Orthodox Christian Community of St. Constantine the Great, York

Antiochian Orthodox Christian Archdiocese of the British Isles and Ireland

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Calendar for October 2025





FROM THE FATHERS

"I do not venerate the creation over the creator, but I venerate the creator who became creation like me, and came down into creation without humiliation and without being debased, in order to glorify my nature and make me to be partaker of the divine nature For the nature of flesh has not become deity, but, as the Word became flesh without change, remaining as he was, likewise the flesh became Word, without losing what it is, identifying moreover with the Word hypostatically. Thus, taking courage, I represent God, the invisible, not as invisible, but insofar as he has become visible for us by participation in flesh and blood. I do not represent the invisible deity but I represent the flesh of God which has been seen."

St. John of Damascus + AD 749

THUS, in keeping with the commandment to rejoice with those who rejoice and weep with those who weep (Romans 12:15), we must open up our mercy to all the poor and those who suffer for whatever reason; we are to offer people charity, whether they are widowed or orphaned, whether they are driven out of their homeland or oppressed by the rulers, whether they suffer the insolence of their superiors or the inhumanity of tax collectors or the murderous hand of thieves or the greed of robbers or the seizing of estates or shipwrecks. For they all have the same right to our sympathy, and look at our hands just as we look at the hands of God when we ask Him for something."

St. Gregory of Nazianzus, the Theologian + AD 390

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"WHEREFORE, brethren, if we do the will of God our Father, we shall be of the first Church, which is spiritual, which was created before the sun and moon; but if we do not the will of the Lord, we shall be of the scripture that said, My house was made a den of robbers. So therefore let us choose rather to be of the Church of life, that we may be saved. And I do not suppose you are ignorant that the living Church is the body of Christ: for the scripture said, God made man, male and female. The male is Christ and the female is the Church. And the Books and the Apostles plainly declare that the Church exists not now for the first time, but has been from the beginning: for she was spiritual, as our Jesus also was spiritual, but was manifested in the last days that He might save us. Now the Church, being spiritual, was manifested in the flesh of Christ, thereby showing us that, if any of us guard her in the flesh and defile her not, he shall receive her again in the Holy Spirit."

St. Clement of Rome + AD c.100

"GOD does not need us at all, and still loves us very much, whereas we desperately need him but do not accept his love, preferring money, human friendship, physical comfort, power, and glory – in spite of the fact that He prefers nothing to us."

St. John Chrysostom + AD 407

Fasting Guidelines:

On days designated *strict fast* we abstain from dairy products, meat, fish, oil and wine. Some seafoods, e.g. squid, crab, roe and prawn, are permitted.

Note: Where there is more than one set of readings for the day, bold type shows the readings appointed by The Typikon to be used at the Divine Liturgy.

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Important Notice: Fr. Michael will be **UNAVAILABLE** from Monday 13th - Friday 17th October.

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Sun 5 th Oct	9:30am	Parish Matins	2 nd of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Wed 8th Oct	6:30pm	Vespers and	Holy Apostle
		Paraklesis	James
			Alphaeus
Sat 12 th Oct	3pm	Family Baptisms	
Sun 12 th Oct	9:30am	Parish Matins	Fathers of 7 th
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	Ecumenical
			Council & 4th of
			Luke
Sun 19 th Oct	9:30am	Adult Chrismation	3 rd of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Sun 26 th Oct	9:30am	Parish Matins	6 th of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Wed 29th Oct	3:15pm	Wedding	
Sun 2 nd Nov	9:30am	Parish Matins	5 th of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Sun 9 th Nov	9:30am	Parish Matins	7 th of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Wed 12 th Nov	6:30pm	Vespers and	Saint John
	•	Paraklesis	Chrysostom,
			Archbishop of
			Constantinople
Sun16th Nov	9:30am	Adult Chrismation	Holy Evangelist
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	Matthew
Sun 23 rd Nov	9:30am	Parish Matins	9 th of Luke
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	
Sun 30 th Nov	9:30am	Adult Chrismation	Holy Apostle
	10:30am	Divine Liturgy	Andrew the
			First-called

The services continue to be streamed. The link is on our website.

