Saints Basil the Great, Gregory the Theologian, and John Chrysostom

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Apolytikion

First Mode

Intonation: #1

The three most great luminaries of the Three-Sun Divinity have illumined all of the world with the rays of doc-

trines divine and true; they are the sweetly-flowing rivers of wisdom, who with godly knowledge have wa-
tered all creation in
clear and might-y streams: The great and sacred Basil, and the theologian, wise Gregory, together with the renowned John, the famed Chrysostom of golden speech. Let us all who love their divinely wise words come together, honouring them with hymns; for ceaselessly they offer entreaty for us to the Trinity.

Nothing elevates the soul, nothing gives it wings as a liturgical hymn does.

— St. John Chrysostom
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Kontakion

Second Mode

Hχος Δι

Τούς ἱερούς καὶ θεοφθόγγους

hast tak- en to Thy- self, O Lord, the sacred
and God-pro-claim- ing her- als, the crown of Thy teach-
ers, for the en- joy- ment of Thy bless- ings and for re- pose;
for Thou hast ac- cept- ed their suf- fer- ings and la- bours a-
above all sacrifice, O Thou Who alone dost glorify

Thy Saints.