

TYPICON NOVEMBER - DECEMBER, 2010

November, 2010

Sunday, November 28 Twenty-seventh Sunday

The Venerable Martyr Stephen the Younger, and the Holy Martyr Irenarchus.

Bright vestments. Tone 2. Matins Gospel V.

Resurrection Service in Tone 2.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-seventh Sunday:

Epistle: Ephesians §233 [6:10-17].

Gospel: Luke §71 [13:10-17].

Monday, November 29

The Holy Martyr Paramon; and the Holy Martyr Philomenus and his Companions; and Our Venerable Father Acacius, who is mentioned in "The Ladder."

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Monday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eighth Monday:

Epistle: 2 Timothy §294 [2:20-26].

Gospel: Luke §97 [19:37-44].

Tuesday, November 30

The Holy and All-Praised 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].

December, 2010

Wednesday, December 1

The Holy Prophet Nahum.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eighth Wednesday:

Epistle: 2 Timothy §299 [4:9-22].

Gospel: Luke §99 [20:1-8].

Thursday, December 2

The Holy Prophet Habakkuk.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Thursday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eighth Thursday:

Epistle: Titus §300 [1:15-2:1].

Gospel: Luke §100 [20:9-18].

Friday, December 3

The Holy Prophet Sophonias.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Friday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eighth Friday:

Epistle: Titus §301 [1:15-2:10].

Gospel: Luke §101 [20:19-26].

Saturday, December 4

The Holy Martyr Barbara; and Our Venerable Father John Damascene.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Saturday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-eighth Saturday:

Epistle: Ephesians §218 [1:16-23].

Gospel: Luke §67 [12:32-40].

Sunday, December 5 Twenty-eighth Sunday

Venerable and God-bearing Father Sabbas the Sanctified.

Bright vestments. Tone 3. Matins Gospel VI.

Resurrection Tropar (Tone 3); Tropar of St. Sabbas; GLORY:

Kondak of St. Sabbas; NOW: Resurrection Kondak. Prokimen,

Alleluia Verses, and Communion Hymn of Sunday and the Saint.

Scripture readings:

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

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

Monday, December 6

Our Father Among the Saints Nicholas, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia, Wonderworker.

Bright vestments. Service for December 6.

Scripture readings for St. Nicholas:

Epistle: Hebrews §310 [13:17-21].

Gospel: Luke §24 [6:17-23].

Tuesday, December 7

Our Father Among the Saints Ambrose, Bishop of Milan.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Tuesday:

Epistle: Hebrews §310 [4:1-13].

Gospel: Luke §106 [21:12-18].

Wednesday, December 8

Our Venerable Father Patapius of Thebes.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Wednesday:

Epistle: Hebrews §312 [5:11-6:8].

Gospel: Luke §104 [21:5-7; 10-11; 20-24].

Thursday, December 9

The Conception of the Most Holy Theotokos by St. Anne.

Blue vestments. Service for the Feast, including proper Immos.

Scripture readings for December 9:

Epistle: Galatians §210 [4:22-31].

Gospel: Luke §36 [8:16-21].

Friday, December 10

The Holy Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes and Eucraphus.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Friday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Friday:

Epistle: Hebrews §317 [7:18-25].

Gospel: Luke §108 [21:37-22:8].

Saturday, December 11

Our Venerable Father Daniel the Stylite.

Bright vestments. Weekday Service for Saturday.

Scripture readings of the Twenty-ninth Saturday:

Epistle: Ephesians §Mid-220 [2:11-13].

Gospel: Luke §72 [13:18-29].

Sunday, December 12 Sunday of the Holy Ancestors

Our Venerable Father Spyridion the Wonderworker, Bishop of Tremitus.

Bright vestments. Tone 4. Matins Gospel VII.

Resurrection Tropar (Tone 4); 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 13

The Holy Martyrs Eustratius, Auxentius, Eugene, Mardarius and Orestes; and the Holy Virgin Martyr Lucy.

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].

Tuesday, December 14

The Holy Martyrs Thyrsus, Leucius, Philemon, Appolonius and Callinicus.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Tuesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Tuesday:

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

Gospel: Mark §34 [8:22-26].