Wednesday 1st October 2025

Fast day: wine and oil allowed

Apostle of the Seventy, Ananias, 1st bishop of Damascus

The protection of the Most Holy Mother of God and ever-virgin Mary. St. Romanus the Melodist of Constantinople 'Sweet-singer' (556). Holy Martyr Domninus of Thessalonica (4th C). St. John (Koukouzelis) the Hymnographer of Athos (c.1341). St. Gregory the Singer of Mt. Athos (1355).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Fidharleus of Rathin (762). St. Melorius of Cornwall.

Readings: Ephesians 3:8-21; Luke 5:33-39

For the Commemoration: Acts 9:10-19; Luke 10:16-21

Thursday 2nd October 2025

Hieromartyr Cyprian, bishop of Antioch in Pisidia, Virgin-Martyr Justina the deaconess, and Martyr Theoctistus of Nicomedia (304). Blessed Andrew, Fool-for-Christ, at Constantinople (936). Holy Martyrs David and Constantine, princes of Argveti, Georgia (740). New Martyr George of Philadelphia in Asia Minor (1794). St. Anna of Kashin (1338). St. Leger (Leodegarius), bishop of Autun (677).

Readings: Ephesians 4:14-19; Luke 6:12-19

Friday 3rd October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Hieromartyr Dionysius (Denys) the Areopagite, bishop of Athens, and with him Holy Martyrs Rusticus the presbyter and Eleutherius the deacon (96). St. John the Chozebite, bishop of Caesarea in Palestine (6th C).

British Isles and Ireland: Holy Martyrs Ewald the Fair and Ewald the Dark (695).

Readings: Ephesians 4:17-25; Luke 6:17-23

Saturday 4th October 2025

Hieromartyr Hierotheus, bishop of Athens (1st C). Holy Martys Crispus & Gaius (1st C). St. Paul the Simple (340) and St. Ammon (350), of Egypt, disciples of St. Anthony the Great. Holy Martyrs Domnina and her daughters Berenice and Prosdoce of Syria (4th C). Uncovering of the relics (1595) of St. Gurias, 1st archbishop of Kazan (1563) and St. Barsanuphius, bishop of Tver (1576). Holy Martyr Stephen (Stiljanovich) of Serbia (1515) and his wife, St. Elena.

Readings: 1 Corinthians 14:20-25; Luke 5:17-26

Sunday 5th October 2025

Tone 8 : Eothinon 6

17th after Pentecost: 2nd of Luke

Holy Martyr Charitina of Amisus (304). St. John, bishop of Euchaita. Hieromartyr Dionysius, Bishop of Alexandria (265). Venerable Eudocimos of Vatopedi monastery, Mt Athos. St. Methodia of Cimolus. SS Peter, Alexis, Jonah, Philip and Hermogenes, Wonderworkers and metropolitans of Moscow.

Readings: 2 Corinthians 6:16-7:1; Luke 6:31-36

Monday 6th October 2025

The Holy and Glorious Apostle Thomas (1st C)

Virgin-Martyr Erotheis of Cappadocia. New Martyr Macarius at Kion in Bithynia (1590). Glorification of St. Innocent, metropolitan of Moscow, Enlightener of the Aleuts and Apostle to the Americas (1977).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Lalluwy of Menheniot, virgin (6th C). St. Ceollach, bishop of the Mercians (7th C). St. Cumine the White, abbot of Iona (669).

Readings: Ephesians 4:25-32; Luke 6:24-30

For the Commemoration: 1 Corinthians 4:9-16; John 20:19-31

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Thursday 30th October 2025

Holy Apostles Cleopas, Tertius, Mark, Justus, and Artemas, of the Seventy (1st C). Hieromartyr Zenobius and his sister Zenobia, of Aegea in Cilicia (285). St. Joseph I and St. Kyriakos, patriarchs of Constantinople (13th C). St. Stephen Milutin (1320), his brother St. Dragutin (monk Theoctistus) (1316), and their mother St. Helen (1306), wife of Urosh I of Serbia.

