

Remembrance Sunday

Twenty-Third Sunday after Pentecost
November 13, 2022

Choral Matins at 10:30 am

Welcome to the Church of St. Peter and St. Simon-the-Apostle.
The service begins on page 1 of the *Book of Common Prayer*.

Officiant: The Reverend Canon Geoffrey Sangwine
Preacher: The Reverend Dr Stephen Drakeford
Organist & Director of Music: Robin Davis

*The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the honour and glory of Almighty God
and in thanksgiving for the life of Alan Townsend
and all who have served their country in times of conflict.*

Prelude *Elegy* HUBERT PARRY

Opening Sentence – BCP p. 2

Officiant They shall beat their swords into ploughshares and the spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore.

Isaiah 2.4

Other sentences may be added at the discretion of the Officiant.

Act of Remembrance

Please stand and face the memorial at the west end of the church.

Officiant We are here to worship Almighty God, whose purposes are good; whose power sustains the world he has made; who loves us, though we have failed in his service; who gave Jesus Christ for the life of the world; who by his Holy Spirit leads us in his way.

As we give thanks for God's great works, we remember those who have lived and died in his service and in the service of others; we pray for all who suffer through

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war and are in need; we ask for his help and blessing that we may do his will, and the whole world may acknowledge him as Lord and King.

Hymn: *O God our Help in Ages Past*

ST. ANNE

O God, our Help in ages past, our Hope for years to come,
our Shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal Home.

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Under the shadow of Thy throne Thy saints have dwelt secure;
sufficient is Thine arm alone, and our defense is sure.

Before the hills in order stood or earth received its frame,
from everlasting, Thou art God, to endless years the same.

A thousand ages in Thy sight are like an evening gone,
short as the watch that ends the night before the rising sun.

Time, like an ever-rolling stream, bears all our years away;
they fly forgotten, as a dream dies at the opening day.

Our God, our Help in ages past, our Hope for years to come,
be Thou our Guide while life shall last, and our eternal Home!

Officiant Let us remember before God, and commend to God's sure keeping
those who have died for their country in war; those who served in many ways;
those whom we knew and whose memory we treasure;
and all who have lived and died in the service of peace.

The names of those who gave their lives in the two world wars.

Read by David McPherson and Mary Martin

World War I

Russell Aikens	Gordon Noble
Gordon Stewart Andrews	Ralph Featherstone Lake Osler
Louis Charles Blake	John William Perkins
William Edward Blake	George Phillips
Hedleigh St. George Bond	Thomas Henry Price

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John Howard Brown	John Perkins
Cecil Ardagh Coe	William Ramsden
Leopold John Creasy	George Allan Renfrew
Robert Joseph Darch	Edmund Rockefeller Street
George Dagg	George Sweetland
George Macdonald Dick	Gordon Sale
Charles James Ford	Douglas William Duke Scott
John Spencer Gardner	Geoffrey Allan Snow
George Gibbons	John Edward Shannon
Dermot Alan Harris	Garnet Redvers Skimin
Edgar Lewis Hill	Walter Morland Skimin
William Ernest Hillier	William Henry Victor Van der Smissen
William Hurley	Jeffrey Filder Smith
Norman Burritt Lockhart	William Percival Statham
Edward Lowcock	Alan Jarvis Hamilton Townsend
George W. Jones	Charles E. Thorne
Edmund Raymond Jarvis	Christopher F. Trees
Ralph Himsworth Jarvis	Trumbull Warren
Theodore Charles May	Henry William Warrington

Donald Silas MacGregor
John Percival Mitcheson
Harold Mitchell
Harold Bertram Mitchell

Wilfred John Watts
Harold Reid Wilkinson
Benson Wright
Robert Walsh
Clarence Fitzallen Webster

World War II

Thomas Frederick Barker
G.C. Bailey
Thomas W. Barker
Hugh Birnie
Harold Cook
Robert Cousins
Robert John Albert Cleverdon

Wally Hughes
Douglas Harker
Douglas Hicks
Noel E. Lowes
Howard Lawrence Maughan
Joseph McWhaw
F.J. Melanson

