

CALENDAR

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Dezlegare la pește, ulei și vin = (P, U, V)

Fish, wine and oil allowed = (F, W, O)

Dezlegare la ouă, lapte și brânză = (O, L, B)

Eggs, milk and cheese allowed = (E, M, C)

Post / Fast

JANUARY

Daylight – 10 hours

Night – 14 hours

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- 1 S +) **Circumcision of Our Lord; St. Basil the Great** (*Saturday before Theophany*) (*New Year*)
 - 2 S Sts. Silvester & Sergius; St. Sergius; St. Seraphim of Sarov (*Forefeast of Theophany*)
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Sunday before Theophany of our Lord. Epistle: 2 Timothy 4:5-8. Gospel: Mark 1:1-8. Tone 7. Mat. Gospel 10.

- 3 M Holy Prophet Malachi; Martyr Gordius
 - 4 T Synaxis of the Seventy Apostles; St. Teoctist
 - 5 W Holy Martyrs Theopemptus, Theonas, & Syncletica (*Eve of Theophany*)
 - 6 T (+) **Theophany of our Lord Jesus Christ**
 - 7 F +) **Synaxis of the Holy Prophet, Forerunner and Baptizer John**
 - 8 S St. George the Chozebite; St. Domnica (*Saturday after Theophany*)
 - 9 S Martyr Polyeuctus; St. Eustratius
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Sunday after Theophany. Epistle: Ephesians 4:7-13. Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17 (*Beginning of the preaching of the Lord*). **Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 11.**

- 10 M St. Gregory of Nyssa; Sts. Dometian & Marcian; St. Theophan the Recluse
 - 11 T + **St. Theodosius, the founder of cenobitic life in Palestine**
 - 12 W Martyr Tatiana, the Deaconess and Eustasia
 - 13 T Martyrs Hermylus & Stratonicus
 - 14 F Holy Fathers slain at Sinai and Raithu; St. Sava of Serbia (*Leave-taking of Theophany*)
 - 15 S Ven. Paul of Thebes & John Calabytes
 - 16 S + **Veneration of the Precious Chains of the Holy Apostle Peter**
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29th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Colossians 3:4-11. Gospel: Luke 17:12-19 (*Ten lepers*). **Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 1.**

- 17 M +) Ven. Anthony the Great
 - 18 T + Sts. Athanasius & Cyril, Patriarchs of Alexandria
 - 19 W St. Macarius of Egypt; St. Arsenius & St. Mark of Ephesus
 - 20 T + **Ven. Euthymius the Great**
 - 21 F Ven. Maximus the Confessor; Martyrs Neophytus & Valerian
 - 22 S Apostle Timothy; Monk-martyr Anastasius the Persian
 - 23 S **Martyrs Clement & Agathangelus**
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31st Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Timothy 1:15-17. Gospel: Luke 18:35-43 (*Healing of the Blind Man from Jericho*). **Tone 2. Mat. Gos. 2.**

- 24 M St. Xenia of Rome; Martyr Babylas
 - 25 T +) **St. Gregory the Theologian; +) St. Bretanion, bishop of Tomis**
 - 26 W Sts. Xenophon & his wife Maria, with their children: Arcadius and John
 - 27 T + **Translation of the Relics of St. John Chrysostom**
 - 28 F Sts. Ephraim & Isaac of Syria
 - 29 S + Translation of the Relics of Hieromartyr Ignatius the Godbearer
 - 30 S +) **The Three Holy Hierarchs: Basil, Gregory and John**
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32nd Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Timothy 4:9-15; Hebrews 13:7-16. Gospel: Luke 19:1-10 (Zacchaeus); Matthew 5:14-19. Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 3.

- 31 M Holy Wonderworkers & Unmercenaries Cyrus and John

FEBRUARY

Daylight – 11 hours

Night – 13 hours

1 T Martyr Tryphon; Martyr Perpetua & Felicitas (*Forefeast of Presentation of our Lord*)

2 W (+) Presentation of Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Temple (F)

3 T Righteous Simeon & Anna the Prophetess; St. Nicholas of Japan

4 F Sts. Isidor & Martyr Abramius

5 S Martyrs Agatha & Theodula

6 S St. Bucolus, bishop of Smyrna; Martyrs Julian & Fausta; St. Photius the Great, Patriarch

17th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 2 Corinthians 6:16-17:1. Gospel: Matthew 15:21-28 (Canaanite Woman). Tone 4. Mat. Gos. 4.

7 M Sts. Parthenius & Luke; 1003 Martyrs of Nicomedia

8 T Great Martyr Theodore Stratelates, Prophet Zechariah; Martyr sisters Martha & Mary

9 W Martyrs: Nichephorus, Marcellus & Pancratius; St. Peter of Damascus (*Leaving of Presentation of the Lord*)

10 T **+ Martyrs: Haralambos & Valentina**

11 F Hieromartyr Blaise, bishop of Sebaste; St. Theodora the Empress (867)

12 S St. Meletius of Antioch; St. Anthony II, Patriarch of Constantinople

13 S St. Martinian, Monk of Palestine; Apostles Aquila and his wife Priscilla (*Triodion begins*)

33rd Sunday after Pentecost (Publican & Pharisee). Epistle: 2 Timothy 3:10-15. Gospel: Luke 18:10-14. Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 5.

14 M Sts. Auxentius, Maron & Abraham

15 T Apostle of the Seventy Onesimus; Martyr Major

16 W Martyrs Pamfil & Valens (*Fast free*)

17 T Great Martyr Theodore the Soldier ("Tyro") & St. Mariamne, sister of Apostle Philip

18 F St. Leo the Great, Pope of Rome & Flavian the Confessor; St. Agapitus (*Fast free*)

19 S Apostles Archippos, Philemon & his wife Apphias of the 70

20 S St. Leo, bishop of Catania & Agaton, Pope of Rome; St. Vissarion the Great

34th Sunday after Pentecost (Prodigal Son). Epistle: 1 Corinthians 6:12-20. Gospel: Luke 15:11-32. Tone 6. Mat. Gospel 6.

