

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....**

NOVEMBER 2023

1 st	Wonderworkers and Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian of Mesopotamia, and their mother, St Theodota (?3rd). Hieromartyrs John the Bishop and James the Presbyter, of Persia (c 345). Martyr Hermengild the Goth of Spain (586). St Cadfan of Bardsey (6th). St David the Ascetic, of Euboea (16th). New Martyrs David the Grand Komnenos, Emperor of Trebizond, with his sons Basil, George and Manuel, and his nephew Alexios (1463). New Martyr Iakovos the Ascetic, at Edirne (1520).
2 nd	Martyrs Acindynus, Pegasius, Aphthonius, Elpidophorus, and Anempodistus, of Persia (c 341-5).
3 rd	Martyrs Acepsimas the Bishop, Joseph the Presbyter, and Aithalas the Deacon, of Persia (4th). Dedication of the Church of the Great Martyr George in Lydda (4th). St Winifred of Treffynon (Holywell) (N Wales 7th).
4 th	St Joannicius the Great, Hermit on Mt Olympus (846). Hieromartyrs Nicander, Bishop of Myra, and Hermas, Presbyter (1st).
5 th	22nd SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST (Luke 5). Martyr Galaction and his wife, Episteme, at Emesa (3rd). Apostles Patrobus, Hermas, Linus, Gaius, and Philologus, of the Seventy (1st). St Jonah, Archbishop of Novgorod (1470).
6 th	St Paul the Confessor, Archbishop of Constantinople (c 350). St Illtyd, Abbot of Llanilltyd Fawr (6th). St Luke of Sicily (800-20). St Barlaam, Abbot of Khutyn (Novgorod 1192).
7 th	33 Martyrs of Melitene (3rd). St Willibrord, Archbishop of Utrecht, Apostle of Frisia (739). St Lazarus, the Wonderworker of Mt Galesion (1054).
8 th	SYNAXIS OF THE ARCHANGEL MICHAEL AND THE OTHER BODILESS POWERS: Archangels Gabriel, Raphael, Uriel, Salathiel, Jegudiel, Barachiel, and Jeremiel.
9 th	St Nektarios Kephalas, Metropolitan of Pentapolis (1920). St Matrona, Abbess, of Constantinople (c 492). St John the Short (Egypt 5th). St Theoktista, Isle of Lesbos (881). Sts Euthymius and Neophytus, founders of Docheiariou Monastery (Mt Athos 10th). St Job, first Patriarch of Moscow (1606). Icon of the Most Holy Theotokos, She who is Quick to Hear.
10 th	Apostles Erastus, Olympas, Herodian, Sosipater, Quartus, and Tertius, of the Seventy (1st). Martyr Orestes (304). St Aedh (MacBricc), Bishop of Meath (6th). St Justus, Archbishop of Canterbury (627). St Arsenius of Cappadocia (1924).
11 th	Martyrs Menas of Egypt (304), Victor at Damascus (2nd), and Vincent of Spain (204). Martyr Stephanida of Spain (2nd). St Martin the Merciful, Bishop of Tours (397). St Theodore the Confessor, Abbot of the Studion (826). St Stephen Urosh, King of Serbia, Founder of Dečani (1331).
12 th	St John the Merciful, Patriarch of Alexandria (619). St Nilus the Faster, of Sinai (5th). St Machar, Bishop of Aberdeen (6th). St Nilus the Myrrh-flowing, of Lavra (Mt Athos 1651).

