

St Simon Zelotes



MORNING PRAYER

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10.00am

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Welcome

Hymn

Praise my soul, the King of heaven

1 Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;
To His feet thy tribute bring.
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,
Who like me His praise should sing?
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise the everlasting King!

2. Praise Him for His grace and favour
To our fathers in distress.
Praise Him still the same as ever,
Slow to chide, and swift to bless.
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Glorious in His faithfulness!

3. Father-like He tends and spares us;
Well our feeble frame He Knows.
In His hands He gently bears us,
Rescues us from all our foes.
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Widely as His mercy flows!



4. Angels help us to adore Him;
Ye behold Him face to face;
Sun and moon, bow down before Him,
Dwellers all in time and space.
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise Him! Praise Him!
Praise with us the God of grace!

Henry Francis Lye (1793-1847) based on Psalm 103
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Sentence of Scripture

Confession

Almighty and most merciful Father, we have erred, and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep. We have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts. We have offended against thy holy laws. We have left undone those things which we ought to have done and we have done those things which we ought not to have done, and there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore thou them that are penitent according to thy promises declared unto mankind in Christ Jesus our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy name. Amen.



Absolution

The 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

Responses

O Lord, open thou our lips.

All: And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.

All: O Lord, make haste to help us.

Please stand

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost.

All: As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

All: The Lord's name be praised.



Venite

0 COME let us ' sing unto the ' Lord : let us heartily rejoice in the ' strength of ' our sal' vation.

2 Let us come before his ' presence with ' thanksgiving : and shew ourselves ' glad in ' him with ' psalms.

3 For the Lord is a ' great ' God : and a great ' King above ' all ' gods.

4 In his hand are all the ' corners • of the ' earth : and the strength of the ' hills is ' his ' also.

5 The sea is his and ' he ' made it : and his hands pre'pared the 'dry' land.

6 O come let us worship and ' fall ' down : and kneel be'fore the ' Lord our ' Maker.

7 For he is the ' Lord our ' God : and we are the people of his pasture, and the 'sheep of ' his ' hand.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son : and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ' ever ' shall be : world without ' end. ' A ' men.



First reading: Exodus 34:1-8

34 The LORD said to Moses, ‘Chisel out two stone tablets like the first ones, and I will write on them the words that were on the first tablets, which you broke. ² Be ready in the morning, and then come up on Mount Sinai. Present yourself to me there on top of the mountain. ³ No one is to come with you or be seen anywhere on the mountain; not even the flocks and herds may graze in front of the mountain.’

⁴ So Moses chiselled out two stone tablets like the first ones and went up Mount Sinai early in the morning, as the LORD had commanded him; and he carried the two stone tablets in his hands. ⁵ Then the LORD came down in the cloud and stood there with him and proclaimed his name, the LORD. ⁶ And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, ‘The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, ⁷ maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin. Yet he does not leave the guilty unpunished; he punishes the children and their children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation.’

⁸ Moses bowed to the ground at once and worshipped.



Second reading: Psalm 103:1-12

- ¹ Praise the LORD, my soul;
all my inmost being, praise his holy name.
- ² Praise the LORD, my soul,
and forget not all his benefits –
- ³ who forgives all your sins
and heals all your diseases,
- ⁴ who redeems your life from the pit
and crowns you with love and compassion,
- ⁵ who satisfies your desires with good things
so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.
- ⁶ The LORD works righteousness
and justice for all the oppressed.
- ⁷ He made known his ways to Moses,
his deeds to the people of Israel:
- ⁸ the LORD is compassionate and gracious,
slow to anger, abounding in love.
- ⁹ He will not always accuse,
nor will he harbour his anger for ever;
- ¹⁰ he does not treat us as our sins deserve
or repay us according to our iniquities.
- ¹¹ For as high as the heavens are above the earth,
so great is his love for those who fear him;
- ¹² as far as the east is from the west,
so far has he removed our transgressions from us.



