Service Bulletin November 8th, Remembrance Day
If you are visiting us - welcome!

Celebrant Jesus said (Matthew 18:20): "For where two or three are gathered in my name, I am there among them." The gospel candle is a reminder that we are not alone. May its flame warm our hearts and inspire us to live out the message of the gospel.

PROCESSIONAL HYMN #577
GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY

O CANADA #659

AN ACT OF REMEMBRANCE
Celebrant 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.
All **We will remember them.**

LAST POST
TIME OF SILENCE
REVEILLE
GOD SAVE THE KING #660

THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY

Celebrant From east and west, north and south, we gather on this day of remembrance to give thanks and praise.
All **We come to be inspired by the Word of God and honour the sacrifices of those who have committed themselves to service before self.**

Celebrant In times of peace, in times of conflict, and in times of uncertainty,
All **We remember that we are not alone.**

Celebrant We are the people of God, connected across time and space, from generation to generation.
All **We are united by the love of the One who said: "No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends."**

Celebrant As we gather to remember, let us sing and pray.
All **Let us worship God together!**
(United Church of Canada, Service of Remembrance, 2021)

Celebrant Almighty God,
All **to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

GLORIA *(Sung standing)*

All **Glory to God in the highest, and peace to his people on earth.**
Lord God, heavenly King, Almighty God and Father, we worship you, we give you thanks, we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father, Lord God, Lamb of God, you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us; you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

GATHERING PRAYER *(Collect)*

Celebrant God of every nation,
People **as we remember those that gave their life for our sake, let us be stirred to action in their memory. We confess that we have not done all that is possible to promote peace and justice in our world. We have not loved our neighbours, let alone our enemies. Forgive us for failing to live up to your commandments. Empower us to work for your kingdom in this world and welcome us by your grace into your kingdom in the next, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Reader A reading from the first letter of **Peter**
Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! By his great mercy he has given us a new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, and into an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, who are being protected by the power of God through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. In this you rejoice, even if now for a little while you have had to suffer various trials, so that the genuineness of your faith—being more precious than gold that, though perishable, is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honour when Jesus Christ is revealed. Although you have not seen him, you love him; and even though you do not see him now, you believe in him and rejoice with an indescribable and glorious joy, for you are receiving the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls. 1 Peter 1.3-9

Reader Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church.
All **Thanks be to God.**

Reader A reading from **Psalm 116**
I love the Lord, because he has heard the voice of my supplication, because he has inclined his ear to me whenever I called upon him.
The cords of death entangled me; the grip of the grave took hold of me; I came to grief and sorrow.
Then I called upon the name of the Lord: "O Lord, I pray you, save my life."
Gracious is the Lord and righteous; our God is full of compassion.
The Lord watches over the innocent; I was brought very low, and he helped me.
Turn again to your rest, O my soul, for the Lord has treated you well.
For you have rescued my life from death, my eyes from tears, and my feet from stumbling.
I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living.

Eternal God, faithful in your tender compassion, you give us hope for our life here and hereafter through the victory of your only Son. When we share his cup of salvation, revive in us the joy of this everlasting gift. We ask his in his name. Amen. PSALM 116.1-8

Reader **For the Fallen**
With proud thanksgiving, a mother for her children,
England mourns for her dead across the sea.
Flesh of her flesh they were, spirit of her spirit,
Fallen in the cause of the free.

Solemn the drums thrill: Death august and royal
Sings sorrow up into immortal spheres.
There is music in the midst of desolation
And a glory that shines upon our tears.

They went with songs to the battle, they were young,
Straight of limb, true of eye, steady and aglow.
They were staunch to the end against odds uncounted,
They fell with their faces to the foe.

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

They mingle not with their laughing comrades again;
They sit no more at familiar tables of home;

They have no lot in our labour of the day-time;
They sleep beyond England's foam.

But where our desires are and our hopes profound,
Felt as a well-spring that is hidden from sight,
To the innermost heart of their own land they are known
As the stars are known to the Night;

As the stars that shall be bright when we are dust,
Moving in marches upon the heavenly plain,
As the stars that are starry in the time of our darkness,
To the end, to the end, they remain.
Laurence Binyon (1869-1943)
**Contemn means "treat or regard with contempt"*

Reader The Lord be with you.
All **Thanks be to God.**

GRADUAL HYMN #575

LET STREAMS OF LIVING JUSTICE
(VS 1 - 2 before the Gospel and VS 3 after the Gospel)

THE GOSPEL

Gospeller The Lord be with you,
People **and also with you.**

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **John**
People **Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ**. *(sung)*

Gospeller Do not work for the food that perishes, but for the food that endures for eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For it is on him that God the Father has set his seal.' Then they said to him, 'What must we do to perform the works of God?' Jesus answered them, 'This is the work of God, that you believe in him whom he has sent.' So they said to him, 'What sign are you going to give us then, so that we may see it and believe you? What work are you performing? Our ancestors ate the manna in the wilderness; as it is written, "He gave them bread from heaven to eat."' Then Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, it was not Moses who gave you the bread from heaven, but it is my Father who gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is that which comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.' They said to him, 'Sir, give us this bread always.'