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Leonard Richard Cole
Clare Arthur Connor
Charles Gibsone Crombie
Ralph Crowe
Alexander Dawson
Gordon DeBy
Albert J. Gammon
Edward E. Hallam

Martin Northmore
Jack Phillips
Charles Harrison Tidy
Eric Charles Tisdall
Douglas Tomlin
Stanley Walker
David E. Westlake
Richard Whitby

Last Post — Silence — Reveille

Officiant Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death of life; hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of thy love, and bring us all with them, to thine eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The National Anthems

*God save our gracious King,
long live our noble King:
God save the King.
Send him victorious,
happy and glorious,
long to reign over us,
God save the King.*

*O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command.
With glowing hearts we see thee rise
the true north, strong and free!
From far and wide O Canada
we stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land glorious and free,
O Canada we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada we stand on guard for thee.*

Officiant Let us pledge ourselves anew to the service of God, our neighbours, and the world; that we may help, encourage and comfort others, and support those working for the relief of the needy and for the peace and welfare of the nations. **Amen.**

All **Lord God, we pledge ourselves to serve you and all people in the cause of peace, for the relief of want and suffering and for the praise of your name. Guide us by your Spirit: give us wisdom: give us courage: give us hope: and keep us**

by your Spirit, give us wisdom, give us courage, give us hope, and keep us faithful now and always. Amen.

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Entrance Hymn 573 O Day of Peace JERUSALEM

Confession & Absolution – BCP pp. 4-5

Officiant Let us in faith and penitence humbly confess our sins.

Officiant Almighty and most merciful Father,

All **We have erred and strayed from thy ways like lost sheep, we have followed too much the devices and desires of our own hearts, we have offended against thy holy laws, we have left undone those things which we ought to have done, and we have done those things which we ought not to have done; and there is no health in us. But thou, O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable offenders. Spare thou them, O God, which confess their faults. Restore thou them that are penitent; according to thy promises declared unto all people in Christ Jesu our Lord. And grant, O most merciful Father, for his sake, that we may hereafter live a godly, righteous, and sober life, to the glory of thy holy Name. Amen.**

The Absolution – BCP p. 5

Officiant Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who desireth not the death of sinners, but rather that they may turn from their wickedness, and live, hath given power and commandment to his Ministers, to declare and pronounce to his people, being penitent, the Absolution and Remission of their sins. He pardoneth and absolveth all them that truly repent and unfeignedly believe his holy Gospel. Wherefore we beseech him to grant us true repentance and his Holy Spirit, that those things may please him which we do at this present, and that the rest of our life hereafter may be pure and holy; so that at the last we may come to his eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Versicles & Responses – BCP p. 6

Officiant O Lord, open thou our lips;

All **And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.**

Officiant O God, make speed to save us;

All **O Lord, make haste to help us.** *You are invited to stand.*

Officiant Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

All **As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

Officiant Praise ye the Lord;

All **The Lord's Name be praised.**

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The Venite – BCP pp. 6-7

The Lord God om | nipo-tent | reigneth: /
O | come, | let us | worship.

O come, let us | sing unto · the | Lord: /
* let us heartily rejoice in the | strength of | our sal | vation.

Let us come before his | presence with | thanksgiving /
* and show ourselves | glad in | him with | psalms.

For the Lord is a | great | God /
* and a great | King a·bove | all | gods.

In his hand are all the | corners · of the | earth /
* and the | strength of · the | hills is · his | also.

The sea is | his and · he | made it /
* and his | hands pre | pared the · dry | land.

O come, let us worship and | fall | down /
* and | kneel be·fore the | Lord, our | Maker.

For he is the | Lord our | God /
* and we are the people of his pasture, | and the | sheep of · his | hand.

To-day, O that ye would | hear his | voice: /
* ‘Harden not your hearts as in the Provocation, and as in the day
of Temp | tation | in the | wilderness;

When your fathers | tempted | me, /
* proved | me, and | saw my | works.

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Forty years long was I grieved with that gene | ration, and | said, /
* “It is a people that do err in their hearts, for they | have not | known my | ways”;

Unto whom I | swear in my | wrath, /
* that they should not | enter | into my | rest.’