Benedictus in C - C.V. Stanford

¹ Blessed be the Lord ' God of ' Israel : for he hath ' visited
· and re'deemed his ' people;

² And hath raised up a mighty sal'vation ' for us : in the '
house of his ' servant ' David;

³ As he spake by the mouth of his ' holy ' Prophets : which
have been ' since the ' world be'gan;

⁴ That we should be saved ' from our ' enemies : and from
the ' hand of ' all that ' hate us.

⁵ To perform the mercy promised ' to our ' forefathers :
and to re'member his ' holy ' Covenant;

⁶ To per'form the ' oath : which he ' sware to our ' fore ·
father ' Abraham;

⁷ That he would give us, that we being delivered out of
the ' hand of our ' enemies : might ' serve him with'out
fear;

⁸ In holiness and ' righteousness be'fore him : all the '
days of ' our ' life.



⁹And thou Child shalt be called the ' Prophet of the '
Highest : for thou shalt go
before the face of the Lord ' to prepare his ways;

¹⁰To give knowledge of salvation 'unto his ' people : for
the re'mission' of their ' sins,

¹¹Through the tender mercy of ' our ' God : whereby the
day-spring ' from on ' high hath ' visited us;

¹²To give light to them that sit in the darkness, and in the
' shadow of ' death : and to guide our feet ' into the ' way
of ' peace.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son : and ' to the '
Holy ' Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ' ever
' shall be : world without ' end. ' A ' men.



The Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried.

He descended into hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of Saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.



Responses

O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

All: And grant us thy salvation.

O Lord, save the Queen.

All: And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy Ministers with righteousness.

All: And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.

All: And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.

**All: Because there is none other that fighteth for us,
but only thou, O God.**

O God, make clean our hearts within us.

All: And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

Collect for the First Sunday after Trinity

O God, the strength of all them that put their trust in thee, mercifully accept our prayers; and because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without thee, grant us the help of thy grace, that in keeping of thy commandments we may please thee, both in will and deed; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Morning Collects



Anthem
O sing joyfully

O sing joyfully unto God our strength :
make a cheerful noise unto the God of Jacob.
Take the song, bring hither the tabret :
the merry harp with the lute.
Blow up the trumpet in the new-moon :
even in the time appointed, and upon our solemn feast-
day.
For this was made a statute for Israel :
and a law of the God of Jacob.

Words: Psalm 81.1-4
Music: Adrian Batten
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Intercessions

Notices



Hymn

Be thou my guardian and my guide

1 Be thou my guardian and my guide,
and hear me when I call;
let not my slip'ry footsteps slide,
and hold me lest I fall.

2 The world, the flesh, and Satan dwell
around the path I tread;
O save me from the snares of hell,
thou quick'ner of the dead.

3 And if I tempted am to sin,
and outward things are strong,
do thou, O Lord, keep watch within,
and save my soul from wrong.

4 Still let me ever watch and pray,
and feel that I am frail;
that if the tempter cross my way,
yet he may not prevail.

Isaac Williams (1802-1865)
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Sermon

"Meet your God: His benefits for you"
Philip Stewart



Hymn

O praise ye the Lord

1 O praise ye the Lord!
praise Him in the height;
Rejoice in His Word,
ye angels of light;
Ye heavens, adore Him
by Whom ye were made,
And worship before Him
in brightness arrayed.

2 O praise ye the Lord!
Praise Him upon earth,
In tuneful accord,
All you of new birth;
Praise Him Who hath brought you
His grace from above,
Praise Him Who hath taught you
to sing of His love.

3 O praise ye the Lord!
All things that give sound;
Each jubilant chord
re-echo around;
Loud organs His glory
forth tell in deep tone,
And, sweet harp, the story
of what He hath done.



4 O praise ye the Lord!
Thanksgiving and song
To Him be outpoured
all ages along:
For love in creation,
for Heaven restored,
For grace of salvation,
O praise ye the Lord!

Henry Williams Baker (1821-1877) based on Psalm 148 and 150
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Blessing

Organ Voluntary

Carillon de Westminster - Louis Vierne