At the death of Yahushua, what miracle signified that the priestly work of the earthly sanctuary was finished?

"Yahushua, when he had cried again with a loud voice, yielded up the ghost. And, behold, the veil of the temple was rent in twain from the top to the bottom; and the earth did quake, and the rocks rent." Matthew 27:50-51.

Where has the work of the sanctuary been conducted since the ascension of Yahushua?

"Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such an high priest, who is set on the right hand of the throne of the Majesty in the heavens." Hebrews 8:1.

Who is this high priest?

"But the Anointed being come an high priest of good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle, not made with hands, that is to say, not of this building." Hebrews 9:11.

Who erected this heavenly tabernacle, of which Yahushua is the minister?

"A minister of the sanctuary, and of the true tabernacle, which the Master pitched, and not man." Hebrews 8:2.

Could Yahushua be a priest while He was on earth, and before the old priesthood ceased?

"For if he were on earth, he should not be a priest, seeing that there are priests that offer gifts according to the law:" Hebrews 8:4.

What did the service of the earthly priests signify?

"For if he were on earth, he should not be a priest, seeing that there are priests that offer gifts according to the law: Who serve unto the example and shadow of heavenly things, as Moses was admonished of Yahuwah when he was about to make the tabernacle: for, See, saith he, that thou make all things according to the pattern showed to thee in the mount." Hebrews 8:4-5.

What was the earthly sanctuary designed to be?

"The Holy Ghost this signifying, that the way into the holiest of all was not yet made manifest, while as the first tabernacle was yet standing: Which was a figure for the time then present, in which were offered both gifts and sacrifices, that could not make him that did the service perfect, as pertaining to the conscience." Hebrews 9:8-9.

Are there different apartments of the heavenly sanctuary in which Yahushua ministers?

"For the Anointed is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of Yahuwah for us:" Hebrews 9:24.

Does the heavenly sanctuary contain an ark of the testament (covenant)?

"And the temple of Yahuwah was opened in heaven, and there was seen in his temple the ark of his testament: and there were lightnings, and voices, and thunderings, and an earthquake, and great hail." Revelation 11:19.

NOTE: The priestly work in the earthly sanctuary foreshadowed the work in the heavenly sanctuary. In the earthly, the atonement was performed on the last day of the ceremonial year. All who did not then have their sins atoned for, were put to death, and the camp was cleansed from sin. The atonement day of judgment for Israel, as at that time sin and sinners were separated from the camp, and the people whose sins had been atoned for were free from sin, and could enter upon the services of the new year clean in the sight of Yahuwah. This work was kept up year after year. In the heavenly, the sacrifice is offered but once, and but one atonement can be made, which must take place at the time assigned of Yahuwah for it to occur. And when the great atonement has been made, Yahuwah's people will be forever free from sin, and sinners will have been forever banished from the universe. This will be, as in the type, a day of judgment, with this difference: that was a temporal and shadowy judgment, this will be the final and eternal judgment.

The earthly sanctuary was cleansed by a high priest Is it necessary for the heavenly sanctuary also to come to a time of cleansing, or purifying?

"It was therefore necessary that the patterns of things in the heavens should be purified with these; but the heavenly things themselves with better sacrifices than these." Hebrews 9:23.

From what will it be cleansed, or purified?

"Nor yet that he should offer himself often, as the high priest entereth into the holy place every year with blood of others; For then must he often have suffered since the foundation of the world: but now once in the end of the world hath he appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of
himself." Hebrews 9:25-26. For the counterpart of this, in the type, see Lev.16:30.

When the earthly high priest came out to the people after making the atonement, how did he transfer the sins of the people from himself?
"And Aaron shall lay both his hands upon the head of the live goat, and confess over him all the iniquities of the children of Israel, and all their transgressions in all their sins, putting them upon the head of the goat, and shall send him away by the hand of a fit man into the wilderness:"
Leviticus 16:21.

How will it be when Yahushua has finished the atonement for his people?
"So the Anointed was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation." Hebrews 9:28.

NOTE: That is, to those who stand waiting and watching for His appearance as did the people of Israel for their high priest to appear to them, Yahushua will appear to His people; and at that time He will have laid upon the head of the great scapegoat (Satan) the sins of His people, which have been atoned for. Then Satan will bear these sins (as did the typical scapegoat) to an uninhabited region, the desolated earth while the saints will be enjoying the glories of heaven during the one thousand years. When will the sins of the righteous be blotted out? *Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of Yahuwah.* Acts 3:19.

What immediately follows the blotting out of sins?
"And he shall send Yahushua the Anointed, which before was preached unto you: Whom the heaven must receive until the times of restitution of all things, which Yahuwah hath spoken by the mouth of all his holy prophets since the world began." Acts 3:20-21.

While Yahushua as high priest is still before the Father, what is given Him?
"I saw in the night visions, and, behold, one like the Son of man came with the clouds of heaven, and came to the Ancient of days, and they brought him near before him. And there was given him dominion, and glory, and a kingdom, that all people, nations, and languages, should serve him: his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom that which shall not be destroyed." Daniel 7:13-14.

And when He comes to earth; what is His purpose?
"For the Master himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of Yahuwah: and the dead in the Anointed shall rise first: Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in the clouds, to meet the Master in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Master." 1 Thessalonians 4:16-17.

But before any are thus raised at Yahushua's coming, what decision must be rendered in their cases?
"But they which shall be accounted worthy to obtain that world, and the resurrection from the dead, neither marry, nor are given in marriage:"

NOTE: We see that the typical sanctuary service is fully met in the work of Yahushua. And as the atonement day of the old dispensation was really a day of judgment, so the atonement work of Yahushua will include an investigation of the cases of His people. All who shall be "accounted worthy" to have a place in His kingdom will be called to dwell with Him when He comes again to earth to gather His people.

Is there a specified time for the cleansing of the heavenly sanctuary?
"And he said unto me, Unto two thousand and three hundred days; then shall the sanctuary be cleansed." Daniel 8:14.

How may one know that this does not refer to the earthly sanctuary?
"So he came near where I stood: and when he came, I was afraid, and fell upon my face: but he said unto me, Understand, O son of man: for at the time of the end shall be the vision." Daniel 8:17.