

***Troparia
of the
Saints of North America***



2nd Sunday after Pentecost

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Saint John Orthodox Cathedral

Eagle River, Alaska

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As the Bountiful Harvest

Troparion

Serbian Chant, Tone 8
arr. by P. Drobac

Ss. of North America (2nd Pentecost)

As the boun-ti-ful har-vest of Your sow-ing of sal-va-tion,
the lands of North A-mer-i-ca of-fer to You, O Lord,
all the saints who have shone in them. By their prayers
keep the Church and our land in a-bi-ding peace,
through the The-o-to-kos, O Most Mer-ci-ful One.

Today the Choir of the Saints

Kontakion

Obikhod, Tone 3

Ss. of North America (2nd Pentecost)

To-day the choir of the saints who were pleas-ing to God
in the lands of North A-mer-i-ca, now stands be-fore us in the Church
and in-vis-i-bly prays to God for us. With them the an-gels glo-ri-fy Him,
and all the saints of the Church of Christ keep fes-ti-val with them;
and together they all pray for us to the Pre-e-ter-nal God.

Saints of North America



Pray for us.

We Offer to You, Our Father in Heaven

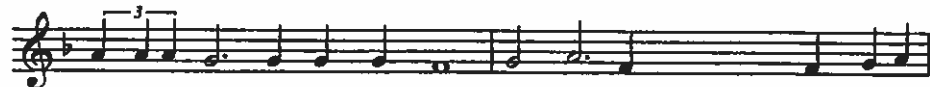
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St. Sergius Chapel, Tone 1



We of - fer to You, our Fa-ther in heav-en, the first fruits of



sanc-ti-ty sown in this new land: The bless-ed el-der, Her-man of A-



las-ka, the holy hierarchs Innocent, Nikolai, Raphael, John and Tik-hon,



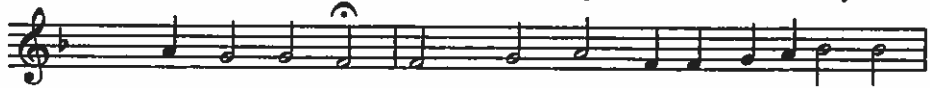
the righteous priests A - lex - is and Ya - kov and the mar - tyrs



Ju-ven-a-ly and Pe-ter. Fill Your Church with heav-en-ly joy;



Grant peace to our land and to Your ho-ly Church and sanctify all



those who wor-ship You through the prayers of the The-o-to - kos



and of all Your saints, O Most Mer - ci - ful One!

O Joyful North Star

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St. Herman of Alaska (Dec 13, Aug 9)

Greek Chant, Tone 7

O joy-ful North Star of the Church of Christ, guiding all men to the
heav-en-ly king-dom, teacher and A-pos - tle of the true Faith,
intercessor and de-fen - der of the op-pressed, a - dornment of the Orthodox
Church in A-mer - i-ca, bless-ed Father Herman of A-las - ka,
pray to our Lord Je - sus Christ for the sal-va-tion of our souls.



O Blessed Father Herman

Troparion - Akathist

St. Herman of Alaska (Dec 13, Aug 9)

Valaam Chant, Tone 4

O blessed Father Herman of A - las - ka,
North Star of Christ's ho - ly Church. The light of your holy life and
great deeds guides those who fol-low the Or - tho-dox way.
Together we lift high the ho - ly Cross, you planted firmly in A -
mer - i - ca. Let all behold and glo-ri - fy Je - sus Christ,
singing His Holy Res - ur - rec - - - tion!



Today Alaska Rejoices

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Martyrs of Alaska: Juvenaly & Peter the Aleut (Sept 24)

