

TYPIKON

(Arranged by Rev. Taras Chaparin)

August 2017

Sunday, August 27

12th Sunday after Pentecost

Our Venerable Father Pimen.

Bright vestments.

Tone 3. Matins Gospel I.

Resurrection Service in Tone 3.

Scripture readings of the Twelfth Sunday:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians § 158 [15:1-11].

Gospel: Matthew § 79 [19:16-26].

Monday, August 28

Our Venerable Father Moses the Black (c. 400); Our Holy Father Augustine, Bishop of Hippo (430); the Holy Martyr Gebre Michael, Illuminator of Ethiopia (1855). The Synaxis of Our Venerable Fathers of the Monastery of the Caves at Kyiv Who Repose in the Further Caves.

Passing into Eternal Life (1952) of Sister Lavrentia (Harasymiv) of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Khyriv and Confessor of the Toms'k Region.

Bright vestments. Weekday service for Monday.

Scripture readings of the Thirteenth Monday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians § 186 [8:7-15].

Gospel: Mark § 11 [3:6-12].

Tuesday, August 29

⊕The Beheading of the Honorable and Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John.

Dark vestments. Service for August 29.

Scripture readings of the Feast:

Epistle: Acts § 33 [13:25-33].

Gospel: Mark § 24 [6:14-29].

Wednesday, August 30

Our Holy Fathers and Patriarchs of Constantinople Alexander (336), John (577), and Paul the Younger (784).

Bright vestments. Weekday service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirteenth Wednesday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians § 189 [9:12-10:7].

Gospel: Mark § 13 [3:20-27].

Thursday, August 31

+The Placing of the Precious Sash of Our Most Holy Lady the Mother of God in Calcoprateia (942).

Blue vestments. Service for August 31.

Scripture readings for the Mother of God:

Epistle: Hebrews § 320 [9:1-7].

Gospel: Luke § 54 [10:38-42, 11:27-28].

September 2017

Friday, September 1

+Beginning of the Indiction, that is, the New Year; Commemoration of Our Holy Father Symeon the Stylite (459) and His Mother Martha; and the Synaxis of the Most Holy Mother of God of Miasenes.

Bright vestments. Service for September 1.

Scripture readings for the Indiction:

Epistle: 1 Timothy §282 [2:1-7].

Gospel: Luke §13 [4:16-22].

Saturday, September 2

The Holy Martyr Mamas (275); and Our Venerable Father John the Faster, Patriarch of Constantinople (595).

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Saturday.

Scripture readings of the Thirteenth Saturday:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §126 [2:5-9].

Gospel: Matthew §90 [22:15-22].

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The Holy Priest-Martyr Anthymus, Bishop of Nicomedia (303); Our Venerable Father Theoctistus, Fellow-Ascetic of the Great Euthymius (467).

Bright vestments.

Tone 4. Matins Gospel II.

Resurrection Service in Tone 4.

Scripture readings of the Thirteenth Sunday:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §166 [16:13-24].

Gospel: Matthew §87 [21:33-42].

Monday, September 4

The Holy Priest-Martyr Babylas, Bishop of Antioch (250); the Holy Prophet Moses Who saw God.

Civil Holiday: Labor Day

Dark Vestments. Weekday service for Monday.

Scripture readings for Fourteenth Monday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians §195 [12:10-19].

Gospel: Mark §16 [4:10-23].

Tuesday, September 5

The Holy Prophet Zachary and Elizabeth, Parents of John the Baptist.

Bright vestments. Weekday Service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings of the Fourteenth Tuesday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians §196 [12:20-13:2].

Gospel: Mark §17 [4:24-34].

Wednesday, September 6

Commemoration of the Miracle Performed at Colossus in Chone by the Archangel Michael; and the Holy Martyr Eudoxius and His Companions (284-305); and Our Venerable Father Archipus.

Bright vestments. Weekday Service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Fourteenth Wednesday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians §197 [13:3-13].

Gospel: Mark §18 [4:35-41].

Thursday, September 7

The Fore-feast of the Nativity of the Most Holy Mother of God; the Holy Martyr Sozon (304).

The Holy Priest Martyr Autonomus.

Bright vestments. Service of the Fore-feast of the Nativity.

