

Remembrance Sunday 2021 Bruton

Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial

Opening sentences

[1055]

[The Rector]

Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint. (Isaiah 40: 31)

Act of Remembrance

[The Chaplain to King's School, Bruton]

Let us remember before God and commend to his sure keeping those who have died for their country in war; those whom we knew and whose memory we treasure; and all who have lived and died in the service of humanity.

From the First World War and the Second World War: John ALDERSON **Thomas KINGDOM** Frank AMER Percy LAKE AMOR Albert LONGMAN William ANNETT William LUMBER Charles BAKER **Reginald MARTIN** Sydney BAKER Henry MITCHELL Adam BEALEY Edwin MORGAN Ronald BISS Robert MORGAN William CAINES Jack OLIVER **Reginald CANDY** Arthur PAGRAM **Charles CARPENTER** William PALMER Herbert COMPTON James RENDELL Harold COOK Ernest SAUNDERS Percy COOK Frank SLY Henry CURTIS Frederick STEEDS Frank DOWNTON Thomas STOCKWELL Albert ELDRIDGE William STONE John ELLIOT James SWAIN George FOWLER Herbert Henry FRANCIS SWANBOROUGH Sydney FRY Patrick THOMPSON William GOODLAND Albert VINES Frederick GREEN Arthur WHITE Frederick WHITE Ronald GREEN Stanley WHITE William HILLIER William HOSIER William WHITE Frederick HURDEN John WINDMILL

Wilfrid JEFFERIES



And all the Old Boys of King's Bruton and Sexey's Schools who gave their lives in the first and second world wars.

From the war in Afghanistan we remember: Ben ROSS of King's Bruton and James TOWNLEY of Sexey's School.

The Exhortation

[1058]

[RBL BRANCH PRESIDENT]

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

The Last Post

[played by a bugler from the band of King's School, Bruton] During the playing of the Last Post, the Union Flag is lowered and all standards are dipped

Silence is kept for 2 minutes

[1100]



Reveille [1102] [played by a bugler from the band of King's School, Bruton] The Union Flag is raised and standards returned to the carry

The Kohima Epitaph

[RBL BRANCH PRESIDENT]

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

The Laying of Wreaths

Representatives lay wreaths at the war memorial

Prayer of Commemoration

[The Rector]

Almighty and eternal God, from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life: hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day; fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.



Prayer of Commitment

[The Rector]

Let us pledge ourselves anew to the service of God and our fellow men and women: that we may help, encourage and comfort others, and support those working for the relief of the needy and for the peace and welfare of the nations.

All:

Lord God our Father,

we pledge ourselves to serve you and all humankind, in the cause of peace,

for the relief of want and suffering,

and for the praise of your name.

Guide us by your Spirit;

give us wisdom;

give us courage;

give us hope;

and keep us faithful now and always.

Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

All:

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 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.

Blessing

[The Rector]

May God give you his comfort and his peace, his light and his joy, in this world and the next; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. Amen.



Recessional Hymn: 'Abide with me' [Played by the band of King's School, Bruton]

All sing:

Abide with me; fast falls the eventide; the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide! when other helpers fail, and comforts flee, help of the helpless, O abide with me.

I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless; ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness. Where is death's sting? Where, grave, thy victory? I triumph still, if thou abide with me.

Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes; shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies: Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee; in life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!

> Words: Henry Francis Lyte Tune: EVENTIDE, William Henry Monk

The band plays a final verse unaccompanied as the ministers and all who wish to join the service move into the church for the Remembrance Sunday service.

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