

Troparion of the
Holy Royal Martyrs of Russia

Commemorated July 4th

Tone V

Znamenny Chant

Meek - ly didst thou en-dure the loss of thine earthly
king - dom, the bonds and di - verse suf-fer-ings in - flic - ted on thee
by those op - posed to God; and didst bear wit - ness for Christ
ev - en un - to death, O great pas - sion bear-er, div - ine - ly-crowned Tsar
Nicholas. Wherefore Christ God hath crowned thee in the heavens with a martyr's crown,
to - geth-er with thy queen, thy chil - dren and thy ser-vants. Him do thou be -
seech to have mer - cy on the Russian land and save our souls.