

## TYPIKON

(Arranged by Rev. Taras Chaparin)

### November 2018

#### **Sunday, November 25**      **27<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Leave-taking of the Entrance of the Mother of God; Our Holy Father and Priest-martyr Clement, Pope of Rome (101); Peter, Bishop of Alexandria (312).

#### **Tone 2. Matins Gospel V.**

*Bright vestments.* Resurrection Tropar (Tone 2); Tropar of the Feast; GLORY: Resurrection Kondak; NOW: Kondak of the Feast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Sunday and the Feast, including proper hirmos.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-seventh Sunday:

**Epistle:** Ephesians §233 [6:10-17].

**Gospel:** Luke §71 [13:10-17].

#### **Monday, November 26**

Our Venerable Father Alypius the Stylite (610); the Blessing of the Church of the Holy Great-Martyr George which is in Kiev, before the Gates of Holy Wisdom Cathedral (1019-54).

Weekday service for Monday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eight Monday:

**Epistle:** 2 Timothy §294 [2:20-26].

**Gospel:** Luke §97 [19:37-44].

**Note:** *Dark vestments are the norm* for Philip's Fast with exception of Saturdays, Sundays and feasts of the first class.

#### **Tuesday, November 27**

The Holy Martyr James of Persia (422); Our Venerable Father Palladius.

Weekday service for Tuesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eight Tuesday:

**Epistle:** 2 Timothy §297 [3:16-4:4].

**Gospel:** Luke § 98[19:45-48].

#### **Wednesday, November 28**

The Venerable Martyr-Stephen the New (c. 764); The Holy Martyr Irenarchus (284-305).

Weekday service for Wednesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eight Wednesday:

**Epistle:** 2 Timothy §299 [4:9-22].

**Gospel:** Luke §99 [20:1-8].

#### **Thursday, November 29**

The Holy Martyr Paramon (249-51), the Holy Martyr Philomenus (270-75).

Weekday service for Thursday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twentieth-eight Thursday:

**Epistle:** Titus §300 [1:5-2:1].

**Gospel:** Luke §100 [20:9-18].

**Friday, November 30****The Holy and All-Praiseworthy Apostle Andrew the First-Called.**

Service for November 30. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings from the Common for an Apostle:

**Epistle:** 1 Corinthians §131 [4:9-16].

**Gospel:** John §4 [1:35-51].

**December 2018****Saturday, December 1**

The Holy Prophet Nahum (7<sup>th</sup> c. BC).

Weekday service for Saturday. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings for Twentieth-eight Saturday:

**Epistle:** Ephesians §218 [1:16-23].

**Gospel:** Luke § 67 [12:32-40].

**Sunday, December 2            28<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

The Holy Prophet Habakkuk (Avvakum).

**Tone 3. Matins Gospel VI.**

Resurrection Service in Tone 3. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twentieth-eight Sunday:

**Epistle:** Colossians §250 [1:12-18]

**Gospel:** Luke § 91 [18:18-27].

**Monday, December 3**

The Holy Prophet Zephaniah (Sophonias) (7 c. BC).

Weekday service for Monday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twentieth-ninth Monday:

**Epistle:** Hebrew §308 [3:5-11; 17-19].

**Gospel:** Luke § 102 [20:27-44].

**Tuesday, December 4**

The Great-Martyr Barbara (286-305); Our Venerable Father John of Damascus (749).

Weekday service for Tuesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twentieth-ninth Tuesday:

**Epistle:** Hebrew §310 [4:1-13].

**Gospel:** Luke §106 [21:12-18].

**Wednesday, December 5****±Our Venerable and God-bearing Father Sabbas the Sanctified (532).**

Service for December 5. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings for St. Sabbas:

**Epistle:** Galatians §213 [5:22-6:2].

**Gospel:** Mathew §43 [11:27-30].

**Thursday, December 6**

**±Our Holy Father Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia  
(Traditionally ca. 337).**

Service for December 6. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings for St. Nicholas:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §335 [13:17-21].

**Gospel:** Luke §24 [6:17-23].

**Friday, December 7**

Our Holy Father Ambrose, Bishop of Milan (397).

Weekday service for Friday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Friday:

**Epistle:** Hebrew §317 [7:18-25].

**Gospel:** Luke §108 [21:37-22:8].

**Saturday, December 8**

**±The Conception of Saint Anna, When She Conceived the Most Holy Mother of God.**

*Blue vestments.* Service for the Feast, including proper Irmos.

Scripture readings for the Feast:

**Epistle:** Galatians §211 [4:22-31].

**Gospel:** Luke §36 [8:16-21].

**Sunday, December 9                      29<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

Our Venerable Father Patapius.

**Tone 4. Matins Gospel VII.**

Resurrection Service in Tone 4. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Sunday:

**Epistle:** Colossians §257 [3:4-11].

**Gospel:** Luke §85 [17:12-19].

**Monday, December 10**

The Holy Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes and Euegraphus.

Weekday Service for Monday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Monday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §319 [8:7-13].

