ST PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH FREDERICTON, N.B.

Remembrance Day Service

November 7th, 2021 10:30 AM Twenty-forth after Pentecost

"Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say—'Father, save me from this hour'? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name." Then a voice came from heaven, "I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again." – John 12:27-28

THE PEOPLE GATHER

PRELUDE

GREETING

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you.

And also with you

AFFIRMATION THAT CHRIST IS WITH US

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN: Where Two Or Three Are Gathered MV 14 x3

CALL TO WORSHIP: (responsive)

Peace,

When trouble seethes.

Peace,

When views are rigid.

Peace,

When pain persists.

Peace,

When loss deadens.

Peace,

When dreams are lost.

Peace,

To counter justice.

The deep peace of God

That goes beyond human understanding Let us pray for peace as we worship today.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

TIME OF REMEMBRANCE

NATIONAL ANTHEM: O Canada Official Lyrics

O Canada! Our home and native land! True Patriot love in all of us command. With glowing hearts we see thee rise, The True North strong and free! From far and wide,

O Canada, We stand on Guard for Thee.

God keep our land glorious and free! O Canada, we stand on guard for thee O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

READING OF THE NAMES

Inspector Mike Berry

1914 - 1918

Walter J. Adams Archibald Johnson Duncan C. McKillop Charles E. Blair **Everett Kirk** Locksley McKnight George E. Colwell Purves P. Loggie A. Murray Rutter William Duffy William MacDonald Donald B. Shaw William D. Ford Ronald S. Machum Alfred M. Smith Howard A. Foster Murray McAdam Walter A. Tennant J. Percy Gough Albert E. Walker Walter McAdam W. Ernest Gough George H. McKee J. Talmage Haining Harry H. McKee

<u>1939 – 1945</u>

Kenneth H. Corbet Harry A. Heron Harold A. Smith Ralph H. Daughney Richard Lee John A. Watson Kenneth W. Davis Gerald R. Pond

Korean War

DeVerne E. Wright

IN FLANDERS FIELD

Ann Raper

LAYING OF THE WREATHS

Inspector Mike Berry On behalf of the Fredericton Police Dept.

Joseph Wilby In Memory of Thomas Richard Wilby DFC*

*The Distinguished Flying Cross (DFC) is for "An act or acts of valour, courage and devotion to duty while flying in active operations against the enemy". Flight Officer Wilby was presented this award by His Majesty King George VI

Roger Miller

In Memory of Rev. Reg Miller

THE LAST POST

Kastriot Axhami

Silence

REVEILLE

Kastriot Axhami

THE ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

Roger Miller

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn. At the going down of the sun, and in the morning We will remember them

We will remember them.

CLOSING MUSIC: God Save The Queen

God save our gracious Queen!

Long live our noble Queen! God save the Queen!

Send her victorious, happy and glorious

Long to reign over us: God save the Queen!

PRAYER

THE WORD

CHOIR ANTHEM: Make Me A Channel Of Your Peace

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: 1 King 19:1-18

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.

Thanks be to God for our Scriptures.

MESSAGE

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

HYMN: Come And Find The Quiet Centre VU 374

PRESENTATION OF OUR OFFERING: (in unison)

Great healer of body and soul, Chief peacemaker of heart and mind, we experience freedom as we share our abundance. Received the fullness of our offering. Increase the joy of our serving. Welcome our expressions of the good news, set free the love of doing your work. In the name of our sustainer, Jesus. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

SENDING FORTH

CLOSING HYMN: I Feel The Winds Of God Today VU 625

COMMISSIONING: (responsive)

Let us go trusting in God's never-ending care.

Even when the way is hard we will trust in God.

Let us go knowing that when we are tired and lost

God will make way for us and give us strength

Let us go and share what we know of God's great love

We will go with zeal for the

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

SCRIPTURE READERS		GREETERS
Narrator	Alanna Palmer	FRONT DOOR
The Lord	Patty Trail	Chris Grant
Angel	Chris Grant	Tammy Coughlan
Jezebel	Roger Miller	
Elijah	Rev. Michelle	TOP OF STAIRS
		Dean Jones



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Good morning and welcome to our Remembrance Day Service to honour the men and women who served Canada in times of war, military conflict and peace. Let us remember the sacrifices and achievements of the one and a half million brave Canadians who served, and continue to serve, our country at home and abroad so that we may live in peace and freedom today.

