



“Through this Memorial the great name and the great tradition established for the University by those who died will be handed down as long as the University endures.”

The Governor General of Canada at the laying of the cornerstone for the Soldiers’ Tower,
11 November 1919

Soldiers’ Tower Committee
Guidelines for Participation in the Remembrance Day Service

The annual Service of Remembrance at the St. George Campus takes place outside at the base of the Soldiers’ Tower, located between University College and Hart House at 7 Hart House Circle.

The Service of Remembrance will take place on Wednesday, November 11th, 2015 from 10:20 am to 11 am. The carillon will play before and after the service. A reception will follow in the Great Hall of Hart House.

Members of the campus community wishing to place a wreath should gather on the sidewalk between the Soldiers’ Tower and Hart House. From here, you will be optimally situated to move forward at the appropriate time. The officiating chaplain will call out when it is time to place the wreaths and the printed program will serve as a guide.

A memorial wreath or other floral arrangement, with identification ribbon showing only the name of the sponsoring organization, is allowed. Other signs or banners are prohibited. Wreaths and floral arrangements should reflect the solemnity and dignity of the occasion. To ensure that there is room for everyone, wreaths and floral arrangements should not exceed approximately 32 inches in diameter.

It helps to place the wreath or floral arrangement close to the Memorial Wall between the pillars, so that the wind does not catch it.

If using an artificial (i.e. reusable) wreath or floral arrangement, you are requested to retrieve it from the Memorial Wall approximately one week after the service, for storage at your own premises during the year. Displays of live flowers can be left at the Memorial Wall and we will take care of them.

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