



**GRACE UNITED CHURCH**  
**Remembrance Sunday**  
 November 5, 2023, at 10:30 a.m.  
 Lead Minister: Rev. Dr. Thomas Shin  
 Lay Presider: Nancy Moon

**GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD**

As you enter for worship this morning and during the gathering music, we invite you to please come forward and place a poppy on the cross at the front of the sanctuary.

**Gathering Music: Let There Be Light** R. J. Fleming  
**Pomp and Circumstance** Sir Edward Elgar

**Organ Prelude: Sheep May Safely Graze** J. S. Bach

**Welcome & Announcements & Traditional Land Acknowledgement**

**Procession: O Holy Lord** Don Salfarlie

**Lighting the Christ Candle** Miracle Habakkuk

**Call to Worship:**

One: On this day of Remembrance, O God, we give thanks:

**All: For peacekeepers and pacifists; for those who served on the front lines, and those who protest and march; for those who volunteered and those who waited anxiously at home, for those who hoped that things would get better, and those who could not stand by and wait.**

One: We give thanks for those who believed that the world could be a better place.

**All: We remember those who paid the ultimate sacrifice, trusting that others could and would carry the torch.**

One: We give thanks for those who were once enemies who have become friends and allies.

**All: Amen.**

**Praise and Worship 1: Grace Choir**  
**For the Healing of the Nations** Voices United #678

**Opening Prayer**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**Praise and Worship 2: Contemporary**  
**Shalom, Salaam** Nigel Weaver

**In Flanders Fields** Shannon Kendal

**The Memorial Roll** Nancy Moon

**Words of Remembrance**

**The Last Post** Bill Buchan

*Silence*

**Reveille** Bill Buchan

**O Canada**

**Bell Ringing** Micah Mayers & Miriam Habakkuk

**Time for Youth & Young at Heart**

**I've Got Peace Like a River** Led by Kay Bingham VU# 577  
 (Children leave for Sunday School)

**TO DISCOVER THE WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY**

**Scripture Reading: Psalm 16 & Matthew 5:9** Norma Ferguson  
 One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.  
**All: Thanks be to God!**

**Message: Gratitude (4)** Rev. Dr. Thomas Shin

**TO RESPOND IN FAITH AND HOPE**

**Special Music: Make Me a Channel of Your Peace**  
 Jennifer Gibbs Reilly

**Offering Invitation**

**Offering Response: Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow**  
**Offertory Prayer** Voices United #541

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Praise and Worship 3: Grace Choir**  
**O God Our Help in Ages Past** Voices United #806

**THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO LIVE ITS FAITH IN THE WORLD**

**Commissioning and Benediction**

**Choral Blessing: Go Now in Peace** D. Besig & N. Price

**Postlude: Canon in D** Johann Pachelbel