21 M Sts. Timothy; Eustathios, bishop of Antioch

22 T Uncovering of the relics of the Martyrs at the gate of Eugenios in Constantinople

23 W + Hieromartyr Polycarp, bishop of Smyrna

24 T +) The first & second findings of the Honorable Head of St. John the Forerunner

25 F Sts. Tarasios, Archbishop of Constantinople; Martyrs Alexander & Ipatios

26 S St. Porphyrios, Archbishop of Gaza; Great Martyr Photini, the Samaritan Woman (*Memorial Saturday*)

27 S St. Prokopios the Confessor and Thalelaeus; St. Raphael of Brooklyn

35th Sunday after Pentecost. Farewell to Meat. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 8:8-13; 9:1-2. Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46 (Last Judgment). Tone 7. Mat. Gospel 7.

28 M **+ St. John Cassian the Roman; St. Gherman of Dobrogea;** St. Basil the Confessor (*E,M,C*)

MARCH

Daylight – 12 hours

Night – 12 hours

- 1 T Ven. Martyr Eudokia (E,M,C)
- 2 W Holy Martyrs: Theodotos, Hesychios & Nestor (E,M,C)
- 3 T Martyrs: Eutropios, Kleonikos & Basilikos (E,M,C)
- 4 F St. Gerasimos of the Jordan; Martyrs Paul & his sister Juliana (E,M,C)
- 5 S Hieromartyr Konon & Virgin-martyr Irais; St. Nicholai Velimirovic (E,M,C)
- 6 S **Holy 42 Martyrs of Amoria. Martyrs of the Communist Persecution (E,M,C)**

36th Sunday after Pentecost. Forgiveness Sunday. Farewell to Dairy. Epistle: Romans 13:11-14; 14:1-4. Gospel: Matthew 6:14-21 (Expulsion of Adam from Paradise). Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 8.

- 7 M Hieromartyr bishops of Cherson: Basil, Ephraim and Eugene. (Beginning of Great Lent) (Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete - Part 1)
- 8 T St. Theophylaktos the Confessor; Holy hierarch Paul the Confessor (Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete - Part 2)
- 9 W **+) The Forty Martyrs of Sebaste** (transferred to March 6 or March 12) (Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete - Part 3)
- 10 T Martyrs Kodratos, Cyprian & Dionysius (Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete - Part 4)
- 11 F St. Sofronios, Patriarch of Jerusalem
- 12 S St. Theophanes the Confessor; St. Gregory the Dialogist; St. Simeon the New Theologian (St. Theodore Saturday - Memorial Saturday) (W,O)
- 13 S Translation of the relics of Nikephoros, Patriarch of Constantinople (W,O)

1st Sunday of Great Lent (Orthodoxy). Epistle: Hebrews 11:24-26, 32-40. Gospel: John 1:43-51. Liturgy of St. Basil. Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 9.

- 14 M St. Benedict of Nursia; Martyr Alexander the Priest
- 15 T Martyrs Agapios, Publius & Timolaus
- 16 W Martyrs Sabinos of Egypt, Papas & Roman
- 17 T St. Alexios the Man of God; Martyr Marinus
- 18 F St. Cyril, Patriarch of Jerusalem
- 19 S Martyrs Chrysanthos & Daria (Memorial Saturday) (W,O)
- 20 S **Holy fathers slain at the monastery of Mar Sabbas (W,O)**

2nd Sunday of Great Lent (St. Gregory Palamas). Epistle: Hebrews 1:10-14; 2:1-3 & Hebrews 7:26-28; 8:1-2. Gospel: Mark 2:1-12 (Cure of paralytic from Capernaum); John 10:9-16. Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 10. Liturgy of St. Basil.

- 21 M Holy Confessor James the New; Sts. Thomas & Serapion
- 22 T Hieromartyr Basil, Priest of the Church in Ancyra
- 23 W Martyr Nikon of Sicily & 199 disciples with him
- 24 T St. Zachariah; Martyr Luke (Forefeast of Annunciation)
- 25 F **(+) Annunciation (F,W,O)**
- 26 S Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel (Memorial Saturday) (Leave-taking of Annunciation) (W,O)
- 27 S Martyr Matrona of Thessalonika (W,O)

3rd Sunday of Great Lent (Holy Cross). Epistle: Hebrews 4:14-16; 5:1-6. Gospel: Mark 8:34-38; 9:1. Liturgy of St. Basil. Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 11.

- 28 M St. Stephen; St. Hilarion the New
- 29 T Hieromartyr Mark, bishop of Arethusa; Martyr Cyril the Deacon
- 30 W St. John of Sinai, author of The Ladder
- 31 T St. Hypatios the Wonderworker; St. Innocent of Alaska; Righteous Joseph the Fair

APRIL

Daylight – 13 hours

Night – 11 hours

- 1 F St. Mary of Egypt
- 2 S St. Titos; Martyrs Amphianus & Edesius (*Memorial Saturday*) (W,O)
- 3 S St. Nikita the Confessor (W,O)

4th Sunday of Great Lent (St. John of the Ladder). Epistle: Hebrews 6:13-20; Ephesians 5:8-19. Gospel: Mark 9:17-32 (Healing of the Demoniac boy); Matthew 4:25, 5:1-12 (Sermon on the Mount). Liturgy of St. Basil. Tone 4. Mat. Gospel 1.

