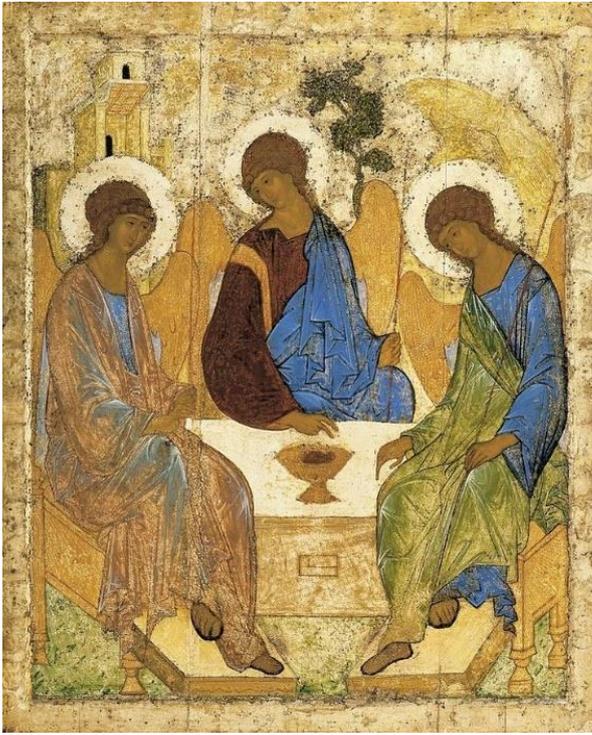


# Church at Home for Abridge

## Trinity Sunday

7<sup>th</sup> June 2020

### Further resources for worship and reflection



*15<sup>th</sup> century icon of the The Trinity  
by Andrei Rublev*

I bind unto myself today  
The strong name of the Trinity,  
by invocation of the same,  
the Three In One, and One in Three.  
Of whom all nature hath creation,  
eternal Father, Spirit, Word:  
Praise to the Lord of my salvation,  
salvation is of Christ the Lord.

*From St. Patrick's Breastplate*

The Trinity is a mystery to contemplate rather than a truth to analyse. It took the Church over 300 years after the life of Christ and the coming of the Holy Spirit to arrive at a point where they could even dare to express it in words in the Creeds. Even so it still remains a mystery beyond words. Maybe the following hymn suggestions, reflections, pictures and prayers can help us enter that mystery of the One in Three and Three in One.

[Father we love you](#)

[Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty](#)

[Praise God from whom all blessings flow – traditional version](#)

[Praise him from whom all blessings flow - Hillsong version](#)

### Thesaurus theology

Huge, large, massive.

Fast, speedy, quick.

Distant, far, remote.

Beautiful, handsome, lovely.

Three words, a shared meaning.

Three words, interchangeable.

Three words, written differently.

Three words, distinct but the same.

Father, Son, Spirit.

Maker, Redeemer, Sustainer.

Source, Saviour, Sanctifier.

Creator, Christ, Comforter.

Three names, a shared Being.

Three names, interchangeable.

Three names, separately united.

Three names, one God, the same.

Almighty, all-rescuing, all-transforming.

Light-maker, love-giver, life-bringer.

God, Three-in-One

One-in-Three

Mystery, made known.

All-together God,  
Beyond our minds' imagining,  
Beside our bodies' stumbling,  
Beneath our spirits' yearning,  
In you we are triple blessed  
by your all-together love.



Resting under the shadow of  
your wings,  
Safe within the shelter of  
your cross,  
Inspired by the strength of  
your breath,  
We belong to the community  
of God  
Who is forever outside,  
beside and inside us all.