February 10th
Hieromartyr Charalampos the Wonderworker
Stichera at the Praises
(*When February 10 and Meat Fare Saturday coincide, the commemoration of St. Charalampos moves to February 9.)

Byzantine Chant Tone 1
Special Melody: Thou art the joy

1) Gather together with fervor, ye children of Greece; come forth ye all, and honor the most venerable relics of godly Charalampos, who boldly proclaimed Jesus Christ in the stadium, and who convicted the error of godless men as he magnified the Fashioneer.

2) As thou now standest before God, the Holy Trinity, Who numbered thee together with His heavenly Angels, thou prayest Him with fervor, O

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thrice-blessed man, for us all, who reverence with faith
thine honored relics, while asking that we might find
the deliverance from adversities.

3) Upon Greece is arisen the very glorious, festive, and beamsing memory of divine Charalampos. Wherefore, she resplendently keepeth the feast, since she hath the all-holy head of him that openly heralded Christ the Lord as the God-man unto all the world.

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