not fear. Alleluia!

For Friday: The Cross

Tropar Tone 1:

Save Your people, O Lord and bless Your inheritance; * grant victory to Your Church over her enemies * and protect Your people by Your cross.

Kontakion Tone 4:

Glory be: Now and Ever:

Willingly raised upon the cross, O Christ our God, * You bestowed Your mercies upon a new people bearing Your name. * With Your power grant joy to our Church * Giving her victory over enemies,* with the invincible standard, Your weapon of peace, * as an ally.

Prokimenon: Tone 7:

Extol the Lord, our God and worship at His footstool * holy is He.

v. The Lord reigns, let the peoples tremble.

Alleluia Tone 1:

v. Remember Your congregation, which You acquired from the beginning.

v. God is our king before the ages; He has wrought salvation in the midst of the earth.

Communion verse:

O Lord, let the light of Your countenance, shine down upon us. Let the light of Your countenance, shine down upon us. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Saturday: All Saints

Tropar Tone 2:

Apostles, prophets, martyrs and bishops * venerable and righteous ones, * having finished the fight well and having kept the faith, * you now have free approach to the Savior.* For our sake we beseech you, * entreat Him in His goodness to save our souls.

Kontakion Tone 8: Glory be to the Father: Now and ever:

O Lord, maker of nature * the world offers You the godly martyrs as the first-fruits of nature. * By their supplications, through the Mother of God, * preserve Your Church and Your people in perfect peace, * O most Merciful One.

Prokimenon Tone 8:

Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, you just.

v. Blessed are they whose iniquities are forgiven, and whose sins are covered.

Alleluia Tone 4:

v. The just cried out and the Lord heard them, and delivered them out of all their afflictions.

v. Happy the man who fears the Lord, who takes delight in all His commands.

Communion verse:

Rejoice you just in the Lord, praise from the upright is fitting. Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

