

**Bishop-Martyr Babylas**  
**Prophet Moses, who saw God**  
**September 4**



1. O God of pow - er and of might, the sov' - reign Lord of all,  
2. O God who spoke in cloud and awe and glo - ry from a - bove,  
3. O Fa - ther, Son, and Spi - rit blest, O ho - ly Tri - ni - ty,



Your Church is ga - thered for this feast; oh hear us when we call.  
We thank you for the seer of God, great Mo - ses, your be - loved.  
Guide us through their ex - am - ple brave and great hu - mi - li - ty,



Your bi - shop - ma - rtyr Ba - by - las, though bound in i - ron chains,  
He met you in the burn - ing bush, re - ceived the ho - ly Law,  
And bring us with these saints of yours be - side you soon to stand



Was faith - ful un - to death and thus our lead - er he re - mains.  
And led your peo - ple faith - ful - ly, re - count - ing what he saw.  
With - in your heav - 'nly courts to be, the last and Pro - mised Land!

Text: JMT, based on the Vespers stichera for September 4

Melody: *Pod tvoј pokrov / We hasten to your patronage* (traditional)