

WILMOT UNITED CHURCH
NOVEMBER 10, 2013
REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Portions of the service printed in **bold** are spoken by the whole congregation.

At the points marked * - those who are able are invited to stand.

Presider: The Reverend Rose-Hannah Gaskin

THE PEOPLE GATHER

Organ Prelude: Cortege Solennel (Boellmann)
Elegie (Vierne)

* **O Canada** VU #524

Welcome to the Church

We Light the Christ Candle

Time for the Young and Young at Heart Rev. E. Beirsto

Invocation:

One: Eternal rest grant unto them, O God,
and may light perpetual shine upon them.

All: **May the souls of the righteous,**
through your great mercy, rest in peace.

* **Opening Hymn:** For All The Saints VU #705

Connecting to Our Hearts' Longing: In Flanders Fields
Darrell Mesheau

Silent Prayer

Assurance of God's Love: Psalm 91

* **Hymn:** In You There Is a Refuge MV #84

LISTENING FOR TRUTH

Prayer of Preparation:

Rev. Cliff Moase

In our struggle to hear your Word, O God,
bless even our doubts, our wonderings,
our wanderings, our soul-struggles,
life's deep questions, and deeper mysteries.
Teach us to love our questions
as well as our answers. Amen.

Scripture Reading: Ephesians 1: 15-23

Congregational Response:

One: This is the witness of God's people.

All: Thanks be to God!

Anthem: Non Nobis, Domine

(Quilter)

Sermon:

Rev. R-H Gaskin

* Hymn: O Day of Peace

VU #682

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Announcements

Invitation to The Offering

Offertory Music

* Doxology:

VU #541

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
praise God, all creatures high and low;
give thanks to God in love made known:
Creator, Word and Spirit, One.

*** Prayer of Dedication**

AN ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

*** Hymn:** Weep for the Dead VU #526

*** Placing of the Wreath:** Norman Sheen

One: 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 will remember them.

All: **We will remember them.** "For The Fallen" by Laurence Binyon, 1914

*** Last Post - Silence - Reveille** Jack Ball

*** God Save the Queen**

Prayers for Hope, Peace and Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

The Last Word: Luke 6: 27-31

*** Closing Hymn:** Lead On, O Cloud of Presence VU #421

*** Commissioning**

*** Benediction**

*** Choral Amen** VU #969

Postlude: Intrada Imperial (Fletcher)

If you wish, you are invited to remain for the Postlude as it is part of our Worship Service.

WELCOME to this service of worship and thank you for being with us today. You are invited to join us for **COFFEE & CONVERSATION** in the Dr. G. M. Young Memorial Hall following the worship service. Hosts today are members of the ***M & P Committee*** and we thank them for providing this time of fellowship.

SYMPATHY: Our love and condolences are extended to Jim and Betty Nicholson on the recent death of Betty's brother, ***Arnold Nisbet*** who passed away on Nov. 3rd in Summerside, PEI. Also, our sympathy is extended to the family of ***Gordon McAllister*** who passed away on Nov. 5th. Funeral service for Gordon was held at Wilmot on Friday.

THE PRAYER CIRCLE offers confidential prayer support for those with physical, emotional, family and spiritual needs. To have your concerns added to the Wilmot prayer list contact Guy Vezina (455-6174) or Raday Brown (454-3001).

PHOTO DIRECTORIES: Copies of our new Photo Directory are available at a cost of \$15 from Marlene in the Church Office.

NEXT SOUP SUNDAY will be **Anniversary Sunday Nov 17....** Mark your calendar and plan to attend. A time to celebrate Wilmot and re-connect with Rev. Isabel Black, the guest speaker. Soup is by donation – if you can't donate this time, no worries, we want you to partake! Proceeds from the Soup Luncheon which is organized by the Outreach Committee will be going to Wilmot's Christmas Hamper program. Helpers to make or/and set up, serve, clean up are always welcomed!

WILMOT SENIORS: Join with us on Tuesday, November 19th at 1:30 in the parlour when our special guest will be Wilmot's Kristie Heard. Kristie is a Stream Insect Taxonomist who identifies insects living in streams and she will share her interesting story of work in the insect world. And as usual, we will enjoy a delicious refreshment time together, this month hosted by Group 2. All seniors and retirees are very welcome. **Looking Ahead:** Christmas Buffet lunch at Aggies on December 3rd.

The Advent/Christmas issue of ***Words from Wilmot*** will be published for distribution on November 24, and the deadline for articles and notices of events to be included is Friday, November 15 in order for it to go the printer. Please email Lucille Caseley at lucille@caseley.net with your information and articles. It is your input that makes Words from Wilmot an informative and interesting newsletter.



PLEASE RESERVE SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH AFTER CHURCH: The Cuba Twinning Committee will be holding an information session and discussion about their most recent visit to Cuba, the projects in Cuba, and future plans. All are welcome. Sandwiches will be provided. The meeting will begin at 12:30 pm in the parlour. For more information contact Greg Black or any other member of the Cuba Twinning Committee.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER at Wilmot - Dec. 8th. Lots of help will be needed. Can we count on you? If you would like to help at this event, please contact Terri MacLean at 457-1851 or tmaclean@unb.ca



COMMUNITY NOTICES

FALL HARVEST ROASTED ROOT VEGETABLE DINNER at Greenwood Drive Baptist Church - Sat, Nov. 16 - Time: 4:30 - 6:00 pm Roasted potatoes, carrots, turnip, onions, pork and turkey sausages, rolls, pickles, pumpkin squares, ginger bread, tea and coffee. Price: \$10.00 per person/\$25.00 per family . Payable at the door.