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13th	St John Chrysostom, Archbishop of Constantinople (407).
14th	Holy Apostle Philip (1st). St Dyfrig, Bishop in Hereford and Gwent, Hermit of Bardsey Island (c 550). St Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessaloniki (1359). St Philip, Abbot of Irap near Novgorod (1537). St Constantine, New Fedegt Martyr of Hydra (1800).
15 th	BEGINNING OF THE NATIVITY FAST Martyrs and Confessors Guria, Shamuna, and Habib, of Edessa (299-306). St Malo of Brittany (7th). St Paisius Velichkovsky (1794).
16 th	Holy Apostle and Evangelist Matthew (60). St Fulvianos, Prince of Ethiopia, in baptism Matthew (1st). St Eucherius, Bishop of Lyons (449).
17th	St Gregory the Wonderworker of Neo-Caesarea (c 266-70). St Gregory, Bishop of Tours (594). St Hilda of Whitby, Abbess (680). St Lazarus the Iconographer of Constantinople (c 867). St Nikon, Abbot of Radonezh, disciple of St Sergius (1426).
18th	Martyr Plato of Ancyra (c 306). Martyr Romanus the Deacon, of Caesarea, and the youth Barulas (303). St Mawes, Bishop in Cornwall and Brittany (5th).
19th	Prophet Obadiah (Abdias 9 th BC). Martyr Barlaam of Caesarea in Cappadocia (c 304). St Egbert, Archbishop of York (766). St Philaret, Metropolitan of Moscow (1867). New Martyr Elias Fondaminsky (France 1942).
20th	Forefeast of the Entry of the Most Holy Theotokos into the Temple. St Gregory Decapolites (816). St Proclus, Archbishop of Constantinople (446-7). St Edmund, King and Martyr (869). New Hieromartyr Cyril of Kazan (1937).
21 st	THE ENTRY OF THE MOST HOLY THEOTOKOS INTO THE TEMPLE.
22 nd	Afterfeast of the Entry into the Temple. Apostles Philemon and Archippus, of the Seventy, Martyr Apphia, Equal-to-the-Apostles, wife of Philemon, and Onesimus, disciple of St Paul (1st). Martyrs Cecilia, Valerian, Tiburtius, and Maximus, at Rome (c 230). Hieromartyr Deiniol the Younger, Abbot of Bangor (621). St Kallistos II (Xanthopoulos), Patriarch of Constantinople
23 rd	Afterfeast of the Entry into the Temple. St Amphilochius, Bishop of Iconium (394). St Gregory, Bishop of Agrigentum (6th-7th). St Columbanus of Ireland, Abbot of Luxeuil and Bobbio (615). St Deiniol the Younger (c 615). St Alexander Nevsky (1263). St Metrophan (in schema Makary), Bishop of Voronezh (1703).
24th	Afterfeast of the Entry into the Temple. Great Martyr Catherine of Alexandria (305-13) (Slav use). Hieromartyr Clement, Pope of Rome (101) (Greek use). Hieromartyr Peter, Archbishop of Alexandria (311). St Colman, Bishop of Cloyne (c 606). St Enfleda, wife of St Oswy, King of Northumbria (c 704).
25th	Leavetaking of the Entry into the Temple. Great Martyr Catherine of Alexandria (305-13) (Greek use).* Hieromartyr Clement, Pope of Rome (101) (Slav use). Great Martyr Mercurius of Caesarea in Cappadocia (3rd). St Clement, Bishop of Ochrid and Enlightener of the Bulgarians (916).

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26th	St Stylianos of Paphlagonia, protector of children (4th-6th). St Alypius the Stylite of Adrianopolis (7th). St Acacius of Sinai (7th). St Nikon, Preacher of Repentance (10th). St Nikon of the Black Mountain (c 1100). St Innocent, First Bishop of Irkutsk (1731). New Martyr George at Chios (1807).
27th	Great Martyr James the Persian (421). St Fergal of Salzburg (784). St Gregory of Sinai and Mt Athos (1346). St Theodosius of Trnovo (1363).
28 th	Martyr Stephen the New, Monk of Mt St Auxentius (764). Martyr Irenarchus and Seven Women Martyrs at Sebaste (303).
29 th	Martyr Paramon in Bithynia (250). St Saturninus, Bishop of Toulouse, Martyr (250). St Brendan of Birr (573). Hieromartyr Philoumenos, custodian of Jacob's Well (Samaria 1979).
30 th	Holy Apostle Andrew the First-called (62) . St Frumentius, Archbishop of Abyssinia (Ethiopia c 380). St Tudwal, Bishop in Wales and Brittany (6th). St Sebastian (Dabovich) of San Francisco and Jackson (1940).