**5, SEPTEMBER, 2021. 11-th. SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST. TONE-2.**

 **AFTERFEAST OF THE DORMITION.**

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**TROPAR OF SUNDAY IN TONE-2.**

 When You descended to death, O Life Immortal, You destroyed hades with the lightning of Your Divinity. And when from the depths You raised the dead, all the Powers of Heaven cried out: O Giver of Life, Christ our God, glory to You.

**TROPAR OF DORMITION IN TONE-1.** In giving birth, You did preserve Your virginity, in falling-asleep you did not forsake the world, O Theotokos. You who are the Mother of Life were translated unto life, and by Your prayers You deliver our souls from death.

**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.

**KONDAK OF SUNDAY IN TONE-2.** You arose from the tomb Almighty Saviour, and Hades was terrified on beholding the wonder, and the dead arose and creation seeing this, rejoices with You, and Adam is joyful, and the world, O my Saviour, praises You forever.

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

**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.

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

**KONDAK OF DORMITION IN TONE-2.** Neither the tomb nor death could hold the Theotokos, who is sleepless in Her prayers and an unfailing hope in Her intercession. For as the Mother of Life She has been translated to Life by Him Who dwelt within her Ever-Virginal Womb.
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**MATINS:** John. 11. Reading. 67. Jn. 21 : 15 - 25.

**EPISTLE:** 1 Corinthians. Reading. 141. 1 Cor. 9 : 2 -12.

 Philippians. Reading. 240. Phil. 2 : 5 -11.

**GOSPEL:** Matthew. Reading. 77. Mt. 18 : 23 - 35.

**GOSPEL:** Luke. Reading. 54. Lk. 10 : 38 – 42; 11:27-28.

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**READER : “ PROKIMEN IN TONE – 2.** The Lord is my strength and my song, and
 He has become my salvation.”

**CHOIR** : “ The Lord is my strength and my song, and He has become my
 salvation.”

**READER** : “ With chastisement the Lord has chastened me, but He has not
 given me over to death.”

**CHOIR** : “ The Lord is my strength and my song, and He has become my
 salvation.”

**READER** : “ **ANOTHER PROKIMEN IN TONE – 3.** My soul magnifies the Lord and
 my spirit has rejoiced in God my Saviour.”

**CHOIR** : “ My soul magnifies the Lord and my spirit has rejoiced in God my

 Saviour.”

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**READER** : “ **ALLELUIA IN TONE – 2.** May the Lord hear you in the day of affliction,

 may the Name of the God of Jacob defend you. Alleluia.”

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

**READER** : “ Lord, save the king and hearken unto us on the day we call upon
 You. Alleluia.”

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

**READER** : “ **ANOTHER ALLELIA IN TONE -2.** Arise, O Lord, into Your rest; You and the

 Ark of Your holiness. Alleluia.”

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

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 **COMMUNION VERSE:**

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

“ I will take the cup of salvation and call upon the Name of the Lord. Alleluia.”

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**INSTEAD OF “ IT IS TRULY WORTHY…”** Behold the Dormition of the Most-Pure One, the angels were amazed, seeing how the Virgin went up from earth to heaven.

**IRMOS, IN TONE – 1.** In You, O Pure Virgin, the bounds of nature are overcome: for childbirth is virginal and life is betrothed to death. O Theotokos, Virgin after childbirth and alive after death, ever save Your inheritance.

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