

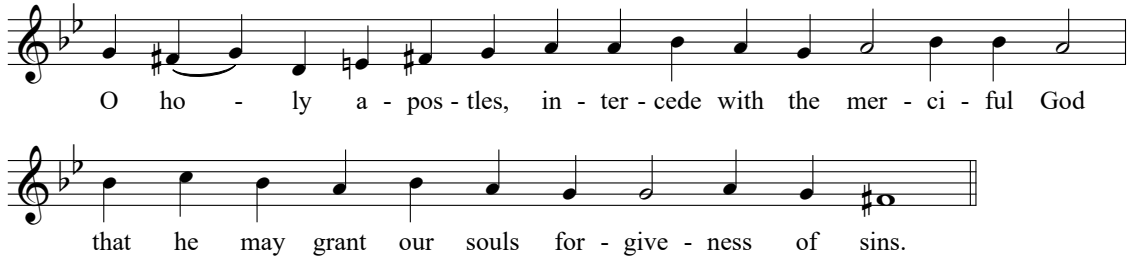
DIVINE LITURGY PROPERS FOR JUNE 18TH, 2020

Saint Michael Byzantine Catholic Church

The holy martyr Leontius, soldier at Tripoli in Phoenicia, who, having suffered patiently harsh tortures in prison, was granted the crown of martyrdom in the reign of the emperor Vespasian. (c. 73)

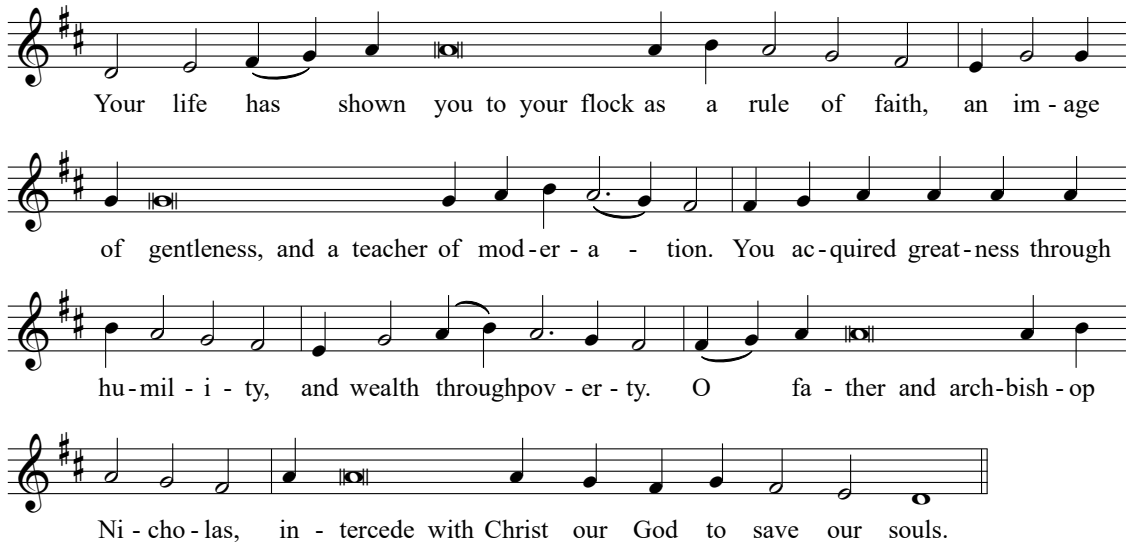
Troparion of the Day of the Week – Thursday – The Holy Apostles and Our Holy Father Nicholas

Troparion of the Apostles - Tone 2:



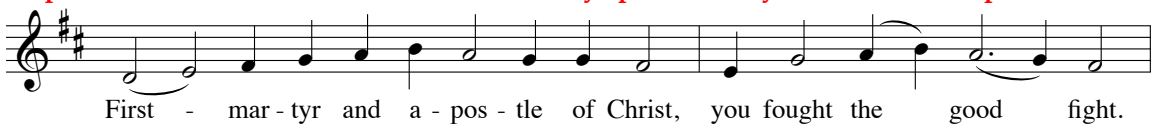
O ho - ly a - pos - tles, in - ter - cede with the mer - ci - ful God
that he may grant our souls for - give - ness of sins.

Troparion of Nicholas - Tone 4:



Your life has shown you to your flock as a rule of faith, an im - age
of gentleness, and a teacher of mod - er - a - tion. You ac - quired great - ness through
hu - mil - i - ty, and wealth through pov - er - ty. O fa - ther and arch - bish - op
Ni - cho - las, in - tercede with Christ our God to save our souls.

