MORDEN BRANCH OF THE CANADIAN LEGION OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE SERVICE LEAGUE



Remembrance Day Service



Morden, Manitoba

Saturday, November 11

1933

IN MEMORY OF THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES FOR THEIR KING AND COUNTRY

Order of Service

INVOCATION Rev. Philip Barker -orbeat

ARMISTICE

Over the broken dead, Over the trenches and wire. Bugles of God rang out-"Cease Fire."

Woe to those nations of men Who, in their heart or desire, Break that stern order of God-"Cease Fire."

-Frederick George Scott.

Quebec, November 12th, 1928.

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TWO MINUTES SILENCE WILL BE OBSERVED IN MEMORY OF THOSE WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE GREAT WAR

IN FLANDERS' FIELDS

In Flanders' Fields, the poppies grow 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 lift it high! If ye break faith with us who die We shall not sleep, though poppies grow In Flanders' Fields.

-Lt.-Col. John McCrea.

France, 1917.

"O CANADA"

O Canada! Our home, our native land, True patriot love in all thy sons command, With glowing hearts we see thee rise, The true North strong and free; And stand on guard, O Canada, We stand on guard for thee.

Chorus:

O Canada! O Canada! O Canada! We stand on guard for thee. O Canada! We stand on guard for thee.

INTERNATIONAL PRAYER Rev. F. J. Boyd, B.A.

O Lord God, Father of Man, King of Kings, and Ruler of Nations, we humbly thank Thee on this Day of Hallowed Memories, for Thy Presence and help in the dark days of conflict past and for Thy divine comfort in our sorrow, and that Thou mayest continue us to live in harmony and peace with all the nations of the world.

Make us to remember the heroic and noble sacrifices made in behalf of mankind by many peoples and heal, O Lord, their sorrows. Take away, we beseech Thee, the animus and hatreds which cause men and nations to make war where Thou hast intended "Peace on Earth to Men of Goodwill." Continue Thy mercy unto all peoples, binding them ever more closely together in concord and brotherly love; and grant Thy blessings to all peoples, to their rulers, councils, and all in authority under them, that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavors upon the best and surest foundations that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety may be established among them for all generations. Amen.

"O GOD, OUR HELP IN AGES PAST"

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come;
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

Beneath the shadow of Thy Throne, Thy saints have dwelt secure! Sufficient is Thine arm alone, And our defence is sure.

O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come; Be Thou our guard while troubles last, And our eternal home.

SCRIPTURE READING Rev. Peter Fisher

Revelation Chap. VII, Verses 9-17

ADDRESS Comrade Wm. Godfrey

ANTHEM BY THE CHOIR

"THE SUPREME SACRIFICE"

(Tune: "Abide With Me")

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. Proudly you gathered, rank on rank to war, As who had heard God's message from afar; All you had hoped for, all you had, you gave To save mankind—yourselves you scorned to save. Splendid you passed, the great surrender made, Into the light that nevermore shall fade; Deep your contentment in that blest abode, Who wait the last clear trumpet-call of God.

"GOD SAVE THE KING"

Gcd save our Gracious King, Long live our Noble King, God save the King. Send Him Victorious Happy and Gloricus, Long to reign over us, God save the King.

BENEDICTION Rev. Philip Barker

At the conclusion of the service the Veterans, Ladies' Auxiliary and Scholars will leave the church first. The parade will form up in front of the church and proceed to the Memorial Park where tribute will be paid our Glorious Dead.

