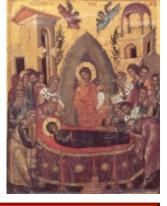


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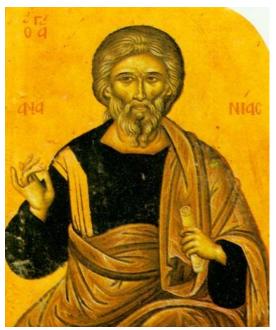
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#### Ὁ Ἅγιος Ἀνανίας ὁ Ἀπόστολος Ananias, Apostle of the 70

Υπακούετε «έκ καρδίας είς ὂν παρεδόθητε τύπον διδαχῆς». Κάνετε ὑπακοὴ μὲ ὅλη τὴν καρδιά σας στὸν ἀκριβὴ κανόνα τῆς χριστιανικῆς διδασκαλίας.

Τέτοιος ἄνθρωπος ὑπακοῆς στὸν Θεὸ ἦταν καὶ ὁ ἀπόστολος Άνανίας. Διότι, ὅταν ὁ Θεὸς τοῦ εἶπε μὲ ὅραμα νὰ συναντήσει τὸ Σαῦλο, ποὺ ἦταν ὁ φόβος καὶ ὁ τρόμος τῶν χριστιανῶν, ἕκανε ὑπακοὴ στὰ λόγια τοῦ Κυρίου. Άμέσως πῆγε στὴν Εύθεῖα ὁδὸ καὶ ἀναζήτησε τὸ σπίτι τοῦ Ἰούδα, ὅπου ἦταν ὁ Σαῦλος. Τὸν θεράπευσε, τὸν βάπτισε χριστιανό, καὶ ἕπειτα αὐτός, μὲ τὸ ὄνομα Παῦλος, ἔγινε ὁ μέγας Ἀπόστολος τῶν Έθνῶν.

Κατόπιν ὁ Άνανίας πῆγε στὴν Ἐλευθερούπολη, ὅπου μὲ τὴ διδασκαλία του εἴλκυσε στὸν Χριστὸ πολυάριθμες ψυχές. Ὁ θόρυβος ὅμως ποὺ δημιούργησε ἡ ἀποστολική του δράση, ἔκανε τὸν ἡγεμόνα Λουκιανὸ νὰ τὸν συλλάβει. Χρησιμοποίησε

πολλούς καὶ ποικίλους τρόπους προκειμένου νὰ άλλαξοπιστήσει ὁ Άνανίας. Άλλὰ ὁ Άνανίας ἔμεινε άμετακίνητος στὰ χριστιανικά του φρονήματα.

Τότε ὁ Λουκιανὸς τὸν μαστίγωσε μὲ νεῦρα βοδιῶν. Ἔπειτα, μὲ σιδερένια νύχια τοῦ ξέσχισε τὰ πλευρὰ καὶ ἕκαψε τὶς πληγές του μὲ ἀναμμένες λαμπάδες. Τέλος, ἀφοῦ τὸν ἕβγαλε ἕξω ἀπὸ τὴν πόλη, τὸν λιθοβόλησε.

"Έτσι, ὁ Άνανίας πῆρε τὸ ὰμαράντινο στεφάνι τῆς ὑπακοῆς στὸ θέλημα τοῦ Θεοῦ.

The Holy Apostle Ananias of the Seventy (October 1), was the first Bishop of Damascus. The Lord ordered him to restore the sight of Saul, the former persecutor of Christians, then baptize him (Acts 9:10-19, 22:12). Saul became the great preacher and Apostle Paul. Saint Ananias boldly and openly confessed Christianity before the Jews and the pagans, despite the danger.

From Damascus he went to preach at Eleutheropolis, where he healed many of their infirmities. Lucian, the prefect of the city, tried to persuade the holy one to offer sacrifice to idols. Because of Ananias' staunch and solid confession of Christ, Lucian ordered that he be tortured. Harsh torments did not sway the witness of Truth. Then the torturers led him out beyond the city, where they stoned him. The saint prayed for those who put him to death. His relics were later transferred to Constantinople.

