



✠ 6. Our Holy Father Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia (Traditionally ca. 337)

Matins Gospel: John 10: 6-16 Pericope no. 36

Troparion, Tone 4

The truth of your deeds made you for your flock
 a rule of faith and an image of meek - ness,
 a teach-er of con-ti-nence. And so you gained the
 heights through hu-mil - i - ty, rich - es through
 pov-er - ty, fa - ther and bish - op Ni - cho - las.
 In - ter - cede with Christ our God for the
 sal - va - tion of our souls.

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

Kontakion, Tone 3

In My - ra, O ho - ly one, you proved
 your-self a priest. You ful - filled the Gos - pel
 of Christ, O vena - ble fa - - - - - ther.
 You laid down your soul for your
 peo - - - - - ple and saved the
 in - no - cent from death.
 And so you were sanc - tified as a great in - i - tiat
 of God's grace.

Tone 7 Prokeimenon - Psalm 63 (64)

The just man shall be glad in the Lord,*
 and shall hope in Him.

Verse: Hear, O God, my voice, when I make my petition to You

Epistle: Hebrews 13: 17-21 Pericope no. 335

Alleluia verses - Psalm 131 (132): Your priests shall clothe themselves with justice, and Your venerable ones shall rejoice. For the Lord has chosen Sion; He has chosen it for His dwelling

Gospel: Luke 6: 17-23 Pericope no. 24

Communion verse - Psalm 111 (112): The just man shall be in everlasting remembrance;* of evil hearsay he shall have no fear Alleluia (Thrice).



HYMN TO ST. NICHOLAS - O KTO KTO

O who loves Nicholas the Saintly,
 O who serves Nicholas the Saintly,
 :Him will Nicholas receive,
 And give help in time of need.
 Holy Father Nicholas.

O who dwells in God's holy mansions
 Is our help on the lands and oceans.
 :He will guard us from all ills,
 Keep us pure and free from sins,
 Holy Father Nicholas.:

Saint Nicholas, pray for us who love you.
 O Father, humbly we beseech you.
 :We will always praise your name,
 Your great deeds we will proclaim
 Forever, forever.:

O kto, kto Nikolaja l'ubit,
 O kto, kto Nikojau služít,
 :Tomu svjatyj Nikolaj
 Na vsjakij čas pomahaj,
 Nikolaj, Nikolaj.:

O kot, kto živet v jeho dvory
 Pomoščnik na zeml'i i mor'i.
 :Izmet jeho ot napasti
 Ne dast' jemu v hr'ichi v pasti
 Nikolaj, Nikolaj.:

Nikolaj, molisja za nami,
 Prosim t'a vsi so slezami.
 :My t'a budem voschval'ati
 Imja tvoje veličati
 Vo v'iki, vo v'iki.: