<u>Collect for the Day:</u> (In Unison): Eternal God, who caused all holy scriptures to be written for our learning, grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen

<u>Prayer over the Gifts:</u> (In Unison): Gracious God, 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

<u>Prayer after Communion:</u> (In Unison): Living God, in the eucharist you fill us with new hope. May the power of your love, which we have known in word and sacrament, continue your saving work among us, and bring us to the joy you promise. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

<u>Parish Cycle of Prayer</u>: We pray for our parish families (this week we remember): Victor Tucker, Wade & Judy Tucker, Walter & Susanna Tucker, Warren & Moya Tucker, William & Rebecca Tucker, and their families.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: We pray for the Lusitanian Church (Extra-Provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury) The Rt Revd Jorge Pina Cabral – Bishop of the Lusitanian Church.

<u>Tri-Diocesan Cycle of Prayer</u>: We pray for the Parish of St. Philip, St. Philip's – Rector, Rev. Randy Lockyer, <u>and</u> the Parish of St. Thomas, St. John's– Rector, Rev. Greg Mercer, Assistant, Rev. Gail Coley-MacDonald.

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November 10th, 2019 (Year C)

A WARM WELCOME IS EXTENDED TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS AND VISITORS WHO ARE WITH US TODAY. WE HOPE THAT GOD WILL BLESS US AS WE WORSHIP HIM HERE TOGETHER AT ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH.

From the Rector's desk: As I reflect on what to write to you this week, I am quite aware that tomorrow, November 11<sup>th</sup>, is a very special day right across our nation and beyond. Remembrance Day is a sacred occasion for us to remember, with much gratitude, the men and women that have served in times of war and unrest, and, those currently serving around the world to maintain peace. It is an occasion to pay tribute to those who have laid down their lives in the fight for freedom and liberty. The freedom we enjoy today was paid for with the sacrifice, blood and lives of yesterday. In the past nearly 28 years of ordained ministry, I have met, known and ministered unto veterans of World War 1, World War 2, the Korean Conflict, the Gulf War and the Afghanistan conflict. There are no more survivors from World War 1 living, and, within a few short years there will be none left from World war 2, and, as time marches onward, it becomes even more important to remember and celebrate those who have given so much for so many. For about 8 years I served as the Legion chaplain in Grand Falls-Windsor, and, was always amazed at the spirit of comradery among those who knew what it was to serve in military uniform, no matter the generation gap between them it was bridged by this common bond of service. I hope tomorrow people from every community will make that extra effort to attend a ceremony close to them, even if it means a small sacrifice of time, knowing that it's the very least we can do as an expression of our gratitude. As we think about those who, in times of war and military conflict, gave up their lives in the fight for freedom, we are reminded of the words of Jesus in St. John 15:13 Greater love has no one than this, that he (or she)lay down his (or her) life for hi (or her)s friends. Most of us will never know what that

actually means, to give up one's life for one's friends, but we may have family members of past generations who did just that, and, today our world is a much better place because of it. Jesus knew what it meant to lay down his life for his friends, and, we remember with thankfulness his sacrifice every Sunday when we gather around the altar to receive the body and blood that was broken and shed for our sake. Christians are all about expressing gratitude whenever the power of good is victorious over the power of evil, just imagine our world today if nobody stood up against Hitler and his supporters in World War 2, it would be much different today I am sure. Today we will place a poppy on the cross at the front of the church so that we can express in a small way our thanks to those who gave so much so that we can be free today. Be proud of that poppy as it stands for so much. From the dirt and mud grew a beautiful red poppy. The red poppy came to symbolize the blood shed during battle following the publication of the wartime poem "In Flanders Fields." The poem was written by Lieutenant Colonel John McCrae, M.D. while serving on the front lines. Here is the poem:

> 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!

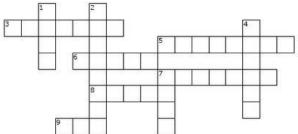
Take up our quarrel with the foe
To you, from failing hands, we throw
The torch: be yours to hold it high
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields

(Rev. Randy)

# **Veterans & Remembrance Day**

"The soldier, above all other people, prays for peace, for he must suffer and bear the deepest wounds and scars of war." - Douglas MacArthur





## **ACROSS**

- Someone who fights when there is a war
- 5. Relating to the armed forces
- A period free from war or violence
- A day for celebration when many people stay home from work or school
- To show no fear in times of danger
- Fighting between two or more countries

#### DOWN

- A piece of cloth with a special color and pattern used to represent a country
- To keep something or someone in your memory
- a large number of people marching, walking, or riding in vehicles, usually as part of a celebration
- 7. A person who performs bravely in battle
- peace holiday hero brave flag military parade soldier remember war

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# Dismissal Sona

Go now in peace; never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every day.

Go now in faith, steadfast strong and true. Know he will guide you in all you do.

