

OCTOBER 3

Hieromartyr Dionysius the Areopagite, Bp. Of Athens

TROPAR - Tone 4

Having been well instructed in goodness /
And being temperate in all things, /
Thou wast clothed in good conscience as befits a priest /
And from the chosen vessel, Paul, thou didst draw ineffable mysteries. /
Having kept the faith, /
Thou didst complete a course like his. ///O hieromartyr Dionysius, intercede with Christ God, that our souls
may be saved.

KONDAK - Tone 8

Being a disciple of the apostle Paul who ascended to the third
heaven of paradise /
Thou didst pass beyond the gates of heaven in the spirit;
And being enriched with the understanding of the ineffable mysteries /
Thou didst enlighten those who sat in the darkness of ignorance ///Therefore, we cry to thee: Rejoice, O universal father Dionysius!