British Isles and Ireland: St. Ethelnoth the Good, 31st archbishop of Canterbury (1038). Virgin-martyr Arilda of Gloucestershire. St. Talarican, Pictish bishop (6th C).

Readings: Colossians 1:24-2:1; Luke 11:14-23

Friday 31st October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Apostles Stachys, Amplias, Urban, Narcissus, Apelles, and Aristobulus of the Seventy (1st C). New Martyr Nicholas the New of Chios (1754). Holy Martyr Epimachus of Pelusium, who suffered at Alexandria (250).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Erth (Herygh), brother of St. Euny (514). St. Begu, nun of Hackness (660). St. Foillan, missionary monk in East Anglia (655).

Readings: Colossians 2:1-7; Luke 11:23-26

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Readings: Galatians 1:11-19; Luke 8:26-39

For the Commemoration: 2 Timothy 2:1-10; John 15:17-16:2

Monday 27th October 2025

Great Martyr Nestor of Thessalonica (c.306). St. Procla, the wife of Pontius Pilate (1st C). St. Cyriacus, patriarch of Constantinople (1390). Venerable Nestor the Chronicler of the Kievan Caves (1114). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Otteran (Odran) of Iona, bishop of Meath (563). St. Abban of Wexford (6th C). St. Colman, abbot of Senboth-Fola (632).

Readings: Philippians 4:10-23; Luke 10:22-24

Tuesday 28th October 2025

Great Martyr Parasceva of Iconium (3rd C). Hieromartyr Cyriacus, Patriarch of Jerusalem (363), and his mother, Holy Martyr Anna. Holy Martyrs Terence and Neonilla and their children, Sarbelus, Photus, Theodulus, Hierax, Nitus, Bele, and Eunice (249). St. Athanasius I, patriarch of Constantinople (1340). New Martyrs Angelis, Manuel, George, and Nicholas of Crete (1824). St. Stephen of St. Sabbas' Monastery, Hymnographer (807).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Dorbhene, abbot of Iona (713). St. Eadsige, 32nd archbishop of Canterbury (1050).

Readings: Colossians 1:1-3,6-11; Luke 11:1-10

Wednesday 29th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Virgin-Martyr Anastasia the Roman and Holy Martyr Cyril (256). St. Abramius the Recluse (360), and his niece, St. Mary of Mesopotamia (397). New Martyr Athanasius of Sparta, at Muatanach (1653). New Martyr Timothy of Esphigmenou Monastery, Mt. Athos (1820). St. Abramius, archimandrite of Rostov (Valaam) (1073). St. Serapion of Zarzmeli, Georgia (900).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Kennara, hermitess of Kirk Kinner, Galloway (5th C). St. Colman, abbot-founder of Kilmacduagh (632). *Readings:* Colossians 1:18-23; Luke 11:9-13

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Tuesday 7th October 2025

Holy martyrs Sergius and Bacchus in Syria (303). Holy martyrs Julian the presbyter, and Caesarius the deacon, at Terracina (1st C). Holy martyr Polychronius of Gampnanitus (4th C). Venerable Martyr John the Hermit and those with him in Crete. St. Sergius, abbot of Nurma, Vologda (1412), disciple of St. Sergius of Radonezh. *British Isles and Ireland:* Holy Martyr Cynog (492). St. Dubtach, bishop of Armagh (513). Holy Martyr Princess Osyth of Crich (c.700). St. Helanus, Irish missionary in Gaul (5th C).

Readings: Ephesians 5:20-25; Luke 6:37-45

Wednesday 8th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

St. Pelagia the Penitent of the Mount of Olives (457). Virgin-Martyr Pelagia of Antioch (303). St. Thais (Taisia) the Harlot, of Egypt (4th C). St. Philotheus, patriarch of Constantinople (1379). Venerable martyr Ignatios of Prodromou Skete on Athos. Monk-martyr Ignatius of Bulgaria.

British Isles and Ireland: St. Keyne, virgin-recluse. St. Iwi of Lindisfarne, hermit (c.690). St. Triduna of Restalrig (4th C).