Carpatho-Russian, Tone 4

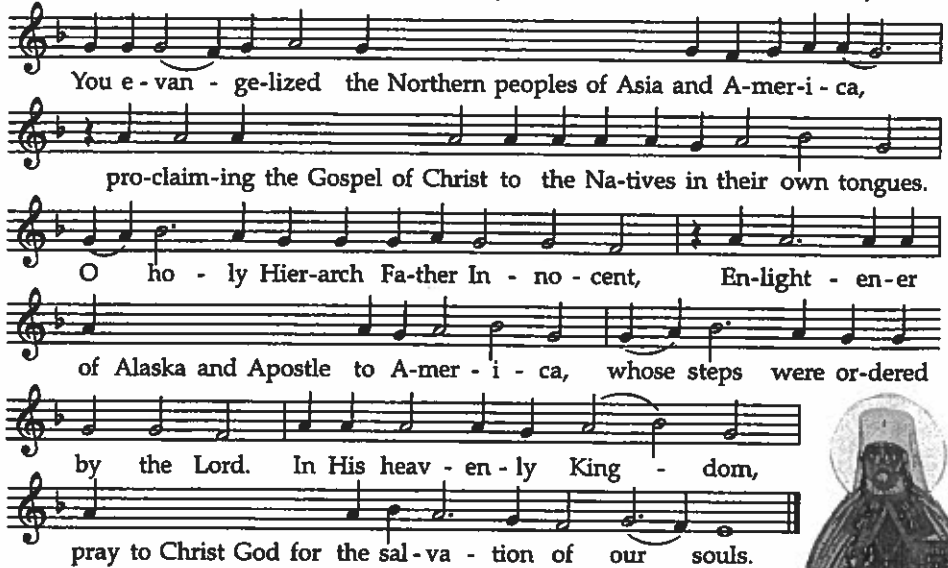
To - day Alaska rejoices and Ameri - ca cel - e - brates, for the New
World has been sanc - ti - fied by mar - tyr - dom! Ko - di - ak echoes with songs
of thanks - giv - ing; Il - li - amna and Kenai ob - serve
the festival of faith. The A - postle and Martyr Juven - a - ly is
glo - ri - fied, and Peter the Aleut is exalted by his volun - ta -
ry sac - ri - fice. In their de - vo - tion and love for the Lord
they willingly endured perse - cu - tion and death for the Truth.
Now in the King - dom of Heaven, they in - ter - cede for our souls.

You Evangelized the Northern Peoples

Troparion

St. Innocent, Apostle to America (Oct 6, Mar 31)

Alaskan-Kievan, Tone 2



You e - van - ge-lized the Northern peoples of Asia and A-mer-i - ca,
pro-claim-ing the Gospel of Christ to the Na-tives in their own tongues.
O ho - ly Hier-arch Fa-ther In - no - cent, En-light - en-er
of Alaska and Apostle to A-mer - i - ca, whose steps were or-dered
by the Lord. In His heav - en - ly King - dom,
pray to Christ God for the sal - va - tion of our souls.

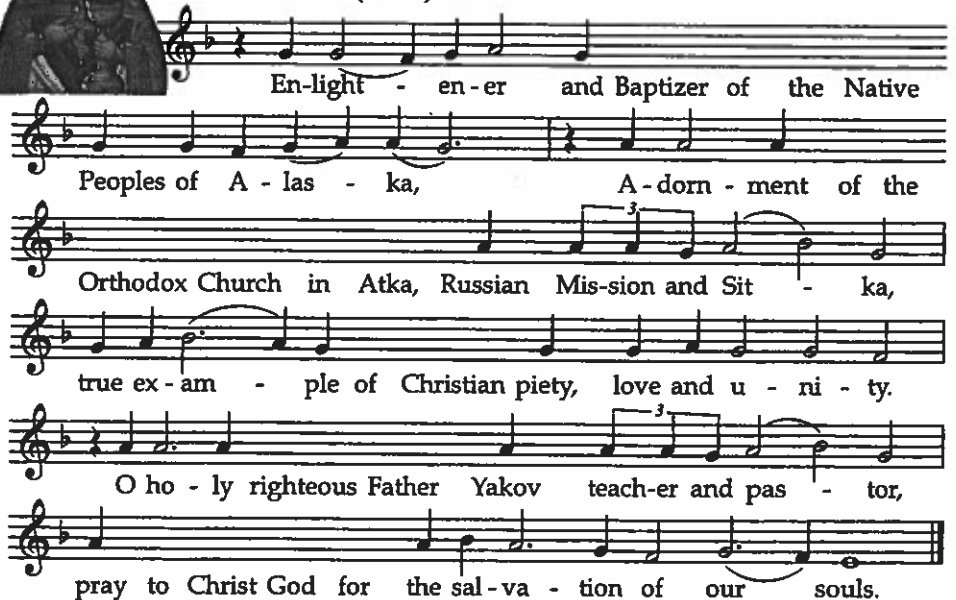


Enlightener and Baptizer

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St. Yakov Netsvetov (Jul 26)

