

TYPIKON

(Arranged by Rev. Taras Chaparin)

Sunday, November 26 **26th Sunday after Pentecost**

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).

Tone 1. Matins Gospel IV.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Service in Tone 1.

Scripture readings for Sunday:

Epistle: Ephesians §229 [5:9-19] (26th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §71 [13:10-17] (27th Week after Pentecost).

Monday, November 27

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

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Monday.

Scripture readings for Monday:

Epistle: 1 Timothy §285 [5:1-10]. (27th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Luke §97 [19:37-44]. (28th Week after Pentecost)

Tuesday, November 28

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

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings for Tuesday:

Epistle: 1 Timothy §286 [5:11-21] (27th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §98 [19:45-48] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Wednesday, November 29

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

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings for Wednesday:

Epistle: 1 Timothy §287 [5:22-6:11] (27th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §99 [20:1-8] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Thursday, November 30

The Holy and All-Praiseworthy Apostle Andrew the First-Called.

Bright vestments. Service for November 30.

Scripture readings from the Common for an Apostle:

Epistle: 1 Corinthians §131 [4:9-16].

Gospel: John §4 [1:35-51].

Friday, December 1

The Holy Prophet Nahum (7th c. BC).

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Friday.

Scripture readings for Friday:

Epistle: 2 Timothy §290a [1:1, 2, 8-18] (27th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §101 [20:19-26] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Saturday, December 2

The Holy Prophet Habakkuk (Avvakum).

Bright vestments. Weekday service for Saturday.

Scripture readings for Saturday:

Epistle: Galatians §213 [5:22-6:2]. (27th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Luke §67 [12:32-40]. (28th Week after Pentecost)

Sunday, December 3 27th Sunday After Pentecost

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

Tone 2. Matins Gospel V.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Service in Tone 2.

Scripture readings for Sunday:

Epistle: Ephesians §233 [6:10-17]. (27th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Luke §91 [18:18-27]. (28th Week after Pentecost)

Monday, December 4

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

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Monday.

Scripture readings for Monday:

Epistle: 2 Timothy §294 [2:20-26] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §102 [20:27-44] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Tuesday, December 5

±Our Venerable and God-bearing Father Sabbas the Sanctified (532).

Bright vestments. Service for December 5.

Scripture readings for St. Sabbas:

Epistle: Galatians §213 [5:22-6:2].

Gospel: Mathews §43 [11:27-30].

Wednesday, December 6

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

Bright vestments. Service for December 6.

Scripture readings for St. Nicholas:

Epistle: Hebrews §310 [13:17-21].

Gospel: Luke §24 [6:17-23].

Thursday, December 7

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

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Thursday.

Scripture readings for Thursday:

Epistle: Titus §300b [1:5-2:1] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §107 [21:28-33] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Friday, 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 December 9:

Epistle: Galatians §210 [4:22-31].

Gospel: Luke §36 [8:16-21].

Saturday, December 9

Our Venerable Father Patapius.

Bright vestments. Weekday service for Saturday.

Scripture readings for Saturday:

Epistle: Ephesians §218 [1:16-23] (28th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Luke §72 [13:18-29] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Sunday, December 10 28th Sunday After Pentecost

The Holy Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes and Eugephus.

Tone 3. Matins Gospel VI.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Service in Tone 3.

Scripture readings for Sunday:

Epistle: Colossians §250 [1:12-18]. (28th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Luke §85[17:12-19]. (29th Week after Pentecost)

Monday, December 11

Our Venerable Father Daniel the Stylite (493).

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Monday.

Scripture readings for Monday:

Epistle: Hebrew §308 [3:5-11; 17-19] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Mark §33 [8:11-21] (30th Week after Pentecost).

Tuesday, December 12

Our Venerable Father Spiridon the Wonderworker, Bishop of Tremithus.

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings for Tuesday:

Epistle: Hebrew §310 [4:1-13] (29th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Mark §34 [8:22-26] (30th Week after Pentecost)

Wednesday, December 13

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

Dark vestments. Service for December 13.

Scripture readings from the Common for Martyrs:

Epistle: Ephesians §233 [6:10-17].

Gospel: Luke §106 [21:12-19].

Thursday, December 14

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

Dark vestments Weekday service for Thursday.

Scripture readings for Thursday:

Epistle: Hebrew §315 [7:1-6] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Mark §39 [9:10-16] (30th Week after Pentecost).

Friday, December 15

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

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Friday.

Scripture readings for Friday:

Epistle: Hebrew §317 [7:18-25] (29th Week after Pentecost).

Gospel: Mark §41 [9:33-41] (30th Week after Pentecost).

Saturday, December 16

The Holy Prophet Haggai (Aggee) (6th c. BC).

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Saturday.

Scripture readings for Saturday:

Epistle: Ephesians §Mid-220 [2:11-13]. (29th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Luke §74 [14:1-11]. (30th Week after Pentecost)

Sunday, December 17 Sunday of the Forefathers

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

Tone 4. Matins Gospel VII.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Tropar (Tone 4); Tropar of the Forefathers; GLORY/:NOW: Kondak of the Forefathers. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Sunday and the Forefathers.

Scripture readings for the Sunday of the Forefathers:

Epistle: Colossians §257 [3:4-11].

Gospel: Luke §76 [14:16-24].

Monday, December 18

The Holy Martyr Sebastian and His Companions.

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Monday.

Scripture readings for Monday:

Epistle: Hebrew §319 [8:7-13]. (30th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Mark §42 [9:42-10:1]. (31st Week after Pentecost)

Tuesday, December 19

The Holy Martyr Boniface.

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings for Tuesday:

Epistle: Hebrew §321 [9:8-10; 15-23]. (30th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Mark §43 [10:2-12]. (31st Week after Pentecost)

Wednesday, December 20

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

Dark vestments. Weekday service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings for Wednesday:

Epistle: Hebrew §323 [10:1-18]. (30th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Mark §44 [10:11-16]. (31st Week after Pentecost)

Thursday, 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 Thursday.

Scripture readings for Thursday:

Epistle: Hebrew §326 [10:35-11:7]. (30th Week after Pentecost)

Gospel: Mark §45 [10:17-27]. (31st Week after Pentecost)

Friday, December 22

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

Dark vestments.

In the morning: Royal Hours.

Note: Today is the day of abstinence (meat may not be eaten; but eggs and dairy products are permitted). The day of abstinence and fasting is transferred because the Vigil of Christmas falls on Sunday. The Royal Hours are celebrated today.

Saturday, December 23 Saturday before Christmas

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

Bright vestments. Tropar of the Forefeast; Glory:/Now: Kondak of the Forefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Saturday.

Scripture readings for Saturday before Christmas:

Epistle: Galatians §205 [3:8-12].

Gospel: Luke §72 [13:18-29].

Sunday, December 24 Sunday before Christmas—Christmas Eve

The Holy Venerable Martyr Eugenia.

Tone 5. Matins Gospel VIII.

Bright vestments. Resurrection Tropar (Tone 5); Tropar of the Holy Fathers; Tropar of the Forefeast; Glory: Kondak of the Holy Fathers; Now: Kondak of the Forefeast. 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].

In the afternoon: Vespers (See *Dolnytskyy p. 171*).

In the evening: Great Compline with Lytia (See *Dolnytskyy p. 173*).