

APRIL 23

Greatmartyr and Victory-Bearer George

TROPARION - Tone 4

*(from the Slav Menaion)*

Thou didst fight the good fight, O martyr of Christ, /  
By faith denouncing the faithlessness of those who tortured  
thee; /  
Thou didst present thyself as a well-pleasing sacrifice to  
God, /  
Receiving from Him thy crown of victory. ///  
By thy prayers, O holy one, may we receive the forgiveness  
of our sins.

KONTAKION - Tone 4

God hath made thee His own husbandman, /  
For thou hast gathered for thyself the sheaves of virtue; /  
Through thy suffering at the shedding of thy blood didst  
attain to Christ. /  
And having sown in tears, thou dost now reap with joy, ///  
Through thy prayers, obtain the forgiveness of our sins, O  
greatmartyr George.