

Welcome and notices

Lord Jesus, You came to gather the nations into the peace of the Kingdom of God.

Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord, have mercy.

Lord Jesus, You come in word and sacrament to make Your people strong.

Christ have mercy.

All: Christ have mercy.

Lord Jesus, You will come in glory, with salvation for all Your people.

Lord, have mercy.

All: Lord have mercy.

Hymn

Confession

All: We confess the things within us that make for conflict

– pride, greed, envy, intolerance, our unwillingness to forgive, our selfishness and our lack of time for others.

For our share in the world's continuing pain, Lord, forgive us.

May the peace we pray for begin here and now in our hearts, and so may we be instruments of your peace, bringing healing to our broken world.

In the Name of Christ. Amen.

We are assured of God's forgiveness

Together we will process to the memorial stone.

Let us recall before God those who have given their lives in the cause of freedom, and in the service of others, especially those known to us.

The roll is read & wreaths laid



A member of the congregation says: They shall grow not old
as we that are left grow old: age shall not weary them, nor the
years condemn.

A younger person replies:

At the going down of the sun and in the morning we will
remember them.

All: We will remember them.

Silence is kept

All: Before God we pledge ourselves to establish justice and
peace, to feed the hungry and heal the broken
to welcome the refugee and the stranger
to console the bereaved,
to bring hope to those in want
so that all may rejoice
in the glorious liberty of the children of God
Amen

***We process back into the church while two people lay
remembrance crosses on the war graves***

Hymn

Reading: Psalm 46 verses 1 - 7

***At the end of the reading the
reader will say:***

This is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

We Shall
Remember
Them



Bible Reading

At the end of the reading the reader will say:

This is the word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God

Hymn

Address

Prayers

Collect:

All: God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in His service, whose kingdom has no end; for He reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory. Amen

The Lord's Prayer:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your Name.
Your Kingdom come,
Your will be done, on earth as in heaven.

Give us today our daily bread.

Forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.

Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For the kingdom, the power and the glory are Yours, now and for ever. Amen



An affirmation of faith written by two 14 year old boys:

All: We believe in God, Who made the sun and the sky, the stars and the sea, Who calls us to live responsibly.

We believe in Jesus Christ

Who became human

Who healed the sick

Who talked to children

Who made friends with sinners.

He burned brightly and offended many.

His journey was one of life and death and resurrection.

His light continues to shine in darkness.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, Who inspires the scriptures and Whose breath we breathe.

We believe that God calls us to be a community committed to one another offering a welcome to everyone;

old and young

rich and poor

strong and weak.

We believe that God calls us to be peacemakers, workers for justice, brothers and sisters, a light for our world. Amen

Responsive prayer

The desert will sing and rejoice:

All: And the wilderness blossom with flowers.

All will see the Lord's splendour:

All: See the Lord's greatness and power.

Tell everyone who is anxious:

All: Be strong and don't be afraid.

The blind will be able to see:

All: The deaf will be able to hear.

The lame will leap and dance:

All: Those who can't speak will shout.

They will hammer their swords into ploughs:

All: And their spears into pruning knives;

The nations will live in peace:

All: They will train for war no more.

This is the promise of God:

All: God's promise will be fulfilled.

Hymn

Blessing

We look forward with hope to new possibilities and new vision.
We trust in God Who brings life out of death and Who calls us to
love our enemies, and seek the peace which He alone can give.
Amen

**All: The Lord bless you and keep you, the Lord make His face
to shine upon you and be gracious to you, the Lord look on
you with kindness and give you His
peace. Amen**



cc Beyond our tears