

### **8 Bells** - Laying of Wreaths

*(The Commodore will lay the first wreath on behalf of the Members of Burrard Yacht Club. Members and Guests wishing to lay wreaths may do so from their own vessels immediately after the club wreath has been laid).*

### **Poems**

#### **In Flanders Fields**

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 field.

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.

#### **High Flight**

Oh! I have slipped the surly bonds of Earth  
And danced thee skies on laughter-silvered wings;  
Sunward I've climbed, and joined the tumbling mirth  
Of sun-split clouds - and done a hundred things  
You have not dreamed of - wheeled and soared and  
swung  
High in the sunlit silence. Hov'ring there,  
I've chased the shouting wind along, and flung  
My eager craft through footless halls of air.  
Up, up the long, delirious burning blue,  
I've topped the wind-swept heights with easy grace  
Where never lark, or even eagle flew.  
And, while silent, lifting mind I've trod  
The high untresspassed sanctity of space,  
Put out my hand, and touched the face of God.

Upon completion of the Poems, the Vice-Commodore will order "Caps On".

#### **O Canada**

*(During the singing of O Canada and God Save the Queen, all personnel wearing headgear will salute.)*

#### **God Save the Queen**

#### **The Blessing**

God grant to the living, grace; to the departed, rest;  
To our Queen, our country and to all mankind, peace  
and concord; and to us and all his servants, life  
everlasting. Amen



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## Remembrance Day Service

### **Prior to 1030**

All participating vessels will proceed independently to Roche Point and will render a salute to the Commodore prior to anchoring under his stern.

All vessels will stand by on VHF channel 72.

### **Note:**

The service will also be transmitted via FM radio signal. However, the signal will not be known until the service begins. Please tune in to VHF channel 72 and listen for a broadcast by BYC of the FM frequency that will be used.

**1055**

Commodore introduces the conduct of the service.

**1057**

Vice Commodore orders Ship's Company and Flotilla to "Attention" and "Caps Off".

**Psalm 107: 23-31**

They that go down to the sea in ships, and occupy their business on the great waters;

These men see the works of the Lord, and his wonders in the deep.

For at his word the stormy wind ariseth, which lifteth up the waves thereof.

They are carried up to the heaven, and down again to the deep: their soul melteth away because of the trouble.

They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wits' end.

So they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he delivereth them from their distress.

For he maketh the storm to cease, so that the waves thereof are still. Then are they glad, because they are at rest;

and so he bringeth them unto the haven where they would be.

O that men would therefore praise the Lord for his goodness, and declare the wonders that he doeth for the children of men!

**1058****Introduction to Two Minutes' Silence**

We remember in silence before thee O Lord, and entrust to thy keeping, those who have died in defense of justice and freedom.

**Last Post** *All boats will Halfmast Ensigns.*

**1100**

*Firing of the canon*

**TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE****1102**

**Reveille** *(at the commencement of this bugle call, all vessels will masthead their ensigns)*

**Commodore**

They 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 shall remember them.

**Prayers**

Most merciful Father, who hast been pleased to take unto thyself our brethren departed: Grant to us who are still in our pilgrimage, and who walk as yet by faith, that having served thee faithfully in this world, we may, with all faithful Christian souls, be joined hereafter to the company of thy blessed Saints in glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Spirit liveth and reigneth, one God, world without end. Amen.

O Lord of hosts, stretch forth, we pray thee, thine almighty arm to strengthen and protect the Queen's forces in every peril of sea, and land, and air; shelter them in the day of battle, and ever keep them safe from all evil; endue them with loyalty and courage; and grant that in all things they may serve as seeing thee who are invisible; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Eternal God, the Father of all mankind, we commit to thee the needs of the whole world. Where there is hatred, give love; where there is injury, grant pardon; where there is distrust, restore faith; where there is sorrow, renew hope; where there is darkness, let there be light; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Let us sum up our thoughts and prayers in the words of that great family prayer; **Our Father**

**Hymn**

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

Most Holy Spirit! Who didst brood  
Upon the chaos dark and rude,  
And bid it's angry tumult cease,  
And give, for wild confusion, peace;  
Oh, hear us when we cry to Thee,  
For those in peril on the sea!

O Trinity of love and power!  
Thy children shield in danger's hour;  
From rock and tempest, fire and foe,  
Protect them wheresoe'er they go;  
Thus evermore shall rise to Thee  
Glad hymns of praise from land and sea.