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Venerable Theophanes the Confessor

TROPAR - Tone 8

As an instructor of Orthodoxy, a teacher of piety and purity, /  
A lamp of the universe, and divinely-inspired enrichment of  
    monastics, /  
O most-wise Theophanes, by thy teachings thou didst enlighten  
    all ///  
O spirit-filled voice, beseech Christ God that our souls may be  
    saved.

KONTAKION - Tone 2

Receiving a divine revelation from on high /  
Thou didst straightway abandon all the cares of this world, /  
And taking up the solitary life, O ven'rable one /  
In exchange for wealth and family life ///  
Thou didst receive the gifts of working wonders and of prophecy.