“TUTTI” A Showcase of Fredericton Musical Ensembles, November 16, 7:30 pm at Journey Wesleyan Church, 131 Duncan Lane. Participating ensembles: Bel Canto Singers, Choeur de Soulanges, Fredericton Choral Society, Fredericton Concert & Marching Band, UNB Chorale. A wide range of music to celebrate St Cecilia, the patron saint of music, and recognizing the 200th anniversary of the birth of Guiseppe Verdi, with 170 musicians taking part. Tickets from ensemble members, from Westminster Books, or at the door. Adults \$15, seniors & students \$10, children \$5. For more information call Janet Ratliffe at 488-9894

MEDITATION AND PRAYER: Gibson Memorial United Church will be hosting Sunday Night Meditation and Prayer Services. Sunday, Nov. 17 at 7 p.m. This will be “A Service Centering On Guided Meditation”. Everyone is welcome!

TEN THOUSAND VILLAGES is coming to Wilmot United Church! The Fredericton Mennonites are hosting a sale of beautiful, fairly-traded gifts benefiting artisans from more than 30 Developing countries. The Festival Sale will be held Friday, November 22nd, from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM and Saturday, November 23rd from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM at Wilmot United Church, 473 King St., Fredericton. Admission is free. The gifts you buy at the Ten Thousand Villages Sales will give the blessings of steady work, fair wages, and a better life for struggling families around the world. For more information call Jill at 459-5685. Your purchase makes a difference!

TURKEY SUPPER: There will be a Turkey Supper at Forest Hill United Church on Saturday, Nov. 23, from 4:00 to 6:00 pm. Prices for adults, \$12.00, for ages 6 to 12, \$5.00, and ages 5 and under, free. Celiac meals and take-outs will be available. A Bake Sale will run concurrently. All are most welcome.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR at Shannex Parkland in the Fiddlehead lounge from 11 am - 3 pm. on Nov. 26th. Come and enjoy this fun social event and do some Christmas shopping.

WHEN THE TIME IS RIPE: November 27, Wed 10 am to 4 pm
Enhance and deepen your experience of Advent within your congregation and community. Cost: \$50, includes lunch. (Note: registration includes participation in the online Advent program offered by Maritime Conference.) Leadership: **Janice MacLean**, Maritime Conference Minister of Christian Nurture & Enrichment
Contact Tatamagouche Centre: **www.tatacentre.ca or 1-800-218-2220**

ADVENT RETREAT: Advent is a rich and powerful season of the year. We often miss Advent's power because December weeks are full of secular Christmas parties and preparations for Christmas. Each year, the busyness of this season serves to distract us from having an Advent season that truly prepares us for the celebration of Christmas, with all its meaning. The intent of this retreat is to help us experience the fullness the Advent season has to offer. **RESERVE SATURDAY NOVEMBER 30** as your retreat day. Our theme this year is "Behold, I Do A New Thing". Theme Presenter: Rose-Hannah Gaskin. This retreat is being held at St. Andrews United Church in Harvey. Marlene (in our church office) will have brochures and more information if you are interested.

THIS WEEK AT WILMOT

Nov 10 - 17

Today: **REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY**

- 9:30 am **ADULT BIBLE CONVERSATION - S. S. Room**
- 11:00 am **WORSHIP & SUNDAY SCHOOL**
- 12:00 pm **COFFEE & CONVERSATION**
- 6:00 pm **MIDDLE SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP**

Monday, Nov 11:

- 6:00 pm **FAITH FORMATION COMMITTEE - Parlour**

Tuesday, Nov 12:

- 12:00 pm **WORSHIP COMMITTEE- Parlour**
- 6:00 pm **PRENATAL CLASS - Wilmot Hall**
- 7:00 pm **SPANISH CLASS - Board Room**
- 7:00 pm **MARTIAL ARTS CLASS**

Wednesday, Nov 13:

- 9:00 am **MORNING OUT/QUILTERS - Parlour**
- 10:00 am **TOY LIBRARY**
- 10:00 am **WEDNESDAYS AT WILMOT**
- 7:00 pm **NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS - Fireside Room**

Thursday, Nov 14:

- 1:00 pm **WILMOT WRITERS - Parlour**
- 6:30 pm **HANDBELL CHOIR PRACTICE**
- 7:00 pm **STEWARDS - Parlour**
- 7:00 pm **MARTIAL ARTS - Gym**
- 7:30 pm **SENIOR CHOIR PRACTICE**

Saturday, Nov 16: **"TEA AND TALENT"**

- 10:00 am **TOY LIBRARY**
- 11:30 am **TEA AND TALENT - Gym**
- 6:30 pm **DROP-IN CENTRE - Gym**

Sunday, Nov 17: **ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY**

- 9:30 am **ADULT BIBLE CONVERSATION - S. S. Room**
- 11:00 am **WORSHIP & SUNDAY SCHOOL**
- 12:00 pm **SOUP LUNCHEON**

7:00 pm

SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP