

CALENDAR OF SAINTS

We ask the Saints to pray for us because they dedicated themselves to God – sometimes giving their very lives. They intercede for us before the throne of God; and serve as beautiful examples of how we, too, should fulfil our baptism through service to Christ and His Church. **This Month we remember....**

JANUARY 2024

1 st	THE CIRCUMCISION OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST. St Basil the Great, Archbishop of Caesarea in Cappadocia (379). St Gregory, Bishop of Nazianzus, father of St Gregory the Theologian (3 rd -4 th). St Emilia, mother of Basil the Great, Gregory of Nyssa, Macrina, and Peter of Sebaste (3 rd -4 th).
2 nd	Forefeast of the Theophany. St Sylvester, Pope of Rome (335). Repose of St Seraphim, Wonderworker of Sarov (1833). Righteous Juliana or Lazarevsk (Murom 1604).
3 rd	Forefeast of the Theophany. Prophet Malachi (400BC). Martyr Gordius at Caesarea in Cappadocia (4 th). St Genevieve of Paris (5 th).
4 th	Forefeast of the Theophany. Synaxis of the Seventy Apostles. St Theoctistus, Abbot of Cuocomo in Sicily (800). St Eustathius I, Archbishop of Serbia (c 1283)
5 th	Eve of Theophany. Hieromartyr Theopemptus. Bishop of Nicomedia, & Martyr Theonas (303). St Syncletica of Alexandria (c 350).
6 th	THE HOLY THEOPHANY OF OUR LORD AND SAVIOUR JESUS CHRIST
7 th	31st SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. Afterfeast of Theophany. Synaxis of the Holy, Glorious Prophet, Forerunner and Baptist John. St Brannock of Braunton (6 th). St Cedd of Lastingham, Bishop of the East Saxons (664).
8 th	Afterfeast of Theophany. St George of Chozeba, Abbot (6 th). St Domnica of Constantinople (474). Virgin Gudule of Brussels (c 710). Martyr Abo of Tbilisi (786).
9 th	Afterfeast of Theophany. Martyr Polyeuctus of Melitene in Armenia (259). St Adrian, Abbot of St Augustine's monastery in Canterbury (710). St Brihtwald, Archbishop of Canterbury (731). Hieromartyr Philip, Metropolitan of Moscow (1569).
10 th	Afterfeast of Theophany. St Gregory, Bishop of Nyssa (c 395), & his wife, St Theosevia the Deaconess 385). St Marcian, Presbyter, of Constantinople (5 th). St Dometian, Bishop of Melitene (601). St Paul, Abbot of Obnora (Vologda 1429). St Antipas the Hesychast (Romania 1882). Bishop Theophan the Recluse (Russia 1894)
11 th	Afterfeast of Theophany. St Theodosius the Great, the Cenobiarch (529). Hieromartyr Hyginus, Pope of Rome (142). St Theodosius of Antioch (c 412). St Ethenia & St Fidelmia, disciples of St Patrick (5 th). St Michael of Klops Monastery, Fool-for-Christ (Novgorod c 1453-6).
12 th	Afterfeast of Theophany. Martyr Tatiana of Rome (c 230). St Eupraxia of Tabennesi (Egypt 393). St Benedict Biscop, Abbot of Wearmouth (689-90). Hieromartyr Basil Solovsky & Martyr Stephen Grigonov (Estonia 1919).
13 th	Saturday after the Theophany. Afterfeast of Theophany. Martyrs Hermylus & Stratonicus of Belgrade (c 315). St James, Bishop of Nisibis (350). St Hilary, Bishop of Poitiers (367/8). St Just of Cornwall (6 th). St Kentigern (Mungo), first Bishop of Glasgow & Strathclyde (c 612). St Maximos Kafsokalyvites (Mt Athos 14 th).
14 th	32nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST Sunday after the Theophany. Leavetaking of Theophany. The Fathers slain at Sinai & Raithu: Isaiah, Sabas, Moses & his disciple Moses (4 th –5 th). St Nino (Nina), Equal-to-the-Apostles, Enlightener of Georgia (c 339). St Sava I, first Archbishop of Serbia (1236). Hieromartyr Platon, Bishop of Tallinn (1919).
15 th	Sts Paul of Thebes (341) & John Kalyvites ("the Hut dweller") (5 th). St Maurus, disciple of St Benedict (584). St Ceolwulf, King & Monk, of Northumbria (764).

