ΚΑΝΟΝΑ ΠΙΣΤΕΩΣ - MODEL OF FAITH

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Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον Ήχος βαρύς

Κατέλυσας τῷ Σταυρῷ σου τὸνθάνατον, ἡνέψξας τῷ Λῃστῃ τὸνΠαράδεισον, τῶν Μυροφόρων τὸν θρῆνονμετέβαλες, καὶ τοῖς σοῖς Ἀποστόλοιςκηρύττειν ἐπέταξας· ὅτι ἀνέστης Χριστὲ ὁΘεός, παρέχων τῷ κόσμῳ τὸ μέγα ἕλεος.

Τοῦ Ἀποστόλου.

Χρηστότητα ἐκδιδαχθείς, καὶ νήφων ἐν πᾶσιν, ἀγαθὴν συνείδησιν ἱεροπρεπῶς ἐνδυσάμενος, ἤντλησας ἐκ τοῦ Σκεύους τῆς ἐκλογῆς τὰ ἀπόἀῥητα· καὶ τὴν πίστιν τηρήσας, τὸν ἴσον δρόμον τετέλεκας, Ἀπόστολε Τιμόθεε. Πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Τοῦ Μάρτυρος.

Ό Μάρτυς σου Κύριε, ἐν τῇ ἀθλήσει αὐτοῦ, τὸ στέφος ἐκομίσατο τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, ἐκ σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν· ἔχων γὰρ τὴν ἰσχύν σου, τοὺς τυράννους καθεῖλεν· ἔθραυσε καὶ δαιμόνων, τὰ ἀνίσχυρα θράση, αὐτοῦ ταῖς ἱκεσίαις Χριστέ, σῶσον τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Άπολυτίκιον. Τοῦ Ἁγίου Νικολάου.

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῆ ποίμνῃ σου, ἡ τῶν πραγμάτων ἀλήθεια· διὰ τοῦτο ἐκτήσω τῆ ταπεινώσει τὰ ὑψηλά, τῆ πτωχεία τὰ πλούσια, Πάτερ ἱεράρχα Νικόλαε· πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

Sunday 22 January 2023 15th Sunday of Luke

Resurrectional Apolytikion

You destroyed death by your Cross, you opened Paradise to the Thief, the Myrrhbearers' lament you transformed, and ordered your Apostles to proclaim, that you had risen, Christ our God, granting to the world your great mercy.

For the Apostle

Having learned kindness, and being always steady and sober, vested with a good conscience as befits a priest, you drew out from the Chosen Vessel the secrets of God. And having kept the faith, you have finished the fair race, O Hieromartyr Timothy. Intercede with Christ our God, entreating Him to save our souls.

For the Martyr

Your Martyr, O Lord, was worthily awarded by You the crown of incorruption, in that he contested for You our immortal God. Since he possessed Your power, he defeated the tyrants, dashing the demons' powerless displays of defiance. O Christ God, at his fervent entreaties, save our souls.

St Nicholas Hymn

A model of faith and the image of gentleness, the example of your life has shown you forth to your sheep-fold to be a master of temperance. You obtained thus through being lowly, gifts from on high, and riches through poverty, **Nicholas**, our father and priest of priests, intercede with Christ our God that He may save our soul.

Άπολυτίκιον. Κοσμά και Δαμιανού

Άγιοι Ανάργυροι καί θαυματουργοί, επισκέψασθε τάς ασθενείας ημών, δωρεάν ελάβετε, δωρεάν δότε ημίν.

Κοντάκιον.

Ό μήτραν παρθενικὴν ἀγιάσας τῷ τόκῳσου, καὶ χεῖρας τοῦ Συμεὼν εὐλογήσας ὡςἔπρεπε, προφθάσας καὶ νῦν ἔσωσας ἡμᾶςΧριστὲ ὁ Θεός. Ἀλλ' εἰρήνευσον ἐν πολέμοιςτὸ πολίτευμα, καὶ κραταίωσον Βασιλεῖς οὓς ἠγάπησας, ὁ μόνος φιλάνθρωπος.

ΑΠΟΣΤΟΛΟΣ

Πρὸς Τιμόθεον Α' Ἐπιστολῆς Παύλου (δ΄, 9-15)

Τέκνον Τιμόθεε, πιστὸς ὁ λόγος καὶ πάσης ἀποδοχῆς ἄξιος. Εἰς τοῦτο γὰρ καὶ κοπιῶμεν καὶ ὀνειδιζόμεθα. ὅτι ήλπίκαμεν έπὶ θεῷ ζῶντι, ὅς ἐστιν σωτὴρ πάντων άνθρώπων, μάλιστα πιστῶν. Παράγγελλε ταῦτα καὶ δίδασκε. Μηδείς σου τῆς νεότητος καταφρονείτω, ἀλλὰ τύπος γίνου τῶν πιστῶν ἐν λόγω, ἐν ἀναστροφῆ, ἐν ἀγάπῃ, ἐν πνεύματι, ἐν πίστει, ἐν ἁγνεία. Ἔως ἔρχομαι, πρόσεχε τῆ ἀναγνώσει, τῆ παρακλήσει, τῆ διδασκαλία. Μὴ ἀμέλει τοῦ ἐν σοὶ χαρίσματος, ὃ ἐδόθη σοι διὰ προφητείας μετὰ ἐπιθέσεως τῶν χειρῶν τοῦ πρεσβυτερίου. Ταῦτα μελέτα, ἐν τούτοις ἴσθι, ἵνα σου ἡ προκοπἡ Φανερὰ ἦ ἐν πᾶσιν.

