SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

The Holy Bishop and Martyr Denis the Areopagite.
[Readings for the Bishop-Martyr: Acts 17:16-34; Matthew 13:44-54]

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. The Holy Martyr Hierotheus, Bishop of Athens. Our Venerable Father Francis of Assisi.
VES 47-50; DL 128-132; MAT 76-79; 107-111; 143; OCT 36-38; JK OCT 37-40; STSP 1992, 269-270.
Katavasiai: Canon of the Theotokos (“I shall open my mouth”).
Epistle, 2 Corinthians 11:31-12:9; Gospel, Luke 6:31-36 (Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost; Second after the Holy Cross)
Patronal Note: In Franciscan communities, this day is observed as a patronal feast. Follow Format 17 and Common 8 for a Venerable. Proper texts for this feast may be found in FM 498-505.

SUMMARY OF THE DIVINE LITURGY

Sunday Antiphons
Troparia of Resurrection Tone 2
v. Glory ... Now and ever ...
Kontakion of Resurrection Tone 2
Prokeimenon, and Alleluia, Resurrection Tone 2
Epistle, Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost (EOT 108; 2011 EOT 106-107)
Gospel, Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost
Communion Hymn: of Sunday

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

The Holy Martyr Charitina.
Epistle, Phillippines 2:12-16; Gospel, Luke 6:24-30 (Twentyeth Week after Pentecost; Third after the Holy Cross)

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

The Holy and Glorious Apostle Thomas.
Special psalms at the Matins Kathismata: Ps 18[19]; 20[21].
Katavasiai: Canon of the Theotokos (“I shall open my mouth”).
Ambon Prayer 69: “O Lord our God, through your holy apostle Thomas...” (Common for Apostles)
Patronal Note: In churches dedicated to St. Thomas, follow Format 9 with additional texts from the Common for an Apostle (OGM 79-88). The patronal procession may follow the Divine Liturgy, see Format 9.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

The Holy Martyrs Sergius and Bacchus.
There are stichera at the Praises for the Martyrs.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

Our Venerable Mother Pelagia.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

Saints Andronicus and Athanasia are remembered at Compline. Readings at Vespers, Matins Prokeimenon and Gospel and Katavasiai: as for October 6 above.
Ambon Prayer 69: “O Lord our God, through your holy apostle James...” (Common for Apostles)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

The Holy Martyrs Eulampius and Eulamnia.