

St Simon Zelotes



HOLY COMMUNION ONLINE

Sunday 15 June 2025

10.00am

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Welcome

Hymn

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

(Children leave for Sunday School and Crèche during this hymn)

1 Holy, holy, holy!
Lord God Almighty!
Early in the morning
our song shall rise to thee;
holy, holy, holy!
merciful and mighty!
God in three persons,
blessèd Trinity!

2 Holy, holy, holy!
all the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns
around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim
falling down before thee,
which wert, and art,
and evermore shalt be.

3 Holy, holy, holy!
though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye made blind by sin
thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy,
there is none beside thee,
perfect in pow'r
in love, and purity.

4 Holy, holy, holy!
Lord God almighty!
All thy works shall praise thy name,
in earth, and sky, and sea;
holy, holy, holy!
merciful and mighty!
God in three persons,
blessèd Trinity!

Reginald Heber (1783-1826). CCLI Licence No. 1891688

Sentence of Scripture



Collect for Purity

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy name, through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Summary of the Commandments with Response

Choir: Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy,

All: Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy.

Choir: Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy,

All: Christ have mercy, Christ have mercy.

Choir: Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy,

All: Lord have mercy, Lord have mercy.

James MacMillan; CCLI Licence No. 1891688

Collect for Trinity Sunday

Almighty and everlasting God, who hast given unto us thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of thy Divine Majesty to worship the Unity; We beseech thee, that thou wouldst keep us steadfast in this faith, and evermore defend us from all adversities, who livest and reignest, one God, world without end. **Amen.**



Epistle: Galatians 4:1-7

¹What I am saying is that as long as an heir is under age, he is no different from a slave, although he owns the whole estate. ²The heir is subject to guardians and trustees until the time set by his father. ³So also, when we were under age, we were in slavery under the elemental spiritual forces of the world. ⁴But when the set time had fully come, God sent his Son, born of a woman, born under the law, ⁵to redeem those under the law, that we might receive adoption to sonship.

⁶Because you are his sons, God sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, the Spirit who calls out, '*Abba*, Father.' ⁷So you are no longer a slave, but God's child; and since you are his child, God has made you also an heir.

This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God

Gospel: Mark 1:1-11

¹The beginning of the good news about Jesus the Messiah, the Son of God, ²as it is written in Isaiah the prophet:

'I will send my messenger ahead of you,
who will prepare your way' –

³'a voice of one calling in the wilderness,

"Prepare the way for the Lord,
make straight paths for him."

⁴And so John the Baptist appeared in the wilderness, preaching a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. ⁵The whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem went out to him. Confessing their sins, they were baptised by him in the River Jordan. ⁶John wore clothing made of camel's hair, with a leather belt round his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. ⁷And this was his message: 'After me comes the one more powerful than I, the straps of whose sandals I am not worthy to stoop down and untie. ⁸I baptise you with water, but he will baptise you with the Holy Spirit.'



⁹ At that time Jesus came from Nazareth in Galilee and was baptised by John in the Jordan. ¹⁰ Just as Jesus was coming up out of the water, he saw heaven being torn open and the Spirit descending on him like a dove. ¹¹ And a voice came from heaven: 'You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased.'

This is the word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God

The Creed

I believe in one God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and of all things visible and invisible.

And in one Lord Jesus Christ, the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of his Father before all worlds, God of God, light of light, very God of very God, begotten, not made, being of one substance with the Father, by whom all things were made: who for us men, and for our salvation came down from heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man, and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day he rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father. And he shall come again with glory to judge both the quick and the dead, whose kingdom shall have no end.

And I believe in the Holy Ghost, the Lord and giver of life, who proceedeth from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son together is worshipped and glorified, who spake by the prophets. And I believe one catholick and Apostolick Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins. And I look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.



Hymn

Bright the vision that delighted

1 Bright the vision that delighted
once the sight of Judah's seer;
sweet the countless tongues united
to entrance the prophet's ear.

2 Heav'n is still with glory ringing,
earth takes up the angels' cry,
'Holy, holy, holy,' singing,
'Lord of hosts, the Lord most high

3 With his seraph train before him,
with his holy Church below,
thus unite we to adore him,
bid we thus our anthem flow:

6 'Lord, thy glory fills the heaven;
earth is with its fullness stored;
unto thee be glory given,
holy, holy, holy, Lord.'

Richard Mant (1776-1848). CCLI Licence No. 1891688

Sermon

Mark 1: 1-11

'The Trinity'

Joe Ammoun



Anthem

Where thou reignest

1 Where Thou reignest, King of Glory,
Throned in everlasting light.
In Thy courts no more is needed,
Sun by day nor moon by night.

