

December 6th

# Nicholas the Wonderworker, Archbishop of Myra in Lycia

## Exaposteilaria & Theotokion

Byzantine Mode 2  
Special Melody: *Hearken, ye women*



1) We all ex - tol\_\_ Saint Nich - o - las, the great chief shep - herd  
2) *Both in thy life\_\_ and af - ter death, O ho - ly Hier - arch*  
3) O Vir - gin, who didst bear\_\_ Christ God, the hy - po - stat - ic



of\_\_ Christ's flock, our ho - ly Fa - ther\_\_ and hier - arch,  
*Nich - o - las, thou hast been glo - ri - fied great - ly*  
Wis - dom, and the Word Tran - scen - dent\_\_ in Es - sence,



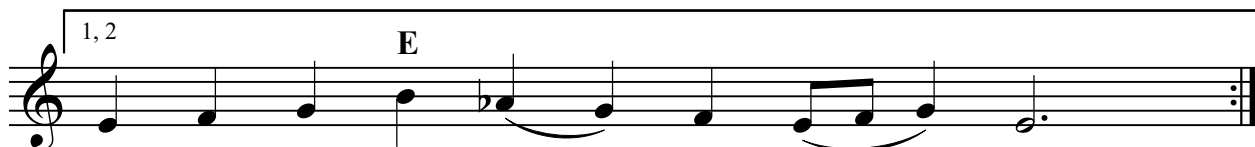
thē all - wise pre - late\_\_ of My - ra; for man - y men\_\_ that  
*by God with man - i - fold won - ders; for who hath ev - er*  
and the Phy - si - cian\_\_ of all\_\_ men, heal thou the chron - ic



were con - demned to die un - just - ly, he\_\_ hath saved; and in a  
*but\_\_ called out up - on thy blest\_\_ and ho - ly name with all his*  
and\_\_ se - vere un - treat - ed wounds and o - pen sores where - with my



dream A - bla - bi - us and the good Sov - 'reign be - held\_\_ him  
*faith,\_\_ and not\_\_ straight - way been hear - kened to, hav - ing found thee*  
wretch - ed soul\_\_ doth ail; and do thou end thē\_\_ un - seem - ly



an - nul the most un - just sen - tence.  
*to be a fer - vent\_\_ pro - tec - tor?*



thoughts of my heart, O pure La - dy.