



# SAINT THEODOSIUS ABBOT OF THE KIEV CAVES LAVRA FOUNDER OF MONASTICISM IN RUSSIA

May 3

Apolytikion

Plagal Fourth Mode

150

Ἦχος λ̄ δ̄

Intonation: #25



(Γ) (N)  $\Delta$  9  
ais - ing thy - self a - loft up-on vir - - tue and hav -

ing loved the mo - nas - tic life from thy youth,  $\Delta$  9 thou didst val - iant - ly

(Π) (M) (Γ) (Π) (N)  
at - tain\_\_ to\_\_ thy de - - sire.  $\Delta$  9 Thou didst set - tle in a cave,

and while a - dorn - ing thy life with fast - - - ing and pu - ri - ty,  $\Delta$  9

<sup>(M)</sup> <sup>(Γ)</sup>  
 thou didst per - se - vere in prayers like one of the\_\_ bod - i - - less.

<sup>(M)</sup> <sup>(N)</sup>  
 And since thou hast shone forth in the Rus - sian land\_\_ as a bril - liant

<sup>(Γ)</sup> <sup>(N)</sup> <sup>(M)</sup> <sup>(Γ)</sup>  
 lamp, O Fa - ther The - o - do - - sius, pray Christ God that our\_\_ souls be\_

<sup>(M)</sup> <sup>(Γ)</sup>  
 \_\_ saved.



THE KIEV CAVES LAVRA