



# **A VIDEO SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE**

To commemorate all members of the  
Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigade  
who served their country in War and Peace

**Saturday 7th November 2020 2.30pm**

Filmed at the  
**NATIONAL MEMORIAL ARBORETUM**

**Officiant: The Revd Chris Buckley**  
Staff Chaplain CLCGB

**Preacher: The Rt Revd Peter Eagles**  
Bishop of Sodor and Man, Bishop Visitor CLCGB

# **Opening Music**

World War One Medley

*Arr. Burdett*

*Performed by The National Band of the CLCGB*

# The Order of Service

## The Little Bugler

W.J.Duthoit A.C.R.M.

*Performed by the Massed Band of the CLCGB*

### Introduction

Welcome to the Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigade National Remembrance Service.

We are at the National Memorial Arboretum – a place consecrated to the memory of the fallen of the two World Wars and to all who have died in service of their country.

Here in the Brigade Memorial Garden we commemorate and give thanks for all Officers and Members of the Brigade who gave their lives in service of their country.

We commemorate and give thanks for all Leaders and Helpers who have devoted their lives in service to the young people of the Brigade.

This year we pray not only for those who suffer as a result of war, but also for all of us whose lives have been affected by the coronavirus pandemic, giving thanks for those who continue to work in so many different ways to bring healing in this time of difficulty.

And we look forward - with faith in the blessings God continues to give us; with hope in the future provided by his care; with love in the peace and reconciliation that lives lived in his service bring to our world.

## Collect of Saint Martin

*Patron Saint of the Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigade*

Almighty and ever-living God,  
who called your servant Saint Martin  
from the armies of this world  
to become a faithful soldier of Christ  
and a bishop in your Church:  
equip us with your grace  
to imitate him in his love and compassion;  
that your peace may be made known among all people.  
Through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord. **Amen.**

## Poem

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.

*Lt Col Dr John McCrae 1872 - 1918*

## **The Brigade Hymn**

Words: John Samuel Bewley Monsell (1811-75)

Music: William Boyd (1847-1928)

*Performed by St Mary's Beverley Band*

**Fight the good fight with all thy might;  
Christ is thy strength and Christ thy right;  
Lay hold on life and it shall be  
Thy joy and crown eternally.**

**Run the straight race through God's good grace,  
Lift up your eyes and seek his face;  
Life with its way before us lies;  
Christ is the path, and Christ the prize.**

**Cast care aside, lean on thy guide;  
His boundless mercy will provide;  
Trust, and thy trusting soul shall prove  
Christ is its life, and Christ its love.**

**Faint not nor fear, his arms are near;  
He changeth not, and thou art dear;  
Only believe, and thou shalt see  
That Christ is all in all to thee.**

### **Reading**

The Gospel of Saint Mark 8.22-26

Jesus and the disciples came to Bethsaida. Some people brought a blind man to Jesus and begged him to touch him. He took the blind man by the hand and led him out of the village; and when he had put saliva on his eyes and laid his hands on him, he asked him, 'Can you see anything?' And the man looked up and said, 'I can see people, but they look like trees, walking.' Then Jesus laid his hands on his eyes again; and he looked intently and his sight was restored, and he saw everything clearly. Then he sent him away to his home, saying, 'Do not even go into the village.'

## **Address**

The Rt Revd Peter Eagles  
*Bishop of Sodor and Man,  
Bishop Visitor to the Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigade*

## **Prayers**

We pray for those members of the Brigade  
throughout the world  
who gave their lives in service of their country:  
that Jesus the Resurrection and the Life  
will raise to eternal life all whose memory we honour.

We pray for Elizabeth our Queen,  
for all who serve in the armed forces,  
and for all who work for the peace and security of our world,  
that Jesus the Prince of Peace  
may direct our hearts to his way of loving and caring.

We pray for those suffering in our world as a result of war,  
and for all who care for them,  
that Jesus the Good Shepherd may hold in his arms of love  
all who are distressed and in need.

We pray for all who are affected  
by the coronavirus pandemic;  
and for all doctors, nurses, emergency workers and scientists:  
that Jesus the Health of the Nations  
may bring his healing to our world at this present time.

We pray for all members, officers and helpers in the Brigade;  
for our families and friends;  
our churches and communities:  
that Jesus the Way, the Truth and the Life  
may help us work to further his Kingdom.

## The Lord's Prayer

**Our Father,  
who art in heaven,  
hallowed by 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 trespasses  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation  
but deliver us from evil.**

**For thine is the kingdom,  
the power and the glory  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

## The Brigade Prayer

**Heavenly Father,  
Bless and guide with your Spirit  
the work of The Church Lads' and Church Girls' Brigade;  
help us never to be ashamed to confess  
the faith of Christ crucified;  
to fight valiantly under His banner  
against sin, the world and the devil;  
and to continue His faithful soldiers and servants  
to the end of our lives. Amen.**

## The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed

This Memorial Garden is a fitting place to remember those Members of the Brigade who have died during the past year.

