# LEST WE FORGET

Remembrance Day Service

York Civic Centre Cenotaph 2700 Eglinton Ave. W. Monday, November 11, 2019 10:45 a.m.



# **Opening Remarks**

Bill Riddell, Life Member Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 31

### **National Anthem**

O Canada!
Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise, The True North strong and free!

From far and wide, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee

God keep our land glorious and free! O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

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#### **Last Post**

#### **Two Minutes of Silence**

#### Lament

#### Rouse

### **Act of Remembrance**

Read by Bill Riddell, Life Member Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 31

Response: We Will Remember Them

# **Commitment to Remember**

Read in French by Arjun Ahluwalia Student, York Memorial Collegiate Institute

They were young, as we are young, They served, giving freely of themselves.

To them, we pledge, amid the winds of time.

To carry their torch and never forget. We will remember them

Response: We Will Remember Them

#### **Address**

Councillor Frances Nunziata City of Toronto

# O God our Help in Ages Past

O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home.

Within the shadow of thy throne, Still may we dwell secure. Sufficient is thine arm alone, And our defense is sure.

O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Be thou our guide while life shall last, And our eternal home.

## In Flanders Fields

Read by Sydney Cousins, Student York Memorial Collegiate Institute

# **Prayers**

Led by Rev. Dr. Paulette Crooks-Drummond Chaplain 12 Division, Toronto Police Service

# **Wreath Laying**

# **Hymn to Freedom**

When every heart joins every heart and together yearns for liberty, That's when we'll be free.

When every hand joins every hand and together moulds our destiny, That's when we'll be free.

Any hour any day, the time soon will come when men will live in dignity, That's when we'll be free.

When every man joins in our song and together singing harmony, That's when we'll be free.

#### **Benediction**

# **Royal Anthem**

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.

#### March off of the Colours

# In Appreciation

# The City of Toronto would like to thank the following:

- Royal Canadian Legion: District D
   Zone D1
   Branch 31
   Branch 75
   Branch 266/46
- Bruce Stewart, Parade Marshal
- Peter DeBruin, Sgt-at-Arms
- Toronto Parking Authority

- Toronto Police Service
- Cpl Daniel Howells, The Queen's Own Rifles of Canada
- Scott Russell, Toronto Police Pipe Band
- York Memorial Collegiate Institute: Donna Drummond, Principal Megan Wesley; Choir

Thanks to Tim Horton's for providing refreshments for this ceremony.





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