Troparion of the Patron of the Church – The holy apostle, martyr, and deacon Stephen– Tone 4



First - mar - tyr and a - pos - tle of Christ, you fought the good fight.



You con - vict - ed the tyrants of their wick - ed - ness. When you were killed



by stoning at the hands of sin - ners, you re - ceived a crown from God's right hand



while you cried out: Lord, do not hold this sin a - gainst them.

Troparion of the Saint of the Day – The holy martyr Leontius – Tone 4



Your mar - tyr Le - on - ti - us, O Lord our God, in his strug - gle, received an incor -



rup - ti - ble crown from you. With your strength, he brought down the ty - rants



and broke the cowardly val - or of de - mons. Through his prayers, O Christ our



God, save our souls.

Cantor (Tone 3):



Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - - - it.

Kontakion of the Saint of the Day – The holy martyr Leontius – Tone 3



You showed the e - vil treachery of the tor - tur - ers and you pre - vailed

a - gainst the false wor - ship of the Greeks. You pre - sent - ed the
 knowl - edge of God in piety to all peo - ple. For all of this, we
 ho - nor you with love, O wise Le - on - ti - us.

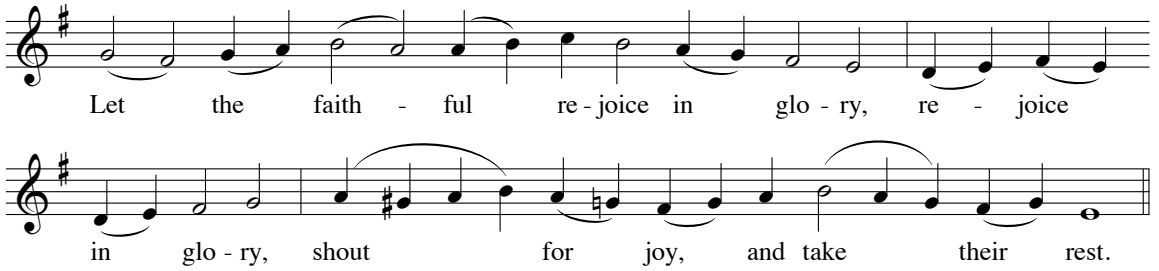
Cantor (Tone 6):

Now and ev - er and for-ev - er. A - men.

Theotokion – Tone 6:

Stead-fast Pro - tec-tress of Chris - tians, un - shak - able Mediatrix before the
 Cre - a - tor, do not de - spise the prayerful voic-es of sin - ners;
 but in your good - ness hurry to assist those who faithful-ly cry out to you.
 Has - ten to in - tercede and heed our sup - pli - ca - tion,
 in - ter - ced - ing always, Theotokos, in behalf of those who hon - or you.

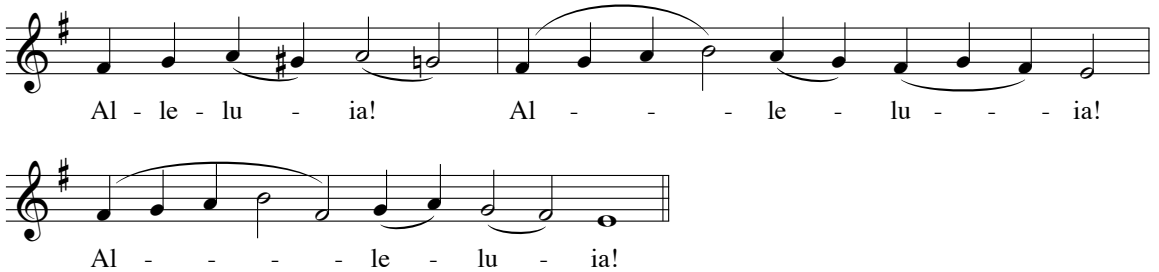
Prokeimenon - Tone 7 (Psalm 149:5,1):



Let the faith - ful re - joice in glo - ry, re - joice
in glo - ry, shout for joy, and take their rest.

Verse: Sing to the Lord a new song of praise in the assembly of the faithful.

Alleluia - Tone 2 (Psalm 131:9,13):



Al - le - lu - ia! Al - - - le - lu - - - ia!
Al - - - - le - lu - ia!

Verse: Your priests will be clothed with righteousness and your saints will rejoice.

Verse: The Lord has chosen Zion; he prefers her for his dwelling.

Communion Hymn (Psalm 111:6,7):

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The just man will be re - mem - bered, be re - mem - bered for - ev - ver;
e - vil news he will not fear, e - vil news he will not fear. *Refrain* Al - le - lu - ia!
Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!