

**September 1: Venerable Symeon the Stylite**  
**Kontakion, Tone 2**  
**Automelon "Searching the heights..."**

**Bulgarian Chant**



Search - ing the heights thou didst u - nite thy - self to those who are \_\_\_ on high,



mak - ing of thy pil - lar a fi - er - ry char - i - ot. Where - fore,



thou wast a con - ver - sor with the an - gels, O ven - - 'ra - ble one,



pray - - ing un - ceas - ing - ly with them to Christ God in



be - half \_\_\_ of us all. \_\_\_

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