

## Commemoration of Sts. James and Simon Apostles

In order to differ St. James Apostle from James, the son of Zebedee, he is named “James son of Alphaeus” and “James Junior”. The Apostle James son of Alphaeus has preached the Gospel in the Southern parts of Palestine and in Egypt, where he has been martyred.

St. Simon the Patriot Apostle is famous as “Simon of Canaan”, which also means “Zealous”. There was a grouping with that name among the Jews, who without making distinctions between means struggled against the foreign Roman yoke and for eliminating the betraying and fond of foreigners Jews. St. Simon has preached and has been martyred in Persia.

### **When is celebrated**

30.08.2008  
29.08.2009  
28.08.2010  
27.08.2011  
25.08.2012  
31.08.2013  
30.08.2014  
29.08.2015  
27.08.2016  
02.09.2017  
25.08.2018  
31.08.2019  
29.08.2020  
28.08.2021  
27.08.2022  
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31.08.2030

