

MAR 17

Alexis, Man of God

TROPAR - Tone 4

Having ascended to the heights of virtue and having
 cleansed thy mind, /
Thou didst attain thy heart's desire: /
Thou didst adorn thy life with dispassion, /
And didst embark upon the way of fasting with a conscience
 clean; /
In prayer thou didst become as like unto angels /
And shone forth brighter than sun upon the earth, ///
O most blessed Alexis

KONTAKION - Tone 2

Looking upon thy parents' home as a foreign land /
Thou didst come to dwell therein in the guise of a pauper; /
And receiving upon thy repose the crown of glory, /
Thou wast revealed as being wondrous here on earth, ///
O Alexis, Man of God, joy of both the angels and mankind.