Glory be to the Father, and | to the | Son,
* and | to the | Holy | Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever | shall be,
* world without | end. | A- | men.

The Lord God om | nipo-tent | reigneth: /
O | come, | let us | worship.

Psalm 116 Sung by all. Please remain standing as able.

- ¹ My delight is ' in the ' Lord, / because he hath ' heard the ' voice of · my ' prayer;
² Because he hath inclined his ' ear · unto ' me, /
 therefore will I call upon ' him as ' long as · I ' live.
³ The cords of death compassed me ' round a' bout, /
 and the pains of ' hell gat ' hold up' on me.
⁴ I found trouble and heaviness, and I called upon the ' Name · of the ' Lord: /
 'O Lord, I be'seech thee, de'liver my ' soul.'
⁵ Gracious is the ' Lord, and ' righteous; / yea, ' our ' God is ' merciful.
⁶ The Lord pre'serveth the ' simple: / I was in ' mise'ry ' and he ' helped me.
⁷ Turn again then unto thy rest, ' O my ' soul; /
 for the ' Lord hath · dealt ' bounti · fully ' with thee.
⁸ For thou hast delivered my ' soul from ' death, /
 mine eyes from tears, ' and my ' feet from ' falling.

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Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son / and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is now and ' ever ' shall be / world without ' end. A'—'men.

The First Lesson *Wisdom of Solomon 3.1-9* Read by Paul Faulkner

Reader The first lesson is written in the 3rd chapter of the Wisdom of Solomon,
 beginning at the 1st verse.

But the souls of the righteous are in the hand of God, and no torment will ever touch them. In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, and their departure was thought to be a disaster, and their going from us to be their destruction; but they are at peace. For though in the sight of others they were punished, their hope is full of immortality. Having been disciplined a little, they will receive great good, because God tested them and found them worthy of himself; like gold in the furnace he tried them, and like a sacrificial burnt offering he accepted them. In the time of their visitation they will shine forth, and will run like sparks through the stubble. They will govern nations and rule over peoples, and the Lord will reign over them forever. Those who trust in him will understand truth, and the faithful will abide with him in love, because grace and mercy are upon his holy ones, and he watches over his elect.

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Te Deum – BCP pp. 7-9

We praise | thee, O | God; /
 we acknowledge | thee to | be the | Lord.

All the | earth doth | worship thee, /
 the | Father | ever | lasting

the | Father | ever | lasting.

To thee all angels | cry a | loud /
the heavens and | all the | powers there | in.

To thee | cherubim and | seraphim /
con| tinual | ly do | cry

Holy | holy | holy / Lord | God | of | hosts;

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Heaven and | earth are | full /
of the | majes-ty | of thy | glory.

The glorious company of the a | postles | praise thee /
the goodly fellowship | of the | prophets | praise thee;

The noble army of | martyrs | praise thee, /
The holy church throughout all the world | doth ac | knowledge | thee,

2nd The Father, of an | infinite | majesty /
thine honourable, true and only Son; also the | Holy | Ghost, the | Comforter.

Thou art the King of | glory, O | Christ. /
Thou art the ever | lasting | Son of · the | Father.

When thou tookest upon thee to de | liver | man /
Thou didst not ab | hor the | Virgin's | womb.

When thou hadst overcome the | sharpness of | death /
thou didst open the kingdom of | heaven to | all be | lievers.

Thou sittest at the right hand of God, in the | glory · of the | Father. /
We believe that thou shalt | come to | be our | judge.

We therefore pray thee, | help thy | servants /
whom thou hast redeemed | with thy | precious | blood.

Make them to be numbered | with thy | saints /
in | glory | ever | lasting.

O Lord save thy people and | bless thine | heritage; /
 Govern them and | lift them | up for | ever.

Day by day we | magni-fy | thee; /
 and we worship thy Name, | ever | world with-out | end.

Vouchsafe O Lord to keep us this | day with-out | sin. /
 O Lord have mercy up | on us, have | mercy up | on us.

