December 14th
Martyrs Thyrsos, Leukios & Kallinikos of Apollonia;
Martyrs Philemon, Apollonios, Hypatios & Arrianos of Alexandria
Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried" (1st set)

Byzantine Mode 4
Special Melody: As one valiant

1) Christ the Master provided thee with the breast-plate of piety, O all-launted Thyrsos, and made thee powerful when thou didst go forth against the dread array of the enemy, whom thou clavest with the spear of thy patience and fortitude, wholly blotting out his ten thousands; and thou wast crowned with shining crowns of victory, O Great Martyr, who strov' est bravely in many pains.

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2) Martyr Leukios, thou didst reveal the all-pure whiteness of thy soul in thy comely body and through the purity of thy confession; hence, Christ made thee illustrious on the earth as the worthy namesake of white, the color of purity; pray, O glorious one, that He rescue from dangers and corruption them that faithfully do honor thine ever venerable memory.
3) Thou didst prove right victorious in thy fight, O Kallinikos, being named beforehand what thou wouldst be in deeds; and with the beauty of contests and the whitening of punishments, imitating Leukios well, thou didst make thy soul very white; and thou didst convict the ungodly opinion of the lawless and didst end the gloom of error, with the divine power helping thee.