

PROPER OF SAINTS

November 30

ANDREW II

Apostle

ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS

Jesus said to Simon † and his brother Andrew, * come with me
and I will make you fishers of people.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

Some Greeks said, † Sir, we should like to see Jesus. * Philip and
Andrew went to tell Jesus.

December 21

THOMAS II

Apostle

ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS:

Because you have seen me, Thomas, † you have found faith. * Happy are
those who never saw me and yet have found faith, alleluia.

*[The “Great O” antiphons take precedence during Advent, so no antiphon is provided for the
Magnificat.]*

December 27

JOHN II

Apostle and Evangelist

ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS

It is this disciple † who is the witness to these things * and we
know that his testimony is true.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

This is the same John † who lay close to Jesus’ breast at the last
supper, * the disciple whom Jesus loved.

February 24**MATTHIAS II***Apostle***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Peter said, † We must choose someone who has been with us * the whole time that Spirit went in and out among us.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

They prayed and drew lots; † the lot fell to Matthias, * and he was enrolled with the eleven apostles.

April 25**MARK II***Evangelist***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Go out to the whole world; † proclaim the Good News to all creation. * Whoever believes and is baptized will be saved, Alleluia.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

Get Mark † and bring him with you, * for I find him a useful assistant, Alleluia.

May 1**PHILIP AND JAMES II***Apostles***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Have I been all this time with you, Philip, † and you still do not know me? * Anyone who has seen me has seen God in heaven, Alleluia.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

Anyone who has faith in me † will do what I am doing, * and greater things still, because I am going to God, Alleluia.

June 11**BARNABAS II***Apostle***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Barnabas † was a good man, * filled with the Holy Spirit and with faith.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

Barnabas and Saul † met with the church and taught many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called Christians.

July 25**JAMES II***Apostle***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Any one † who wants to be great among you must be your servant, * for Spirit came to serve, not to be served.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

King Herod † started persecuting certain members of the church. * He beheaded James, the brother of John.

August 24**BARTHOLOMEW II***Apostle***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

The greatest among you † must behave as the youngest, * the leader as the one who serves.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

You will eat and drink † at my table in my realm, * and you will sit on thrones to judge the twelve tribes of Israel.

September 21**MATTHEW II***Apostle and Evangelist***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Jesus saw a man named Matthew † sitting by the customs house and said to him, Follow me. * Matthew got up and followed Jesus.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

Jesus said, † I have not come to call the righteous * but sinners to repentance.

October 18**LUKE II***Evangelist***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

I have decided † to write an account of the events that have taken place among us * so you may learn how well-founded the teaching is that you have received.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

God has sent me † to bring good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and to the blind new sight, * to set the downtrodden free, and to proclaim God's year of favor.

October 23**JAMES OF JERUSALEM II***Apostle and Brother of Jesus***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

Whoever does the will of God †* is my brother, my sister, my mother.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

James wrote, † It is the decision of the Holy Spirit and of us * to lay no burden upon the Gentiles beyond essentials.

October 28**SIMON AND JUDE II***Apostles***ANTIPHON ON BENEDICTUS**

You that have left all † and followed me will be re paid many times over, * and will inherit everlasting life.

ANTIPHON ON MAGNIFICAT

You, too, will be witnesses, †* because you have been with me from the out set.