

# November 12: St John the Almsgiver Kontakion, Tone 2

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Thou didst distribute thy wealth to the des - ti - tute, and hast now

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received heavenly riches, O John most wise. Where-fore, cel - e - bra - ting thy

mem - o - ry, we all hon - or thee, O name-sake of alms - giv - ing.

English translation by Isaac E. Lambertsen, "The Menaion of the Orthodox Church", Vol XI,  
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