

December 14th

**Martyrs Thyrsos, Leukios & Kallinikos of Apollonia;
Martyrs Philemon, Apollonios, Hypatios & Arrianos of Alexandria**

Byzantine Chant Tone/Mode 4

Special Melody: *Unto them that fear thee*

Adapted by Dn. John El Massih

4) Thyr-sos the most mar - vel - ous and god - ly - mind - ed Kal -

Un. E
- li - ni - kos with brave Leu - kios the glo - ri - ous, en -

G E
-dured ver - y griev - ous pains and un - spar - ing tor - ments

with most brave re - solve while con - fess - ing as thē on - ly God

the un - cre - at - ed and Ho - ly Trin - i - ty; and

they, as no - ble vic - tors hav - ing now re - ceived their tri -

G E
- um - phal crowns, are be - come fel - low cit - i - zens

with the hosts im - ma - te - ri - al.

E Un.
 5) Might-y and au - gust Phil - e - mon and thrice - bless - ed A -
E
 - ri - an - nos, with the wise A - pol - lo - ni - os, ex -
G
 - tin - guished the burn - ing flame of pol - y - the - is - m
E
 with their streams of blood, and they rich - ly wa - tered all thē earth
G
 with god - ly floods of the knowl - edge of our God; and
E
 with the rains of heal - ings, by the grace of God, the vic -
G
 - to - ri - ous Mar - tylrs dry up the riv - ers of
E
 ev - 'ry pas - sion and suf - fer - ing.
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Un.

6) Hav - ing bloomed as fair - est flow - ers in the mead - ow of

Un. E

mar - tyr - dom, the all - glo - ri - ous Saints of God ex -

G E

-hale the di - vine and sweet fra - grance of the Spir - it;

and they ren - der fra - grant the minds of all them that with faith

hon - or with year - ly me - mo - ri - als and hymns their

con - tests and their wres - tlings and the bless - ed end that they

G E

all re - ceived, and where - by they now dwell with joy

in the light _____ that doth nev - er set.