May this worship service be a blessing in your day as we continue to worship together each week in-church or by Zoom.

- 1. Roof Update: King Construction was on site last week to fix 3 leaks in our copper roof so hopefully now the rain will stay outside the sanctuary! They've identified 2 other places where the copper roof is buckling which will need to be addressed in the future. A big thank you to the Property Committee and special mention to Kyle Mathers for spearheading this project.
- **2. FundScrip:** Time to start your Christmas shopping? Do it with FundScrip gift cards. Use the cards to purchase gifts or give the cards as gifts to family and friends. Gift cards make great stocking stuffers too! We will have two orders before the holiday season **Sunday November 14** and **Sunday December 12**.
- 3. Christmas Wish Tree: Every year the people of St. Paul's share their Christmas spirit and generosity by buying gifts for children. Next week November 14th the Children's Wish Tree will be set up in Narthex. On it, you will find angel tags bearing Santa wishes from 40 children whose families are being looked after by the Fredericton Food Bank this Christmas. Select an angel, buy a gift and return it to the church by November 21st. Many of you look forward to sharing in this tradition. We hope we can count on your support in this difficult year.
- **4. St Paul's Quilter** have been invited to participate in a Fabric and Yarn Sale at Wilmot United Church on November 20th. If you have yarn or fabric just taking up space in your home, please bring it to St. Paul's before Nov. 18th and we will find it a new home. All proceeds from the items donated will be retained by St Paul's Quilters.

- **5. Grandmothers Helping Grandmothers are selling wreaths again**. Nancy MacGarvie is selling them from her porch at 83 Grey Street. Double sided balsam fir, decorated \$16; Undecorated \$13. Deadline for orders is November 21st. Pickup Sunday November 28th. Call 455-3026 or email nancymacgarvie@rogers.com. Proceeds are in support of the African Grandmothers in conjunction with Stephen Lewis Foundation and Help Lesotho.
- **6.** The Nashwaaksis United Church is having their Annual Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, November 20th from 9-noon. They will have bake tables, craft tables, silent auction, and much more. Free Admission!
- 7. Lectionary Bible Study: Join Rev. Michelle Wednesday at 11:11am in the Ladies Parlor for bible study. Come have your questions and insight inform Sunday worship. The reading for next week's study will be 1 Kings 19:1-18
- **8. Gifts with Vision** We've received the Giving Catalogue for this year and copies will be available both in the Office & the Narthex. You can also browse online at www.giftswithvision.ca. These gifts would make lovely Christmas gifts for children as a way to introduce them to the idea of philanthropy and maybe even spark the joy of giving within themselves!

St. Paul's Contact Information

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Land Acknowledgement:

We remember that St. Paul's sanctuary and our worship here is on the unceded territory of the Wolastoqey peoples. Long before this building was here, the land was considered sacred and tended to with respect and care. May our faith drive us to seek to be in right relationship with the first peoples of this land.

CLOSING HYMN: I feel the Winds of God Today

HYMN: Where Two Or Three Are Gathered

MV 14

Where two or Three are gathered, I am there, I am there. (repeat 3x)

HYMN: Come and Find the Quiet Centre VU 374

Come and find the quiet centre in the crowded life we lead, find the room for hope to enter, find the frame where we are freed: clear the chaos and the clutter, clear our eyes, that we can see all the things that really matter, be at peace, and simply be.

Silence is a friend who claims us, cools the heat and slows the pace, God it is who speaks and names us, knows our being, face to face, making space within our thinking, lifting shades to show the sun, raising courage when we're shrinking, finding scope for faith begun.

In the Spirit let us travel, open to each other's pain, let our loves and fears unravel, celebrate the space we gain: there's a place for deepest dreaming, there's a time for heart to care, in the Spirit's lively scheming there is always room to spare! I feel the winds of God today; today my sail I lift, though heavy oft with drenching spray and torn with many a rift; if hope but light the water's crest, and Christ my bark will use, I'll seek the seas at his behest, and brave another cruise.

It is the wind of God that dries my vain regretful tears, until with braver thoughts shall rise the purer, brighter years; if cast on shores of selfish ease or pleasure I should be, O let me feel your freshening breeze, and I'll put back to sea.

If ever I forget your love and how that love was shown, lift high the blood-red flag above; it bears your name alone. Great pilot of my onward way, you will not let me drift. I feel the winds of God today; today my sail I lift.