



Waterloo North Mennonite Church
Sunday, November 25, 2018, 10:45 a.m.
Eternity and Memorial Sunday

Gathering hymns:

HWB (blue) #91 Praise to God, immortal praise

HWB (blue) #66 O worship the King

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship -- RMC Senior Choir

Bonse Aba

Mungu ni mwema

Invocation HWB (blue) #661

Children's time

See Whose Glory Fills the Skies

RMC Senior Choir

Keep your lamps

Offering & Offertory: HWB (blue) #596

Hymn: HWB (blue) #328 O God, our help in ages past

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: John 18:33-38

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Hold Fast to Dreams

RMC Senior Choir

Stars

Meditation

Act of Memory

Lighting Candles

Hymn: STJ (green) #110 Go, silent friend

Hymn: HWB (blue) #653 Abide with me

Benediction

Sending Hymn: **HWB (blue) #580 My life flows on**

On Eternity Sunday, we acknowledge sorrow and loss in our community, but it is also a time of gratitude for those who once worshipped among us. This morning, we mourn the loss of and give to the following people:

*We welcome and are delighted to have the Rockway
Mennonite Collegiate Senior Choir here this morning.*

Headsets for hearing assistance are available from the ushers.

Childcare (infants to age 4): The nursery is located next to the sanctuary. Infant change table is located in washroom next to nursery. Ushers can direct you.

Children's Worship Binder, an instrument to help children through the worship service, is available by the sanctuary entrance.

Offering: Thank you to those who contribute electronically. Offering cards are available (or use loose change/cash) so that you can participate in the giving of offering worship experience.

Welcome Visitors: We are glad you are worshipping with us this morning. If you would like to learn more about our church and our ministries, including our care groups, education opportunities, seniors group or youth groups, and if you'd like to be added to our email list, please contact the church office or one of the ministers.

***At Waterloo North Mennonite Church we welcome
all people to participate fully in our Christian community of faith
with all its expectations, responsibilities, and opportunities
regardless of personal characteristics such as race,
ethnic background, age, gender and gender identity,
sexual orientation, income, or education.***

John 18:33-38 (NRSV)

³³ Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” ³⁴ Jesus answered, “Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?” ³⁵ Pilate replied, “I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?” ³⁶ Jesus answered, “My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.” ³⁷ Pilate asked him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.” ³⁸ Pilate asked him, “What is truth?”

After he had said this, he went out to the Jews again and told them, “I find no case against him.

With gratitude and respect, we recognize that we are worshipping on the traditional land that once belonged to the Haudenosaunee and Anishnaabe peoples.

We regret the lack of respect given to the Indigenous people in the past, and pledge to work for justice and reconciliation.