Readings: Ephesians 5:25-33; Luke 6:46-7:1

Thursday 9th October 2025

The Holy Apostle James, Son of Alphaeus

St. Andronicus and his wife St. Athanasia, of Egypt (5th C). Righteous Forefather Abraham, and his nephew, Righteous Lot (2000 BC). St. Poplia the Confessor, deaconess of Antioch (4th C). Holy Martyrs Juventus and Maximus at Antioch (363). Hieromartyr Dionysius (Denis), bishop of Paris (c.258). St. Stephen the Younger, king of Serbia (1468). Glorification (1989) (26th Sep O.C.) of St. Tikhon, patriarch of Moscow and All Russia (1925).

Readings: Ephesians 5:33-6:9; Luke 7:17-30

For the Commemoration: 1 Corinthians 4:9-16; Matthew 9:36-10:8

Friday 10th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Holy Martyrs Eulampius and Eulampia, at Nicomedia, and 200 Martyrs with them (311). Venerable Ambrose, starets of Optina (1891). St. Theophilus the Confessor of Bulgaria (716). Blessed Andrew of Totma, Fool-for-Christ (1673). Holy Martyr Theotecnus of Antioch (4th C). St. Bassian of Constantinople (c.458). Synaxis of the Fourteen Saints of Optina: St. Leonid (repose) (1841), St. Macarius (1860), St. Moses (1862), St. Anthony (1865), St. Hilarion (1873), St. Ambrose (1891), St. Anatole (the 'Elder') (1894), St. Isaac I (1894), St. Joseph (1911), St. Barsanuphius (1913), St. Anatole (the 'Younger') (1922), St. Nektary (1928), St. Nikon the Confessor (1931), New Hieromartyr archimandrite Isaac II (1937). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Paulinus, archbishop of York (644). St. Patrician, bishop of Man (5th C).

Readings: Ephesians 6:18-24; Luke 7:31-35

Saturday 11th October 2025

Holy Disciple Philip of the Seventy, one of the Seven Deacons (1st C). St. Theophanes the Confessor and Hymnographer, bishop of Nicaea (c.850). Holy Martyrs Zenais and Philonilla of Tarsus in Cilicia, relatives of St. Paul (1st C). SS Nectarius (397), Arcadius (405), and Sinisius (427), patriarchs of Constantinople. St. Philotheus (Kokkinos) of Mt Athos, patriarch of Constantinople (1379). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Ethelburga, abbess of Barking (c.676). St. Kenneth (Cainnech), abbot of Aghaboe (7th C).

Readings: 1 Corinthians 15:39-45; Luke 5:27-32

Friday 24th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Great Martyr Arethas (al-Haarith) of Arabia and his companions, including Martyr Syncletica and her two daughters (523). Holy Martyr Sebastian of Heraclea in Thrace (286). Blessed Elesbaan (Caleb), King of Ethiopia (553). St. Athanasius, patriarch of Constantinople (1311). Icon of the Most Holy Mother of God, 'The Joy of All Who Sorrow' (1688).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Cadfarch, disciple of Iltyd (6th C). St. Maelor of Sark (586).

Readings: Philippians 3:8-19; Luke 10:1-15

Saturday 25th October 2025

Holy Martyrs Marcian and Martyrius the Notaries, of Constantinople (355). St. Tabitha the Merciful, the widow raised from the dead by the Apostle Peter (1st C). Holy Martyrs Chrisaphos and Chrysanthe. Holy Martyrs Crispin and Crispinian (c.285).

British Isles and Ireland: Translation of the relics of St. John of Beverley (1037).

Readings: 2 Corinthians 1:8-11; Luke 7:1-10

Sunday 26th October 2025

Tone 3: Eothinon 9

20th after Pentecost: 6th of Luke

Holy and Glorious Great Martyr Demetrius the Myrrh-Streaming, of Thessalonica (306)

Commemoration of the Great Earthquake at Constantinople (740). Holy Martyr Ioasaph, monk of Mt. Athos, disciple of St. Niphon of Constantinople (1536).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Alfred the Great, King of Wessex and all Orthodox England (899). St. Albinus, bishop and missionary (550). SS Aneurin and Gwinoc, monks (6th C). St. Cedd, Apostle of Essex (664). St. Eata, bishop of Hexham and abbot of Lindisfarne (686). St. Eadfrith, abbot of Leominster (675). St. Cuthbert, 12th archbishop of Canterbury (761). St. Bean, bishop of Mortlach