O Lord let thy mercy lighten upon us, as our | trust is · in | thee. /
 O Lord, in thee have I trusted: let me | never | be con | founded.

The Second Lesson *Matthew 2.13-23*

Reader The second lesson is written in the second chapter of the Gospel according to St. Matthew, beginning at the thirteenth verse.

Now after they had left, an angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream and said, 'Get up, take the child and his mother, and flee to Egypt, and remain there until I tell you; for Herod is about to search for the child, to destroy him.' Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother by night, and went to Egypt, and remained there until the death of Herod. This was to fulfil what had been spoken by the Lord through the prophet, 'Out of Egypt I have called my son.' When Herod saw that he had been tricked by the wise men, he was infuriated, and he sent and killed all the children in and around Bethlehem who were two years old or under, according to the time that he had learned from the wise men. Then was fulfilled what had been spoken through the prophet Jeremiah: 'A voice was heard in Ramah, wailing and loud lamentation, Rachel weeping for her children; she refused to be consoled, because they are no more.' When Herod died, an angel of the Lord suddenly appeared in a dream to Joseph in Egypt and said, 'Get up, take the child and his mother, and go to the land of Israel, for those who were seeking the child's life are dead.' Then Joseph got up, took the child and his mother, and went to the land of Israel. But when he heard that Archelaus was

ruling over Judea in place of his father Herod, he was afraid to go there. And after being warned in a dream, he went away to the district of Galilee. There he made his home in a town called Nazareth, so that what had been spoken through the prophets might be fulfilled, 'He will be called a Nazorean.'

Reader The word of the Lord.

All **Thanks be to God.**

Benedictus *Sung by all. Please stand.*

Blessed be the Lord | God of | Israel; /
 * for he hath visited, | and re | deemed his | people;
 and hath raised up a mighty sal | vation | for us, /
 * in the | house of · his | servant | David;
 as he spake by the mouth of his | holy | Prophets, /
 * which have been | since the | world be | gan;
 that we should be | saved from · our | enemies, /
 * and from the | hands of | all that | hate us;
 to perform the mercy promised | to our | forefathers, /
 * and to re | member | his | holy covenant;
 to perform the oath which he sware to our | fore-father | Abraham, /
 * that | he would | grant | us
 that we being delivered out of the | hands of · our | enemies /
 * might | serve him · with | out | fear,
 in holiness and | righteousness be | fore him, /
 * all the | days of | our | life.
 And thou, child, shalt be called the | Prophet · of the | Highest: /
 * for thou shalt go before the face of the | Lord · to pre | pare his | ways;

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to give knowledge of salvation | unto his | people /
 * for the re | mission | of their | sins;
 through the tender mercy | of our | God; /
 * whereby the day-spring | from on | high hath | visited us;
 to give light to them that sit in darkness, and in the | shadow of | death, /
 * and to guide our feet | into the | way of | peace.
 Glory be to the Father, and | to the | Son,
 * and | to the | Holy | Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever | shall be,
 * world without | end. | A- | men.

The Apostles' Creed – BCP pp. 10-11

Officiant I believe in God

All **the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth: and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried: he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy Catholic Church; the Communion of Saints; the Forgiveness of sins; the Resurrection of the body, and the Life everlasting. Amen.**

Officiant The Lord be with you:

Officiant The Lord be with you,

All And with thy spirit.

Officiant Let us pray.

Officiant Lord, have mercy upon us.

All Christ, have mercy upon us.

Officiant Lord, have mercy upon us.

Officiant Our Father

All who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Officiant O Lord, show thy mercy upon us;

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All And grant us thy salvation.

Officiant O Lord, save the King;

All And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Officiant Endue thy ministers with righteousness;

All And make thy chosen people joyful.

Officiant O Lord, save thy people;

All And bless thine inheritance.

Officiant Give peace in our time, O Lord;

All And evermore mightily defend us.