#### Άπολυτίκιον Άναστάσιμον. Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Έξ ύψους κατῆλθες ὁ Εὔσπλαγχνος, ταφὴν κατεδέξω τριήμερον, ἵνα ἡμᾶς έλευθερώσης τῶν παθῶν. Ἡ ζωἡ καὶ ἡ ἀνάστασις ἡμῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

# Τοῦ Ἁγ. Ἀνανίου. Ἦχος γ'.

Άπόστολε Άγιε Άνανία, πρέσβευε τῷ έλεήμονι Θεῷ, ἴνα πταισμάτων ἄφεσιν, παράσχη ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν.

# Τοῦ Άγ. Ρωμανού Ήχος πλ. δ'.

Έν σοὶ Πάτερ άκριβῶς διεσώθη τὸ κατ' είκόνα· λαβὼν γὰρ τὸν σταυρόν, ήκολούθησας τῷ Χριστῷ καὶ πράττων ἐδίδασκες· ὑπερορᾶν μὲν σαρκός, παρέρχεται γάρ, ἐπιμελεῖσθαι δὲ ψυχῆς πράγματος άθανάτου. Διὸ καὶ μετὰ Άγγέλων συναγάλλεται, 'Όσιε Ρωμανέ, τὸ πνεῦμά σου.

#### Άπολυτίκιον ΚΟΙΜΗΣΙΣ ΤΗΣ ΥΠΕΡΑΓΙΑΣ ΘΕΟΤΟΚΟΥ First Tone

Εν τή Γεννήσει τήν παρθενίαν εφύλαξας, έν τή Κοιμήσει τόν κόσμον ού κατέλιπες Θεοτόκε, Μετέστης πρός τήν ζωήν, μήτηρ υπάρχουσα τής ζωής, καί ταίς πρεσβείαις ταίς σαίς λυτρουμένη, εκ θανάτου τάς ψυχάς ημών.

#### Κοντάκιον. Ήχος β'.

Προστασία τῶν Χριστιανῶν άκαταίσχυντε, μεσιτεία, πρὸς τὸν Ποιητὴν άμετάθετε, μὴ παρίδῃς, ὰμαρτωλῶν δεήσεων φωνάς, άλλὰ πρόφθασον, ὡς άγαθή, είς τὴν βοήθειαν ἡμῶν, τῶν πιστῶς κραυγαζόντων σοι· Τάχυνον είς πρεσβείαν, καὶ σπεῦσον είς ἰκεσίαν, ἡ προστατεύουσα άεί, Θεοτόκε, τῶν τιμώντων σε.

#### Resurrectional Apolytikion. Mode pl. 4.

You descended from on high, O compassionate One, and consented to a three-day burial, to free us from the passions. O Lord, our life and resurrection, glory to You!

## For St. Ananias. Mode 3.

O holy Apostle Ananias, make intercession to our merciful God, that He grant our souls forgiveness of offenses.

# For St. Romanos. Mode pl. 4.

In you, O Father, is preserved undistorted what was made in the image of God; for taking up the cross, you followed Christ and by example taught, that we should overlook the flesh, since it passes away, and instead look after the soul, since it is immortal. And therefore, O devout Romanos, your spirit rejoices with the angels.

# Apolytikion Dormition of the Theotokos. First Tone

In birth, you preserved your virginity; in death, you did not abandon the world, O Theotokos. As mother of life, you departed to the source of life, delivering our souls from death by your intercessions.

#### Kontakion. Mode 2.

O Protection of Christians that never falls, intercession with the Creator that never fails, we sinners beg you, do not ignore the voices of our prayers. O good Lady, we implore you, quickly come unto our aid, when we cry out to you with faith. Hurry to intercession, and hasten to supplication, O Theotokos who protect now and ever those who honor you.