Tuesday 21st October 2025

St. Hilarion the Great of Palestine (371). Hieromartyr Socrates the presbyter and Martyr Theodote of Ancyra (230). Translation of the relics of St. Christodulus the Wonderworker of Patmos (1093). New Martyr John of Peloponnesus (1773). St. Philotheus of Neapolis and Mt. Athos (14th C).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Fintan Munnu, abbot-founder of Taghmon (635). St. Condedus, hermit (685). St. Tuda, bishop of Northumbria (664). St. Malathgeny of Cluain-Edneach (767).

Readings: Philippians 2:16-23; Luke 9:23-27

Wednesday 22nd October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Holy Equal-to-the-Apostles Abercius (Averkios), bishop and Wonderworker of Hierapolis (c.167). The Holy Seven Youths ('Seven Sleepers') of Ephesus: Maximilian, Jamblichus, Martinian, Dionysius, Antoninus, Constantine (Hexakustodianos), and John (250). Monk-martyr Bertharius and his Companions, slain by the Saracens at Montecassino (c.884).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Mellon of Cardiff, 1st bishop of Rouen (314). St. Donatus of Fiesole (874).

Readings: Philippians 2:24-30; Luke 9:44-50

Thursday 23rd October 2025

The Holy Apostle James, Brother of the Lord (c.63)

St. Ignatius, patriarch of Constantinople (878). St. Macarios the Roman of Mesopotamia. Translation of the relics of Blessed James of Borovichi, wonderworker of Novgorod (C16th).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Elfleda of Glastonbury, Virgin (936). St. Ethelfleda, abbess of Romsey (c.970). St. Clether (c.520).

Readings: Philippians 3:1-8; Luke 9:49-56

For the Commemoration: Galatians 1:11-19; Matthew 13:54-58

Sunday 12th October 2025

Tone 1: Eothinon 7

Sunday of the Holy Fathers of the 7^{th} (Ecumenical Council : 4^{th} of Luke

Holy Martyrs Probus, Tarachus, and Andronicus, at Tarsus in Cilicia (304). St. Cosmas the Hymnographer, bishop of Maiuma (787). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Fiace, disciple of St. Patrick (5th C). St. Mobhi of Glasnevin (544). St. Edwin, King and Martyr (633). St. Wilfrid, archbishop of York (709).

Readings: Titus 3:8-15; Luke 8:5-8a,9-15,8b

Monday 13th October 2025

Holy martyrs Carpus, Papylus, Agathadorus, and Agathonica, at Pergamum (251). St. Nicetas the Confessor of Paphlagonia (838). Hieromartyr Benjamin the deacon, of Persia (5th C). Martyr Florentius of Thessalonica (2nd C). New Great Martyr Chryse (Zlata) of Meglin (1795). Return of the relics of the Venerable and God-Bearing Father, Sabbas the Sanctified (532) to the monastery of Massaba in Jordan on October 24th 1965. Hieromartyr Jacob of Hamatoura.

British Isles and Ireland: St. Comgan, brother of St. Kentigern (8th C). Holy Martyrs Fyncana and Fyndoca of Scotland.

Readings: Philippians 1:1-7; Luke 7:36-50

Tuesday 14th October 2025

Holy Martyrs Nazarius, Gervasius, Protasius, and Celsius of Milan (1st C). St. Parasceva (Petka) of Epibatima, Thrace, whose relics are in Iasi, Romania (11th C). St. Cosmas the Hagiopolite (8th C). St. Ignatius, metropolitan of Mithymna (1566). St. Nikola Sviatosha, prince of Chernigov and wonderworker of the Kiev Caves (1143). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Burchard, 1st bishop of Wurzburg, English missionary to Germany (754). St. Manaccus, abbot of Holyhead (6th C).