Jesus said to them, 'I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty. But I said to you that you have seen me and yet do not believe. Everything that the Father gives me will come to me, and anyone who comes to me I will never drive away; for I

have come down from heaven, not to do my own will, but the will of him who sent me. And this is the will of him who sent me, that I should lose nothing of all that he has given me, but raise it up on the last day. This is indeed the will of my Father, that all who see the Son and believe in him may have eternal life; and I will raise them up on the last day.' JOHN 6.27-40

Gospeller The Gospel of Christ
People **Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.** *(sung)*

SERMON **Archdeacon John Anderson**

ANTHEM

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH
The Apostle's Creed *(Please stand)*
Celebrant Let us confess the faith of our baptism, as we say,
All **I believe in God, 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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE
Let us pray.
(You may stand, sit or kneel for prayer as you are comfortable.)
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.

Lord, have mercy upon us.

Let us pray for all who suffer as a result of conflict and ask that God may give us peace: for the service people who have died in the violence of war, each one remembered by and known to God; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For those who love them in death as in life, offering the distress of our grief and the sadness of our loss; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For all members of the armed forces who are in danger this day, remembering family, friends and all who pray for their safe return; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For civilian women, children and men whose lives are disfigured by war or terror, calling to mind in penitence the anger and hatreds of humanity; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For those who are sick, lonely, hungry, or ignored, and those on our parish list Allison, Baby Oliver, Barb, Carol, Caroline, Cherlyn, Connie, Francoise, Glen, Isobel, Jan, Jennifer, Jess, Kelly, Lillian, Lew, Marie, Marie-Eve, Marylin, Marylin L., and Natalie, that the Lord will comfort and sustain them; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For peacemakers and peacekeepers, who seek to keep this world secure and free; May God give peace.
God give peace.

For all who bear the burden and privilege of leadership, political, military and religious; asking for gifts of wisdom and resolve in the search for reconciliation and peace; May God give peace.
God give peace.

O God of truth and justice, we hold before you those whose memory we cherish, and those whose names we will never know. Help us to lift our eyes above the torment of this broken world, and grant us the grace to pray for those who wish us harm. As we honour the past, may we put our faith in your future; for you are the source of life and hope, now and for ever. Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Celebrant Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy. God welcomes sinners and invites us to this table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God's forgiveness.
Silence....
Most merciful God,
All **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.

Celebrant 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.
All **Amen.**

THE PEACE *(Please Stand)*

Celebrant Jesus says: Peace I leave with you; peace I give to you. Do not let your hearts be troubled neither let them be afraid. The peace of the Lord be always with you.
All **And also with you.**

OFFERTORY HYMN #572

LET THERE BE LIGHT

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Celebrant Gracious God,
All **your word to us is food indeed. Receive all we offer you this day, and let your loving-kindness be our comfort, for the sake of Jesus Christ, your living word. Amen.**

(Remain Standing)

THE EUCHARISTIC

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER #5

Celebrant The Lord be with you,
People **and also with you.**

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.
People **We lift them to the Lord.**

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
People **It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, almighty God, for the gift of a world full of wonder, and for our life which comes from you. By your power you sustain the universe.
People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant You created us to love you with all our heart, and to love each other as ourselves, but we rebel against you by the evil that we do.

In Jesus, your Son, you bring healing to our world and gather us into one great family. Therefore, with all who serve you on earth and in heaven, we praise your wonderful name, as we sing,

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, ***(Sung)***
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant We give you thanks and praise, loving Father, because in sending Jesus, your Son, to us you showed us how much you love us. He cares for the poor and the hungry. He suffers with the sick and the rejected.

Betrayed and forsaken, he did not strike back but overcame hatred with love. On the cross he defeated the power of sin and death. By raising him from the dead you show us the power of your love to bring new life to all your people.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant On the night before he gave up his life for us, Jesus, at supper with his friends, took bread, gave thanks to you, broke it, and gave it to them, saying, "Take this, all of you, and eat it: this is my body which is given for you."

After supper, Jesus took the cup of wine, said the blessing, gave it to his friends, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is the cup of my blood, the blood of the new and eternal covenant, which is shed for you and for many, so that sins may be forgiven. Do this in memory of me."

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Gracious God, with this bread and wine we celebrate the death and resurrection of Jesus, and we offer ourselves to you in him.

Send your Holy Spirit on us and on these gifts, that we may know the presence of Jesus in the breaking of bread, and share in the life of the family of your children.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever.**

Celebrant Father, you call us to be your servants; fill us with the courage and love of Jesus, that all the world may gather in joy at the table of your kingdom.

