

✠ **Rest of Our Venerable Father Constantine the Philosopher, in the Monastic Life, Cyril, Teachers of the Slavs; Our Ven. Father Auxentius; Ven. Maron the Wonderworker and Hermit**

Troparion, tone 4: From your childhood you befriended wisdom, \* O God-inspired Cyril. \* Behold her as a pure virgin all radiant \* you took her as a bride for yourself, \* and as with beads of gold \* she adorned your mind and soul. \* O blessed Cyril, \* like your namesake of Alexandria \* we have found you wise in name and truth.

† Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit.

Kontakion, tone 2: With teaching that was sound and divinely inspired \* you enlightened the world as with luminous rays. \* Flashing like lightning and surrounding the world \* you scattered the radiant word of God \* in the west, the north, and the southern lands, \* bringing light to the world with your wonders, O blessed Cyril.

Now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Theotokion, tone 2: The tomb and death could not hold the Mother of God [Theotókos], \* unceasing in her intercession and an unfailing hope of patronage, \* for as the Mother of Life she was transferred to life \* by Him Who dwelt in her ever-virgin womb.

Prokimenon, tone 7: Precious in the sight of the Lord \* is the death of His venerable ones. (Ps. 115:6)

Verse: What shall I render to the Lord for all the things He has rendered to me? (Ps. 115:2)

*Epistle: Hebrews 7:26-8:2, pericope 318*

Alleluia, tone 6: Blessed is the man who fears the Lord; he shall delight exceedingly in His commandments. (Ps. 111:1)

Verse: His posterity shall be mighty upon the earth. (Ps. 111:2)

*Gospel: John 19:9-16, pericope 36*

Communion Verse: The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance; \* of evil hearsay he shall have no fear. (Ps. 111:6-7) Alleluia. (3)

At the Hours

- *First Hour*
  - *Troparion: Day*
  - *Kontakion: Day*
- *Third Hour*
  - *Troparion: Venerable*
  - *Kontakion: Venerable*
- *Sixth Hour*
  - *Troparion: Temple*
  - *Kontakion: Temple*
- *Ninth Hour*
  - *Troparion: Venerable*
  - *Kontakion: Venerable*