

## GOD'S PEOPLE GATHER

### Announcements

### Entrance of the flags

### Gathering Song:

O Valiant hearts, who to your glory came  
Through dust of conflict and through battle flame;  
Tranquil you lie, your knightly virtue proved,  
Your memory hallowed in the land you loved.

O risen Lord, O Shepherd of our dead,  
Whose Cross has bought them, and whose star has led,  
In glorious hope their proud and sorrowing land  
Commits her children to Thy gracious hand.

**Hymnary#525 vs. 1,7**

### Call to Worship:

Today we meet in the presence of God.

**We gather to pray for reconciliation between the nations, that all people may together, live in freedom, justice and peace.**

We pray for all who in bereavement, disability and pain continue to suffer the consequences of fighting and terror.

**We remember with thanksgiving and sorrow those whose lives, in world wars and conflicts past and present, have been given and taken away.**

**Singing: *O God Our Help in Ages Past* VU#806**

**Prayer & Lord's Prayer:** Lord God, on this day we remember bitterness and hatred and war, and what they have cost us in our life as a people and as individuals. Be part of our remembering, O God, that we may not remember in vain, making our memories little shrines to our own greatness. Rather move through our memories, bringing into stark prominence the lessons they hold for us. May our time of remembering and of worship bring us closer to a day when Your purpose is caught up in the life of our world. We ask this in the name of the Prince of Peace, Jesus our Lord Who taught us to pray...

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 forever and ever. Amen. (Yeah God!)

### Time of Remembrance

In the lonely, echoing call of the bugle,

**We must stop and remember.**

As the flowing flag furls above our heads,

**We must stop and remember.**

Through the war-etched faces of veterans young and old,

**We must stop and remember.**

In the fields of white crosses row upon row,

**We must stop and remember.**

Remember the price of war.

**Remember the price of peace.**

Remember with deep gratitude those who serve.

### Silence

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.**

### *O Canada*

**Children's Time ~ Dedication of Christmas Shoe Boxes**

**Singing:** Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me;

Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be.

**With God, our creator, children all are we;**

**Let us walk with each other in perfect harmony.**

**To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.**

**Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.**

**Let it begin with me.**

Let peace begin with me, let this be the moment now,

With every step I take let this be my solemn vow. **R**

**Green Book #128**

**Scripture Readings: Psalm 46 VU#770  
Micah 4: 1-5 p. 755**

### Reflections ~ Living With Hope

**Singing: *O God of Every Nation***

**VU#677**

### Presentation of Ourselves and Gifts to God

**Doxology:** God of all good, our gifts we bring to You,  
Use them Your holy purpose to fulfill,  
Tokens of love and pledges brought anew  
That our whole life is offered to Your will. **VU#539**

**Offertory Prayer** We bring these gifts to You, O Lord, and pray that You will take our love and make it represent the Christ Who is with us in times of war and in peace in Whose name we pray.

### We come to prayer singing:

*Let there Be Light*

**VU679 vs. 1,3,5**

### We bring our prayers to God:

**Singing** (Tune when the roll) When All Shall Walk Together

1. When the trumpet of the Lord will sound and guns shall be no more,  
when the paths of peace are open far and wide  
And when all will cease their fighting and will build a world for all  
then the Love of Christ will rule in every heart.

**When we all, will walk together (x3)**

**Then the love of Christ will rule in every heart. R**

2. When the rich and poor will share the blessings of this world of ours.  
and the Lord will wipe away our hates and fears;  
when all races and all creeds will walk as friends upon this earth  
then the love of Christ will rule in every heart **(Refrain)**
4. When the young and old will understand and dreams will come to life  
and the call of God will ring in every mind  
and we live with faith and courage Jesus showed upon the Cross  
Then the Kingdom of our Lord will come to pass. **R**

### Benediction

*We extend the hand of Christian Fellowship to our visitors & ask you to sign the visitors' book. We hope you'll return next Sunday. You are invited to Memorial Hall for coffee & conversation. Serving you this morning is the United Church Women.*

**Please Pray For:** Arthur Allan, Antoine, Pat Ashworth, Shelley Baumann, Barbara Batten, Bernice, Greg Blersch, Robin Blersch, Bonnie, Esther Bohlein, Tea Kinsella-Borden, Brigida, Carol, Caroline, Caroly, Rick Cessford, Laura Cuthbertson, Dianah, Heather Downs, Mary-Alice Epps, Ron Epps, Larry Falcon, Gail, Linda Gallant, Gladys, Myrna Hall, Jennifer, Fern Lafontaine, Lance & family, Roger Laplante, Marie Loch, Jemma Mahabir, Clarence Mahaney, Carrie Marchand, Marcelle, Marisa, Laura McLean, Mile, Michael, Cheryl Miller, Sharon Miller, Sandra Murphy, Ib Nielsen, Paige, Patrick, Julie Patterson, Sarah Puskas, Margaret Reany & family, Cheryl Rogers, Fred Rosettani, Bruce Ryan, Isabel Saccucci, Eileen & Donald Sim, Heather Sim, Reynold Skeete, Lesley Snair, Dylan Stanamir, Frank Stark, Madeline Stevens, Jan Verschoote, Cameron Vincent, Margaret Whittal, Fred Wicks, Joanne Wilken, Clara Witowski, John Wiwcharyk, Shirley Yarnell, Sarah Zimmerman

#### **Announcements:**

- Many in our community were saddened to hear of the sudden passing of Chad, Pastor & Mrs. Arijan Groeneveld's 37 year old son-in-law, leaving his wife Coby and 5 children ranging in age from 2-13 years. Since they were living in Nunavut, there are major travel, relocating, and living costs for the family. If you would like to contribute a love gift to help them at this time, there is a box downstairs, and tax receipts can be given through our Benevolent Fund.
- Civitan Sunday Brunch from 9:30 until 1 o'clock with pancakes. Raffle & bake sale.
- Harpissimo Concert, Dec. 3 at OLPH.
- We wish Nancy Christie a very Happy Birthday!
- If you would like a beautiful & informative church calendar, please add your name to the list on the board.
- Deadline for newsletter November 19.

#### **Reminders:**

- Food Cupboard – Time to think of the Christmas food baskets. We would appreciate financial aid this year so that we can give our families food vouchers. Thank you for your great generosity!
- The **Benevolent Fund** needs help. Baskets are placed at the Sanctuary exits. Thank you for your generosity.
- Please save your nickels & dimes to support the **Sunday school**. Thank you for your generosity.
- To receive St. A's memos, please submit your e-mail address to: [office@saintandrewsunitedchurch.org](mailto:office@saintandrewsunitedchurch.org)

#### **THE WEEK AHEAD**

<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Badminton</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>8:00 pm</b>	<b>Volleyball</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9:00 am</b>	<b>Badminton</b>
	<b>7:00 pm</b>	<b>Choir practice</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>8:00 pm</b>	<b>AA Meeting</b>

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# **ST. ANDREW'S UNITED CHURCH**

*184th Anniversary Year ~ 1833-2017*

**November 12, 2017 ~ 10:30 am**  
**Remembrance Day Service**



*We will remember them.*

**Minister: Rev. K. Alice McAlpine**

**Director of Music: Doreen Gilbert Bangs**

*To greet you ~*

**Elder: Bruce Snair**

**Stewards: Carol Kimmis & Bruce Ryan**