#### ΜΝΥΜΟΣΥΝΑ

#### **MEMORIALS**

Καλλιόπη Ανδριανού 40 ημέρες Μαρία Ιερομόναχος 40 ημέρες Kalliopi Andrianos 40 Days Maria Ieromonahos 40 Days



#### Προκείμενον. Ήχος πλ. δ' ΨΑΛΜΟΙ 75.11.1

Εὔξασθε καὶ άπόδοτε Κυρίω τῷ Θεῷ ἡμῶν. Στίχ. Γνωστὸς έν τῇ Ἰουδαίᾳ ὁ Θεός, έν τῷ Ἰσραὴλ μέγα τὸ ὅνομα αὐτοῦ.

Πρὸς Κορινθίους β' 6:16-18, 7:1 τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα

Άδελφοί, ὑμεῖς έστε ναὸς Θεοῦ ζῶντος, καθὼς εἶπεν ὁ θεός ὅτι Ἐνοικήσω ἐν αὐτοῖς, καὶ ἐμπεριπατήσω καὶ ἔσομαι αὐτῶν θεός, καὶ αὐτοὶ ἔσονταί μοι λαός. Διὸ, Ἐξέλθετε ἐκ μέσου αὐτῶν καὶ ἀφορίσθητε, λέγει κύριος, καὶ ἀκαθάρτου μὴ ἄπτεσθε· κάγὼ είσδέξομαι ὑμᾶς, καὶ ἔσομαι ὑμῖν είς πατέρα, καὶ ὑμεῖς ἔσεσθέ μοι είς υὶοὺς καὶ θυγατέρας, λέγει κύριος παντοκράτωρ. Ταύτας οὖν ἔχοντες τὰς ἐπαγγελίας, άγαπητοί, καθαρίσωμεν ἐαυτοὺς ἀπὸ παντὸς μολυσμοῦ σαρκὸς καὶ πνεύματος, ἐπιτελοῦντες ὰγιωσύνην ἐν φόβῳ θεοῦ.

#### Prokeimenon. Mode Plagal 4 Psalm 75.11,1

Make your vows to the Lord our God and perform them. Verse: God is known in Judah; his name is great in Israel.

The reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians 6:16-18; 7:1

Brethren, you are the temple of the living God; as God said, "I will live in them and move among them, and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. Therefore come out from them, and be separate from them, says the Lord, and touch nothing unclean; then I will welcome you, and I will be a father to you, and you shall be my sons and daughters, says the Lord Almighty."

Since we have these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from every defilement of body and spirit, and make holiness perfect in the fear of God.

#### ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΜΑ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

#### TODAY'S GOSPEL READING

#### Έκ τοῦ Κατὰ Λουκᾶν 6:31-36 Εύαγγελίου τὸ Άνάγνωσμα

Εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος· καθὼς θέλετε ἵνα ποιῶσιν ὑμῖν οὶ ἄνθρωποι, ποιεῖτε αὐτοῖς ὁμοίως. καὶ εί άγαπᾶτε τοὺς άγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις έστί; καὶ γὰρ οὶ ἀμαρτωλοὶ τοὺς άγαπῶντας αὐτοὺς άγαπῶσι. καὶ έὰν άγαθοποιῆτε τοὺς άγαθοποιοῦντας ὑμᾶς, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις έστί; καὶ γὰρ οὶ ὰμαρτωλοὶ τὸ αὐτὸ ποιοῦσι. καὶ έὰν δανείζητε παρ' ὧν έλπίζετε ἀπολαβεῖν, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις έστί; καὶ γὰρ ὰμαρτωλοὶ ὰμαρτωλοῖς δανείζουσιν ἵνα ἀπολάβωσι τὰ ἴσα. πλὴν άγαπᾶτε τοὺς έχθροὺς ὑμῶν καὶ άγαθοποιεῖτε καὶ δανείζετε μηδὲν ἀπελπίζοντες, καὶ ἔσται ὁ μισθὸς ὑμῶν πολύς, καὶ ἔσεσθε υὶοὶ ὑψίστου, ὅτι αὐτὸς χρηστός έστιν έπὶ τοὺς άχαρίστους καὶ πονηρούς. Γίνεσθε οὖν οἰκτίρμονες, καθὼς καὶ ὁ πατὴρ ὑμῶν οἰκτίρμων έστί.

#### The Gospel According to Luke 6:31-36

The Lord said, "As you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the selfish. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful."



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