**Gospel:** Mark §33 [8:11-21].

**Tuesday, December 11**

Our Venerable Father Daniel the Stylite (493).

Weekday service for Tuesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Tuesday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §321 [9:8-10; 15-23].

**Gospel:** Mark §34 [8:22-26].

**Wednesday, December 12**

Our Venerable Father Spiridon the Wonderworker, Bishop of Tremithus.

Weekday service for Wednesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Wednesday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §323 [10:1-18].

**Gospel:** Mark §36 [8:30-34].

### **Thursday, December 13**

+**The Holy Martyrs Eustratios, Auxentius, Eugenius, Mardarius and Orestes (284-305);** and the Holy Martyr Lucia the Virgin (284-305).

Service for December 13. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings from the Common for Martyrs:

**Epistle:** Ephesians §233 [6:10-17].

**Gospel:** Luke §106 [21:12-19].

### **Friday, December 14**

The Holy Martyrs Thyrsus, Leucius (249-51), Philemon, Apollonius and Callinicus (284-305).

Weekday service for Friday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Friday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §327 [11:8; 11-16].

**Gospel:** Mark §41 [9:33-41].

### **Saturday, December 15**

The Holy Priest-Martyr Eleutherius; Our Venerable Father Paul of Latra (956); Our Holy Father Stephen the Confessor, Archbishop of Surozh (8<sup>th</sup> c.).

Weekday service for Saturday. *Bright vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Saturday:

**Epistle:** Ephesians §228 [5:1-8].

**Gospel:** Luke §74 [14:1-11].

### **Sunday, December 16** **Sunday of the Forefathers**

The Holy Prophet Haggai (Aggee) (6<sup>th</sup> c. BC).

**Tone 5. Matins Gospel VIII.**

*Bright vestments.* Resurrection Tropar (Tone 5); Tropar of the Ancestors; GLORY/:NOW:

Kondak of the Ancestors. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Sunday and the Ancestors.

Scripture readings for the Sunday of the Ancestors:

**Epistle:** Colossians §257 [3:4-11].

**Gospel:** Luke §76 [14:16-24].

### **Monday, December 17**

The Holy Prophet Daniel, the Three Holy Youths Ananiah, Azaraih and Mishael (6 c. BC).

Weekday service for Monday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Monday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §329 [11:17-23; 27-31].

**Gospel:** Mark §42 [9:42-10:1].

### **Tuesday, December 18**

The Holy Martyr Sebastian and His Companions.

Weekday service for Tuesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Tuesday:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §333 [12:25-26; 13:22-25].

**Gospel:** Mark §43 [10:2-12].

### **Wednesday, December 19**

The Holy Martyr Boniface.

Weekday service for Wednesday. *Dark vestments.*

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Wednesday:

**Epistle:** James §50 [1:1-18].

**Gospel:** Mark §44 [10:11-16].

### **Thursday, December 20**

Forefeast of the Nativity of Christ; The Holy Priest-Martyr Ignatius the Godbearer (110).

*Dark vestments.* Tropar of the Forefeast (*the Divine Office*, pp. 1333-34); Glory: Now: Kondak of the Forefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Thursday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Thursday:

**Epistle:** James §51 [1:19-27].

**Gospel:** Mark §45 [10:17-27].

### **Friday, December 21**

Forefeast of the Nativity of Christ; the Holy Martyr Juliana of Nicomedia (284-305).

*Dark vestments.* Tropar of the Forefeast; Glory: Now: Kondak of the Forefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Friday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Friday:

**Epistle:** James §52 [2:1-13].

**Gospel:** Mark §46 [10:23-32].

### **Saturday, December 22      Saturday before Christmas**

Forefeast of the Nativity of Christ; the Holy Great-Martyr Anastasia (284-305).

*Bright vestments.* Tropar of the Prefeast; Glory: Now: Kondak of the Prefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Saturday before Christmas.

Scripture readings for Saturday before Christmas:

**Epistle:** Galatians §205 [3:8-12].

**Gospel:** Luke §72 [13:18-29].

### **Sunday, December 23      Sunday of the Holy Fathers**

Forefeast of the Nativity of Christ; the Holy Ten Martyrs of Crete (249-51).

**Tone 6. Matins Gospel IX .**

*Bright vestments.* Resurrection Tropar (Tone 6); Tropar of the Holy Fathers; GLORY:/NOW: Kondak of the Holy Fathers. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses of the Holy Fathers; Communion Hymn of Sunday and the Holy Fathers.

Scripture readings of the Sunday of the Holy Fathers:

**Epistle:** Hebrews §328 [11:9-10; 17-23; 32-40].

**Gospel:** Matthew §1[1:1-25].

**Monday, December 24**                      **Christmas Eve**

The Holy Venerable Martyr Eugenia.

*Dark vestments.*

**Note:** Today is a day of abstinence.

**In the morning:** Royal Hours are celebrated today.

**In the afternoon:** Vespers with the Divine Liturgy of St. Basil the Great; instead of “It is truly right” – “In you, O woman full of grace ... “.

