

October 24th

# Great-Martyr Arethas (Al-Haarith) & Companions in Arabia

## Exaposteilarion & Theotokion

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

O wise A - re - thas praised of all, with those who shared thy  
suf - fer - ings, pray Christ to grant ho - ly con - cord  
un - to our Or - tho - dox hier - archs and to their god - ly -  
- mind - ed flock, while giv - ing peace to all the world, and par - don  
un - to them that keep your bright and sa - cred re - mem - brance,  
O great and glo - ri - ous Mar - tyr.

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G F E

O The - o - to - kos full of grace, con-ceive-ing in vir -

G

- gin - i - ty, thou didst re - new the cor - rupt - ed

F E G

na - ture of fore - fa - ther Ad - am when thou past na - ture

F E G

brought - est forth cre - a - tion's Lord and Fash - ion - er; made strong by

Him, the Mar - tyrs' choir strove for the prize as they praised thee,

G Un. rit. F G

the first-fruits of our sal - va - tion.