

MAY 6

Righteous Job the Long-suffering

TROPARION - Tone 1

Beholding the great wealth of his virtues /
The enemy of righteousness connived to rob Job of all his
riches. /
Though he tore down the fortress of his body /
He found the soul of the blameless one fortified. /
He could not steal the treasure of his spirit, /
But as for me, the enemy left me both naked and bound in
chains. /
Forestalling then my weakness before the end ///
Deliver me from the lying tempter, O my Savior, and save me.

KONTAKION - Tone 8

Thou wast revealed as one truthful and righteous, O glorious
Job, /
Rightly bless't and blameless and divinely-wise. /
Thy valor in affliction hath enlightened the whole world, O
true favorite of God. ///
Therefore, we praise thy memory, O long-suffering one.