Scripture readings for the Vigil of the Nativity:

**Epistle:** Hebrew §303 [1:1-12].

**Gospel:** Luke §5 [2:1-20].

**In the evening:** Great Compline with Litia.

**Tuesday, December 25**                      **Christmas**

⊕**The Nativity in the Flesh of Our Lord, God and Savior Jesus Christ – Christmas.**

*Bright vestments. Liturgy of St. Basil the Great.*

Festal Service for Nativity, including proper Antiphons, Entrance Hymn and Hirmos. Instead of Trisagion, take “*All those who have been baptized...*” Dismissal of the Feast.

Scripture readings for the Nativity:

**Epistle:** Galatians §209 [4:4-7].

**Gospel:** Matthew §3 [2:1-12].

**Note:** There is no fasting until leave-taking of the Theophany (January 14, 2018).

**Wednesday, December 26**

**Post-feast of the Nativity of Christ; Synaxis of the Most Holy Mother of God; the Holy Priest-Martyr Euthymius, Bishop of Sardis (824).**

*Bright vestments.* First Nativity Antiphon; Usual Third Antiphon with the refrain of the Second Nativity Antiphon “*Save us, Son of God, born of a virgin...*”; Tropar of the Nativity; Tropar of the Saints (Sunday after the Nativity); GLORY: Kondak of the Saints; NOW: Kondak of the Synaxis. Prokimen, and Alleluia Verses of the Synaxis and of the Saints; Communion Hymn of the Nativity and of the Saints. Instead of “*It is Truly right...*” take Hirmos of the Nativity. Festal Dismissal.

Scripture readings of the Synaxis:

**Epistle:** Hebrew §306 [2:11-18].

**Gospel:** Matthew §4 [2:13-23].

**Thursday, December 27**

Post-feast of the Nativity of Christ; the Holy Apostle, First Martyr and Archdeacon Stephen; Our Venerable Father and Confessor Theodore “the Branded One” (844).

*Bright vestments.* First Nativity Antiphon; Usual Third Antiphon with the refrain of the Second Nativity Antiphon “*Save us, Son of God, born of a virgin...*”; Tropar of the Nativity; GLORY: Tropar of the Saint; NOW: Kondak of the Saint. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses and Communion Hymn of the Nativity and of the Saint. Instead of “*It is Truly right...*” take Hirmos of the Feast. Festal Dismissal.

Scripture readings of the Saint:

**Epistle:** Acts §17 [6:8-7:5, 47-60].

**Gospel:** Matthew §87 [21:33-42].

**Friday, December 28**

Post-feast of the Nativity of Christ; the Two Thousand Martyrs Who Were Burned in Nicomedia (303).

*Passing into eternal life (1945) of Blessed Hryhoriy Khomyshyn, Bishop of Stanislaviv and martyr.*

*Bright vestments.* First Nativity Antiphon; Usual Third Antiphon with the refrain of the Second Nativity Antiphon “*Save us, Son of God, born of a virgin...*”; Tropar of the Nativity;

GLORY:/NOW: Kondak of the Nativity. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses and Communion Hymn of the Nativity. Instead of “*It is Truly right...*” take Hirmos of the Feast. Festal Dismissal.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-second Friday:

**Epistle:** 1 Peter §58 [1:1-2; 10-12; 2:6-10].

**Gospel:** Mark §53 [12:1-12].

**Saturday, December 29      Saturday after the Nativity**

Post-feast of the Nativity of Christ; The Holy Children, Who Were Murdered by Herod in Bethlehem; Our Venerable Father Marcellus, Hegumen of the Monastery of the Sleepless Ones (c. 470).

*Bright vestments.* Follow *Typikon* for December 28. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses and Communion Hymn of the Saturday after the Nativity. Instead of “*It is Truly right...*” take Hirmos of the Feast. Festal Dismissal.

Scripture readings of the Saturday after the Nativity:

**Epistle:** 1 Timothy §288 [6:11-16].

**Gospel:** Matthew §46[12:15-21].

**Sunday, December 30****Sunday after the Nativity**

**Commemoration of the Holy and Just Joseph, King David; James. Brother of the Lord according to the Flesh;** Post-feast of the Nativity of Christ; The Holy Martyr Anysia (286-305); and the Holy Martyr and Presbyter, Zoticus, Protector of Orphans (4<sup>th</sup> c.)

**Tone 7. Matins Gospel X.**

*Bright vestments.* Resurrection Tropar (Tone 7); Tropar of the Nativity; Tropar of the Saints; GLORY: Kondak of the Saints; NOW: Kondak of the Nativity. Prokimen of the Sunday and of the Saints; Alleluia Verses of the Saints; Communion Hymn of the Sunday and of the Saints. Festal Dismissal.

Scripture readings of the Sunday after the Nativity:

**Epistle:** Galatians §200 [1:11-19].

**Gospel:** Matthew §4 [2:13-23].