Wednesday, December 15

The Holy Priest-Martyr Eleutherius; and Our Venerable Father Paul of Latra; and Our Holy Father Stephen, Archbishop of Surozh, Confessor.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Wednesday:

Epistle: Hebrews §323 [10:1-18].

Gospel: Mark §36 [8:30-34].

Thursday, December 16

The Holy Prophet Haggai.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Thursday.

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Thursday:

Epistle: Hebrews §326 [10:35-11:7].

Gospel: Mark §39 [9:10-16].

Friday, December 17

The Holy Prophet Daniel; and the Three Holy Youths.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Friday.

Scripture readings of the Thirtieth Friday:

Epistle: Hebrews §327 [11:8; 11-16].

Gospel: Mark §41 [9:33-41].

Saturday, December 18 Saturday before the Nativity

The Holy Martyr Sebastian and his Companions.

Dark vestments. Weekday Service for Saturday.

Scripture readings for Saturday before Nativity:

Epistle: Galatians §205 [3:8-12].

Gospel: Luke §72 [13:18-29].

Sunday, December 19 Sunday of the Holy Fathers

The Holy Martyr Boniface

Bright vestments. Tone 5. Matins Gospel VIII.

Resurrection Tropar (Tone 5); 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 20 Prefeast of the Nativity

The Holy Hieromartyr Ignatius the God-Bearer, Bishop of Antioch.

Dark vestments. Tropar of the Prefeast; GLORY:/NOW: Kon-

dak of the Prefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion

Hymn of Monday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Monday:

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

Gospel: Mark §42 [9:42-10:1].

Tuesday, December 21 Prefeast of Nativity

The Holy Virgin-Martyr Juliana.

Dark vestments. Tropar of the Prefeast; GLORY:/NOW: Kon-

dak of the Prefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion

Hymn of Tuesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Tuesday:

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

Gospel: Mark §43 [10:2-12].

Wednesday, December 22 Prefeast of the Nativity

The Holy Great Martyr Anastasia.

Dark vestments. Tropar of the Prefeast; GLORY:/NOW: Kon-

dak of the Prefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion

Hymn of Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Wednesday:

Epistle: James §50 [1:1-18].

Gospel: Mark §44 [10:11-16].

Thursday, December 23 Prefeast of the Nativity

The Holy Ten Martyrs of Crete.

Dark vestments. Tropar of the Prefeast; GLORY:/NOW: Kondak

of the Prefeast. Prokimen, Alleluia Verses, and Communion

Hymn of Wednesday.

Scripture readings of the Thirty-first Thursday:

Epistle: James §51 [1:19-27].

Gospel: Mark §45 [10:17-27].

Friday, December 24 Vigil of the Nativity

Note: Today is a day of abstinence (meat may not be eaten; but eggs and dairy products are permitted).

The Holy Venerable Martyr Eugenia.

Dark vestments.

In the morning: Royal Hours are celebrated today.

In the afternoon: Vespers with the 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: Hebrews §303 [1:1-12].

Gospel: Luke §5 [2:1-20].

In the evening: Great Compline with Litia.

Saturday, December 25

THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD AND GOD AND SAVIOR JESUS CHRIST.

Bright vestments. Festal Service for Nativity, **Gospel:** Matthew §59 [14:22-34].

Note: Holy day of obligation.

including proper Antiphons, Entrance Hymn and Immos. 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.

Sunday, December 26 Sunday after the Nativity

SYNAXIS OF THE MOST HOLY THEOTOKOS; Commemora-

tion of the Holy and Just Joseph, Spouse of the Holy

Theotokos, King David; James, Brother of the Lord according

to the Flesh; and the Holy Hieromartyr Euthymius, Bishop of Sardis.

Bright vestments. Tone 6. Matins Gospel IX.

Resurrection Tropar (Tone 6); Tropar of the Nativity; Tropar of the

Saints; GLORY:/NOW: Kondak of the Saints; NOW: Kondak of the Nativ-

ity. 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].

Note: When the feast of the Synaxis of the Most Holy Theotokos falls on the Sunday after the Nativity, please follow Dolnitskyj *Typik* pp. 181-183.