The holy apostles Peter and Paul
June 29

1. Let us with crowns of praises crown Saint Peter and Saint Paul
2. Let us, now joined in glad-some hymns, praise their apostolate,
3. With endless glory let us now praise Father and the Son

Who, separate in body, were both joined in faithful call.
Come sing of their epistles bold, and praise their martyr's fate.
And with the Holy Spirit, God, the Three who are but One!

Saint Peter, Gospel witness chief, Saint Paul, with work now ceased
Saint Peter, who for love of Christ took death upon the cross,
From mouths of Peter and of Paul, from choirs of saints ascend

Both stand, arrayed in white, before the throne of
And headman's cruel sword-stroke brought for Paul his
Our hymns of glory and of praise sung now and

Christ, our Priest.
gain, not loss.
with out end.

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