- 4 M St. Joseph of Sicily, the Hymnographer
- 5 T Martyrs Agathopodes the Deacon & Theodulus the Reader
- 6 W St. Eutychios, Patriarch of Constantinople (*Great Canon of St. Andrew of Crete*)
- 7 T St. Tikhon, Enlightener of North America; Martyr George the Confessor, bishop of Mitylene; Martyr Kalliopios & Aquilina; Sava the New; St. Nilus of Sora
- 8 F Apostle Herodion; St. Celestin, Pope of Rome (*Akathist to Birthgiver of God*)
- 9 S Martyr Eupychios; St. Vadim (*Memorial Saturday*) (W,O)
- 10 S Martyrs Terence & Pompeios (W,O)

5th Sunday of Great Lent (St. Mary of Egypt). Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14; Galatians 3:23-29. Gospel: Mark 10:32-45; Luke 7:36-50. Liturgy of St. Basil. Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 2.

- 11 M + St. Calinic of Cernica; Hieromartyr Antipas
- 12 T + Martyr Sava the Goth, who suffered at Buzau; St. Basil the Confessor
- 13 W Hieromartyr Artemon; Martyr Chintilian
- 14 T St. Martin the Confessor, Pope of Rome
- 15 F Apostle Aristarchos, Pudens & Trophymos of the 70
- 16 S Virgin-Martyrs: Agape, Irene & Chionia (*Lazarus Saturday*) (*Memorial Saturday*) (W,O)
- 17 S (+) **Entrance of the Lord into Jerusalem.** Hieromartyr Simeon, bishop in Persia; St. Acacius, bishop of Melitene (*Bridegroom Matins*) (F,W,O)

6th Sunday of Great Lent (Palm Sunday). Follow Triodion. Epistle: Philippians 4:4-9. Gospel: John 12:1-18. Liturgy of St. John. (Evening Holy Week services begin).

- 18 M **Holy Monday.** St. John, disciple of Gregory of Decapolis; St. Cosmas, bishop of Chalcedon (*Bridegroom Matins*)
- 19 T **Holy Tuesday.** St. John of Old Lavra in Palestine (*Bridegroom Matins*)
- 20 W **Holy Wednesday.** +) St. Teotim, bishop of Tomis; Ven. Theodore the Hairshirt-wearer (*Holy Unction - Bridegroom Matins*)
- 21 T **Holy Thursday.** Hieromartyr Januarius; Martyrs Alexandra and Philippa (*Twelve Gospels*)
- 22 F **Holy Friday.** St. Theodore Sykeote; Apostle Nathaniel (*Royal Hours. Vespers. Lamentations*)
- 23 S **Holy Saturday.** +) **Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer** transferred to April 25
- 24 S (+) **Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ (Holy Pascha).** Holy Confessors Elias (Iorest), Sava (Brancovici) & Hierarch Iosif of Maramures; Hieromartyr Sava Stratelates; St. Elizabeth

Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Epistle: Acts 1:1-8. Gospel: John 1:1-17.

- 25 M +) **Bright Monday.** +) **Great Martyr George the Trophy-bearer.** Holy Apostle & Evangelist Mark; +) St. Vasile (Romania)
- 26 T +) **Bright Tuesday.** Hieromartyr Basil, Bishop of Amasea
- 27 W Hieromartyr Simeon, the kinsman of the Lord (*Fast free*)
- 28 T Apostles Jason & Sosipater of the 70
- 29 F +) **Life-giving Fount of Mother of God.** 9 Martyrs at Cyzicus; St. Memnon the Confessor (*Fast free*)
- 30 S Apostle James, son of Zebedee and brother of St. John the Evangelist

MAY

Daylight – 13 hours

Night – 11 hours

1 S Prophet Jeremiah; St. Isidora

2nd Sunday after Pascha (St. Thomas). Epistle: Acts 5:12-20. Gospel: John 20:19-31. Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 1.

2 M St. Athanasius the Great

3 T Martyrs Timothy & his wife, Mavra of Egypt

4 W Virgin Martyr Pelagia; Ven. Valerian (*F, W, O*)

5 T Great-martyr Irene; Martyrs Neophytos & Gaius

6 F Righteous Job the Long-suffering (*F, W, O*)

7 S Apparition of the Sign of the Cross over Jerusalem (351); **St. Alexis Toth of Minneapolis**

8 S +) Apostle & Evangelist John the Theologian; St. Arsenios the Great

3rd Sunday after Pascha (Myrrhbearing Women). Epistle: Acts 6:1-7. Gospel: Mark 15:43-47, 16:1-8. Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 4.

9 M Prophet Isaiah; Translation of the Relics of St. Nicholas to Bari

10 T Apostle Simeon Zealotes; St. Hesychius the Confessor

11 W Hieromartyr Mokios; Sts. Cyril & Methodius, apostles to the Slavs (*F, W, O*)

12 T **+ New-martyr John of Wallachia**; St. Epiphanius, Archbishop of Cyprus; St. Germanos, Patriarch of Constantinople

13 F **Virgin-martyr Glykeria; St. Sergius the Confessor** (*F, W, O*)

14 S Martyr Isidore; Hieromartyr Therapont

15 S **St. Pachomios the Great; St. Achilles, Bishop of Larisa**

4th Sunday after Pascha (Paralytic). Epistle: Acts 9:32-42; Gospel: John 5:1-15. Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 5.

16 M St. Theodore the Sanctified

17 T Apostle Andronikos and St. Junia of the 70

18 W Martyrs Peter, Dionysius & Benjamin; Martyr Theodotus of Ancyra & 7 virgin martyrs with him (*Mid-feast of Pentecost*) (*F, W, O*)

19 T Hieromartyr Patrick, bishop of Prussia; Martyr Kyriaki

20 F Martyr Thallelaios (*F, W, O*)

21 S +) Equals-to-the-Apostles Emperor Constantine & his mother Helen

22 S Martyrs Basiliskos & Marcel

5th Sunday after Pascha (Samaritan Woman). Epistle: Acts 11:19-30. Gospel: John 4:5-42. Tone 4. Mat. Gospel 7.

