

ST. ANDREW'S Presbyterian Church

A COMMUNITY LOVING GOD BY LOVING OUR NEIGHBOURS

At St. Andrew's, Brampton, we: learn together to know God's love through worship, study and prayer; put our faith into action by loving and caring for each other; use God's gifts to go forth to bring others to Christ.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2025 10:30 AM Remembrance Sunday • Seasonal Colour: Green

(* Please stand if able. Masks are not mandatory but recommended.)

Opening

Prelude: Fanfare G. P. Telemann

Welcome & Announcements

Approach to Worship

Call to Worship: *In Flanders Fields*Prayer of Adoration & Silent Prayer

See & Hear

(The Children are invited to go to their Sunday School classes.)

Choir Anthem: Let Us Pray for Peace N. Kraft/T. Keesecker

(See below for congregational part)

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Act of Remembrance (See below for responses)

Call to Remembrance

The Tryst

Reading of the Honour Roll

* Laying of the Wreath:

Last Post, Minutes of Silence, Lament, Reveille Prayer

* National Anthem: *O Canada*Litany of Peace

* Royal Anthem: God save our gracious King 834

* Hymn: Eternal Father, strong to save 325

The Word Proclaimed

Prayer for Illumination: (All Readings NRSV; see below)

Heavenly Father, help us to know your ways; teach us your paths and lead us into your truth. Amen.

Scripture Lesson: Luke 20:27-38

Responsive Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 (See below for responses)

(The Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God.*)

Sermon: Will We Remember?

Rev. Byron Kappes

* Hymn: The Lord's my shepherd

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* Apostles' Creed (unison)

(See below)

Response and Thanksgiving

Offering Announcement: For more on giving to St Andrew's, please visit: https://standrewsbrampton.ca/donate/

Offertory: Trumpet Tune

L. Mozart

* Presentation of Offering

* The Offering: (sung)

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We give thee but thine own, what e'er the gift may be. All that we have is thine alone, a trust, O Lord, from thee.

* Unison Prayer of Dedication:

God of new life, out of the abundance of our lives we offer these gifts to you. Through your blessing and our willingness to share, may these offerings become a source for hope and love in this church family, and in the community beyond us, in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

- St Martins Presbyterian Church, Christchurch

Prayer of Remembrance

(See below)

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father, 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Returning to Service

Commission & Benediction

* Choral Amen

Postlude: Let the Trumpets Sound! fr. Cantata No. 207 J. S. Bach

We acknowledge that we meet on the traditional territory of the Anishinabek (Ojibway), Huron-Wendat, and Haudenosaunee and Métis peoples.

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In Worship Today

Minister: Rev. Byron Kappes
Music Director: Shelagh Tyreman
Trumpet: Lino Varano
Senior Choir
Call to Worship: Jasmine Kappes
Honour Roll Readers: Colin & June Young
Laying of the Wreath: John Bakkeren
Scripture Reader: Ray Scanlan
Refreshments: Ariella & Trina
Sound & Visuals: Peter Shepherd

Worship Next Week

If you are unable to attend worship in person, please join us for our livestreamed services: St. Andrew's YouTube Channel

Sunday, November 16, 2025 10:30 am Band Sunday • Annual Budget Meeting "A New Thing"

The Annual Budget Meeting will be held after worship.
Minister: Rev. Byron Kappes

^{*} Hymn: Onward, Christian soldiers

THE ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

(Responsive text is in bold.)

Call to Remembrance:

Let us remember the kindness of God, As we remember those lost to us during times of war.

Let us remember the courage,

The devotion to duty,

and the self-sacrifice of those in our armed forces;

for the toil, endurance,

and suffering of those who were not in uniform;

the support of those who sent all they had to defend peace.

All: We will remember them.

Let us remember those

who perished in air-raids in their homes;

Those who fell in battle, and are buried at sea

Or in some corner of a foreign field;

And especially those whom we may have known and loved,

Whose place is for ever in our hearts.

All: We will remember them.

Let us remember those who were our enemies,

Whose homes and hearts are as bereft as ours,

Whose dead also lie in a tomb of everlasting remembrance.

All: We will remember them.

