

This bulletin is dedicated in loving memory of
Boyd & Minnie Tremblett,
with love from Janet, Jennifer and Claire

St. James United Church

November 8, 2015/Remembrance Day

Minister: Rev. Terrie Burry
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Organist: Amy Dalziel
Trumpeter: Sergeant Hannah Sheppard
Soloist: Katelyn Mayo

Please remain seated comfortably until invited to stand.

Please turn off your cell phone during the Service.

Musical Prelude

Welcome and Life and Work of St. James



Call to Worship: (responsive)

One: Through every generation, through times of hope and times of fear,

All: Through times of war and times of peace,

One: Through times of loss and times of joy,

All: You are God.

One: In the first moment of grief,

All: In the long, empty nights,

One: In the chaos of war, in the search for answers,

All: You are with us.

One: When we pause in the midst of our busy lives,

All: When we remember those who suffered and those who died,

One: When we pray saying, "Your kingdom come."

All: You are God.

One: Come, let us praise the God who leads us in dreaming of peace.

Opening Prayer: (together) Remembering the generations who have gone before us, we have come to this place of peace to worship You.

Remembering the many who gave their lives so that we might be free, we have come to this hour of peace to worship You. Remembering all who have suffered loss and grief in the name of war, we have come to this service of peace to worship You. In Jesus' name we pray, ever the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Hymn: *Let There Be Light* 679

Children's Time, Circle Song and Passing of the Peace

Blessing of Logan and Hannah Palmer, son and daughter of Adele & Michael Palmer

Hymn: *O for a World* 697

Minute for Mission & Offertory Invitation

Offertory Anthem: *Sweet Peace the Gift of God's Love* Choir

Offertory Hymn: *Spirit of Life* 381

Offertory Prayer: (together) Our gifts seem so insignificant against the needs of the world. Our selves seem so powerless against the conflicts of the planet, yet still You call us into witness and service. Bless us and the gifts we offer, that we may fulfill your mission for all creation. Amen.

Hebrew Scripture: Ruth 3: 1-5; 4:13-17
Ruth marries Boaz and restores the family line.

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 127 851
Unless God builds the house

Anthem: *Child of Peace* Youth

New Testament Reading: Mark 12: 38-44
The widow offers two small copper coins.

Hymn: *Take My Life and Let It Be* 506

Meditation Prayers of the People

Solo: *In Flanders Fields* Katelyn Mayo

Act of Remembrance

One: They shall not grow 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.

The Last Post:

Sergeant Hannah Sheppard,
508 Caribou Squadron RCAC

Silence

Reveille

Prayer (together) Living God, by whose love we are united with one another across the boundaries of time and space, bring us to a new remembrance of Your love and life, reflected in earth and sky, and every person who ever lived. Teach us to be reconciled to one another and to You. Amen

O Canada

Closing Hymn: *Ode to Newfoundland*

When sun rays crown thy pine-clad hills, and summer spreads her hand;
When silvern voices tune thy rills, we love thee, smiling land;
We love thee, we love thee, we love thee, smiling land.

When spreads thy cloak of shimm'ring white, at winter's stern command;
Thro' shortened day and starlit night, we love thee, frozen land;
We love thee, we love thee, we love thee, frozen land.

When blinding storm gusts fret thy shore, and wild waves lash thy strand;
Thro' spindrift swirl and tempest roar, we love thee, windswept land;
We love thee, we love thee, we love thee, windswept land.

As loved our fathers, so we love, where once they stood, we stand;
Their prayer we raise to heaven above, God guard thee, Newfoundland;
God guard thee, God guard thee, God guard thee, Newfoundland.

Commissioning

Musical Postlude



Ushering this week is provided by:

Usher in Charge: Barry Cutler

Greeters: Sandra Thistle, Linda Babstock

Ushers: Bill & Cindy Pike, Hardy Winsor, Baxter Howse, Oliver Wellon