You endured great suffering, O Father Tikhon:
defamation, slander, and imprisonment; false accusations and
the threat of death, vicious attacks by the enemies of the Church
of Christ. But you courageously and humbly endured these, saying:
“Despair not in your hearts, but have faith in the Lord!”

War, famine, and civil strife were the burdens you bore, O our Hierarch. Yet you cried to the enraged people, saying:

“Love your neighbor, and return back to the Lord!” Thus, you called them onto the path of salvation through repentance.
Your life was illumined by the light of your great deeds, which enlightened all the faithful, and destroyed the darkness of earthly passions; for you appeared as the radiant sun, O most blessed Hierarch Tikhon. And now you abide in the heavenly mansions where the everlasting Light shines in
through the presence of the Son and the grace of the Holy Spirit. Therefore, with ceaseless honor and praise, we venerate your holy and radiant memory.

Your thoughts were always turned to God and were filled with faith and love. Therefore, O Glorious One, you appeared
in brightness, with the radiance of the Angels.

And incorruption clothed your earthly remains; for you lived a life devoid of passions. Therefore, O godly-wise Hierarch Tikhon, you have been adorned with virtue.

O Lamp of the divine Light, ceaselessly pray for us who
lovingly honor your memory!