July 26th

The Venerable Virgin-Martyr Paraskeva of Rome
Exaposteilarion & Theotokion

Byzantine Mode 2
Special Melody: *Hearken, ye women*

1) With the Lord's Cross wast thou made strong; and in contending
2) O censer golden and most pure, thou, Mary, truly

valiantly, O comely virgin and Martyr,
art become the boundless Trinity's vessel,

thou didst destroy tyrants' boldness; now that thou hast received from Christ the prizes of thy victory, O all-wise
was well pleased; in whom the Son made His abode; to whom the

and all marvelous Paraskeva, thou dost pray for
Holy Spirit came, to overshadow and show forth

us who reverence thee with longing.

as Theotokos, O Maiden.

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