Let us remember those who came back;

Those whose lives still bear the scars of war;

Those who lost sight or limbs or reason;

Those who lost faith in God and hope for humanity.

All: We will remember them.

The Tryst:

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,

All: We will remember them.

Reading of the Honour Roll:

Honour Roll

World War I: 1914 – 1918

James K. Donaldson

Frank G. Early

Wilfred Hunter

William Linder

Alex McClelland

Joseph A. McClintock

Sidney Terry

World War II: 1939 - 1945

Lloyd W. Bigham

William A. Bigham

George W. Donaldson

Crawford W. Hodgson

Charles T. H. MacIntosh

Gordon H. McClure

Lloyd E. McCrimmon

Robert H. McKillop

Jack E. M. Nixon

Almer C. Raine

Those Who Served

89 men and women

* Laying of the Wreath:

- * Last Post
- * Minutes of Silence
- * Lament
- * Reveille
- * Prayer

* National Anthem: O Canada

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Litany of Peace:

Where there is hate, may we sow love;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where there is hurt, may we forgive;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where there is strife, may we make the world one;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where all is doubt, may we sow faith;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where all is gloom, may we sow hope;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where all is night, may we sow light;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Where all is tears, may we sow joy;

Lord, make us servants of your peace.

Jesus Christ, our Lord, may we not seek to be consoled, but to console, nor look to understanding hearts, but to look for hearts to understand.

May we not look for love's return, but seek to love unselfishly, for in our giving we receive, and in forgiving are forgiven.

(All) Dying, we live, and are reborn through death's dark night to endless day; Lord, make us servants of your peace, to wake at last in heaven's light. Amen.

* Royal Anthem: God save our gracious King

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Prayer of Remembrance:

Loving God, you are the giver of every good gift, and we remember today that one of your gifts is peace. You have blessed us with freedom, and provide for all our needs.

O God, help us never to forget your gifts.

We remember those who gave their lives in two world wars, the Korean War and the conflicts in the Gulf and Afghanistan. We know that their sacrifice was part of your plan for us – for our peace and freedom.

O God, help us never to forget the price they paid.

Lord Jesus Christ, you said that people have no greater love than to lay down their life for their friends. You laid down your life for us, and you call us your friends. We remember those who were killed or scarred in wars and laid down a piece of their lives for us.

O God, help us never to forget your or their sacrifice.

Holy Spirit, we remember the homes and communities – the workplaces, schools and families – that raised, and sometimes lost, these brave men and women, who heard your call to fight for your dream of peace. May we live up to their example and accept the peace that you have offered to us through the love of Jesus Christ.

O God, help us to accept your offer to live in peace.

We remember that you are the source of peace and justice. We pray with all our hearts for peace in our times. Bring true peace to those places where conflicts rage: Afghanistan, Ethiopia, Yemen, Libya, Somalia, Sudan; and other places.

O God, help to bring an end to hatred and give us peace.

We hold up before you, O God, all those who work for peace: the Canadian Armed Forces, our Canadian peacekeepers, the RCMP, and those who work alongside them: may they together know of our support and prayers, as they show us what it means to live and die for peace.

O God, help us to be your peacemakers in all we say and do.

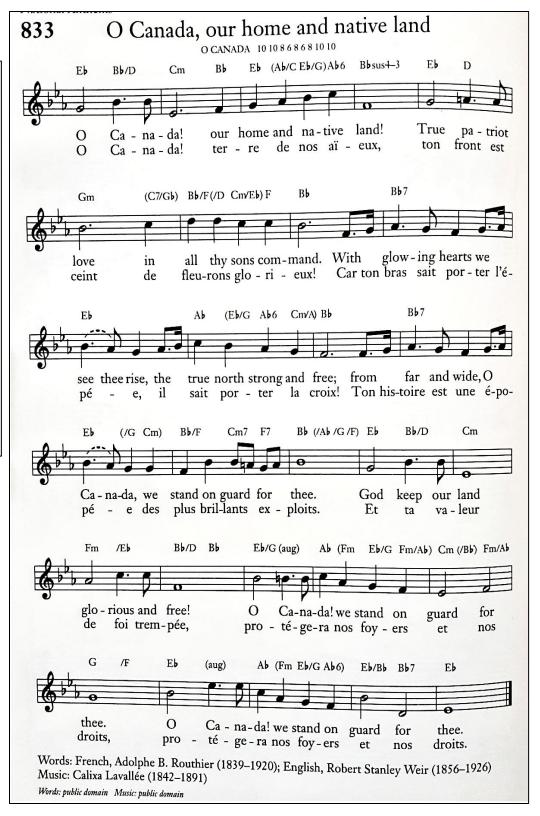
Hymns for Sunday, November 9, 2025:

