

JUNE 2

Ven. Nicephorus, Patriarch of Constantinople

(pronounced: Nikíforos)

TROPARION - Tone 4

In truth thou wast revealed to thy flock as a rule of faith,
A model of humility and teacher of abstinence, /
So thou didst win the heights of humility, riches by poverty; /
O holy hierarch, father Nikiphorus, /
Intercede with Christ our God to save our souls.

KONTAKION - Tone 4

O most glorious Nikiphorus /
Thou didst receive from the heavens a crown of victory from God; ///
Save those who faithfully honor thee as a leading hierarch and
teacher of Christ.