

Sunday, April 21, 2024

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Wine & Oil

FIFTH SUNDAY OF GREAT LENT - TONE 5. ST. MARY OF EGYPT.

Hieromartyr Januarius, Bishop of Benevento, and his companions: Festus, Proculus, and Sosius-Deacons, Desiderius-Reader, and Euty chius and Acutius-laymen, at Pozzuoli (ca. 305). Hieromartyr Theodore of Perge in Pamphylia, his mother, Philippa, and Martyrs Dioscorus, Socrates, and Dionysius (2nd c.). Martyrs Isaac, Apollos, and Quadratus, of Nicomedia (303). St. Maximian, Patriarch of Constantinople (434). Ven. Theodore of Sanaksary (1791).

ALL-NIGHT VIGIL

2nd Matins Gospel: (70) Mark 16:1-8

Liturgy of St. Basil: (321-ctr) Heb. 9:11-14

(47) Mark 10:32-45

(208) Gal. 3:23-29 (St. Mary)

(33) Luke 7:36-50 (St. Mary)

GREAT VESPERS (ALL-NIGHT VIGIL)

“Blessed is the man...” (1st Kathisma). At “**Lord, I call...**” Stikhera on 10, Tone 5: Resurrection-6; St. Mary 4: Glory... Triodion; Now and ever... Dogmatic, Tone 5. Entrance and Prokeimenon of the Day.

Litya: Stikhera of the church or monastery. Glory... Triodion; Now and ever... Theotokion (Triodion).

Apostikha: All Resurrection. Glory... Triodion; Now and ever... Resurrectional Theotokion (Tone 2). **Troparion:** “Rejoice, O Virgin Theotokos...” (thrice).

HOURS

Troparia: Resurrection; Glory... St. Mary. Kontakia: St. Mary and Resurrection (to be read alternately).

DIVINE LITURGY OF ST. BASIL THE GREAT

After the Entrance: Troparia: Resurrection, Church (if of the Theotokos or Saint(s)), and St. Mary; Kontakia: Resurrection, Church (if of Saint(s)); Glory... St. Mary; Now and ever... Church (if of Theotokos). If not, then “Steadfast Protectress...” Prokeimenon, Tone 5:

Thou, O Lord, shalt protect us and preserve us from this generation for ever! (11:8) V. Save

me, O Lord, for there is no longer any that is godly. (11: 2)

Another, Tone 4 (St. Mary):

God is wondrous in His saints, the God of Israel. (67:35)

Epistles: (321-ctr) Heb. 9:11-14 and (208) Gal. 3:23-29 (Saint). Alleluia, Tone 5:

I will sing of Thy mercies, O Lord, forever; with my mouth I will proclaim Thy truth from generation to generation. (88:2) V. For Thou hast said: Mercy will be established forever; Thy truth will be prepared in the heavens. (88:3)

Another, Tone 1 (St. Mary):

I waited patiently for the Lord; He inclined to me and heard my prayer. (39:1)

Gospels: (47) Mark 10:32-45 and (33) Luke 7:36-50 (Saint). Instead of “It is truly meet...,” we sing, “In thee rejoiceth all creation...” Communion Hymns:

Praise the Lord from the heavens... The righteous shall be in Triodion. And the rest, as on the previous Sunday. everlasting remembrance. He shall not be afraid of evil tidings. Alleluia...

Order of Services for Sunday, April 21, 2024

Fifth Sunday of Great Lent

St. Mary of Egypt

Great Vespers

Priest: “blessed is our God...”

“Amen. Come, let us worship...”

Psalm 103/104

Great Litany

[First Kathisma, or] “Blessed is the Man...”

Little Litany

Lord, I Call, Tone 5 (Ps. 140/141)

6 stichera of the Resurrection, Tone 5

4 stichera from the Triodion, Tone 6

Glory... Triodion, Tone 4

Now and ever... Resurrectional Dogmatic Theotokion, Tone 5

Gladsome Light

Saturday Evening Prokeimenon, “The Lord is King...”

Augmented Litany

“Vouchsafe, O Lord...”

Evening Litany

[Litya]

[Stichera of the Patron Saint of the Church]

Aposticha

Resurrectional Stichera, Tone 5

Glory... Triodion, Tone 2

Now and ever... Resurrectional Aposticha Theotokion, Tone 2

“Lord, Now Lettest...”

Trisagion Prayers

Concluding Troparia and Dismissal:

Resurrectional Troparion, Tone 5

Glory... Troparion of St. Mary, Tone 8

Now and ever... Resurrectional Dismissal Theotokion, Tone 8

Vespers Dismissal

The Hours

Troparia: Resurrection, Glory... St. Mary

Kontakion: Resurrection

Divine Liturgy

At the Beatitudes:

8 troparia of the Resurrection, Tone 5

Troparia and Kontakia:

Troparion of the Resurrection, Tone 5

Troparion of the Church (if of Theotokos or Patron Saint)

Troparion of St. Mary, Tone 8

Kontakion of the Resurrection, Tone 5

Kontakion of the Church (if of Patron Saint)

Glory... Kontakion of St. Mary, Tone 3

Now and ever... Kontakion of the Church (if of Theotokos), or “Steadfast Protectress...”, Tone 6

Trisagion

Prokeimenon: Resurrection, Tone 5: “Thou, O Lord, shalt protect us...” and St. Mary, Tone 4: “God is wonderful in His saints...”

Epistle: (321-ctr) Hebrews 9:11-14 and (208) Galatians 3:23-29

Alleluia: Resurrection, Tone 5 and St. Mary, Tone 1

Gospel: (47) Mark 10:32-45 and (33) Luke 7:36-50

Instead of “It is truly meet...”: “All of creation rejoices in thee...”

Communion Hymn: “Praise the Lord from the heavens...” and “The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance...”

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