GRACE UNITED CHURCH
24th after Pentecost
Remembrance Sunday
November 8, 2026, at 10:30 a.m.
Worship Leader: Scott Martin, LLWL
Presider: Myrna Adams-Falujo
Music Director: Don Salfarlie

GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD

We welcome Guest Musicians:
David Harmsworth (Trumpeter)
Edwin Baah Gyabeng (Organist)

Band Prelude: Like A River Glorious **James Mountain**

Welcome, Announcements
& Traditional Land Acknowledgment **Myrna Adams-Falujo**

Lighting the Christ Candle **Myrna Adams-Falujo**

Jesus said, "For where two or three are gathered in my name. I am there among them". We light this candle as a reminder that we are not alone. May its flame warm our hearts and inspire us to live the message of the gospel. AMEN.

Call to Worship **Myrna Adams-Falujo**

One: What brings you before the Lord this day?
All: We bring our hopes and dreams
One: What do you seek?
All: We come to worship the one that offers it all
One: Come and worship with all your heart and soul and mind and strength
All: We come and offer all that we have and all that we are in worship and service.
One: Praise be to God!
All: Halleluiah!

Opening Prayer

Let us pray, God of our past, present and future, we have come to this place of worship as a people of hope. Open our hearts to receive your word and your spirit, that we may find healing and comfort. Open our lives to the wonderous possibilities for service and joy that you offer to us. Ease our minds and spirits that we may hear the words of encouragement and peace this day. May what we do here today strengthen our resolve to work together so that this hope may be fulfilled, In Jesus name we pray. Amen

Praise and Worship 1: **Led by the Choir**
organ, flute and trumpet accompaniment
God of Grace and God of Glory **Voices United #686**

ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

Words of Welcome **Scott Martin, LLWL**

Poem: In Flanders Field **Ryan Marshall**

The Memorial Roll **Nancy Moon**

Last Post **David Harmsworth**
2 Minute Silence
Reveille

Singing of O-Canada **Led by the Choir**

Children leave for Sunday School

TO DISCOVER THE WORD OF GOD FOR TODAY

Scripture Reading: Mark 12: 38-44 **Yvonne Aldred**
One: Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.
All: Thanks be to God!

Choir Anthem: I Carry you in my Heart (accompanied by organ & flute)
Donna Butler & Kathy Burdette

Reflection: Part 1 - A Few Good Men and Woman
Cpl ('Ret) Scott Martin, LLWL, CD
Part 2 - What Does God Want Most from Us?

TO RESPOND IN FAITH AND HOPE

Offering Invitation

Special Music / Offertory: Maria Stevens
Make me A Channel of Your Peace
St. Francis of Assisi

Offering Response: Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
(V1) VU #541

Offering Dedication

Pastoral Prayers and Lord's Prayer

<u>Praise and Worship 2:</u> Led by the Choir
organ, flute and trumpet accompaniment
O God Our Help in Ages Past **Voices United #806**

THE CHURCH SCATTERS TO LIVE ITS FAITH IN THE WORLD

Commissioning and Benediction
Go Now in Peace **D. Besig & N. Price**

Organ Postlude by Edwin Baah Gyabeng
I Vow to Thee, My Country **Gustav Holst**
(the tune Thaxted, from "Jupiter" in The Planets)