

**November 10 – Apostles of the Seventy Apostles Erastus, Olympas, Herodion, Sosipater, Quartus & Tertius**

**FIRST ANTIPHON. PSALM 91.**

It is good to give thanks to the Lord; to sing praises to Your name, O most High.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

To declare Your mercy in the morning, and Your faithfulness every night.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

To show that the Lord is upright, and there is no unrighteousness in Him.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages.  
Amen.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of the Mother of God, O Savior, save us.

**SECOND ANTIPHON. PSALM 92.**

The Lord is King, He is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength, He has girded Himself.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of Your saints, O Savior, save us.

The world also is established, so that it cannot be moved.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of Your saints, O Savior, save us.

Your decrees are very sure; holiness befits Your house, O Lord, forevermore.

*Refrain:* Through the prayers of Your saints, O Savior, save us.

Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and ever and unto ages of ages.  
Amen.

Only-begotten Son...

**THIRD ANTIPHON. PSALM 94**

O come, let us sing unto the Lord; let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

*Refrain:* O Son of God, Who are wondrous in Your saints, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving, let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise.

*Refrain:* O Son of God, Who are wondrous in Your saints, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

*Refrain:* O Son of God, Who are wondrous in Your saints, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

In His hand are the deep places of the earth; the strength of the hills is His also.

*Refrain:* O Son of God, Who are wondrous in Your saints, save us who sing to You: Alleluia!

## **TROPARIA**

**Tone 3** Holy apostles Erastus, Olympas, Herodion, Sosipater, Quartus, and Tertius, entreat the merciful God to grant our souls forgiveness of transgressions.

**(Tone 4)** In truth you were revealed to your flock as a rule of faith,  
a model of meekness, and teacher of abstinence,  
so you won the heights by humility, and riches by poverty,  
O Holy Father Nicholas,  
intercede with Christ God to save our souls.

*Glory to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.*

## **KONTAKION**

**Tone 4** The most-pure temple of the Savior,  
the all-precious bridal chamber and virgin,  
the priestly treasury of the Glory of God,  
today is brought into the house of the Lord,  
bringing with her the grace that is in the divine Spirit,  
whom God's angels hymn:  
"She is the heavenly Tabernacle."

***The Prokeimenon in the Third Tone: My soul magnifies the Lord / and my spirit rejoices in God my Savior. (Luke 1:46-47)***

***v: For He has regarded the low estate of His handmaiden; for behold, henceforth all generations will call me blessed. (Luke 1:48)***

## **THE READING IS FROM THE EPISTLE OF THE APOSTLE PAUL TO THE COLOSSIANS (1:18-23)**

Brethren: Jesus is the head of the body, the church, who is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in all things He may have the preeminence. For it pleased the Father that in Him all the fullness should dwell, and by Him to reconcile all things to Himself, by Him, whether things on earth or things in heaven, having made peace through the blood of His cross. And you, who once were alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works, yet now He has reconciled in the body of His flesh through death, to present you holy, and blameless, and above reproach in His sight – if indeed you continue in the faith, grounded and steadfast, and are not moved away from the hope of the gospel which you heard, which was preached to every creature under heaven, of which I, Paul, became a minister.

### ***Tone 8***

***v. Hear, O daughter, and see, and incline your ear. (Psalm 44:11)***

***v. Before your face the richest of people will pray. (Psalm 44:13)***

## **THE HOLY GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE (12:48-59)**

## **COMMUNION HYMN**

I will receive the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!  
*(Psalm 115:4)*