Alaskan-Kievan, Tone 2



En-light - en-er and Baptizer of the Native
Peoples of A - las - ka, A - dorn - ment of the
Orthodox Church in Atka, Russian Mis-sion and Sit - ka,
true ex - am - ple of Christian piety, love and u - ni - ty.
O ho - ly righteous Father Yakov teach-er and pas - tor,
pray to Christ God for the sal - va - tion of our souls.

Let Us Praise Tikhon

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St. Tikhon, Patriarch of Moscow (Apr 7)

St. Sergius Chapel, Tone 1

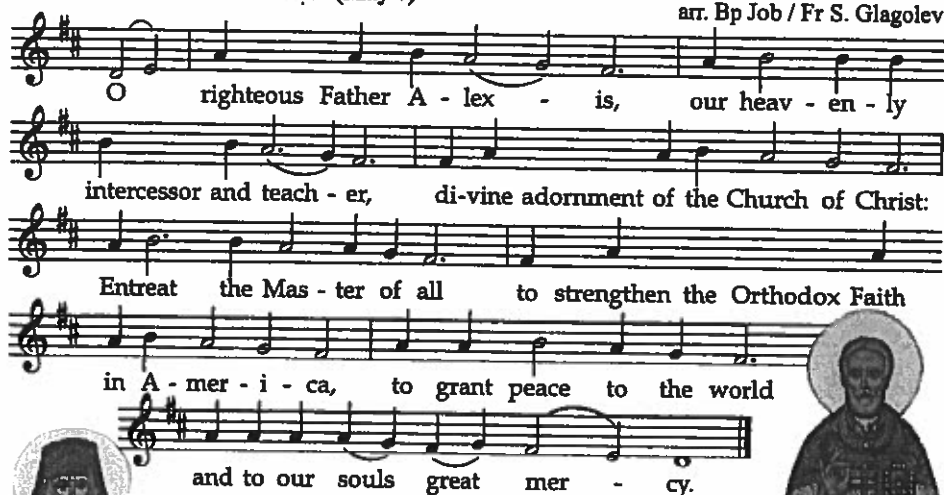
Let us praise Tikhon, the Patri-arch of all Rus-sia, and Enlightener
of North A-mer - i-ca, an ar-dent follower of the a-pos-tol-ic tra-
di-tions, a good pastor of the Church of Christ, who was elected
by di-vine pro-vi-dence and laid down his life for his sheep.
Let us sing to him with faith and hope, and the and ask for his
hierarchical in - ter - ces - sions: Keep the Church in Russia in
tran-qui-li - ty, and the Church in Ameri - ca in peace;
gath-er her scat - tered chil-dren in-to one flock, bring to
repentence who have re-nounced the True Faith; preserve our
lands from civ-il strife, and en-treat God's peace for all peo-ple.

O Righteous Father Alexis



Troparion

St. Alexis Toth of Wilkes-Barre (May 7)

Carpathian Chant, Tone 4
arr. Bp Job / Fr S. Glagolev



O righteous Father A - lex - is, our heav - en - ly
intercessor and teach - er, di - vine adornment of the Church of Christ:
Entreat the Mas - ter of all to strengthen the Orthodox Faith
in A - mer - i - ca, to grant peace to the world
and to our souls great mer - cy.