Sts Cosmas & Damianos

Sainted Unmercenaries and Wonder Workers, regard our infirmities; freely you have received, freely share with us.

Kontakion.

You sanctified the virginal womb by Your birth, O Lord, and blessed the hands of Symeon fittingly, O Christ God; and even now You came and saved us. Now, give peace to our Nation in time of war, and empower our Leaders, so loved by You, the only one who loves humanity.

EPISTLE

St. Paul's 1st Letter to Timothy (4:9-15)

Timothy, my son, the saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance. For to this end we toil and suffer reproach, because we have our hope set on the living God, who is the Savior of all men, especially of those who believe. Command and teach these things. Let no one despise your youth, but set the believers an example in speech and conduct, in love, in faith, in purity. Till I come, attend to the public reading of scripture, to preaching, to teaching. Do not neglect the gift you have, which was given you by prophetic utterance when the council of elders laid their hands upon you. Practice these duties, devote yourself to them, so that all may see your progress.

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Λουκᾶν ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου (ιθ΄, 1-10)

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, διήρχετο τὴν Ἱεριχώ· καὶ ίδοὺ ἀνὴρ ὀνόματι καλούμενος Ζακχαῖος, καὶ αὐτὸς ἦν ἀρχιτελώνης, καὶ οὗτος ἦν πλούσιος, καὶ ἐζήτει ἰδεῖν τὸν Ἰησοῦν τίς έστι, καὶ οὐκ ἠδύνατο ἀπὸ τοῦ ὄχλου, ὅτι τῇ ήλικία μικρός ήν. και προδραμών ἔμπροσθεν ἀνέβη ἐπὶ συκομορέαν, ἵνα ἴδῃ αὐτόν, ὅτι ἐκείνης ἤμελλε διέρχεσθαι. καὶ ώς ἦλθεν ἐπὶ τὸν τόπον, ἀναβλέψας ὁ Ίησοῦς εἶδεν αὐτὸν καὶ εἶπε πρὸς αὐτόν· Ζακχαῖε, σπεύσας κατάβηθι· σήμερον γὰρ έν τῶ οἴκω σου δεῖ με μεῖναι. καὶ σπεύσας κατέβη, καὶ ὑπεδέξατο αὐτὸν χαίρων. καὶ ίδόντες πάντες διεγόγγυζον λέγοντες ὅτι παρὰ ἁμαρτωλῷ ἀνδρὶ εἰσῆλθε καταλῦσαι. σταθεὶς δὲ Ζακχαῖος εἶπε πρὸς τὸν Κύριον· ἰδοὺ τὰ ἡμίση τῶν ὑπαρχόντων μου, Κύριε, δίδωμι τοῖς πτωχοῖς, καὶ εἴ τινός τι ἐσυκοφάντησα, ἀποδίδωμι τετραπλοῦν. εἶπε δὲ πρὸς αὐτὸν ὁ Ἰησοῦς ότι σήμερον σωτηρία τῷ οἴκῳ τούτῳ έγένετο, καθότι καὶ αὐτὸς υἱὸς ᾿Αβραάμ έστιν. ἦλθε γὰρ ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ζητῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι τὸ ἀπολωλός.

Holy Gospel according to Luke (19: 1-10)

At that time, Jesus was passing through Jericho. And there was a man named Zacchaios; he was a chief collector, and rich. And he sought to see who Jesus was, but could not, on account of the crowd, because he was small of stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him. for he was to pass that way. And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaios, make haste and come down; for I must stay at your house today." So he made haste and came down, and received him joyfully. And when they saw it they all murmured, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner." And Zacchaios stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have defrauded any one of anything, I restore it fourfold." And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham. For the Son of man came to seek and to save the lost."

Συναξάριον Τοῦ Μηναῖον

Τῇ ΚΒ' τοῦ αὐτοῦ μηνός, μνήμη τοῦ Ἀγίου Ἀποστόλου Τιμοθέου, μαθητοῦ τοῦ Ἀγίου Ἀποστόλου Παύλου.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, μνήμη τοῦ Ἀγίου Όσιομάρτυρος Ἀναστασίου τοῦ Πέρσου.

Τῆ αὐτῆ ἡμέρα, μνήμη τῶν Ἀγίων Μαρτύρων Μανουήλ, Γεωργίου, Πέτρου, Λέοντος, Σιωνίου, Γαβριήλ, Ἰωάννου, Λέοντος, Παρόδου, καὶ τῶν λοιπῶν τριακοσίων ἑβδομήκοντα ἑπτά.

Ταῖς αὐτῶν ἁγίαις πρεσβείαις, ὁ Θεὸς ἐλέησον, καὶ σῶσον ἡμᾶς. Ἀμήν.

Synaxarion From the Menaion.

On January 22 we commemorate the holy Apostle Timothy, disciple of the holy Apostle Paul.

On this day we also commemorate the holy devout martyr Anastasios of Persia.

On this day we also commemorate the holy martyrs Manual, George, Peter, Leo, Sionios, Gabriel, John, Leo, Parodos, and the other three hundred seventy-seven.

By the intercessions of Your Saints, O God, have mercy on us. Amen.