Scripture readings of the Fourteenth Thursday:

Epistle: Galatians §198 [1:1-10; 1:20-2:5].

Gospel: Mark §19 [5:1-20].

In the evening: Solemn vespers with Vigil.

Note: On a Sunday or holy day nearest to today – 32nd anniversary of the death of Patriarch Joseph Cardinal Slipyj in 1984 – one of the bination Divine Liturgies is to be offered for the repose of his soul, following the Liturgy, a panakhyda is to be offered. (Cf. Stamford Diocesan Memorandum No. 472/92)

Friday, September 8

⊕THE NATIVITY OF OUR MOST HOLY LADY, THE MOTHER OF GOD AND EVER-VIRGIN MARY. Pochaiv Icon of the Mother of God (1559).

Blue vestments. Service for the Nativity; including proper Hirmos.

Scripture readings for the Nativity:

Epistle: Philippians §240 [2:5-11].

Gospel: Luke §54 [10:38-42, 11:27-28].

Saturday, September 9

Saturday before the Exaltation of the Cross

Post-feast of the Nativity of the Mother of God; the Holy and Righteous Forebears of God Joachim and Anna; and the Holy Martyr Severian (321-23).

Blue vestments. Service for the Nativity, including proper Hirmos. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, Communion Hymn of the Saturday before the Exaltation and of the Nativity. Proper Hirmos of the Nativity.

Scripture readings for the Saturday before the Exaltation:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §126 [2:6-9].

Gospel: Matthew §39 [10:37-11:1].

Sunday, September 10

Sunday before the Exaltation of the Cross

Post-feast of the Nativity of the Mother of God; the Holy Martyr Menodora, Metrodora and Nymphodora (303-11).

Tone 5. Matins Gospel III.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Tropar (Tone 5); Tropar of the Nativity (September 8); Glory/Now: Kondak of the Nativity. Prokimen and Alleluia Verses of the the Sunday before the Exaltation; Communion Hymn of the Sunday before the Exaltation and of the Nativity. Proper Hirmos of the Nativity.

Scripture readings of the Sunday before the Exaltation:

Epistle: Galatians § 215 [6:11-18].

Gospel: John §9 [3:13-17].

Monday, September 11

Post-feast of the Nativity of the Mother of God; Our Venerable Mother Theodora of Alexandria (474-91).

Blue vestments. Service for the Nativity; including proper Hirmos.

Scripture readings for Fifteenth Monday:

Epistle: Galatians §202 [2:11-16].

Gospel: Mark §21 [5:24-34].

Tuesday, September 12

Leave-taking of the Feast of the Nativity of the Most Holy Mother of God; the Holy Priest-Martyr Autonomus (284-305).

Blue vestments. Service for the Nativity; including proper Hirmos.

Scripture readings for Fifteenth Tuesday:

Epistle: Galatians §204 [2:21-3:7].

Gospel: Mark §22 [6:1-7].

Wednesday, September 13

Commemoration of the Dedication of the Holy Church of the Resurrection of Christ Our God (335); the Fore-feast of the Exaltation of the Precious and Life-Giving Cross; the Holy Priest-Martyr Cornelius the Centurion.

Bright vestments. Tropar of Dedication; Tropar of the Fore-feast; Glory: Kondak of the Dedication; Now: Kondak of the Fore-feast; the balance of propers of Dedication.

Scripture readings for the Dedication:

Epistle: Hebrews §307 [3:1-4].

Gospel: Matthew §67 [16:13-18].

In the evening: Solemn Vespers with Vigil.

Thursday, September 14

⊕**THE UNIVERSAL EXALTATION OF THE PRECIOUS AND LIFE-GIVING CROSS.**

Note: Today is a day of abstinence. We may not eat meat (Statutes, c. 476 2:4).

Note: The Cross is decorated and – during Matins, after Great Vespers, or just prior to the Liturgy – placed on the tetrapod for veneration (cf. Dolnytskyj, *Typik*, pp. 120-127).

Dark vestments. Service for September 14.

Scripture readings for the Exaltation:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §125 [1:18-24].

Gospel: John §60 [19:6-11, 13-20, 25-28, 30-35].

After the Liturgy: Veneration of the Cross.

