



**“LEST WE FORGET”**



# Remembrance Day 2016

Grandview Cenotaph  
Grandview Park, Commercial Drive  
and William Street, Vancouver, BC



### ABIDE WITH ME

*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.*

*Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;  
Earth's joys grow dim; its glories pass away;  
Change and decay in all around I see;  
O Thou who changest not, abide with me.*

*I need Thy presence every passing hour.  
What but Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who, like Thysel, my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, 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.*

### LAYING OF OFFICIAL WREATHS

**CLOSING PRAYERS** - Father Expedito Farinas

**BLESSING** - Father Expedito Farinas

**CLOSING REMARKS** - Comrade Gerry Vowles, 2nd Vice President

**GOD SAVE THE QUEEN** - singer Leona Reynolds

*We request that Commercial Drive remain clear of spectators.*

**PARADE** - reforms and marches down Commercial Drive  
to Legion, passing the Reviewing Stand where  
Comrade Peter Salmon, President Grandview Legion  
and Veteran Comrade Reid Lewis, Life Member will take the Salute.

**THANK YOU TO ALL THE DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS  
THAT PARTICIPATED IN AND ORGANIZED TODAY'S SERVICE!**

The Royal Canadian Legion, Grandview Branch 179  
2205 Commercial Drive, Vancouver, BC V5N 4B6  
www.rclbranch179.ca join today  
President: Peter Salmon



*They are our fathers, brothers, mothers  
and sisters, neighbours ... heroes.*

*Canada's Veterans.*

*Their courage, service and sacrifice  
will never be forgotten.*

# Remembrance Service

**Master of Ceremonies:** Comrade Gerry Vowles, 2nd Vice Pres., Life Member  
**Parade Marshalls:** Comrade Daniel Presley and Comrade Hector Nicolson  
**Sergeant-At-Arms:** Comrade Hector Nicolson  
**Colour Party and Cenotaph Sentries:** 59 Vancouver Air Cadet Squadron

**O CANADA** - singer Comrade Leona Reynolds, Life Member

O Canada!  
Our home and native land!  
True patriot love in all thy sons 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.  
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

**THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER** - singer Comrade Leona Reynolds

Oh, say can you see by the dawn's early light  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars thru the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there.  
Oh, say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

**INVOCATION** - Father Expedito Farinas

**THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD** - Comrade Gerry Vowles

The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.  
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures:  
He leadeth me beside the still waters.  
He restoreth my soul:  
He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.  
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,  
I will fear no evil: For thou art with me;  
Thy rod and thy staff, they comfort me.  
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies;  
Thou annointest my head with oil; My cup runneth over.  
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,  
and I will dwell in the House of the Lord forever. - AMEN

**SCRIPTURES** - Father Expedito Farinas

God shall judge between many peoples,  
and shall arbitrate between strong nations far away;  
They shall beat their swords into plowshares,  
and their spears into pruning hooks:  
Nation shall not lift up sword against nation,  
Neither shall they learn war any more.

But they shall all sit under their own vines  
and under their own fig trees  
And no one shall make them afraid.  
(MICAHAH 4:3-4)

He has told you, O mortal, what is good;  
and what does the Lord require of you  
But to do justice, and to love kindness  
and to walk humbly with your God.  
(MICAHAH 6:8)

**PRAYER** - Father Expedito Farinas

**FLOWERS OF THE FOREST** - Robert Malcolm Memorial Pipe Band II

**LAST POST** - Bugler, Sergeant Morgan Chow, Air Cadet

**TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE**

**LAMENT** - Robert Malcolm Memorial Pipe Band II

**ACT OF REMEMBRANCE** - Comrade Gerry Vowles

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.

**(response)** We will remember them.

**ROUSE** - Bugler, Sergeant Morgan Chow, Air Cadet

**IN FLANDERS FIELDS** - Comrade Barb Salmon, Life Member

**ADDRESS** - Comrade Gerry Vowles

**ADDRESS** - Father Expedito Farinas

**AMAZING GRACE** - Robert Malcolm Memorial Pipe Band II