2 Soon may we those portals enter
When this earthly strife is o'er.
There to reign with Saints and angels
In Thy presence evermore.

3 Praise to God, th'eternal Father;
Praise to God, th'eternal Son;
Praise to God, th'eternal Spirit;
One in Three and Three in One.

4 Honour, praise, thanksgiving, blessing,
Now and evermore be done;
God most Holy, we adore Thee,
Ever blessed Trinity.

Words: Benjamin Webb; Music: Franz Schubert
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Prayer for the Church and the World



Confession

Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, maker of all things, judge of all men. We acknowledge and bewail our manifold sins and wickedness, which we, from time to time, most grievously have committed, by thought, word, and deed, against thy divine majesty, provoking most justly thy wrath and indignation against us. We do earnestly repent, and are heartily sorry for these our misdoings. The remembrance of them is grievous unto us. The burden of them is intolerable. Have mercy upon us, have mercy upon us, most merciful Father. For thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, forgive us all that is past. And grant that we may ever hereafter serve and please thee in newness of life, to the honour and glory of thy name through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Declaration of Forgiveness

Comfortable Words

Preface

Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up unto the Lord.

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

All: It is meet and right so to do.

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, Holy Father, Almighty, Everlasting God.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious name. Evermore praising thee, and singing:

Choir: Sanctus

Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of hosts
Heaven and earth are full of Thy glory
Glory be to Thee, O Lord most high.
Amen.

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Prayer of Humble Access

We do not presume to come to this thy table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in thy manifold and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs under thy table. But thou art the same Lord, whose property is always to have mercy. Grant us therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of thy dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us. Amen

Prayer of Consecration

Communion

(Please be guided by the stewards)

Communion Anthems

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
have mercy on us.

Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world,
grant us peace.

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O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit

O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit into our hearts,
and lighten our understanding,
that we may dwell in the fear of thy name
all the days of our life;
that we may know thee, the only true God,
and Jesus Christ whom thou hast sent.

Words: Lidley's Prayers (1566). Music: Thomas Tallis. CCLI Licence No. 1891688



Locus iste

Holy temple of God the Father;
a holy place and set apart by God,
righteousness within its gates.

Words: Translation of Latin gradual. Music: Anton Bruckner
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Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Notices

Hymn

Thou whose almighty word

(We take a collection during this hymn. People give in a variety of ways.
Some may not be in a position to give. Please pass the plate on if that
is appropriate for you. If you are a taxpayer, please use one of the Gift Aid
envelopes in your pew, completing the information on the front.
You can also give using the card reader located at the back of the church.)

1 Thou, whose almighty word
chaos and darkness heard,
and took their flight;
hear us, we humbly pray,
and where the gospel-day
sheds not its glorious ray,
let there be light.



2 Thou, who didst come to bring
on thy redeeming wing,
healing and sight,
health to the sick in mind,
sight to the inly blind,
O now to all mankind
let there be light.

3 Spirit of truth and love,
life-giving, holy Dove,
speed forth thy flight;
move on the water's face,
bearing the lamp of grace,
and in earth's darkest place
let there be light.

4 Holy and blessed Three,
glorious Trinity,
Wisdom, Love, Might;
boundless as ocean's tide
rolling in fullest pride,
through the earth far and wide
let there be light.

John Marriott (1780-1825). CCLI Licence No. 1891688

Blessing

Organ Voluntary

Fugue in E flat "St Anne" - J.S. Bach

Notices

Church Supper – Sunday 6 July

On Sunday 6 July there will be an informal church supper after the evening service. The whole church family is invited. If you are able to bring food or wine, or be on the welcome team, please get in touch with Sophie/Beurre on sophie.butterfield@ssz.org.uk

St Simon's Weekend Away 26-28 September 2025

We are delighted to announce dates for the next church weekend away. All are welcome to join us at a new venue, De Vere Horsley Estate in Surrey, for a weekend of fellowship, relaxation, and meeting with God. The Revd Dr Tim Ward (Lecturer at Oak Hill College) will be our speaker. The brochure, containing the sign-up form, is now available at the back of the church or on the St Simon Zelotes website at www.stsimonzelotes.com/Groups/445202/Weekend_Away.aspx

The surveys being conducted as part of a safeguarding audit of the London Diocese can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/47jzmpv>.

Weekly email

Our Associate Vicar Joe Ammoun sends out a weekly email letter each Wednesday with church family news and a short reflection. If you don't currently receive this but would like to, please get in touch with Gloria at gloria.skelsey@ssz.org.uk.