

St Edmundsbury
Cathedral



All-Ages Eucharist

Sundays at 9.00 am



Trinity Sunday

31 May 2026

Welcome and Introduction

Priest In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.
All Amen.

Priest: The Lord be with you **and also with you.**

We sing 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, blessed Trinity!

Words: Reginald Heber, 1783-1826

Music: John Bacchus Dykes, 1823-1876

We share news we are grateful for, followed by:

Penitence – Saying Sorry

The priest introduces the prayer, and invites everyone to join in with:

Lord, forgive us.	Lord, forgive us.
Christ, forgive us.	Christ, forgive us.
Lord, forgive us.	Lord, forgive us.

The priest prays words of God's forgiveness and we respond by singing

The Gloria – a Song of Praise

We sing Glory to God in the highest!
Glory to God in the highest!
Glory to God in the highest
and peace to God's people on earth.

We sing praises to you, God of life, God of wonder,
hearts filled with joy, let our voices be thunder.

Sing to Jesus the Christ, Word of life to the nations,
raised up in glory as our hope of salvation.

In the Spirit we come for the feast and the stories,
seeking our God in the pain and the glory.

Sowah Mensah and Marty Haugen

Bible Reading and Talk

We reflect on words from the Bible. This week's Gospel is Matthew 28.16-end.

Prayers and Peace

We say prayers of thanks together, praying for the church, the world and those in need.

Priest: The peace of the Lord be always with you **and also with you.**

The Offertory

The altar is prepared with bread and wine, and a collection is taken.

We sing **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.**

**Holy, holy, holy! though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye of sinful man thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy, there is none beside thee
perfect in power, in love, and purity.**

The Holy Communion

With this bread that we bring: **we remember Jesus.**

With this wine that we bring: **we remember Jesus.**

With all these gifts that we bring to God's table:

we remember Jesus.

Priest The Lord be with you

All **and also with you.**

Priest Lift up your hearts.

All **We lift them to the Lord.**

Priest Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All **It is right to give thanks and praise.**

During the prayer over the bread and wine, we sing:

Priest O Lord our God,

All **We give you thanks and praise.**

During the prayer we will sing the 'Sanctus' and 'Benedictus'

**Santo, santo, santo,
mi corazón te adora!**

**Mi corazón te sabe decir:
santo eres, Señor.**

Holy, holy, holy,

my heart, my heart adores you!

**My heart is glad to say the words:
you are holy, Lord.**

The Lord's Prayer

Priest As Jesus taught us, so we pray:

All **Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name;
thy kingdom come; thy will be done;
on earth as it is in heaven.**

Give us this day our daily bread.

**And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who 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.**

Priest We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All **Though we are many, we are one body,
because we all share in one bread.**

*If you are used to receiving Holy Communion you are welcome to receive here today.
After the distribution of Communion, the following prayer is said by everyone:*

**God of truth, we have seen with our eyes
and touched with our hands the bread of life;
strengthen our faith that we may grow in love for you
and for each other; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

The Blessing and Dismissal

Following any thanks, notices and the Blessing, our service ends with:

We sing **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, blessed Trinity!**

All Are you ready to go out into the world to share God's love?
We are!

All Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.

Notices

There are a few changes to our regular service pattern in June. Please note the following:

Sunday 7 June: We have the choir from Kevelaer, in Germany, with us at the Cathedral. They will be using the Edmund Room, so we will have our 9.00 am service as normal but refreshments will take place outside, on the Garth.

Sunday 14 June: No 9.00 am service; joint all-age Eucharist for both the 9 am and 10.30 am congregations at 10.30 am.

Sunday 21 June: Suffolk Day! There is no 10.30 am service that day so the service at 9.00 am will take place in the nave. It will be a more formal than our normal 9.00 am but less formal than the normal 10.30 am! Everyone is very welcome.