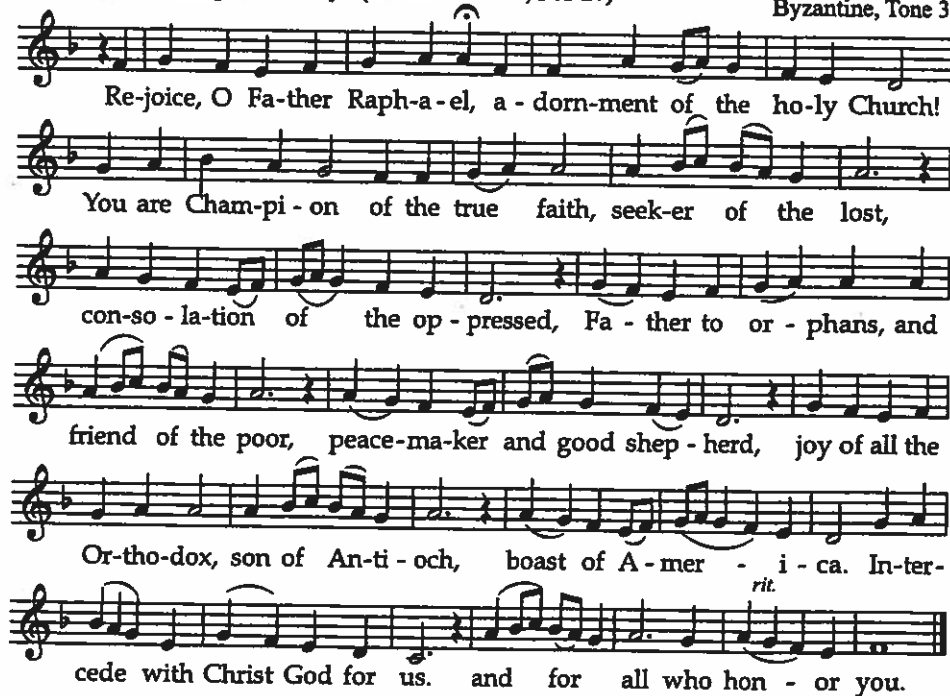


Rejoice, O Father Raphael

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St. Raphael - Bishop of Brooklyn (Sat before Nov 8, Feb 27)

Byzantine, Tone 3



Re-joyce, O Fa-ther Raph-a-el, a - dorn-ment of the ho-ly Church!
You are Cham-pi-on of the true faith, seek-er of the lost,
con-so-la-tion of the op - pressed, Fa - ther to or - phans, and
friend of the poor, peace-ma-ker and good shep - herd, joy of all the
Or-tho-dox, son of An-ti - och, boast of A - mer - i - ca. In-ter-
cede with Christ God for us. and for all who hon - or you.

Glorious Apostle to an Age of Coldness

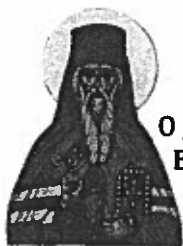
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St. John Maximovitch (Jul 2)

Kievan-Byzantine, Tone 6

Glorious apostle to an age of coldness and unbelief,
O Saint John Max-i-mo vitch, filled with the power of grace
of the saints of old, divinely-illuminated, seer of heavenly
myster-ies, feeder of orphans hope of the hope-less,
you enkindled on earth the fire of love for Christ
upon the dark eve of the day of judgment.
Pray that this sacred flame may also rise from our hearts.



Bishop Nikolai Velimirovich (Mar 18)

Tone 8

O golden-tongued preacher proclaiming the risen Christ,
Everlasting guide of the cross-bearing Serbian people,
Resounding harp of the Holy Spirit,
and dear to monastics who rejoice in you,
Pride and boast of the priesthood,
teacher of repentance, master for all nations,
Guide of those in the army of Christ as they pray to God,
Holy Nikolai teacher in America and pride of the Serbian people,
With all the saints, implore the only Lover of mankind
To grant us peace and joy in His heavenly kingdom!



John Kochurov - Protomartyr of Chicago (Oct 31)

Tone 1

You were revealed to all as a true shepherd
O Hieromartyr John of Chicago,
For you nurtured your people in the Orthodox Faith,
Guiding them by word and deed on the path of salvation,
And defended the Faith even unto the shedding of your blood.
Therefore, we, your spiritual children, cry out in thanksgiving:
Glory to Him Who gave you strength!
Glory to Him Who granted you the Martyr's crown!
Glory to Him Who through you grants mercy to all!



Alexander Hotovitsky - Priestmartyr of New York (Dec 4)

Tone 6

In a time of fiery temptations for the Church of Russia,
You manifested Christ's love to your flock
Through meekness and humility.
As a good pastor you laid down your life for Him.
Pray for us, Hieromartyr Alexander,
That our souls may be illumined!