

Nov 7 The Commemoration of the 33 Martyrs in Melitine; and our
venerable father Lazarus of Mt. Galesius.

Troparion (Martyrs) - Tone 4

Thy holy martyrs, O Lord, /
Through their sufferings received their incorruptible crowns
from Thee, our God /
For having Thy strength they laid low their enemies /
And shattered the powerless boldness of demons ///
Through their intercessions, O Christ God, save our souls.

Troparion (Saint) - Tone 8

Thine abundant tears made the wilderness sprout and bloom /
And thy suffering made thy labors fruitful a hundredfold /
Thou hast become a shining torch over all the world ///
O our holy father Lazarus, pray to Christ God that He may save
our souls.

The Kontakion (Saint) - Tone 4

On this day, the Church of Christ celebrates with hymns of
praise /
As it glorifies thee as a brightly shining star, /
And we entreat thee to ceaselessly pray to Christ our God /
That He may grant to all the forgiveness of our sins ///
O ven' rable father Lazarus.

The Kontakion (Martyrs) - Tone 8

The light-bearing company of the martyrs shine down from heaven today /
And they wondrously illumine Christ's holy Church with glory. /
Therefore, as we celebrate their memory, we entreat Thee, O our Savior, /
By their prayers deliver us from every danger and misfortune ///
That we may ever sing to Thee: Alleluia!