

Divine liturgy Propers, December 6
OUR HOLY FATHER NICHOLAS THE WONDER-WORKER,
ARCHBISHOP OF MYRA IN LYCIA

A native of Lycia, he became a monk at the New Sion monastery. When his parents died, he gave his entire inheritance to the poor. Ordained a priest in Patara, he was famous for his almsgiving. He was chosen as archbishop of Myra, and was a model shepherd in his care for the people of his flock. He was present at the First Ecumenical Council (Nicea, 325). Full of years, he entered into rest. (343)

Hymn



1. O	who	loves	Ni - cho - las	the	Saint - ly,	O	who	serves	
2. O	who	dwells	in	God's	ho - ly	is	our	help	
3. Saint	Ni - cho - las,	pray	for	us	who	love	you.	O	Fa - ther,
1. <i>O</i>	<i>kto</i>	<i>kto</i>	<i>Ni - ko - la - ja</i>	<i>l'u - bit,</i>	<i>O</i>	<i>kto,</i>	<i>kto</i>		
2. <i>O</i>	<i>kto,</i>	<i>kto</i>	<i>ži - vet</i>	<i>v je - ho</i>	<i>dvo - ry</i>	<i>Po - mo - ščnik</i>			
3. <i>Ni - ko</i>	<i>- laj,</i>	<i>mo - li - sja</i>	<i>za</i>	<i>na - mi,</i>	<i>Pro - sim</i>	<i>t'a</i>			

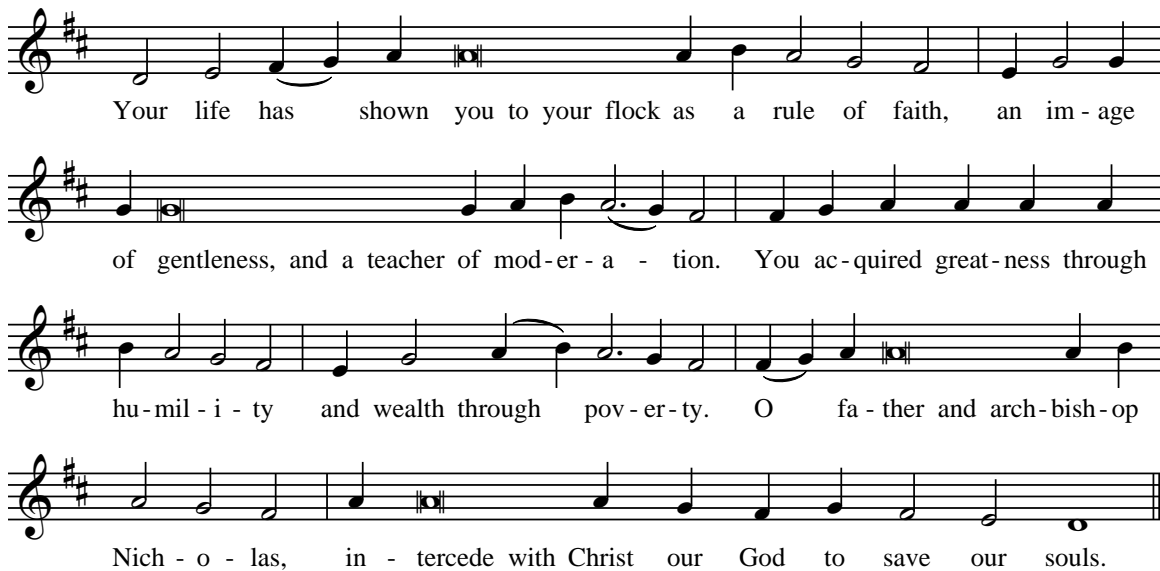


Ni - cho - las	the	Saint - ly,	Him	will	Ni - cho - las	re - ceive,					
on	the	land	and	o - ceans.	He	will	guard	us	from	all	ills,
hum - bly	we	be - seech	you.	We	will	al - ways	praise	your	name;		
<i>Ni - ko - la - ju</i>	<i>slu - žit,</i>	<i>To - mu</i>	<i>svja - tyj</i>	<i>Ni - ko - laj</i>							
<i>na</i>	<i>zem - l'i</i>	<i>i</i>	<i>mo - r'i.</i>	<i>Iz - met</i>	<i>je - ho</i>	<i>ot</i>	<i>na - pa - sti</i>				
<i>vsi</i>	<i>so</i>	<i>sle - za - mi.</i>	<i>My</i>	<i>t'a</i>	<i>bu - dem</i>	<i>vo - schva - l'a - ti</i>					



