

**Please take a few moments in silent meditation to prepare our minds and hearts to worship God. Please stand as you are able when the beadle enters with the Bible.**

Prelude

## WE APPROACH GOD

Call to Worship:

L: On this day of memories, we gather to sing and to pray,

**P: we remember the past and look to the future.**

L: On this day when the guns and canons fell silent,

**P: we come before you, God, seeking your peace.**

L: On this day of hope in the face of terror,

**P: we come before you, God, believing in your promise.**

L: Let us worship God together, in peace.

Introit: "Give us this day our daily bread" #668

*Give us this day our daily bread: this is our prayer.*

*If by your grace you give us more, Lord, help us share.*

*We are your voice, your hands, your feet; use us to show*

*In word and deed compassion to a world in need.*

\*Prayer of approach

\*Opening Hymn: "Lead on, eternal Sovereign" #743

Please be seated

Prayer of Confession:

**P: God, our Creator and Redeemer, we gather in your presence at this solemn time, aware of how much war has cost the world you love. In spite of fighting between nations and neighbours, you have come to us in Jesus Christ, carrying no sword, calling us to serve as peace makers. In this time of worship, renew in us the hope that you will turn our swords into ploughshares, and lead the world from the study of war to the promise of peace with justice for all your peoples. Amen.**

L: The prophet Micah reminds us that God requires of us three things: to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with our God. To all who truly repent, who turn away from hostility and seek reconciliation with God and neighbour in kindness and humility, God offers forgiveness and peace.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

L: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

**P: And also with you.**

## WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Responsive Reading: Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21

L: I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name for ever and ever.

**P: Every day I will bless you, and praise your name for ever and ever.**

L: Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised;

**P: His greatness is unsearchable.**

L: One generation shall laud your works to another,

**P: and shall declare your mighty acts.**

L: On the glorious splendor of your majesty, and on your wondrous works, I will meditate. The Lord is just in all his ways, and kind in all his doings.

**P: The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfils the desire of all who fear him; he also hears their cry, and saves them.**

L: The Lord watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy.

**P: My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and ever.**

\*Hymn: "What does the Lord require of you" #709

Children's time

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Life and Work of the Church

Scripture: Haggai 1:15b-2:9 p. 878

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 p. 206

Luke 20: 27-38 p. 84

L: The word of the Lord

**P: Thanks be to God.**

\*Hymn: "As longs the hart" #25

Sermon: They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old

Musical Reflection: In You, There is a Refuge – By Keri K.

Wehlander

Prayers of the People

## WE RESPOND

Offering & Offertory: Pacem – By Andy Beck & Brian Fisher

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow*

*Praise God all creatures here below*

*Praise God above ye heavenly hosts*

*Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Prayer of dedication:

**God of justice and generosity, when we consider that Christ gave, his very life for our sakes, we are humbled to offer you what we bring today. We are also humbled by the memory of those who gave up their youth, their families, and their very lives in conflict so that justice and truth would prevail. Bless our gifts, small in comparison, with the possibilities your Spirit can create, so that justice and truth continue to prevail in the world you love, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

\*Closing Hymn: "O day of peace that dimly shines" #732

\*Act of Remembrance

Last Post

Two minutes of Silence

Reveille

L: They went with songs to the battle, they were young. Straight of limb, true of eye, steady and aglow. They were staunch to the end against odds uncounted, They fell with their faces to the foe. 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,

**P: We will remember them.**

\* National Anthem #833

\*Sending and Choral Response #780

\*Benediction: "Give us this day our daily bread" #668

*We thank you, Lord, for joy and peace, for loving care.*

*As you have loved us, help us, Lord, your love to share.*

*Then we will tell of living bread: of Jesus Christ,*

*Whose blood was shed that hungry people might be fed.*

Postlude

## This week in Sunday School

Divine Detectives: The Promised Land

Holy Sherlocks: Basking in God, Psalm 14:1-5, 17-21



The Cambridge Kiwanis Boys Choir is a choir for boys and young men in the community of Cambridge, Ontario. It welcomes boys and young men between the ages of 7 and 19 who are passionate for music and singing. They are presently under the direction of our own Corey Linforth. Check our their website at [ckboyschoir.ca](http://ckboyschoir.ca) for upcoming concerts and tours. Thank you, choir, for helping us today to honour those who sacrificed for our freedom.

Please plan to join us for our Annual Seniors' Christmas Tea at St. Luke's Place (auditorium) on **Sunday, November 24<sup>th</sup>** from 2:00 – 3:00 pm. We will enjoy some delicious, homemade Christmas goodies, some good conversation and some seasonal tunes from St. Andrew's Joyful Sound! Donations of homemade Christmas goodies would be very much appreciated. Everyone is welcome to join us, you don't have to be a senior. Some of our Sunday School students and youth will also be helping out!

Our Family Night group has once again decided to enter a float into the Hespeler Santa Claus parade, which is on **Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>**. In order to do this we need a bit of extra help in preparing the float. Float prep day will be on **Saturday, November 23, from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm**. We will all chip in and order pizza for lunch. The float will be prepped at the home of John & Joni Smith. If you would like to help out and need some directions, please talk with Joni.

We will be working on our Advent Newsletter soon. Groups and committees please have your submissions in to Rev. Scott McAndless or Joni Smith by **this Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**.

Our readings are taken from the Revised Common Lectionary a 3 year cycle of readings used by many Christian denominations. The readings for next week are: Isaiah 65:17-25, Isaiah 12, 2 Thessalonians 3:6-13, Luke 21:5-19.

### This Week at St. Andrew's

Tuesday	12:00 pm	Hope Clothing
Tuesday	7:30 pm	Women's Bible Study
Wednesday	9:30 am	Hope Clothing
Wednesday	10:00 am	Bible Study
Wednesday	5:30 pm	Family Night
Wednesday	7:00 pm	A-A Meditation Group
Thursday	9:00 am	Early On
Thursday	11:00 am	Hope Clothing
Thursday	5:00 pm	Self-help Food Bank & Lunch
Thursday	5:15 pm	Youth Band
Thursday	6:15 pm	GraceNotes
Thursday	6:15 pm	Joyful Sound!
Thursday	7:00 pm	Session Meeting
Thursday	7:30 pm	Adult Choir
Friday	8:00 pm	A-A, Al-Anon, Al-Ateen

Next Week's Sermon:



Of Vineyards and Welfare Queens

**Fundscrip Christmas** orders will be November 24th and December 8th. Look for more details next week!



### **Thank you to all who participated in today's service:**

Music Director:	Corey Cotter Linforth
Beadle:	Linda Inglis
Worship Assistant:	Karen Nixon
Greeters:	Margret & Bill Hunter and Elaine McLean
Ushers:	Margret Hunter
Tech Team:	Alex Goulet
Family Ministries & Sunday School Coordinator:	Joni Smith
Little Explorers (up to JK):	Catherine Taylor and Julia Rowland
Divine Detectives :	Laurie Paddock and Olivia Cann
The Holy Sherlocks (grades 4 to 6):	Cynthia MacDonald
Nursery/Preschool Coordinator:	Laura Einwechter

# St. Andrew's Hespeler Presbyterian Church

## November 10th, 2019

### 22nd Sunday after Pentecost

## Remembrance Sunday



They shall grow not old,  
as we that are left grow old.

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 Monday to Friday - 9:00 am - Noon