

Ministers: Rev. Bev Irwin and Rev. Karen Ptolemy-Stam
Music Director–Victoria Warwick
Trumpet: Sadie Bridgeman Trombone: Dan Donaldson
Discovery Kids – Colleen Gareau



*Please stand as you are able.

PRELUDE

*HYMN: VU #526 Weep for the Dead (vs. 1,2,4)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
CALL TO THE GATHERED

LIGHTING OF THE CHRIST CANDLE

As we light this Christ Candle, may it remind us that Christ is in us and in our world.

SUNG RESPONSE: MV #46 Refrain, vs. 3
Bless our God, O my soul, Bless God's holy name. (2x)
Remember the healing love of God.
Who calls us to be whole and to be free.
Bless our God...

OPENING PRAYER:

SCRIPTURE READINGS: [Matthew 5: 43-48](#)

THEME CONVERSATION: St. Paul's Book of Memory

CHOIR ANTHEM: Da Pacem, Domine (Give Us Peace, O Lord)

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

(*Please stand if able)

"O CANADA" (VU #524)
READING: "IN FLANDERS FIELDS"
THE LAST POST
*TIME OF SILENCE

*THE ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

They shall grow not old,
as we who 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.

*REVEILLE

*SILENT REMEMBRANCE

(Discovery Kids head upstairs)

THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

OFFERTORY: A Mighty Fortress

*DOXOLOGY: MV #135 *Refrain*

Called by earth and sky, promise of hope held high.
This is our sacred living trust, treasure of life sanctified,
Called by earth and sky.

OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Remember the people, men and women who have died in active service.
And we remember their friends and family members who still feel deep
grief.
Remember the men and women who still suffer the physical, mental, emotional, and
spiritual wounds of war.
And we remember those from whom depression and post-traumatic stress
is a reality.
Remember the naval, army and air force personnel who faced mortal danger.
And we remember civilians, bombed, shelled, and driven from their homes,
and refugees living in camps without hope of a new life.
Peace-loving God,
While we commit ourselves to remembering, count us in when it comes to
compassionate and practical support for those who suffer because of wars
past and present. We remember, and we act, because the Jesus spirit
inspires us. Amen

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*HYMN: VU #436 Abide with Me (vs. 1,2,3)

*COMMISSIONING & BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



Announcements
Sunday November 11th, 2018
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Welcome Friends!
Whoever you are, and wherever you are on life's journey,
You are welcome here!
Whether you are a child, youth, adult or elder,
You are welcome here!
Whatever your ethnic origin or language;
sexual orientation or gender identity;
religious tradition or theological position;
whatever your economic status or political persuasion
You are welcome here!
If you are differently abled, you are welcome here!
If you are spiritually weary and in need of rest,
If you are mourning a deep loss in your life,
If you are skeptical;
if you have been hurt by religion,
If you have questions,
If you come full of doubts or confidence, joy or sorrow,
You are welcome here because you are God's creation,
and WIDE is God's Welcome!!
Friends! You are Welcome in this Place – Just as you are.

There will be no social hour today, to allow us to attend the Remembrance Day service at the Cenotaph at 10:45 a.m.



This is the final week for the Canadian Foodgrains Bank campaign. Please make your cheques payable to St. Paul's United Church. So far, we have raised \$7,171!! St. Paul's Special Project Fund will contribute \$5,000 toward the campaign.



Youth group (ages 7 – 13) meets this evening from 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. The Theme is "Lest We Forget." What did a daily meal ration consist of for those soldiers in the trenches during the first world war? Come and learn!



The United Church Women (UCW) will meet on Tuesday, November 13, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in the Parlour. Our guests will be Nahanni Born and Genevieve Carter from the Huronia Museum. Everyone is welcome!

Christmas Advent Newsletter: All committees are asked to have their submissions for the Newsletter to the church office via e-mail by Monday, November 19, 2018 for distribution the following week.



Sunday November 25, 2018 is Welcoming Sunday. Interested in joining the church? Talk to Karen or to Louise in the church office.

UPCOMING CONCERTS

Serenata: November 24, 7:30 p.m.

Children's Community Choir: December 2, 7:00 p.m.

VOX: December 8, 7:30 p.m.



Poinsettia orders: We are selling memorial poinsettias again this year. Deadline for ordering is Tuesday November 28, 2018 by 10 am. The cost ranges from \$10 to \$25. Please drop by the church office to place your order.

The flowers in the Sanctuary today have been placed by the James family, in memory of Al James.



We have a system for hearing support.
Please speak to an usher for assistance.

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