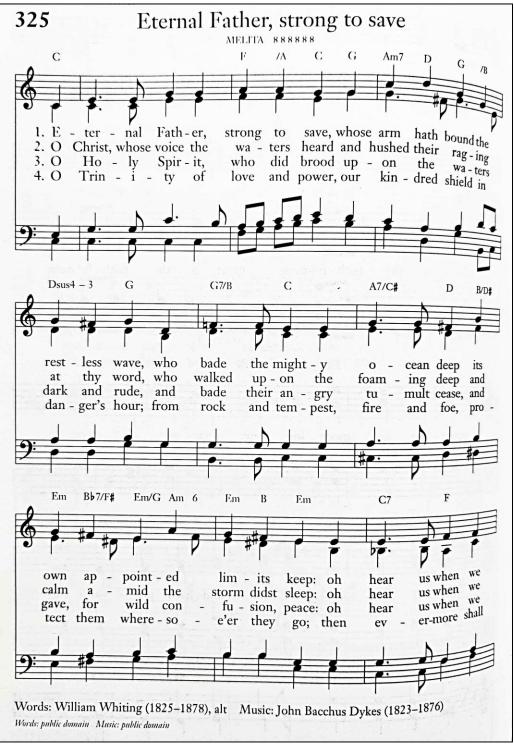


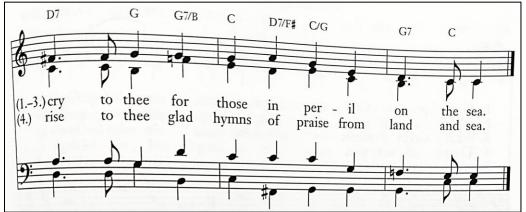
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God save our gracious King; long live our noble King; God save the King: send him victorious, happy and glorious, long to reign over us: God save the King.







In Flanders Fields

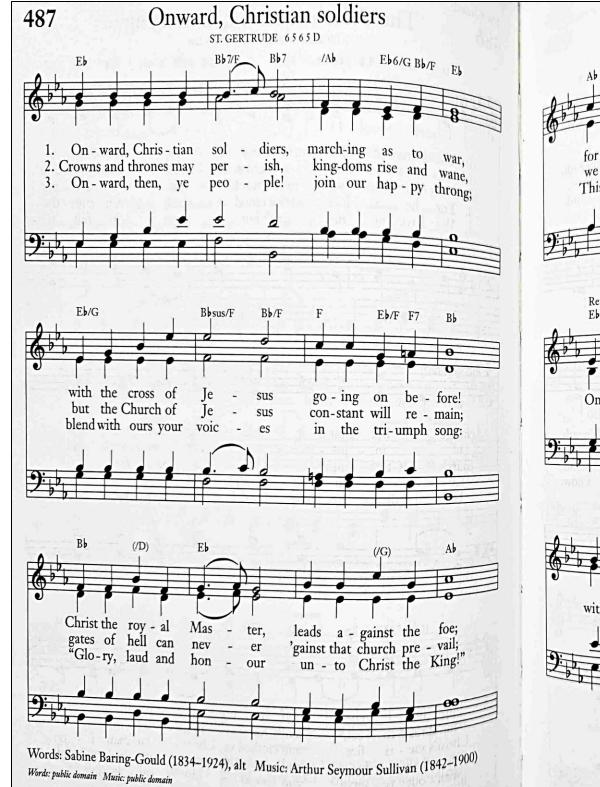
In Flanders fields, the poppies blow Between the crosses, row on row, That mark our place, and in the sky The larks, still bravely singing, fly Scarce heard amid the guns below.

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.

