

St. Gerard Majella

Troparion for a Venerable One, tone 8: The divine image was faithfully preserved in you, O father, * for taking up the cross you followed Christ. * By your deeds you have taught to see beyond flesh, which passes, * and care of the soul, a thing immortal. * And so, O Venerable Gerard, * your spirit rejoices with the angels.

† Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, * now and for ever and ever. Amen.

Kontakion, tone 2: Divinely armed with purity of spirit * and mightily wielding the lance of unceasing prayers, * you overcame the powers of demons, Venerable Gerard, * pray without ceasing for us all.