



**The Period of the
Nativity Fast Has Begun
November 15 - December 24**



In Expectation of His Coming

Intensified **W**atchfulness and **P**rayer...

Ascetic **E**ndeavors with a **C**ompassionate **D**isposition...

Yearning to unite with the **L**ord **W**ho is to **C**ome...

Fervent **B**idding: “**C**ome, **L**ord **J**esus!”

Expectancy of the **F**east of the **T**riumph of **L**ight...

There approaches the **F**east of the **D**ayspring from on high,

Who leads us to the **L**ight and **L**ife.

“**L**et us follow the guiding **S**tar...”

November 15, 2016 (Old Style), † Sts. Gourias, Samonas, and Habib
The Least Minister of Christ's Sheep, Girt with the Towel of Servitude

† Metropolitan Cyprian of Oropos and Phyle