Readings: Philippians 1:8-14; Luke 8:1-3

Wednesday 15th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Holy Martyr Lucian, presbyter of Antioch (312). Venerable Sabinus, bishop of Catania (760). St. Euthymius the New, Confessor of Thessalonica (889). St. Varsus (Barses) the Confessor (4th C). Holy Martyrs Sarbelius and Bebai (Barbea) of Edessa (2nd C). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Thecla of Wimborne, abbess and missionary (786).

Readings: Philippians 1:12-20; Luke 8:22-25

Thursday 16th October 2025

Holy Martyr Longinus the Centurion, who stood at the Cross of the Lord (1st C). Holy Martyrs Isaurus and Aphrodisius, who suffered with St. Longinus (1st C). Appearance of the Archangel Michael at Mont St. Michel (8th C).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Gall, hermit and missionary at Bangor and Luxeuil, Enlightener of Switzerland (646). St. Lull of Malmesbury, missionary in Germany (787). Holy martyr Eliphius (Eloff) (362). St. Vitalis (Vial), Hermit, Confessor (740).

Readings: Philippians 1:20-27; Luke 9:7-11

Friday 17th October 2025

Fast day: strict fast

Holy Martyrs and Unmercenaries Cosmas and Damian of Arabia, and their brothers Leontius, Anthimus, and Eutropius (4th C). Righteous Prophet Hosea (Osee) (820 BC). Monk-Martyr Righteous Andrew of Crete (767). Martyr Queen Shushaniki (Susanna) of Georgia (475). Translation of the relics (898) of St. Lazarus 'of the four days' (in the tomb), bishop of Kition on Cyprus.

British Isles and Ireland: SS Ethelred (Ailred) and Ethelbert, Princes of Kent (c.640). St. Regulus (Rule), who brought the relics of St. Andrew to Scotland (4th C). St. Colman, abbot-bishop of Kilroot (5th C). St. Louthiern, bishop (6th C). St. Nothelm, 10th archbishop of Canterbury (739).

Readings: Philippians 1:27-2:4; Luke 9:12-18

Saturday 18th October 2025

The Holy Apostle & Evangelist Luke (1st C)

St. Julian, hermit of Mesopotamia (4th C). Holy Martyr Marinus the Elder at Anazarbus (4th C). SS Symeon, Theodore, and Euphrosyne, who found the Icon of the Mother of God in the Great Cave of Peloponnesus (9th C). St. Peter of Cetinje, metropolitan of Montenegro (1830). New Martyrs Gabriel and Cirmidol of Egypt (1522).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Gwen, sister of St. Nonna (5th C). St. Wenna, martyred at Talgarth (492). SS Brothen and Gwendolen of Wales (6th C). St. Monon, hermit and martyr (645).

Readings: 1 Corinthians 15:58-16:3; Luke 6:1-10

For the Commemoration: Colossians 4:5-11,14-18; Luke 10:16-21

Sunday 19th October 2025

Tone 2: Eothinon 8

19th after Pentecost: 3rd of Luke

Righteous Prophet Joel (800 BC). Holy Martyr Varus, and with him six Monk-Martyrs (c.307). New Monk-Martyr Nicholas Dvali of Jerusalem (1314). Hieromartyr Mnason, bishop of Cyprus (1st C). Translation of the relics (1195) of St. John, abbot of Rila in Bulgaria (946). Righteous John, the Wonderworker of Kronstadt (1908). *British Isles and Ireland:* St. Frideswide, abbess of Oxford (c.735). St. Ethbin the Recluse (600). Hieromartyr Ednoth, bishop of Dorchester-on-Thames (1016).

Readings: 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9; Luke 7:11-16

Monday 20th October 2025

Great Martyr Artemius at Antioch (362). St. Matrona of Chios (1462). St. Gerasimus the New Ascetic, of Cephalonia (1579). Holy Martyr Zebinas of Caesarea in Palestine. Translation of the relics of New Martyr Ignatius of Mt. Athos (1814).

British Isles and Ireland: St. Acca, bishop of Hexham (c.740). St. Aidan, bishop of Mayo (768). SS Bradan and Orora (Crora) of Man.

Readings: Philippians 2:12-16; Luke 9:18-22