

Saint Nicholas

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Feast Day: December 6

Patron: Children, merchants, travelers, sailors, brides and grooms, bankers, New York City, Greece, Russia, and many more

Dates: fourth century

Year Canonized: Unknown

Prayer:

We thank you for good Saint Nicholas who was known for his love and care for children.

Through his intercession we ask you to help us always to take care of children, to protect and guide them, and to keep them safe. Help us to be open to all that children can teach us about pure joy and unconditional love. May we in turn help our children to grow into the beautiful persons that you created them to be. Keep us mindful of the needs of others and to reach out with love and generosity as Saint Nicholas did. We rejoice in your servant Nicholas and pray that we too may follow you with singleness of heart and mind. Amen.