



Girton College

Evensong for Remembrance Sunday

Sunday 8 November 2020, 5:30pm

Service Theme: Jesus said 'I Am the Good Shepherd'

Speaker: The Chaplain

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

The Chaplain: God is our refuge and strength; a very present help in trouble (Psalm 46.1)

We meet in the presence of God to remember the fallen and commit to peace.

Let us remember before God,
And commend to God's safe keeping,
Those who have died for their country in war;
And all who have lived and died in the service of the peoples of the world.

**All: 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.**

Last Post—*played by Aisla Critten*

WE KEEP TWO MINUTES OF SILENCE

Reveille—*played by Dennis Lindebaum*

Ever living God,

We remember those whom you have gathered from the storm
of war

Into the peace of your presence.

May that same peace calm our fears,

Bring justice to all peoples

And establish harmony among the nations,

Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

All: Amen

**All: Holy God, make us channels of your peace,
Bringing hope where there is despair and light in the
darkness.**

**Inspire us to learn from the atrocities of the past and
the present,**

**That we may be committed to peace within ourselves
and our communities.**

SHORT SILENCE BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF EVENSONG

Evensong continues according to the Book of Common Prayer

Music: In thee, O Lord (Trevor Weston), Responses - Trevor Weston,
Truro Service (Dobrinka Tabakova), and Ascension (Libby Croad)

Psalm 110

Old Testament Reading: *Ezekiel 34:11-16*

For thus says the Lord God: I myself will search for my sheep, and will seek them out. As shepherds seek out their flocks when they are among their scattered sheep, so I will seek out my sheep. I will rescue them from all the places to which they have been scattered on a day of clouds and thick darkness. I will bring them out from the peoples and gather them from the countries, and will bring them into their own land; and I will feed them on the mountains of Israel, by the watercourses, and in all the inhabited parts of the land. I will feed them with good pasture, and the mountain heights of Israel shall be their pasture; there they shall lie down

in good grazing land, and they shall feed on rich pasture on the mountains of Israel. I myself will be the shepherd of my sheep, and I will make them lie down, says the Lord God. I will seek the lost, and I will bring back the strayed, and I will bind up the injured, and I will strengthen the weak, but the fat and the strong I will destroy. I will feed them with justice.

New Testament Reading: *John 10:11-18*

‘I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. The hired hand, who is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep, sees the wolf coming and leaves the sheep and runs away—and the wolf snatches them and scatters them. The hired hand runs away because a hired hand does not care for the sheep. I am the good shepherd. I know my own and my own know me, just as the Father knows me and I know the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep. I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I must bring them also, and they will listen to my voice. So there will be one flock, one shepherd. For this reason the Father loves me, because I lay down my life in order to take it up again. No one takes it from me, but I lay it down of my own accord. I have power to lay it down, and I have power to take it up again. I have received this command from my Father.’

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