

Welcome to St. George's

Remembrance Day Morning Prayer Service

Please introduce yourself as you arrive and feel free to chat with others. Once the service starts, we will mute your microphone so everyone can hear the service.

If you would like us to pray for you or someone else by name, send us a prayer request via the chat box marked:
Prayers-Bill

There will be welcome and a brief introduction at 10:27am.

A prelude will begin the service at 10:30.





REMEMBRANCE DAY
AN ONLINE SERVICE OF
MORNING PRAYER

Sunday November 8, 2020
10:30am

Prelude

Chant de paix (Neuf Pièces, No.3)
Jean Langlais (1907-1991)

Played by *Jean Langlais*





Act of Remembrance

Officiant:

For out of Zion shall go forth instruction, and the word of the Lord from Jerusalem.

People:

God shall judge between many peoples, and shall arbitrate between strong nations far away.

Officiant:

They shall beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruning-hooks; Nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore. (*Micah 4:2b, 3*)

People:

Glory be to the father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit: as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever. Amen.

Officiant:

Dear Friends in Christ, we have come together to worship almighty God; to offer him praise and thanksgiving for our deliverance in time of war; to recall to our minds those who through death, injury or bereavement, suffered to bring peace and freedom to our world; to seek his forgiveness for our failure to achieve reconciliation between the nations, and to ask for strength to overcome evil and injustice wherever it is found.

As we gather, let us confess to God the sins and shortcomings of the world; its pride, its selfishness, its greed; its evil divisions and hatreds. Let us confess our share in what is wrong and our failure to seek and establish that peace which God wills for his children

Officiant: Most merciful God,

***People:* We confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word and deed, by what we have done
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbours as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us,
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways
to the glory of your name. Amen.**

Officiant: Almighty God, have mercy upon you, pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in eternal life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***People:* Amen.**

Hymn 528

O God Our Help in Ages Past

Officiant: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you**

Officiant: *Let us pray.*

Almighty and everlasting God, we give you humble thanks for the memory and good example of those who have laid down their lives in the service of our country. We bless you for their courage and devotion, even unto death. Accept their sacrifice, we beseech you; let it not be in vain that they have died in the cause of righteousness and honour; and in your mercy send your peace into the hearts of all people everywhere; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

People: **Amen.**

Reader: They shall grow not old as we that are left grow old. Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

Child: At the going down of the sun and in the morning, we will remember them.

People: **We will remember them.**

The Last Post

Two minutes of silence is observed



THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1914 – 1918 - St. George's Church

Charles Adams
Eden Horsington Barry
Gordon H. Blackader
J. Harry Brennan
Victor C. Buchanan
J. Campbell
Frederick A. Chubb
C.B. Clark
Walter Collings
Wilfred Crawford
Vincent A. Denne
W.J. Dixon
Kevin S. Drummond
Robert McCamus Fair
A. Fleming
H.H. Golay
R. Goldsmith Arthur R. Greening

Wm. M. Hamilton
Clifton M. Horsey
Charles E. Hunt
Walter Hutchison
G.M. Imrie
Lacey Arthur Johnson
A. Stanley Jones
A. King
Gerald A. Magor
Norman A. Magor
Harry Mainwaring
Thomas Mills
John Morphy
W. Muir
Radcliffe MacWhinney
Eric O. McMurtry
Alexis P. Mason

Ernest Pearce
Verner L. Plant
E. Robinson
Ernest G. Shepherd
Herman E.J. Strong
Douglas Swindley
William Stewart
Charles Burnaby Tinling
George Evelyn Tinling
C.H. Taunton
H. Thomas
Kenneth Turnbull
John Walsh
William Walton
Douglas Waterston
L. Ward Whitehead
Kenneth E. Young

THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR 1914 – 1918 Church of the Advent

Reginald Eric Binmore
Albert Victor Brown
Percival Howard Goodhugh
Percival George Hawkins
William Glyn Hulm
Edward Frederick Hyde King
John Ferguson King
Hugh De Hertel Massy
- (drowned at sea)
Hubert Sidney Ritchie
Harry Frank Sare

Herbert Percival Sullivan
Albert Wallis
Fred Wallis
Edward Wilkes Waud
Nurse – Gladys Sare

THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR 1939-1945 St. George's Church

Gilbert Ernest Bishop
Stanley Bishop
Thomas John Brehn
Harold Rupert Burden
Hugh Burgess
Earl Clark
Philip Henry Gibson
James Gurr

Peter Grant Holt
Robert Robertson Law
Donald Joseph McDougall
William Percival Neale
Alfred Pegg
Charles Stephen
Tom Thornley Braithwaite Stoker
Frederick William Stewart

Clarence Trim
William Henry Webb
Daniel Martin Wilson

THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR 1939-1945 Church of the Advent

Robert F. Campbell
William A. Campbell
James L. Carnegie
Anthony D. Chapman
Edwin S. C. Clark
John D. Colley

William S. Fry
Frederick W. Hungate
Alexander McD. Morrison
K. Willim Mountford
Edgar F. Munn
Gordon C. A. Ross

Bertie J.H. Sergeant
Sydney T. Sims
Alfred A. Wickenden

Reveille

"High Flight"

Oh! I have slipped the surly bonds of earth And danced the skies on
laughter-silvered wings;
Sunward I've climbed, and joined the tumbling mirth Of sun-split clouds -
and done a hundred things
You have not dreamed of - wheeled and soared and swung High in the
sunlit silence. Hov'ring there,
I've chased the shouting wind along, and flung My eager craft through
footless halls of air.
Up, up the long, delirious, burning blue I've topped the wind-swept heights
with easy grace
Where never lark, or even eagle flew - And, while with silent lifting mind
I've trod
The high untrespassed sanctity of space, Put out my hand and touched the
face of God.

