



**Sunday, November 9, 2025  
Remembrance Sunday  
St. Paul's Anglican Church, Uxbridge**



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### **Land Acknowledgement**

It is a great privilege to gather, share stories of faith and worship God on this beautiful territory, which we now know as Township of Uxbridge but which has been the site of human activity – and therefore storytelling and worship – for many thousands of years. We wish to honour the ancestral guardians of this land and its waterways: the Huron-Wendat, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy, the Mississauga and Chippewa (Anishinaabe) people. The treaties that were signed for this particular parcel of land are collectively referred to as the Williams Treaties of 1923. Today many Indigenous peoples, including the Metis Nation continue to call this land home and act as its stewards, and this responsibility extends to all peoples, to share and care for this land for generations to come.

### **Prelude**

*Oratio ad benedictionem: Prayer for Blessing in Memory of.....*

Beaudoin

*(please stand)*

**Processional Hymn**

*O God, Our Help in Ages Past*

**CP 528**

### **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 shall remember them.

**All:** **We will remember them.**

In Flander's Fields

O Canada

Last Post

Two minute silence

Rouse

God Save the King

### **Prayer for our Armed Forces**

We meet in the presence of God. We commit ourselves to work in penitence and faith for reconciliation between the nations, that all people may, together, live in freedom, justice and peace. We pray for all who in bereavement, disability and pain continue to suffer the consequences of fighting and terror. We remember with thanksgiving and sorrow those whose lives, in world wars and conflicts past and present, have been given and taken away. Ever-living God, we remember those whom you have gathered from the storm of war into the peace of your presence; may that same peace calm our fears, bring justice to all peoples and establish harmony among the nations, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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

**All: 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.

**All: 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.

**All: 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.

**All: God give peace.**

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

**All: 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.

**All: 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.**

### **The Act of Commitment**

Let us commit ourselves to responsible living and faithful service.

Will you strive for all that makes for peace?

**All: We will, with God's help.**

Will you seek to heal the wounds of war?

**All: We will, with God's help.**

Will you work for a just future for all humanity?

**All: We will, with God's help.**

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. **Amen.**

## **THE GATHERING OF THE COMMUNITY**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, be with you all. **And also with you.**

### **Collect for Purity**

Almighty God, 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.

## The Gloria

CP 702

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.

## Kyrie

Lord, have mercy,  
Christ, have mercy.  
Lord, have mercy.

## Collect of the Day

Father of all, we pray to you for those we love, but see no longer. Grant them your peace, let light perpetual shine upon them, and in your loving wisdom and almighty power, work in them the good purpose of your perfect will; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

*(please sit)*

**First Reading:** Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9

**Reader:** The First Reading is written in the third chapter of the Wisdom of Solomon beginning at the first verse

The souls of the 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. (*Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-9*)

**Reader:** The Word of the Lord

**People:** Thanks be to God

**Psalm 116:1-8 (choir)**

**Second Reading: 1 Peter 1:3-9**

**Reader:** The Second Reading is written in the first chapter of the First Letter of Peter beginning at the ninth verse,

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:** The Word of the Lord.

**People:** Thanks be to God.

*(please stand)*

**Gradual**

*Eternal Father, Strong to Save*

**CP 567**

**Holy Gospel: John 6:37-40**

**Reader:** The Lord be with you

**People:** And also with you

**Reader:** The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John

**People:** Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ

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 6:37-40)

**Reader:** The Gospel of Christ

**People:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

*(please sit)*

**Homily**

**Moment of Silent Reflection**

*(please stand)*

**The Nicene Creed**

Let us confess our faith, as we say,

**We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all this is, seen and unseen.**

**We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven; by the power of the Holy Spirit he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father. With the Father and the Son he is worshipped and glorified. He has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

*(please sit/ kneel/stand)*

**Prayers of the People**

*(please sit/kneel)*

**Confession and Absolution**

Dear friends in Christ, God is steadfast in love and infinite in mercy; he welcomes sinners and invites them to his table. Let us confess our sins, confident in God’s forgiveness.

**Most merciful God, 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.**

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. **Amen.**

*(please stand)*

### **The Peace**

May the peace of Christ be with you! **And also with you!**

## **THE CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**

*(please stand)*

### **Offertory Hymn**

*For the Healing of the Nations*

**CP 576**

### **The Prayer over the Gifts**

Gracious and righteous Lord, we are united in the love of Jesus Christ. Accept all we offer you this day, and bring us, with all your faithful people who have gone before us, into his eternal glory; who is Lord, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **Eucharistic Prayer 3**

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

Blessed are you, gracious God, creator of heaven and earth; we give you thanks and praise through Jesus Christ our Lord, whose victorious rising from the dead has given to us the hope of resurrection and the promise of eternal life. Therefore with angels and archangels and all who have served you in every age, we raise our voices to proclaim the glory of your name.

