

October 25th

Martyrs Marcian and Martyrios the Notaries

Stichera at "O Lord, I have cried"

Byzantine Mode 4
Special Melody: *As one valiant*

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E Un.

1) God-ly Mar-cian the glo-ri-ous and the val-iant Mar-tyr - i - os, hav - ing brave - ly fin - ished the course and kept the Faith, have now re - ceived crowns of mar - tyr - dom, those pil - lars im - mov - a - ble, those breasts of the Church of Christ, which gush forth pure and guile-less milk; those re-splen-dent pearls, those most bright lu - mi - nar - ies that a - bun - dant - ly il - lu - min - ate cre - a - tion with fier - y rays of true pi - e - ty.

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2) One in pur - pose and one in__ mind, that di - vine pair of

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Saints de - stroyed Ar - i - us' di - vi - sion of

God the Trin - i - ty and taught all men to re -

-vere the__ Fa - ther's one_____ co - e - ter - nal Son,

co - be - gin - ning - less with Him and the Spir - it of

Ho - li - ness: co - e - ter - nal God: in a Trin - i - ty,

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U - ni - ty; in U - ni - ty, a Trin - i - ty; one

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Na - ture, un - sev - ered in_____ Three Hy - pos - ta - ses.

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3) Ye were seen to be fol - low - ers of God's preach - er, the

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ho - ly Paul, whom ye em - u - lat - ed in



zeal and way of life. And when ye poured out your



blood, ye drowned your im - pi - ous en - e - mies,




dry - ing up the tor - rent of dire and blas - phe - mous



her - e - sies; thus were ye shown forth as great riv - ers of

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pi - e - ty which wa - ter the whole Church of Christ, O

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Mar - cian and ev - er bless - ed Mar - tyr - i - os.