23 M St. Michael the Confessor, Bishop of Synnada

24 T St. Simeon Stylites, the younger; Martyrs Serapion & Marciana

25 W **+ Third finding of the Honorable Head of St. John the Forerunner** (*F,W,O*)

26 T Apostles Karpos & Alphaios of the 70

27 F Martyr Julius the Veteran; Hieromartyr Therapont, bishop of Sardis; St. John the Russian (*F,W,O*)

28 S St. Nicetas the Confessor, Bishop of Chalcedon; Martyrs Heliconis and Helladios

29 S **Virgin-martyr Theodosia; Hieromartyrs Olivian & Alexander; Emperor Constantine XII (1453)**

6th Sunday after Pascha (Blind Man). Epistle: Acts 16:16-34. Gospel: John 9:1-38. Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 8.

30 M St. Issac the Confessor & Barlaam; Martyr Natalios

31 T Apostle Hermes of the 70; Martyrs Hermias, Eusebios & Haralambos

JUNE

Daylight – 15 hours

Night – 9 hours

- 1 W Martyr Justin the Philosopher (*Leave-taking of Pascha*) (*Pre-feast of Ascension*) (*F,W,O*)
- 2 T **(+) Ascension of our Lord Jesus Christ. + Great-Martyr John the New of Suceava** (*Day of Heroes*)
- 3 F Marytrs Lucillian, Hypatius, Paul & Paula; St. Kevin, Abbot of Glendalough (*F,W,O*)
- 4 S **+ Martyrs of Niculitel: Zoticos, Atalos, Camasis**; St. Metrophanes, Patriarch of Constantinople
- 5 S Hieromartyr Dorotheos, Bishop of Tyre; Dorotheos of Gaza

7th Sunday after Pascha (Holy Fathers of the 1st Ecumenical Council). Epistle: Acts 20:16-18, 28-36. Gospel: John 17:1-13. Tone 6. Mat. Gospel 10.

- 6 M Sts. Bessarion & Hilarion the New
- 7 T Hieromartyr Theodotus; Martyr Zenaida; Ven. Sebastiana
- 8 W Translation of the Relics of Great Martyr Theodore the Soldier; Martyrs Nicander & Marcian (*F,W,O*)
- 9 T St. Cyril, Patriarch of Alexandria
- 10 F Hieromartyr Timothy, Martyr Alexander & Virgin-martyr Antonia (*Leave-taking of Ascension*) (*F,W,O*)
- 11 S Apostles Bartholomew & Barnabas; St. Mitrophan & the Chinese Orthodox Martyrs (1900) (*Memorial Saturday*)
- 12 S **(+) Descent of the Holy Spirit. St. Onouphrios the Great; St. Peter the Athonite**

8th Sunday after Pascha (Pentecost). Epistle: Acts 2:1-11. Gospel: John 7:37-53; 8:12.

- 13 M **(+) Holy Trinity. Martyr Aquilina; St. Triphyllios, Bishop of Cyprus**
- 14 T Prophet Elisha; St. Methodios, Patriarch of Constantinople
- 15 W Prophet Amos; Blessed Augustine of Hippo; Blessed Jerome (*Fast free*)
- 16 T St. Tikhon the Wonder-worker of Amathos in Cyprus
- 17 F Martyrs Manuel, Sabel & Ismael of Persida (*Fast free*)
- 18 S Martyrs Leontios, Hypatios & Theodoulos (*Leave-taking of Descent of Holy Spirit*)
- 19 S **Apostle Jude, brother of the Lord; St. Paisios the Great**

1st Sunday after Pentecost (All Saints). Epistle: Hebrews 11:33-40; 12:1-2. Gospel: Matthew 10:32-33, 37-38; 19:27-30. Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 1.

- 20 M Hieromartyr Methodios; St. Kallistos, Patriarch of Constantinople (*Beginning of Fast of Holy Apostles*)
- 21 T Martyrs Julian of Cilicia and Afrodisios (*W,O*)
- 22 W **+ Holy Hierarch Gregory the Teacher, Metropolitan of Romanian Lands**; Hieromartyr Eusebios; Martyrs Zeno & his servant Zenas
- 23 T Martyrs Agrippina of Rome & Aristokleos (*W,O*)
- 24 F **(+) Nativity of St. John the Baptist; +) St. Nicetas of Remesiana** (*F*)
- 25 S Virgin-martyr Febronia; St. Prokopios of Iviron; St. Theoleptos of Philadelphia; Martyr Orentios and his six brothers (*F,W,O*)
- 26 S **St. David of Thessalonika** (*F,W,O*)

2nd Sunday after Pentecost (American & Romanian Saints). Epistle: Romans 2:10-16. Gospel: Matthew 4:18-23 (Calling of the Apostles). Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 2.

- 27 M St. Sampson the Host of Strangers
- 28 T Translation of the Relics of Unmercenarys Cyrus & John; Martyr Papia (*W,O*)
- 29 W **(+) Holy Apostles Peter and Paul** (*F,W,O*)
- 30 T **+ Synaxis of the 12 Apostles; +) St. Ghelasie of Rametz**

JULY

Daylight – 14 hours

Night – 10 hours

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- 1 F **+) Hierarch Leontie of Radautz**; Unmercenary Martyrs Cosmas & Damian of Rome
2 S + Placing of the Robe of Mother of God in Blachernae; **+) St. Stefan the Great**
3 S **Martyr Hyacinth**; **St. Anatolios, Patriarch of Constantinople**
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3rd Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Romans 5:1-10. Gospel: Matthew 6:22-33 (Possessions and anxiety). Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 3.