### Roll of Remembrance 2019/20

The Revd Jack House	<i>Bristol Regiment</i>
Chris Lawrence	<i>St Peter Whetstone</i>
Anthony Meadowcroft	<i>St James Darwen</i>
Joan Sheridan	<i>Christchurch Roxeth and Harrow</i>
Robert Pratt	<i>Chester Regiment</i>
Allen Walker	<i>St John and St Barnabas Belle Isle</i>
Sheila Rouse	<i>St Barnabas Eltham</i>
June Rutter	<i>All Saints Darlaston; St Andrew Kingshill</i>
Derrick Shaw	<i>2nd Chester Battalion</i>
Peter Leyland	<i>Saint Saviour Oxton</i>
Gerald Clarke	<i>St Editha Polesworth</i>
Derek Hyde	<i>St Paul Blackley</i>
Leonard Clarke	<i>Cape Town Diocesan Regiment</i>
Johannes September	<i>Saldanha Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
Dennis Holloway	<i>Saldanha Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
Mark Isaacs	<i>False Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
Jacob Muller	<i>George Diocesan Regiment</i>
William Rix	<i>False Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
Cedrick Fick	<i>Saldanha Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
The Revd Kevin Abrahams	<i>Cape Town Diocesan Regiment</i>
George T Garvin	<i>CLB Newfoundland</i>
June Saltus	<i>St Paul Paget, Bermuda</i>
Bazil Malgas	<i>False Bay Diocesan Regiment</i>
The Rt Revd Geoffrey Peddle	<i>CLB Chaplain, Newfoundland</i>
Shelley Parris	<i>St Catherine, Barbados</i>

Rest eternal, grant unto them, O Lord;

**And let light perpetual shine upon them.**

May they rest in peace. **Amen.**



## The Exhortation

And now let us remember before God,  
and commend to his sure keeping,  
those members of the Brigade who died on active service.

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.

**We will remember them.**

Last Post

Two Minute Silence

Reveille

## The Kohima Epitaph

When you go home,  
Tell them of us and say,  
For your tomorrow,  
We gave our today.

## Hymn

Words: William Whiting (1825-1878) and others

Music: John Bacchus Dykes (1823-1876)

*Performed by St Mark's Heyside Band*

**Eternal Father, strong to save,  
Whose arm hath bound the restless wave,  
Who bidd'st the mighty ocean deep  
Its own appointed limits keep:  
O hear us when we cry to thee  
For those in peril on the sea.**

**O Christ, the Lord of hill and plain  
O'er which our traffic runs amain  
By mountain pass or valley low;  
Wherever, Lord, thy brethren go,  
Protect them by thy guarding hand  
From every peril on the land.**

**O Spirit, whom the Father sent  
To spread abroad the firmament;  
O Wind of heaven, by thy might  
Save all who dare the eagle's flight,  
And keep them by thy watchful care  
From every peril in the air.**

**O Trinity of love and power,  
Our brethren shield in danger's hour;  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
Protect them whereso'er they go,  
Thus evermore shall rise to thee  
Glad praise from air and land and sea.**

## The Blessing

Finally, be strong in the Lord  
and in the strength of his power.

Put on the whole armour of God,  
so that you may be able to stand against  
the wiles of the devil.

For our struggle is not against enemies of blood and flesh,  
but against the rulers, against the authorities,  
against the cosmic powers of this present darkness,  
against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places.

Therefore take up the whole armour of God,  
so that you may be able to withstand on that evil day,  
and having done everything, to stand firm.

Stand therefore,  
and fasten the belt of truth around your waist,  
and put on the breastplate of righteousness.

As shoes for your feet put on whatever will make you ready  
to proclaim the gospel of peace.

With all of these, take the shield of faith,  
with which you will be able to quench  
all the flaming arrows of the evil one.

Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit,  
which is the word of God.

Pray in the Spirit at all times  
in every prayer and supplication.

To that end keep alert  
and always persevere in supplication for all the saints.

*(Ephesians 6.10-18)*

And the blessing of God Almighty,  
the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Spirit  
be amongst you and remain with you always. **Amen.**

## **The National Anthem**

Arr. Brown; Burdett

*Performed by The National Band of the CLCGB*

**God save our gracious Queen,**

**Long live our noble Queen,**

**God save the Queen.**

**Send her victorious,**

**Happy and glorious,**

**Long to reign over us:**

**God save the Queen!**



## **Closing Music**

When All The World Is Free

Michael Kamen Arr. Burdett

*Performed by The National Band of the CLCGB*

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