John Gillespie Magee Jr.

Canada's National Anthem

Collect for All Souls Day

Officiant: Father of all,
we pray for those we love, but see no longer.
Grant them your peace,
let light perpetual shine upon them,
and in your loving wisdom and almighty power,
work in them the good purpose of your perfect will;
Through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

People: Amen.



The Readings

Psalm 78.1-7

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1 Hear my teaching, O my people;

incline your ears to the words of my mouth.

2 I will open my mouth in a parable;

I will declare the mysteries of ancient times.

3 That which we have heard and known,

and what our forefathers have told us, *

we will not hide from their children.

4 We will recount to generations to come

the praiseworthy deeds and the power of the Lord, *

and the wonderful works he has done.

5 He gave his decrees to Jacob
and established a law for Israel, *
which he commanded them to teach their children;

**6 That the generations to come might know,
and the children yet unborn;
that they in their turn might tell it to their children;**

7 So that they might put their trust in God, *
and not forget the deeds of God,
but keep his commandments;

**Glory to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit,
as it was in the beginning, is now and will be forever.
Amen.**

New Testament Reading

(Read in French)

***Reader:* A Reading from St. Paul's First Letter to the
Thessalonians**

But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers and sisters, about those who have died, so that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died. For this we declare to you by the word of the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will by no means precede those who have died. For the Lord himself, with a cry of command, with the archangel's call and with the sound of God's trumpet, will descend from heaven, and the dead in Christ will rise first.

Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up in the clouds together with them to meet the Lord in the air; and so we will be with the Lord for ever. Therefore encourage one another with these words.

Reader: Acclamons la Parole du Seigneur.

People: **Nous rendons grâce à Dieu.**

A moment of silence is observed

HYMN 24

Abide with me



A Reading from the Gospel of Matthew (Matthew 25.1-13)

'Then the kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout, "Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him." Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, "Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out." But the wise replied, "No! there will not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves."

And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying, "Lord, lord, open to us." But he replied, "Truly I tell you, I do not know you." Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.

Reader: The Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.



A short time of silence is observed to ponder the readings and psalms.

Homily: The Rev. Deborah Noonan



Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

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Officiant: I believe in God,

People: the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord.

He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

Amen.

HYMN 567

Eternal Father Strong to Save





The Prayers of the People

Leader: We pray for the church and its witness to Christ's sacrifice for this world.

Prayers for the church are offered.

Leader: Gracious God, your only Son tells us that there is no greater love than this; than to lay down one's life for one's friends. Let us look to the future and imagine a church that holds the needs and concerns of the world closely and is willing to sacrifice its own present for the future of others in need of justice.

***All:* Lord hear and have mercy**

Leader: We pray for those who work for peace in the world.

Prayers for the world are offered

Leader: We pray for the leaders of the nations that they may lead wisely and with compassion. May we all grow together into the Kingdom of your Son.

***All:* Lord hear and have mercy.**

Leader: We pray for all soldiers have offered themselves in service to their country. May we all work together for the common good and in the end, come home safely.

***All:* Lord hear and have mercy.**

Leader: We pray for those who who are sick, or who are struggling in any way.

*During the silence, please add your requests aloud,
or in the silence of your own hearts.*

Leader: We ask that they may find true healing for whatever ails them, and dwell in the confidence of your love for them. This morning we pray for veterans and their families that they find healing and renewed joy in life.

***All:* Lord hear and have mercy**

Leader: We pray for those we love, but see no more, especially...

The names of those who have died are offered

We pray for those who gave their lives that we may live in freedom and peace.

Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.

***All:* And let light perpetual shine upon them.**

Leader: May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

***All:* Amen.**

Leader: Almighty and eternal God,
ruler of all things in heaven and earth:
Mercifully accept the prayers of your people,
and strengthen us to do your will;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

***All:* Amen.**



The Lord's Prayer

Officiant: Jesus taught us to call God our Father,
and so we have the courage to say

People: **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.**



Blessing

Priest: May God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ,
who is the source of all goodness and growth,
pour his blessing upon all things created,
and upon you his children,
that you may use his gifts to his glory
and the welfare of all peoples;
and the blessing of God almighty,
the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit,
be amongst you and remain with you always.

People: **Amen.**

Deacon: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Alleluia!

People: **Thanks be to God. Alleluia!**



POSTLUDE

Litanies (JA 119) - Jehan Alain (1911-1940)

(killed in action defending Saumur, France)

When the Christian soul in distress can no longer find any new words to implore the mercy of God,
it repeats the same invocation over and over again in a blind faith.

The limits of reason are reached. Faith alone continues upward. (Jehan Alain)

Played by the composer's sister *Marie-Claire Alain*

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