- 4 M Holy Hierarch Andrew, Archbishop of Crete; St. Martha, mother of St. Simeon Stylites the Younger
5 T **+ St. Athanasios the Athonite**; St. Lampados
6 W St. Sisoës the Great; Virgin-Martyr Lucy
7 T Great martyr Kiriaki; St. Thomas of Mt. Maleon; St. Acacius of Sinai
8 F Great-martyr Prokopios & Theodosia
9 S Hieromartyrs Pankratios & Cyril; Martyrs Andrew & Probus
10 S **Holy 45 Martyrs at Nicopolis in Armenia**
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4th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Romans 6:18-23. Gospel: Matthew 8:5-13 (Cure of the Centurion's servant). Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 4.

- 11 M Martyr Eufemia; St. Marcian; St. Olga, queen of Russia
12 T Martyrs Proclus & Hilary of Ancyra; St. Veronica, the woman with the issue of blood
13 W Synaxis of the Archangel Gabriel; St. Stephen of Mar Sabbas Monastery
14 T Apostle Aquila of the 70; Martyrs Justus & Heraclios
15 F Martyrs Kyrikos & his mother Julietta from Tarsus of Cilicia; St. Vladimir, Illuminator of Russia
16 S Hieromartyr Athenogenes & his 10 disciples
17 S **Great-martyr Marina (Margaret)**; **St. Euphrasios the bishop**
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5th Sunday after Pentecost. (Holy Fathers of 4th Ecumenical Council). Epistle: Romans 10:1-10. Gospel: Matthew 8:28-34; 9:1 (Cure of the two demoniacs of Gadara); John 17:1-13. Tone 4. Mat. Gospel 5.

- 18 M **+) Martyr Emilian of Durostor**; Martyrs Iachint, Emilianos, Paul & Valentina
19 T St. Macrina, sister of Basil the Great; Ven. Dios & Theodore, Archbishop of Edessa
20 W **+) Glorious Prophet Elijah (Elias) the Tishbite**; Mother Maria (Skobtsova) of Paris and those with her (F,W,O)
21 T Sts. Simeon & John; Prophet Ezekiel
22 F Myrrh-bearer & Equal-to-the-Apostles Mary Magdalene
23 S Hieromartyr Apollinaris, Bishop of Ravenna; Sts. Trophimus & Theophilus; Hieromartyr Phocas
24 S **Great-martyr Christina of Tyre**; Martyr Hermogenes; Martyrs Boris & Gleb
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6th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Romans 12:6-14; Gospel: Matthew 9:1-8 (Cure of the paralytic from Capernaum). Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 6.

- 25 M Dormition of the Righteous Ana, mother of the Birthgiver of God
26 T Hieromartyr Hermolaus; Martyr Parascheva of Rome; **+ St. Jacob of Alaska**
27 W **+) Great-martyr and healer Panteleimon**; St. Clement of Ochrid
28 T Phillip, Prochoros, Nikanor, Timon & Parmenas, Deacons & Apostles of the 70
29 F Martyr Kallinikos of Gangra; Martyrs Theodota, Benjamin & Mamant
30 S Apostles Silas, Silvanos, Crescens & Andronikos of the 70
31 S **Righteous Evdokimos**; **Righteous Joseph of Arimathea (Forefeast of Procession of the Cross)**
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7th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Romans 15:1-7. Gospel: Matthew 9:27-35 (Cure of two blind men and a mute demoniac). Tone 6. Mat. Gospel 7.

AUGUST

Daylight – 13 hours

Night – 11 hours

- 1 M Procession of the Cross; 7 Maccabean Martyrs with Salomoni & Eleazar (*Beginning of Fast of Mother of God*)
- 2 T Translation of the Relics of the Proto-martyr Stephen the Archdeacon; Emperor Justinian the Great
- 3 W Sts. Isaac, Dalmatos and Faustus; Holy myrrh-bearer Salome
- 4 T The 7 Youths (Sleepers) of Ephesus; Martyr Eudoxia of Persia
- 5 F **+ St. John the Hozevite (the Romanian)**; Martyr Eusignios (*Forefeast of Transfiguration*)
- 6 S **(+) Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ (F,W,O)**
- 7 S **+) St. Teodora of Sihla**; Martyr Dometios of Persia (W,O)

8th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:10-17; Gospel: Matthew 14:14-22
(*Multiplication of the loaves in the desert*). **Tone 7. Mat. Gospel 8.**

- 8 M Emilianos the Confessor; St. Myron, the Wonderworker of Crete; St. Gregory of Sinai
- 9 T Apostle Matthias; Martyr Anthony of Alexandria; Glorification of **St. Herman of Alaska** - 1970
- 10 W Martyr Archdeacon Laurence; Hieromartyrs Sixtus, bishop of Rome and Hippolytus
- 11 T **+) St. Niphon, Patriarch of Constantinople**; Martyr & Archdeacon Euplus
- 12 F Martyrs Photios & Anikytos; St. Timothy
- 13 S Translation of the Relics of St. Maximus the Confessor; Martyr Hippolytus of Rome (*Leave-taking of the Transfiguration*) (W,O)
- 14 S **Prophet Micah**; Martyrs Marcellus & Ursikios (*Forefeast of the Dormition*) (*Lamentations for Mother of God*) (W,O)

9th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 3:9-17. Gospel: Matthew 14:22-34
(*Walking on the water; calming of the wind*). **Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 9.**

- 15 M **(+) Dormition of the Birthgiver of God**
- 16 T Icon Not-Made-by-Hands of our Lord in Edessa; **+) Martyrs Constantin Brancoveanu & his sons: Constantin, Stefan, Radu, Matthew & the Counsellor Ianache**
- 17 W Hieromartyr Myron: Martyrs Ciprian, Straton & Tirs
- 18 T Martyrs Floros, Lauros and Polyaeus
- 19 F Martyr Andrew the General (Stratelates); Martyrs Timothy & Agapios
- 20 S Prophet Samuel; Martyr Heliodoros
- 21 S **Apostle Thaddeus of the 70, also named Levi; Martyr Vassa and her children**