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16 th	Veneration of the Precious Chains of the Holy Apostle Peter. St Honoratus, Archbishop of Arles and founder of Lerins Monastery (429). St Sigebert, King of the East Angles, Martyr (635). St Fursey of Burgh Castle, Enlightener of East Anglia (650). Blessed Maximus the Priest of Totma (Vologda), Fool-for-Christ (1650).
17 th	Venerable and God-bearing Father Antony the Great (356). St Sulpice, Bishop of Bourges (c 547). St Macarius (Kalogeras) of Patmos (1737). New Martyr George (Ioannina 1838).
18 th	Sts Athanasius the Great (373) and Cyril (444). Archbishops of Alexandria. Sts Cyril & Maria, parents of St Sergius of Radonezh (14 th)
19 th	St Macarius the Great of Egypt (c 391). St Macarius of Alexandria (c 394). St Branwalader (Breward) of Cornwall & the Channel Islands (6 th). Righteous Theodore of Novgorod, Fool-for-Christ (1392). St Mark, Archbishop of Ephesus (1445).
20 th	St Euthymius the Great (473). Martyrs Inna, Pinna & Rimma, disciples of the Apostle Andrew in Scythia (1 st -2 nd). St Theodore (Kuzmich) of Tomsk (1864).
21 st	33rd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. SUNDAY OF THE TEN LEPERS. St Maximus the Confessor (662). Virgin-Martyr Agnes of Rome (c 304). Martyr Anastasius, disciple of St Maximus the Confessor (562). St Maximus the Greek (1556).
22 nd	Apostle Timothy, of the Seventy (96). St Vincent the Deacon, Protomartyr of Spain (4 th). Monk Martyr Anastasius the Persian (628). St Brihtwold of Ramsbury (1045).
23 rd	Hieromartyr Clement, Bishop of Ancyra, & Martyr Agathangelus (312). St Dionysius of Olympus (1540).
24 th	St Xenia, the Fool-for-Christ of St Petersburg (c 1803). St Xenia of Rome and her two female slaves (5 th). Martyr Babylas of Sicily (3 rd). St Philotheou founder of Philotheou Monastery (Mount Athos 10 th). St Neophytos the Anchorite of Cyprus (12 th).
25 th	St Gregory the Theologian, Archbishop of Constantinople (389). Martyrs Felicitas of Rome, & her seven sons (c164). St Mares the Singer of Syria (c 430). St Moses, Archbishop of Novgorod (1362). Hieromartyr Alexander Hotovitsky (USA, Russia c 1937).
26 th	Sts Xenophon & Mary, and their two sons, Arcadius & John, of Constantinople (5 th -6 th). St Conan, Bishop (Sodor & Man 648). Translation of the relics of St Theodore, Abbot of the Studion, and of his brother St Joseph, Archbishop of Thessaloniki (845). St David, King of Georgia (1125).
27 th	Translation of the Relics of St John Chrysostom. Archbishop of Constantinople (438).
28 th	34th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. SUNDAY OF ZACCHAEUS. St Ephraim the Syrian (373). St Isaac the Syrian, Bishop of Nineveh (7 th). St Theodosius, Abbot, of Totma (Vologda 1568).
29 th	Translation of the relics of Hieromartyr Ignatius the Godbearer (107). St Aphrahat of Persia, monk (4 th). St Gildas the Wise, Abbot (Llanilltud & Brittany c 570). Hieromartyr John Pettai (Estonia 1919).
30 th	Synaxis of the Ecumenical Teachers and Great Hierarchs: Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian, and John Chrysostom. Hieromartyr Hippolytus, Pope of Rome (c 235). Nun Bathilde, Queen & wife to King Clovis of France (680). Martyr Theophilus the New in Cyprus (784). St Peter, King of Bulgaria (967). New Martyr Hatzi-Theodore (Mytilene 1784). St Pelagia, Fool-for-Christ of Diveyevo (1884).
31 st	Wonderworkers and Unmercenaries Cyrus and John (292). Martyrs Athanasia and her daughters Theodoti, Theoktisti, & Eudoxia (292). St Aidan (Maedoc), Bishop of Ferns (626). St Nikita of the Kyiv Caves, Bishop of Novgorod (1108). New Martyr Elias (Ardounis) of Kalamata (1686). St Arsenios of Paros (1877).