Written on May 3, 1915 by Canadian physician Lieutenant-Colonel John McCrae after presiding over the funeral of a friend who died in the Second Battle of Ypres. "Flanders Fields" is a common English name for the World War I battlefields in France and Belgium. John McCrae died of pneumonia on January 28, 1918 in France.







Readings for Sunday, November 9, 2025:

Scripture Lesson: Luke 20:27-38

Jesus speaks of the resurrection

Some Sadducees, those who say there is no resurrection, came to him and asked him a question, 'Teacher, Moses wrote for us that if a man's brother dies, leaving a wife but no children, the man shall marry the widow and raise up children for his brother. Now there were seven brothers; the first married, and died childless; then the second and the third married her, and so in the same way all seven died childless. Finally the woman also died. In the resurrection, therefore, whose wife will the woman be? For the seven had married her.' Jesus said to them, 'Those who belong to this age marry and are given in marriage; but those who are considered worthy of a place in that age and in the resurrection from the dead neither marry nor are given in marriage. Indeed they cannot die any more, because they are like angels and are children of God, being children of the resurrection. And the fact that the dead are raised Moses himself showed, in the story about the bush, where he speaks of the Lord as the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob. Now he is God not of the dead, but of the living; for to him all of them are alive.'

(The Word of the Lord: *Thanks be to God.*)

Responsive Psalm: Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 Great is the Lord

- R: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name for ever and ever.
- C: Every day I will bless you, and praise your name for ever and ever.
- R: Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; his greatness is unsearchable.
- C: One generation shall laud your works to another, and shall declare your mighty acts.
- R: On the glorious splendour of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate.

- C: The LORD is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings.
- R: The LORD is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth.
- C: He fulfils the desire of all who fear him; he also hears their cry, and saves them.
- R: The LORD watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.
- All: My mouth will speak the praise of the LORD, and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and ever.

* The Apostles' Creed:

Let us confess our faith together in the words of The Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead.

On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Announcements for Sunday, November 9, 2025

Welcome to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

We're glad you chose to join us for worship today! Please recycle your bulletins in the Great Hall blue bins. St. Andrew's is a scent-free zone. The staffed **Nursery** (Room 106) is available for infants and toddlers during worship; parents will be supplied with a pager.

Minister's Availability & Pastoral Care

Rev. Byron Kappes is in the Vestry every Tuesday and Thursday from 10:30 am to 12:00 noon. If you would like to meet with him outside of these hours, please contact Byron for an appointment. He can be reached at 226-998-5606 or rev.byronkappes@gmail.com.

Bruce the Cookie Man is Back!

Yes, it's that time of year! Solve your giftgiving and holiday hosting needs with delicious baked goodies from Bruce the Cookie Man. Stay tuned for an e-mail blast with all product, pricing and ordering details.



Annual Budget Meeting - November 16, 2025

St. Andrew's Annual Budget Meeting will be held **next Sunday, November 16, 2025** after the 10:30 a.m. worship service. The 2026 Proposed Budget and the 2025 AGM draft minutes are available for viewing and download <u>on our website</u>. (The link for joining the meeting online will be available there closer to the meeting.) Hardcopies of the budget and minutes are available for pickup today. We encourage all members of St. Andrew's to attend the budget meeting next Sunday!

Project Cozy 2025

As winter – yes, winter – approaches, we again ask for your help to support **Project Cozy**.

We are looking for 25 sets of hats, mitts or gloves, and scarves, to be donated to the residents of **Ellen House**. Donations of travel-sized shampoo and body wash/shower gel would also be appreciated.

We will also be putting together support bags for the **Ontario Correctional Institute (OCI)**. We need 10 each of the following (travel-sized where applicable): toothpaste, toothbrushes, body wash/shower gel, deodorant, mouthwash and combs.

Collection of these items will be held on Sundays from today to November 30, and we'll distribute them at the start of Advent. As we roll onward to Christmas, we have a lot to be thankful for. Jesus said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive." (*Acts* 20:35) As always, we thank you in advance for making these initiatives successful!

Stewardship Moment

"When I started counting my blessings, my whole life turned around." - Willie Nelson, musician, author, activist