Go now in love and show you believe.
Reach out to others so all the world can see.

God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith and in love.

# The Scriptural Sentence for our worship today as appointed in our BAS Lectionary

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Jesus Christ is the first-born of the dead; to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen

22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost – Nov. 10<sup>th</sup>
8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)
Eucharistic Assistant – Mose Tucker
10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS)
Eucharistic Assistants – Carol Bartlett & Lori Gosse
Counters: Viola Squires & Susan Powell
Sidesperson: Canon Don Morgan
Altar Duty: Margie Tucker & Martina Tucker

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost – Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>
8:30 am – Holy Communion (BCP)
Eucharistic Assistant – Charlie Gosse
10:30 am – Holy Eucharist (BAS)
Eucharistic Assistants – Mose Tucker &
Joan Tucker
Counters: Lori Mercer Linda Thomas
Sidesperson: Karen Puglisevich
Altar Duty: Margie Tucker & Martina Tucker

The Collect, Epistle and Gospel for Today – 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday After Pentecost

1st Reading: Haggai 1: 15b-2:9, Psalm 98 P. 836

(Jeanette Osmond)

2<sup>nd</sup> Thessalonians 2: 1-5, 13-17

(Can. Shirley Gosse)

Gospel Luke 20: 27-38 (Deacon Bonnell)

#### **NOTICES**

- **Nov. 9 Saltwater Jamboree Comeback Concert –** sponsored by St. Philip's Anglican Church 7:00 pm at St. Lawrence Church Parish Hall, Portugal Cove Tickets \$10.00.
- **Nov. 12 Vestry meeting** will be held this Tuesday, Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm in the board room.
- **Nov. 13 Coffee and Parables** is a very informal bible study that Rev. Randy will be starting on Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. We will put some coffee/tea on and explore a selected parable each week for about one hour. We will talk about the meaning of each parable and how it might apply to our lives today. All are welcome, and, if someone wishes to attend but does not have transportation or prefers not to drive at night, call the church office or Rev. Randy and we will make sure you have a ride.
- **Nov. 14 Our parish will host the next Archdeaconry meeting.** The archdeaconry is a geographic area of parishes, in our case, it consist of all parishes in this area, St. John's, Mount Pearl, and CBS. The clergy meet together to fellowship with each other and to discuss the issues that we hold in common. Our Archdeacon is Charlene Taylor. We will come together for breakfast, worship and then a meeting that morning. Please keep the parishes of our archdeaconry in your prayers.
- Nov. 16 ACW Fall Sale & Lunch Sat. 10:00 am 2:00 pm. Lunch will be served at 11:30 and will consist of Soup, Chili, Rolls and Cookies. Cost \$5.00. There will also be a Christmas Stocking Draw, a Christmas Cake table, Baked Goods & Craft Tables as well as a Bottle Table and Mystery Bag Table. For the Bottle Table, everyone is asked to help the ACW by donating a bottle. It could be a bottle of ketchup, mustard pickles, jam, soft drinks, dish detergent or hand soap.... etc. etc. *Donations to the Baked Goods Table would also be most appreciated.*
- **Nov. 17 Our Catechist will be preaching next Sunday.** This will be part of Benjamin's training in our parish and the very first sermon he has ever given, so please give him as much encouragement as you can.
- **Nov. 17**<sup>th</sup> is the last Sunday to get your Memorial Hymn Sing sheets in! The service will be the following Sunday (Nov. 24<sup>th</sup>) but we need time to prepare the memorials to be read out during the service.

- Nov. 23 Have you received your flu shot? Eastern Health will be conducting a flu shot clinic in the Canon EB Cheeseman Parish Centre on Saturday, November 23<sup>rd</sup> 10:00 am 4:00 pm. There is no cost to receive your flu shot.
- **Nov. 26 ACW Card Game** will be held Tuesday, Nov. 26. Cost is \$5.00 and lunch will be served.
- Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> will be a busy Sunday in our parish Not only do we have the bishop coming for Confirmation at the 10:30 am service, but he will also be returning at 7:00 pm for Rev. Randy's induction as rector of the parish. We are not accustomed anymore to evening services but we do hope many will attend both services that day.
- Dec. 4 ACW Christmas Dinner will take place on Wed., Dec. 4<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm. at Jack's Restaurant in the Capital Hotel on Kenmount Road. All ladies of the congregation are welcome and encouraged to join us. If you are interested in attending please call Phoebe Parrell at 722-5937.
- **Dec. 24** Christmas Eve services will be held on Tuesday, December 24<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm (family worship with abbreviated form of Holy Eucharist) and 7:30 pm (Holy Eucharist).

# **Notes**

Remembrance Day service will be held tomorrow, Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> at Portugal Cove. People are invited to line up in St. Lawrence's parking lot at 10:30 am and from there to parade to the War Memorial where the service will begin at 11:00 am. All are welcome to go back to the Legion after for refreshments.

Place your Poppy today as an act of remembrance. During our worship this morning we will make a visit to the cross to place our poppies in remembrance of those who have served in times of war and paid the supreme sacrifice for our freedom today.

**2019** is quickly drawing to a close and we realize that in 7 weeks we will be entering into a brand new year. Please be reminded that our parish financial books close December 31<sup>st</sup>. We hope to again meet our financial obligations for the year but, to do so we need the support of all our parish members.

The Confirmation candidates to be confirmed on Dec. 1<sup>st</sup> are – Chloe Morris, Joshua Smith, Elizabeth Tucker, Nathan Bartlett, Braden Pittman, Blair Pittman and Roghan Penney. Please keep these young people in your prayers over the next two months.

This year we will be starting a Youth Group that will meet certain Sundays at 10:30 am. This is a great time for our young people, aged 12 - 16 to come and take part in various roles with-in the church. We will meet and plan activities and projects All are welcome! We are desperately looking for volunteers for our children and youth programs. If you are interested, please let me know. You do not have to commit for every week!! (Lisa Lake)

Nov. 15 - NSO Masterworks 2 Concert Join the Newfoundland Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Marc David as we celebrate the life of John Herriott a noted musician, composer and teacher in Newfoundland and Labrador. The concert features Mike Herriott, trumpeter; Chuck Herriott, actor; and Richard Herriott, pianist and composer; along with special internationally-renowned cellist, Ofra Harnoy. The evening will include music by Rachmaninov, Walton and Richard Herriott in addition to some well-known tunes including Cape St. Mary's and Summertime.Come celebrate with this musical family Friday November 15, 2019 at the Arts and Culture Centre. Tickets (\$33-48) are available at the ACC Box Office (729-3900) and online at www.artsandculturecentre.com.

Nov. 16 - The Diocesan Resource Centre, 19 King's Bridge Road, will be having a Christmas Open House on Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 10:00am until 6:00pm. There will be special offers, Hot Cider and Cookies. Shoppers will also enjoy 20% off all Advent & Christmas books, cards and giftware for this day only. Come see the large display of Nativities. You will surely find one that is just right for your home. We look forward to seeing on for a fun day of shopping.

### **Special Milestones**

Congratulations to Ernest & Maxine Jones on the occasion of their **50**<sup>th</sup> **Wedding Anniversary**!

Dec. 12 - Join lan Foster and Nancy Hynes for their return Christmas concert to St. Mark's Anglican Church in St. John's Thursday December 12, 7:30 pm (doors open at 7:00 pm). There'll be new songs and some fun surprises for the show this year, along with tracks from their holiday album 'A Week in December.' Tickets on sale now at https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/christmas-with-ian-foster-and-nancy-hynes-st-marks-anglican-church-tickets-75493189161, through www.ianfoster.ca/shows, and at the church office at 203 Logy Bay Rd. (709) 726-3213. Children ages 12 and under are free. Doors at 7pm. This concert is in support of Home Again Furniture Bank.

**Refugee Committee Update:** Approximately four years ago, five Anglican Parishes (St. Philip's, Portugal Cove, Paradise, Gould's and Foxtrap) formed a committee to sponsor a refugee family. With the help of all parishes, we raised the necessary start up funds in the first year. Finally, on October 22, our sponsored family arrived. The family consists of a mom and dad and three children aged 8 months, 2 years and 4 years old. They are originally from Syria and travelled from a refugee camp in Jordan. The committee had short notice of their arrival but all worked hard to make sure that a comfortable apartment was awaiting them. We expect the first few weeks to be very overwhelming and our committee will work closely with them in all areas of integration. Over the coming weeks, as needs are identified, we will bring them to our parishes. We thank God for the family's safe arrival, and we ask for your continued prayers for the family, and for our parishes as we live out this amazing opportunity to minister together as the Church.

> Greg Brown Co-Chair, Refugee Committee Group

## **Church Chuckle**

Notice in Church Magazine:
This Saturday, the Women's Guild
will hold their annual jumble sale.
Ladies, this is a good time to get rid
of any unwanted items in your home.
Don't forget to bring your husbands!



Prayerfully consider your Parish in your estate planning

Stewardship thought For the Week
Empty pockets never held anyone back,
It's only empty hearts that do it!

(Norman Vincent Peale)

Yearly Budget for Envelope Giving for 2019 - \$97,000.00 Needed Monthly - \$ 8,741.67 Needed Weekly - \$ 2,108.00

Rec'd Nov. 3 <sup>rd</sup>		
Regular Giving	\$	2,360.00
Maintenance	\$	570.00
Rec'd Year to Date		
Regular Giving	\$	68,427.06
Maintenance	\$	10,032.10
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for Nov. 3 <sup>rd</sup> .	Ś	4.168.00