We sing your praise, almighty Father, through Jesus, our Lord, in the power of the Holy Spirit, now and for ever.

People **Glory to you for ever and ever. Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant With saints and martyrs through the ages, let us pray with confidence as our Saviour has taught us.

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Save us from the time of trial, and deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours, now and for ever. Amen.

BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Celebrant We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.
We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

Celebrant So, come to this table, you who have much faith and you who would like to have more. You who have been to this sacrament often, and you who have not been for a long time. You who have tried to follow Jesus, and you who have failed. Come. It is Christ who invites us to meet him here.

The gifts of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

LAMB OF GOD

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
have mercy on us.

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have mercy on us.

Celebrant Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world:
grant us peace.

THE COMMUNION

All are welcome at the Lord's Table. If you would like to receive a blessing rather than the bread and wine of the Eucharist please cross your arms over your chest.

COMMUNION HYMN #528

O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST

An Act of Commitment and Prayer after Communion

Celebrant Let us commit ourselves to responsible living and faithful service. Will you strive for all that makes for peace?
All **We will.**

Celebrant Will you seek to heal the wounds of war?
All **We will.**

Celebrant Will you work for a just future for all humanity?
All **We will.**

Celebrant Merciful God, we offer to you the fears in us that have not yet been cast out by love: may we accept the hope you have placed in the hearts of all people, and live lives of justice, courage and mercy; through Jesus Christ our risen redeemer.
All **Amen.**

Celebrant Glory to God,
All **whose power, working in us, can do infinitely more than we can ask or imagine. Glory to God from generation to generation, in the Church and in Christ Jesus, for ever and ever. Amen.**

The Blessing

Benediction Hymn, Let there be Peace on Earth

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, we are family.
Let us walk with each
In perfect harmony.
Let peace begin with me, Let this be the moment now.
With every step I take, Let this be my solemn vow;
To take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally.
Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

Announcements

Recessional Hymn #505

Be Thou My Vision

~ Dismissal ~

Leader Followers of Jesus, inspired by the Holy Spirit, serve the world God Loves.
All **Thanks be to God.**

"The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and as we mark Remembrance Day to give thanks to those who served and are serving"

***S*cripture Study on Wednesdays**
A small group of our members were meeting for a scripture study on Tuesday mornings, and numbers have been on the decline. Studying the word and its impact on our life is an important part of our faith walk. Commencing Wednesday, November 25th from 10:00 to 10:50 am, in the St. Luke Room, we will continue this tradition of a scripture study. This will be a perfect time join us as we consider the Advent readings for each Sunday.

Mid-Week Eucharist on Wednesday
Also commencing on Wednesday, November 25th will be a mid-week Eucharist each Wednesday at 11:30 am. This is a said service taken from the page 230 of the BAS (a Form in the Language of the Book of Common Prayer 1962). It will be an informal service with one reading, usually the gospel and a short reflection. It is Archdeacon John's practice to use the prayers and readings from the Anglican Church of Canada For all the Saints.

Service Change
The Regional combined service planned as Evening Prayer at 3:30pm on November 29th will be a Eucharist at 10:00am (Advent 1)

The Voice Newsletter
The deadline for submissions to the Christmas Edition of "The Voice" is December 7th. This is 'our' newsletter which means your contributions make it happen. Submission are to be sent to Drew Simpson at our email address: **christchurch1@bellnet.ca**

EUCHRE Christ Church, Campbellford
Wednesday November 18th
1 - 4pm $10.00 per person
PRIZES / DESSERT / BEVERAGE
Register: 705 653-5365 Jim

Christmas Shoeboxes
The Samaritan's Purse Christmas shoeboxes are available for pickup in Jenkins Hall beginning October 4. The final date for collection will be Sunday, November 15. Many thanks for this sharing of faith. From your Outreach Committee.

SHARE THE WARMTH
BLANKET AND WINTER CLOTHING DRIVE
The Outreach Committee is accepting donations of gently used or new:

Warm Blankets
Heavy coats and insulated jackets
Gloves, hats and thick socks
to support our unhoused neighbours as the temperatures, drop.
Collections will occur over two Sundays: November 15 and 22. Please drop off your donations in the designated area in Jenkins' Hall.
Thank you for your continued generosity and for helping us spread warmth in our communities this season. If you are aware of someone who is in need of these items, please contact a member of our Outreach Committee: Sharon Peeling, Diane Williamson, Shirley Warr, Elizabeth Hogle, Evelyn Field.

Today's Readers	
1st Lesson OT	Neil Fulton
Psalm	Maureen Greenwodd
2nd Lesson	Mary Lou Steinmann
Gospel	Archdeacon John Anderson
Prayers	Nancy DeKuyper
Chalice	David Fulton
Server & Chalice	Shelli Jeffs

In Flanders Fields by Lt.-Col. John McCrae (1872-1918)

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved, and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders Fields.