Officiant O God, make clean our hearts within us;

All And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

The Collects

Officiant LORD, we beseech thee to keep thy household the Church in continual godliness; that through thy protection it may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve thee in good works, to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**
Collect for Twenty Second Sunday after Trinity

Officiant O GOD, who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of whom standeth our eternal life, whose service is perfect freedom: defend us thy humble servants in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**
Collect for Peace

Officiant O LORD, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day: defend us in the same with thy mighty power; and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings may be ordered by thy governance, to do always that is righteous in thy sight; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**
Collect for Grace

Anthem *Hear My Prayer and O For the Wings* FELIX MENDELSSOHN
Sophie Knowles, Soprano solo
Hear my prayer, O God, incline Thine ear!

Thyself from my petition do not hide!
 Take heed to me! Hear how in prayer I mourn to Thee!
 Without Thee all is dark, I have no guide.
 The enemy shouteth, The godless come fast!
 Iniquity, hatred upon me they cast!
 The wicked oppress me, Ah, where shall I fly?
 Perplexed and bewildered, O God, hear my cry!

My heart is sorely pained within my breast,
 My soul with deathly terror is oppressed,
 Trembling and fearfulness upon me fall,
 With horror overwhelmed, Lord, hear me call!

O for the wings of a dove! Far away would I rove!
 In the wilderness build me a nest, and remain there for ever at rest.

Sermon The Reverend Dr Stephen Drakeford

Hymn 575 *Let Streams of Living Justice* THAXTED

The Prayers & General Thanksgiving – *BCP* pp. 13-14

Officiant Almighty God,

All **Father of all mercies, we thine unworthy servants do give thee most humble and hearty thanks for all thy goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all people. We bless thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but above all for thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And we beseech thee, give us that due sense of all thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we show forth thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives; by giving up ourselves to thy service, and by walking before thee in holiness and righteousness all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honour and glory, world without end. Amen.**

Prayer of St Chrysostom – *BCP* p. 15

Officiant Almighty God, who hast given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplications unto thee; and dost promise that when two or three are

gathered together in thy Name thou wilt grant their requests: Fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

All **The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with us all evermore. Amen.**

Parish Announcements

Hymn 393 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* ST DENIO

Postlude *Prelude to the Te Deum* MARC-ANTOINE CHARPENTIER
John McGregor, Trumpet

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Today our preacher is the Reverend Dr Stephen Drakeford. Stephen has been a priest of this Diocese for 32 years and has served St. George's, Oshawa, the Parish of Georgina, Trinity, Streetsville, St. Matthew's, Islington and he retired from The Church of the Epiphany and St. Mark, Parkdale. He's been involved and led numerous diocesan committees over the years, but particularly for the last fifteen years, he's been leading and serving the call to better care for creation as we face environmental collapse.

In retirement Stephen was nominated to serve then co-chair AURA (Anglican United Refugee Alliance). He is here today in that capacity. AURA actively links sponsoring groups with refugees. AURA further continues to support sponsors and refugees before and after their arrival in Canada. He feels privileged to be doing this important work and is delighted to be here today to share with you the importance of this ministry. Welcome Stephen.

In our Prayers this Week

The Anglican Communion Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui.

Diocesan Cycle of Prayer York Central Deanery.

Outreach & Advocacy Cycle of Prayer Pray for Trinity, Barrie, its support for the David Busby Centre, "Bucket Brigade" for the Women and Children's Shelter, Elizabeth Fry Society of Simcoe County, and participation in community meal programs through the local Salvation Army; for Trinity Church, Bradford, its Second Hand Shop, Christmas shoeboxes for a women's shelter, involvement and support of Helping Hands Food Bank, Inn From the Cold,

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and part of the Water First campaign to provide clean water to First Nations communities; for Trinity, Streetsville, its support of Christians Against Poverty, its COPING bereavement group, ESL program, refugee sponsorship, and its new Green committee.

Parish Cycle Gloria Martin, Godfrey Martin, Mary Martin & Malcolm Jackson, Carol Matthew.

Home Bound Parishioners Gail Birnie, Joyce Brighty, Nancy Byers, Ann Duff, Alice Fox, Dennis Gittens, Lorraine Griffith, Sabrina Hogan, George Petricko, Lucy Simons, Barbara Towe, Lila Vamosi, Daphne Webster.

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