10th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 4:9-16. Gospel: Matthew 17:14-23
(*Healing of the lunatic*). **Tone 1. Mat. Gos. 10.**

- 22 M Martyrs Agathonikos, Zoticus, Anthusa, Irenaeus & Or
- 23 T Martyr Lupus; Hieromartyr Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons; St. Callinicus (*Leave-taking of Dormition*)
- 24 W Hieromartyr Eutychos, disciple of St. John the Theologian; Martyr Tation
- 25 T Translation of Relics of the Apostle Bartholomew; Apostle Titus of the 70
- 26 F Martyr Adrian & his wife, Natalia
- 27 S St. Pimen & Martyrs Eutalia, Phenurios & Hosius, bishop of Cordova
- 28 S **St. Moses the Black; Martyr Diomedes; Prophetess Anna, daughter of Phanel**

11th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 9:2-12. Gospel: Matthew 18:23-35
(*Parable of the Unmerciful Debtor*). **Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 11.**

- 29 M **+) Beheading of Prophet, Forerunner and Baptizer John**
- 30 T Sts. Alexander, John and Paul the New, patriarchs of Constantinople; Martyr Phantinos
- 31 W Placing of the Belt (Sash) of the Birthgiver of God; Holy 366 Martyrs of Nicomedia; St. Cyprian of Carthage

SEPTEMBER

Daylight – 12 hours

Night – 12 hours

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- 1 T + **St. Simeon the Stylite** & his mother, Martha (*Beginning of Church Year*)
 - 2 F Martyr Mamas; St. John the Faster, Patriarch of Constantinople
 - 3 S Hieromartyr Anthimos, Bishop of Nicomedia; St. Theoctistos
 - 4 S Hieromartyr Babylas; Prophet & God-Seer Moses
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12th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11. Gospel: Matthew 19:16-26
(*Rich young man*). **Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 1.**

- 5 M + **Prophet Zachariah and St. Elizabeth, parents of St. John the Baptist**; Martyrs Urban & Obadiah
- 6 T + **Commemoration of the Miracle of the Archangel Michael at Colossae**
- 7 W Martyr Sozon; Apostles Euodos & Onesiphoros of the 70 (*Forefeast of Birth of Mother of God*)
- 8 T (+) **Nativity of the Birthgiver of God**
- 9 F Holy & Righteous Ancestors of God, Joachim and Anna; Great-martyr Severian
- 10 S Martyrs Menodora, Metrodora and Nymphodora (*Saturday before Lifting of the Holy Cross*)

11 S **St. Theodora of Alexandria; St. Euphrosynos the Cook**

Sunday before the Lifting of the Holy Cross. Epistle: Galatians 6:11-18. Gospel: John 3:13-17 (*Conversation of Jesus with Nicodemus*). **Tone 4. Mat. Gospel 2.**

- 12 M Hieromartyr Autonomos; Martyrs Macedonios & Theodule (*Leave-taking of Nativity of Birthgiver of God*)
 - 13 T Hieromartyr Cornelius the Centurion; (+) **St. John of Prisolop** (*Forefeast of Lifting of the Holy Cross*)
 - 14 W (+) **Lifting of the Holy Cross**
 - 15 T (+) **St. Iosif of Partos (Timisoara)**; Great-martyr Nicetas the Roman
 - 16 F Great-martyr Euphemia; Martyr Melitina
 - 17 S Martyr Sophia & her daughters: Faith, Hope and Love (*Saturday after Lifting of the Holy Cross*)
 - 18 S **St. Eumenios, Bishop of Gortyna; Martyr Ariadne**
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Sunday after the Lifting of the Holy Cross. Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20. Gospel: Mark 8:34-38; 9:1 (*Taking up your cross and following Christ*). **Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 3.**

- 19 M Martyrs Trophimos, Savvatos & Dorymedon
 - 20 T Great-martyr Eustathios Pacidas, his wife Martyr Theopistes & their children: Martyrs Agapius & Theopistus
 - 21 W Apostle Quadratos; Prophet Jonah (*Leave-taking of Lifting of the Holy Cross*)
 - 22 T (+) **Hieromartyr Teodosie of Brazi**; Hieromartyr Phocas; New-martyr Isaac; St. Martin
 - 23 F + **Conception of the Prophet, Forerunner & Baptizer John**
 - 24 S + **Great Martyr & Equal-to-the-Apostles Thekla**; St. Coprius; + New Martyrs of Alaska: Peter the Aleut & Hieromonk Juvenaly
 - 25 S St. Euphrosyne of Alexandria; Venerable-martyr Paphnoutios; Ven. Sergius of Radonezh
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18th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 2 Corinthians 9:6-11. Gospel: Luke 5:1-11
(*Miraculous catch of fish*). **Tone 6. Mat. Gospel 4.**

- 26 M + **Repose of the Holy Apostle and Evangelist John**
- 27 T (+) **Hieromartyr Anthymos of Iviron**; Martyrs Callistratos & Epicharis
- 28 W + **St. Chariton the Confessor**; Prophet Baruch
- 29 T Ven. Kyriakos the hermit; Martyr Gabelas
- 30 F Hieromartyr Gregory, Bishop & Enlightener of Armenia; Martyr Rhipsimé

OCTOBER

Daylight – 11 hours

Night – 13 hours

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- 1 S +) **Protection of the Mother of God.** Apostle Ananias; St. Romanos the Melodist
2 S Hieromartyr Cyprian; Virgin-martyr Justina; Ven. Theophilos
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19th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: 2 Corinthians 11:31-33; 12:1-9. Gospel: Luke 6:31-36 (Sermon on the plain - Love your enemies). Tone 7. Mat. Gospel 5.