### **Sanctus**

**CP 732**

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might  
heav'n and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest, hosanna in the highest.**

**Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest, Hosanna in the highest.**

*(please sit)*

We give thanks to you, Lord our God, for the goodness and love you have made known to us in creation; in calling Israel to be your people; in your Word spoken through the prophets; and above all in the Word made flesh, Jesus your Son.

For in these last days, you sent him to be incarnate from the Virgin Mary, to be the Saviour and Redeemer of the world. In him, you have delivered us from evil, and made us worthy to stand before you. In him, you have brought us out of error into truth, out of sin into righteousness, out of death into life.

On the night he was handed over to suffering and death, a death he freely accepted, our Lord Jesus Christ took bread; and when he had given thanks to you, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, and said, "Take, eat this is my body which is given for you. Do this for the remembrance of me."

After supper he took the cup of wine; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, and said, "Drink this, all of you: this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Whenever you drink it, do this for the remembrance of me."

Therefore, Father, according to his command, **we remember his death, we proclaim his resurrection, we await his coming in glory**

and we offer our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving to you, Lord of all, presenting to you, from your creation, this bread and this wine.

We pray you, gracious God, to send your Holy Spirit upon these gifts, that they may be the sacrament of the body of Christ and his blood of the new covenant. Unite us to your Son in his sacrifice, that we, made acceptable in him, may be sanctified by the Holy Spirit.

In the fullness of time, reconcile all things in Christ, and make them new, and bring us to that city of light where you dwell with all your sons and daughters; through Jesus Christ our Lord, the firstborn of all creation, the head of the Church, and the author of our salvation; by whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, all honour and glory are yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

### **The Lord's Prayer**

As Jesus taught us, we pray together

**Our Father, who art in heaven ...**

### **The Breaking of the Bread**

**Celebrant:** We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

**All:** **We, being many, are one body, for we all share in the one bread.**

### **Agnus Dei**

**CP 747**

**Jesus, Lamb of God, have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, bearer of our sins, have mercy on us.**

**Jesus, redeemer, redeemer of the world,  
give us your peace, give us your peace.**

**Celebrant:** The gifts of God for the people of God.  
**People:** Thanks be to God.

## **Communion**

**Communion Hymn**                      *The King of Love My Shepherd Is*                      **CP 520**

**Anthem**                                      *Prayer For The Children*                                      Hayes

*(please sit)*

## **Prayer after Communion**

God of love, may the death and resurrection of Christ, which we celebrate in this eucharist, bring us, with the faithful departed, into the peace of your eternal home. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ, our hope and our salvation. **Amen.**

## **The Doxology**

Glory to God, 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**

## **Announcements**

*(please stand)*

**Recessional Hymn**                                      *O God of Every Nation*                                      **CP 593**

**(to be sung by all)**

## *Go Now in Peace*

Besig

**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.      **Amen.****

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*(please stand)*

## **Dismissal**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

*(please sit)*

**Postlude**

*Psalm 121: I Look to the Hills. From whence comes my help. My help comes from God.* Beaudoin

*If you have another commitment today,  
and need to depart the church during the postlude, feel free to do so quietly.*

**Welcome and thank you to Larry Pogue, the trumpeter for our service today.**

**If you wish to contact Rev. Johanna, her email is, [revjohannapak@gmail.com](mailto:revjohannapak@gmail.com). For phone contact, please use the church 905-852-7016.**

### **This Week at St. Paul's**

**TODAY, Sunday, November 9, 2025**

- 7:30 pm – Remembrance Day Memorial Concert here at St. Paul's

**Wednesday, November 12, 2025**

- 10:00 am – Midweek Eucharist
- 10:30 am – Informal Bible Study in the Lounge

**Thursday, November 13, 2025**

- 7:30 pm – Choir practice

**Saturday, November 15, 2025**

- 10:00 am – 5:00 pm – Festival of Trees Winter Wonderland in Lower Hall

**Sunday, November 16, 2025 – Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost**

- 10:30 am – Eucharist
- 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm – Festival of Trees Winter Wonderland in Lower Hall

**Readings for Next Sunday**

- Isaiah 65:17-25
- Canticle (Isaiah 12)
- 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13
- Luke 21:5-19

**Upcoming Events**

- **Mid-week Eucharist and Bible Study** continues on Wednesdays. The Eucharist is at 10:00 am in the church with the Informal Bible Study beginning at 10:30 am in the lounge. All are welcome.
- **Sunday, November 30, 2025 – 7:00 pm** – St. Paul’s Anglican Church presents a performance of Johann Sebastian Bach’s **Christmas Oratorio**. **Tickets \$40.00 available at [www.starticketing.com](http://www.starticketing.com)** See posters on bulletin boards.

**For the health and comfort of those with allergies  
St. Paul’s is a “scent free” facility.**