

December 10: Martyrs Menas, Hermogenes and Eraphus Kontakion, Tone 4

Court Chant
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(*Her-mah'-je-nees*)

The right melodious sound of thy words, leading Hermogenes up from the abyss

(*Eu-graph'-us*)

of per-di-tion, set him upon the rock of life; and Eraphus, having denounced

the em-per-or, hath his glorious head severed, re-joic - ing. And do thou

(*Mee'-nas*)

earnestly pray, O Me-nas, that all who honor thee with love may be saved.

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St. John of Kronstadt Press, ©1996. The entire service text may be purchased through: sjkp.org