- 3 M Hieromartyr Dionysios the Areopagite
4 T Hieromartyr Hierotheos, Bishop of Athens; Martyr Audactus
5 W Martyrs Charitina & Memelta
6 T + **Apostle Thomas**; Martyr Erotida
7 F Great-martyrs Sergius & Bacchus; Hieromartyrs Polychronios & Caesarius the deacon
8 S Virgin Martyr Pelagia of Antioch; Martyr Taisia
9 S **Apostle James, son of Alphaeus; St. Andronikos & his wife, Athanasia**
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20th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Galatians 1:11-19. Gospel Luke 7:11-16 (Raising the Son of the widow of Nain). Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 6.

- 10 M Martyrs Eulampios & his sister Eulampia; St. Theophilos the Confessor
11 T Apostle Philip of the 70, one of the 7 deacons; St. Theophanes the Confessor; Holy Fathers of Optina
12 W Martyrs Probos, Tarachos & Andronicos; St. Cosmas the Bishop
13 T Martyrs Karpos, Papylos, Agathodoros, Agathonika & Florentios
14 F +) **St. Parascheva of Jassy**; Martyrs Nazarius, Gervase, Protase & Silvanus
15 S Hieromartyr Lucian; St. Sabin & Vars the bishop; Ven. Euthymios the New
16 S **Martyr Longinos the Centurion; Ven. Mal**
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21st Sunday after Pentecost (Holy Fathers of the 7th Ecumenical Council). Epistle: Galatians 2:16-20; Titus 3:8-15. Gospel: Luke 8:5-15 (Parable of the Sower); John 17:1-13. Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 7.

- 17 M Prophet Hosea; Monk-Martyr Andrew of Crete
18 T + **Apostle & Evangelist Luke**; Martyr Marinus the Elder; Ven. Julian
19 W Prophet Joel; Martyrs Varos & Felix the priest; Ven. John of Rila
20 T Great-Martyr Artemios; Ven. Matrona; Ven. Gerasimos the New
21 F +) **Ven. Confessors Visarion, Sofronie & Martyr Oprea**; Confessors Ion & Moise; St. Hilarion the Great
22 S St. Averkios Equal-to-the-Apostles, Bishop of Hierapolis; Holy 7 Youths of Ephesus
23 S **Apostle James, brother of the Lord; St. Ignatios, Patriarch of Constantinople**
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23rd Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Ephesians 2:4-10. Gospel: Luke 8:26-39 (Cure of the demoniac of Gadara). Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 8.

- 24 M Great-Martyr Arethas; Martyrs Valentin & Sebastian; Ven. Proclus
25 T Martyrs Marcian & Martyrios; Sf. Tabitha, raised from the dead by the Apostle Peter
26 W +) **Great-martyr Demetrios the myrrh-streaming**
27 T + **Ven. Dimitrie the New (Basarabov)**; Martyr Nestor; St. Procla, wife of Pontius Pilate
28 F Martyrs Terence & Neonila; Holy Hierarch Firmilian; Ven. Stephen
29 S Virgin-Martyr Anastasia the Roman; Ven. Abraham the Recluse
30 S **Martyrs Zenobios, Bishop of Aegae & his sister Zenobia; Apostle Cleopas**
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22nd Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Galatians 6:11-18. Gospel: Luke 16:19-31 (Rich man and Lazarus). Tone 3. Mat. Gospel 9.

- 31 M Apostles Stachios, Apellos, Amplias, Urban, Aristoboulos and Narcissos; Hieromartyr John Kochurov of Chicago (1917)

NOVEMBER

Daylight – 10 hours

Night – 14 hours

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- 1 T + **Holy Unmercenaries Cosmas & Damian of Mesopotamia**
 - 2 W Martyrs Akindinos, Pegasios, Aphonios, Elpidophoros & Anempodistos of Persia
 - 3 T Martyrs Akepsimas the Bishop, Joseph the Priest, & Aeithalas the Deacon
 - 4 F Ven. Ioanikios the Great; Martyr Nicander the bishop & Hermas the priest; St. Sylvia, mother of Gregory Dialogist
 - 5 S Martyrs Galaction & his wife, Epistemis; Sts. Silvanus & Gregory (*Memorial Saturday*)
 - 6 S **St. Paul the Confessor, Patriarch of Constantinople; Ven. Luke of Sicily**
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24th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Ephesians 2:14-22. Gospel: Luke 8:41-56 (Resurrection of Jairus' Daughter). Tone 4. Mat. Gospel 10.

- 7 M 33 Martyrs of Melitene; Ven. Lazarus
 - 8 T +) **Synaxis of the Archangels Michael and Gabriel**
 - 9 W Martyrs Onesiphoros and Porphyrios; Ven. Matrona & Theoktista; Holy Hierarch & Wonderworker Nectarios Kephalas
 - 10 T Apostles Olympas, Rodion, Erastos & Sosipater of the 70; Great-martyr Orestes
 - 11 F Great-martyr Menas; Martyrs Victor, Vincent & Stefanida; Ven. Theodore the Studite
 - 12 S St. John the Merciful, Patriarch of Alexandria; St. Nilus the Faster
 - 13 S +) **St. John Chrysostom, Archbishop of Constantinople**
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25th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Ephesians 4:1-7; Hebrews 7:26-8:2. Gospel: Luke 10:25-37 (Good Samaritan); John 10:9-16. Tone 5. Mat. Gospel 11.

- 14 M + **Apostle Philip; St. Gregory Palamas**
 - 15 T + **St. Paisius (Velichkovsky) of Neamtz; Martyrs and Confessors Gurias, Samona and Aviv (Beginning of Nativity Fast) (W,O)**
 - 16 W + **Holy Apostle & Evangelist Matthew**
 - 17 T St. Gregory the Wonderworker; Ven. Confessor Lazarus the Iconographer; St. Gregory of Tours (W,O)
 - 18 F Great-martyr Plato; Martyrs Romanus & Zacchaeus, the Deacon
 - 19 S Prophet Obadiah; Hieromartyr Barlaam (F,W,O)
 - 20 S +) **Ven. Gregory of Decapolis; Martyrs Anatolios & Dasius; Hierarch Proclus (Forefeast of Entrance of Birthgiver of God in Temple) (F,W,O)**
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26th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Hebrews 9:1-7; Ephesians 5:9-19. Gospel: Luke 10:38-42, 11:27-28; Luke 12:16-21 (Selfish rich man). Tone 6. Mat. Gospel 1.

