**29. NOVEMBER. 2020. 25-th. SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. TONE - 8.**

**HOLY APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST MATTHEW ( 60 ).**

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**TROPAR OF SUNDAY IN TONE – 8.**

You descended from on high, O Merciful One. You accepted the three-day burial to free us from our passions. Our life and resurrection; O Lord, Glory to You.

**TROPAR OF THE TEMPLE (ST. ELIA) IN TONE-4.**  
 An angel incarnate, the foundation of prophets and second forerunner of the coming of Christ, glorious Elias sent grace from on high to Elisha to cast out sickness and cleanse lepers. Therefore he pours forth healing for all who honour him.

**TROPAR OF APOSTLE IN TONE-3.**

You abandoned the tax-booth and followed Christ the Master, Who, in His goodness, became a man on earth. You were chosen to be one of the apostles and a clarion-voiced proclaimer of the Holy Gospel to the whole world. Therefore, we honor your precious memory, O divinely eloquent Matthew. Pray to the merciful God, that He grant remission of sins for our souls.

**KONDAK OF SUNDAY IN TONE-8.** Having risen from the tomb, You raised the dead and resurrected Adam. Eve rejoices in Your resurrection and the ends of the earth celebrate Your rising from the dead, O Greatly Merciful One.

**KONDAK OF TEMPLE (ST. ELIA) IN TONE-2.** O greatly renowned Prophet Elias, who foresaw the great deeds of our God; you stopped the rains of heaven by your command. Intercede for us with the only Lover of mankind.

**GLORY** to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

**KONDAK OF APOSTLE IN TONE-4.**

You did cast off the yoke of your publican’s office, then you accepted the yoke of righteousness and became a most excellent merchant, bringing in the wisdom from on high as riches. You preached the Word of truth and did uplift the souls of the despondent, by preaching about the hour of judgment.

**NOW AND FOREVER** and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**THEOTOKION IN TONE – 6.**

O Protection of Christians that cannot be put to shame, unchanging mediation unto the Creator, do not despise the suppliant voices of sinners, but be quick to come to our aid, O Good One, who in faith cry out to You: hasten to intercession and come quickly to make supplication, for You, O Theotokos, always protect those who honour You.

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**COMMUNION VERSE:**

“ Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Alleluia.”

“ Their proclamation has gone into all the earth and their words to the ends of the

universe. Alleluia.”

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**MATINS:** Mark: 3. Reading 71. Mk. 16 : 9 - 20.

**EPISTLE:** Ephesians. Reading 224. Eph. 4 : 1 - 6.

1 Corinthians. Reading 131. 1 Cor. 4 : 9 - 16.

**GOSPEL:** Luke. Reading 53. Lk. 10 : 25 - 37.

Matthew. Reading 30. Mt. 9 : 9 - 13.

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**PRIEST** : “ Wisdom.”

**READER : “ PROKIMEN IN TONE – 8.** Pray and give glory to the Lord our God.”

**CHOIR :** “ Pray and give glory to the Lord our God.”

**READER :** “ In Judah God is known; His Name is great in Israel.”

**CHOIR :** “ Pray and give glory to the Lord our God.”

**READER : “ ANOTHER PROKIMEN IN TONE – 8.** Their proclamation has gone into all

the earth and their words to the ends of the universe.”

**CHOIR : “** Their proclamation has gone into all the earth and their words to the

ends of the universe.”

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**THE EPISTLE**

**READER** : “ And to your spirit.”

**PRIEST** : “ Wisdom.”

**READER : “ ALLELUIA IN TONE – 8.** Come let us rejoice in the Lord. Let us shout

with joy to God our Saviour.”

**CHOIR :** “ Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.”

**READER :** “ Let us come before His face with thanksgiving, and with psalms let

us shout with joy to Him.”

**CHOIR :** “ Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.”

**READER**  : “ **ANOTHER ALLELUIA IN TONE – 1.** The heavens confess Your

wonders, O Lord, and Your truth in the congregation of the saints.”

**CHOIR** : “ Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.”

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