Friday, September 15

Post-feast of the Exaltation of the Cross; the Holy Great-Martyr Nicetas (374).

Note: Observe the following Typikon, including veneration of the Cross and proper Dismissal, until the final day of the post-feast, September 21.

Dark vestments. First Antiphon of the Exaltation; Usual Third Antiphon with Second Antiphon refrain of the Exaltation; Tropar and Kondak of the Cross; Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, Hirmos and Communion Hymn of the Exaltation.

Scripture readings of the Fifteenth Friday:

Epistle: Galatians §209 [4:8-21].

Gospel: Mark §26 [6:45-53].

Saturday, September 16

Post-feast of the Exaltation.

The Holy, Great Woman-Martyr Euphemia the All-Praised.

Dark vestments. Follow *Typikon* for September 15.

Scripture readings for the Saturday after Exaltation:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §Mid-125 [1:26-29].

Gospel: John §30 [8:21-30].

Sunday, September 17

Sunday after the Exaltation of the Cross

The Holy Martyr Sophia, and Her Three Daughters Faith, Hope and Love.

Tone 6. Matins Gospel IV.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Tropar (Tone 6); Exaltation Tropar; GLORY/NOW: Exaltation Kondak. Prokimen and Alleluia Verses of the Exaltation. Hirmos of the Feast. Communion Hymn of Sunday and of the cross.

Scripture readings of the Sunday after the Exaltation:

Epistle: Galatians §203 [2:16-20].

Gospel: Mark §37 [8:34-9:1].

Monday, September 18

Post-feast of the Exaltation. Our Venerable Father Eumenes, Bishop of Gortyna, Wonderworker.

Dark vestments. Follow *Typikon* for September 15.

Scripture readings for Monday:

Epistle: Galatians §211 [4:28-5:10] (16th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke § 10 [3:19-22] (18th Week after Pentecost).

Note: Lucan jump begins

Tuesday, September 19

The Holy Martyrs Trophimus, Sabbatius, and Dorymedontus (276-82).

Dark vestments. Follow *Typikon* for September 15.

Scripture readings for Tuesday:

Epistle: Galatians §212 [5:11-21] (16th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke § 11 [3:23-4:1] (18th Week after Pentecost).

Wednesday, September 20

Post-feast of the Exaltation. The Holy Great-Martyr Eustathius and Those with Him (276-82); the Holy Martyrs and Confessors for the Faith, the Grand Prince Michael, and His Nobleman Theodore, Wonderworkers of Chernihiv (1245).

Dark vestments. Follow *typikon* for September 15.

Scripture readings for Wednesday:

Epistle: Ephesians §214 [6:2-10] (16th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §12 [4:1-15] (18th Week after Pentecost).

Thursday, September 21

The Leave-taking of the Feast of the Exaltation of the Cross; the Holy Apostle Condratus of Magnesia (249-52).

Dark vestments. Follow *typikon* for September 15.

Scripture readings for Thursday:

Epistle: Ephesians §216 [1:1-9] (16th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §13 [4:16-22] (18th Week after Pentecost).

Note: After venerating the Cross after the Liturgy, remove it from the tetrapod (Dolnytskyj, *Typik*, p. 128).

Friday, September 22

The Holy Priest-Martyr Phocas, Bishop of Sinope (98-117); the Holy Prophet Jonah (786-46 BC); the Venerable Jonah the Presbyter, Father of Theophanes, Composer of Canons, and Theodore the Branded.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Friday.

Scripture readings for Friday:

Epistle: Ephesians §217 [1:7-17] (16th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §14 [4:22-30] (18th Week after Pentecost).

Saturday, September 23

The Conception of the Honorable and Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John.

Bright vestments. Service for Forerunner John (Tuesday).

Scripture readings for St. John the Baptist:

Epistle: Galatians §210 [4:22-31].

Gospel: Luke §2 [1:5-25].

Sunday, September 24

16th Sunday after Pentecost

The Holy First-Martyr and Equal-to-the-Apostles Thekla.

Tone 7. Matins Gospel V.

Resurrection Service in Tone 7.

Scripture readings for Sunday:

Epistle: 2 Corinthians § 181 [6:1-10] (16thWeek after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke § 17[5:1-11] (18th Week after Pentecost).