

OCT 19

Holy Prophet Joel; Martyr Varus

TROPARION (*Prophet*)- Tone 2 (*General - no Troparion given the Menaion*)

We celebrate the memory /
Of Thy prophet Joel, O Lord /
Through him, we implore Thee, ///
To save our souls.

TROPARION (*Martyr*) - Tone 4

Thy holy martyr Varus, O Lord /
Through his sufferings received his incorruptible crown from Thee,
our God. /
For having Thy strength he laid low his enemies /
And shattered the powerless boldness of demons. ///
Through his intercessions, O Christ God, save our souls.

KONTAKION (*Martyr*) - Tone 4

Following the example of Christ, /
Thou didst drink of His cup, O martyr Varus. /
Through thy sufferings thou didst receive thy crown /
And dost rejoice now with the angels. ///
Pray now without ceasing on behalf of our souls.