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Saint Alphege of Canterbury

Feast Day: 19 April / 2 May

St. Alphege of Canterbury holds a unique place in Christian history. His origins are in Anglo-Saxon England; however, his spiritual resonance transcends borders.

His unwavering commitment to the Christian principles of compassion, humility, and selflessness resonates deeply with Orthodoxy's ethos.

St. Alphege's life was marked by his dedication to serving others, and his ultimate sacrifice serves as a timeless reminder of the universal values that bind Christians together across cultural and doctrinal differences.

Within Greek Orthodoxy, St. Alphege is honoured as a saint whose life exemplifies endurance, forgiveness, and reconciliation. His legacy and martyrdom continue to inspire believers of all backgrounds to seek unity, compassion, and the pursuit of spiritual truth. It also serves as a testament to the enduring bonds between the Western and Eastern branches of Christianity.

Further reading on St Alphege can be found as follows:

<https://orthochristian.com/93007.html>

<https://www.canterbury-archaeology.org.uk/st-alphege-biog>