- 21 M (+) **Entrance of the Birthgiver of God in the Temple (F,W,O)**
 - 22 T Apostles Philemon, Archippos & Onesimos of the 70 (W,O)
 - 23 W +) **Ven. Anthony of Iezeru-Valcea; Holy Hierarch Amphilokios; St. Gregory**
 - 24 T Martyrs Clement, Bishop of Rome & Peter, Bishop of Alexandria (W,O)
 - 25 F + **Great Martyrs Katherine & Mercurios (Leave-taking of Entrance of Birthgiver of God in Temple) (F,W,O)**
 - 26 S Ven. Alypius the Stylite & Stylianos (F,W,O)
 - 27 S **Great-martyr James the Persian; Ven. Nathanael of Nitria (F,W,O)**
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30th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Colossians 3:12-16. Gospel: Luke 18:18-27 (The rich aristocrat). Tone 7. Mat. Gospel 2.

- 28 M Venerable-martyr Stephen the New; Martyr Irinarchos (W,O)
- 29 T Martyrs Paramon & Philoumenos; Ven. Akakios (W,O)
- 30 W + **Holy Apostle Andrew the First-Called, Protector of Romania (F,W,O)**

DECEMBER

Daylight – 9 hours

Night – 15 hours

- 1 T Prophet Nahum; St. Philaret the Merciful (*W,O*)
- 2 F Prophet Habakkuk; Martyr Myrope
- 3 S +) **The Elder George of Cernica**; Prophet Zephaniah (Sophonios); St. John the Hermit (*F,W,O*)
- 4 S + **Great-martyr Barbara & Juliana**; St. John of Damascus (*F,W,O*)

27th Sunday after Pentecost. Epistle: Ephesians 6:10-17. Gospel: Luke 13:10-17 (Healing of the crippled woman on the sabbath). Tone 8. Mat. Gospel 3.

- 5 M + **St. Sabbas the Sanctified**; Martyr Athanasius (*F,W,O*)
- 6 T +) **St. Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop of Myra, in Lycia** (*F,W,O*)
- 7 W +) **Martyr Filofteia of Arges**; St. Ambrose of Milan (*F,W,O*)
- 8 T Ven. Patapios and Sophronios; Apostle Sosthenes of the Seventy (*W,O*)
- 9 F Conception of the Birthgiver of God by St. Anna; Prophetess Anna (Hannah), mother of the Prophet Samuel (*W,O*)
- 10 S Martyrs Mennas, Hermogenes & Eugephus (*F,W,O*)
- 11 S **St. Daniel the Stylite & Luke the New Stylite; Martyr Barsabbas** (*F,W,O*)

28th Sunday after Pentecost (Holy Forefathers & Patriarchs). Epistle: Colossians 1:12-18. Gospel: Luke 14:16-24 (Parable of the great banquet). Tone 1. Mat. Gospel 4.

- 12 M + **Spyridon, Bishop of Tremithus**; Hieromartyr Alexander (*F,W,O*)
- 13 T + **Martyrs Eustratios & Auxentios; + St. Herman of Alaska** (*F,W,O*)
- 14 W Martyrs Thyrsos, Leukios, Kallinikos, Philemon & Arrianos
- 15 T + **Hieromartyr Eleutherios**; Martyrs Suzanna & Vah the New; St. Paul of Latros (*W,O*)
- 16 F Prophet Haggai (Aggaeus); Martyr Marinus; Empress Theophania
- 17 S Prophet Daniel and the 3 Holy Youths: Ananias, Azariah & Mishael (*F,W,O*)
- 18 S + **St. Daniel the Hermit of Voronez; Martyrs Sebastian & Zoe; Holy Hierarch Modest** (*F,W,O*)

Sunday before the Nativity of our Lord Jesus Christ (Ancestors of the Lord). Epistle: Hebrews 11:9-10, 32-40. Gospel: Matthew 1:1-25 (Genealogy of the Savior). Tone 2. Mat. Gospel 5.

- 19 M Martyr Boniface; St. Aglaida; St. Grighentios
- 20 T Hieromartyr Ignatios the God-bearer, Bishop of Antioch (*Forefeast of Nativity of the Lord*) (*W,O*)
- 21 W Virgin-Martyr Juliana; Martyr Themistokles
- 22 T Great-martyr Anastasia & her teacher the Martyr Chrysogonos; Martyr Theodota (*W,O*)
- 23 F Holy 10 Martyrs of Crete; St. Paul of Neo-Caesaria; St. Nahum of Ohrid
- 24 S Martyr Eugenia; Martyr Ahmet of Constantinople (*Saturday before Nativity of the Lord*) (*Eve of Nativity of Christ*)
- 25 S (+) Nativity of our Lord, God & Savior Jesus Christ

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- 26 M +) **Synaxis of the Most Holy Birthgiver of God; +St. Nicodemus of Tismana**
- 27 T +) **Proto-martyr Stephen the Archdeacon**
- 28 W 20.000 Martyrs of Nicomedia; St. Simeon of the Holy Mountain (*Fast free*)
- 29 T Holy 14,000 Infants (Holy Innocents) slain by Herod
- 30 F Virgin-Martyr Anysia of Thessalonica; Ven. Theodora (*Fast free*)
- 31 S Ven. Melania of Rome; St. Chiriak of Bisericani; St. Chiriak of Tazlau; St. Theophylact of Ochrid (*Saturday after Nativity of Christ*) (*Leave-taking of Nativity of Christ*)