

## The 1st Sunday after Pentecost

The Sunday of All Saints

Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom

**Troparion of the Resurrection (tone 8):** Thou didst descend from on high, O Compassionate One; that Thou mightest free us from Our passions Thou didst submit to the three-day burial. O our Life and Resurrection, O Lord, glory be to Thee.

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Svi - so - ti sniz - šel je - si bla - go - u - trob - ne,  
 po - gre - be - ni - je pri - jal je - si tri-dnev - no - je,  
 da nas \_\_\_\_\_ svo - bo - di - ši \_\_\_\_\_ stra - stej,  
 ži - vo - te i vos - kre - se - ni - je na - še,  
 Go - spo - di \_\_\_\_\_ sla - va \_\_\_\_\_ te - bje.

and the **Troparion of All Saints (tone 4)**: Adorned in the blood of Thy Martyrs throughout all the world as in purple and fine linen, Thy Church, through them, doth cry unto Thee, O Christ God: Send down Thy compassions upon Thy people; grant peace to Thy commonwealth, and great mercy to our souls.

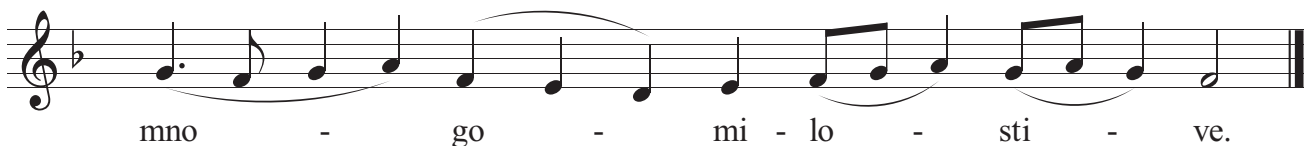
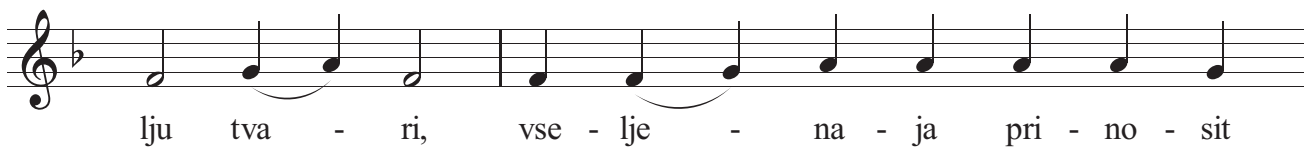
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I - že vo vsjem mi - rje mu - če - nik tvo - jih,  
ja - ko ba - gra - ni - ce - ju i vi - som krov - mi  
cer - kov tvo - ja u - kra siv - ši - sja,  
tje - mi vo - pi - jet ti Hri - ste Bo - že:  
lju - dem tvo - jim šče - dro - ti tvo - ja niz - po - sli,  
mir ži - telj - stvu tvo - je - mu da - ruj,  
i du - šam na - šim ve - li - ju  
mi - lost.

Followed by **Glory ... Both now and ever ...**, and the **Kontakion of All Saints (tone 8)**: As the Planter of Creation, all the world doth offer unto Thee as nature's first-fruits the God-bearing Martyrs, Lord, for they bare witness unto Thee. Thus, preserve Thou Thy Church by their entreaties, O Saviour, in the profoundest peace, through the pure Theotokos, O Thou Who art greatly merciful.



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**The 1st Prokeimenon of the Epistle (tone 8): Make your vows and pay them to the Lord our God**

*(Ps 76:11).*

*Verse: In Judea is God known, His name is great in Israel (Ps 76:1).*

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Po - mo - li - te - sja i voz - da - di - te

Go - spo - de - vi Bo - gu na - še - mu.

*and the 2nd Prokeimenon for All Saints (tone 4): Wondrous is God in His saints; the God of Israel*

*(Ps 68:35).*

Vos - hva - ljat - sja pre - po - dob - nij vo

sla - vje, i vo - zra - du - jut -

sja na lo - žah svo - ih.

## Epistle

### The reading is from the Epistle of the Holy Apostle Paul to the Hebrews

*(Heb 11:33 - 12:2)*

Brethren, the saints through faith subdued kingdoms, wrought righteousness, obtained promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched the violence of fire, escaped the edge of the sword. Out of weakness they were made strong, waxed valiant in battle, and turned to flight the armies of the aliens. Women received their dead raised to life again, and others were tortured, not accepting deliverance, that they might obtain a better resurrection. And others endured the trial of cruel mockings and scourgings, yea moreover, of bonds and imprisonment. They were stoned, they were sawn asunder, were tempted, were slain with the sword. They wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins, being destitute, afflicted, tormented, of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and in mountains, and in dens and caves of the earth. And these all, having obtained a good report through faith, received not the promise, God having provided some better thing for us, that they without us should not be made perfect.

Therefore, seeing we also are compassed about by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

### Alleluia (tone 4)

*Verse 1:* The righteous cried and the Lord heard them, and He delivered them out of all their tribulations  
*(Ps 34:17).*

*Verse 2:* Many are the tribulations of the righteous, and the Lord shall deliver them out of them all *(Ps 34:19).*

**Communion hymn:** Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Alleluia *(Ps 148:1).*

*Verses: Ps 148: 2-4*

*and another Communion hymn for All Saints, Rejoice in the Lord, O ye righteous; praise is meet for the upright. Alleluia (Ps 33:1).*