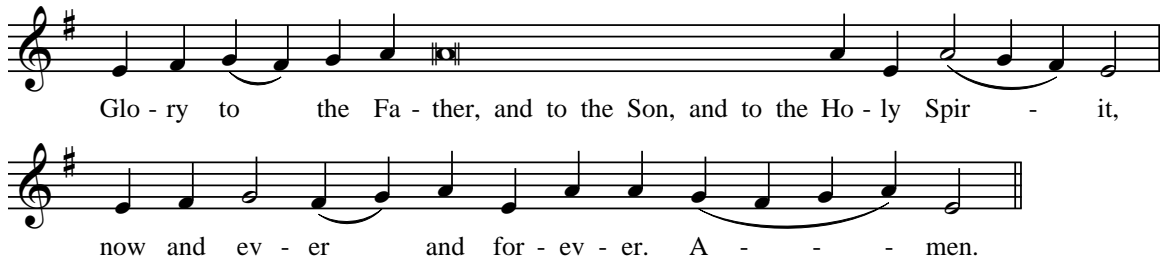
and	give	help	in	time	of	need.	Ho - ly	Fa - ther	Ni - cho - las.
keep	us	pure	and	free	from	sins,	Ho - ly	Fa - ther	Ni - cho - las.
your	great	deeds	we	will	pro - claim		for - ev - er,	for - ev - er.	
<i>Na</i>	<i>vsja - kij</i>	<i>čas</i>	<i>po - ma - haj,</i>	<i>Ni - ko - laj,</i>	<i>Ni - ko - laj.</i>				
<i>Ne</i>	<i>dast' je - mu</i>	<i>v hr'i - chi</i>	<i>v pa - sti:</i>	<i>Ni - ko - laj,</i>	<i>Ni - ko - laj.</i>				
<i>Im - ja</i>	<i>tvoj - e</i>	<i>ve - li - ča - ti</i>	<i>Vo</i>	<i>v'i - ki,</i>	<i>vo</i>	<i>v'i - ki.</i>			

Troparion - Tone 4



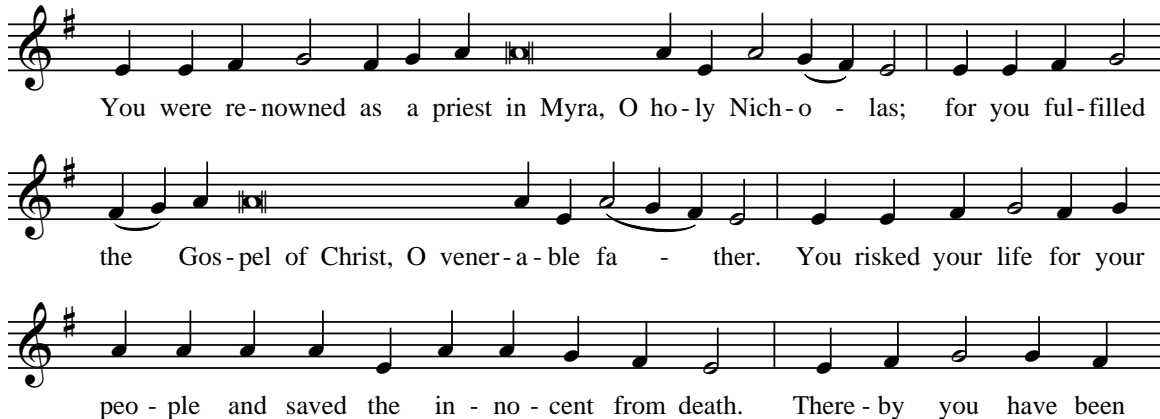
Your life has shown you to your flock as a rule of faith, an im-age
of gentleness, and a teacher of mod-er-a - tion. You ac-quired great-ness through
hu-mil-i - ty and wealth through pov-er-ty. O fa - ther and arch-bish-op
Nich - o - las, in - tercede with Christ our God to save our souls.

Cantor



Glo - ry to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the Ho - ly Spir - it,
now and ev - er and for - ev - er. A - - - men.

Kontakion - Tone 3



You were re-nowned as a priest in Myra, O ho-ly Nich-o - las; for you ful-filled
the Gos-pel of Christ, O vener-a-ble fa - ther. You risked your life for your
peo - ple and saved the in - no - cent from death. There - by you have been

in - i - tiated into the mys-te - ries of the grace of God.

Prokeimenon - Tone 7 (Psalm 63:11,2):

The just man will re-joice in the Lord, re - joice in the Lord

and will put his trust in him.

Verse: Hear my voice, O God, when I pray to you.

Alleluia - Tone 4 (Psalm 131:9; 111:1):

Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - - - ia!

Verse: Your priests will be clothed with righteousness and your saints will rejoice.

Verse: Happy the man who fears the Lord and greatly delights in his commands.

Cherubic Hymn

on the hymn, "O kto, kto"

Let us, who mys-tic-'ly rep-re-sent the cher-u-bim, and sing the thrice-ho-ly

hymn to the life - cre - at - ing, life - cre - at - ing Trin - i - ty,

now set a - side all earth - ly cares.

A - men. That we may re-ceive the King of All, in - vis - i - bly
 es - cort - ed by an - gel - ic hosts. Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!
 Al - - le - lu - ia!

Anamnesis Acclamation

We praise you, we bless you, we thank you, thank you, O Lord,
 and we pray to you, our God, and we pray to you, our God,
 and we pray to you, our God.

Communion Hymn (Psalm 111:6,7):

The just man will be re-mem-bered for ev - er; e - vil news he will not fear.
Refrain
 Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia!