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Hieromartyr Theodotus

TROPARION (General) - Tone 4

(None given in the Menaion)

Thy holy martyr Theodotus, O Lord, /
Through his sufferings received his incorruptible crowns from
Thee, our God /
For having Thy strength he laid low his enemies /
And shattered the powerless boldness of demons ///
Through his intercessions, O Christ God, save our souls.

KONTAKION - Tone 3:

By exposing the seas of false belief /
Thou didst capsize the godless pride of idolatry /
Through the strength of the Orthodox faith, /
Becoming thyself a burnt offering to the Lord /
Showering thy miracles now upon the earth, /
O holy hierarch, father Theodotus, ///
Pray Christ God that He grant us great mercy.