Welcome and Introduction

God is our refuge and strength; a very present help in trouble
Psalm 46:1

Hymn

O God, our help in ages past,
Our hope for years to come,
Our shelter from the stormy blast,
And our eternal home.

Under the shadow of Thy throne
Thy saints have dwelt secure:
Sufficient is Thine arm alone,
And our defence is sure.

Before the hills in order stood,
Or earth received her frame,
From everlasting Thou art God,
To endless years the same.

A thousand ages in Thy sight
Are like an evening gone,
Short as the watch that ends the night
Before the rising sun.

Isaac Watts

The Act of Remembrance

The Exhortation

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

All affirm: We will remember them

At 11.00 am, The Last Post, Two Minutes Silence

Reveille

The placing of the wreaths (music will be played by Sidmouth Town Band)

The Kohima Epitaph

When you go home, tell them of us and say:
For your tomorrow, we gave our today.

Act of Commitment

Prayers & Blessing

The National Anthem

God save our gracious King!
Long live our noble King!
God save the King!
Send him victorious,
Happy and glorious,
Long to reign over us,
God save the King.

Wreaths to be laid by

Cllr Hilary Nelson, Chair of Sidmouth Town Council

Richard Foord, Member of Parliament

Denise Bickley, DCC

Sidmouth Parish Church

The Royal British Legion

Royal Navy & Royal Marines

Royal Fleet Auxiliary & Merchant Navy

Royal Naval Old Comrades Association

Arctic Convoys Association

Royal Air Force Association

Allied Forces

Devon and Cornwall Police

Devon & Somerset Fire Service

Devon Ambulance Service

Sidmouth Lifeboat

Army Cadets

Air Cadets

Scouts & Guide Associations

Sidmouth Chamber of Commerce

Sidmouth Rotary Club

Masonic Lodge

South Atlantic Medal Association for the OOS

Blind Veterans Association.

WRENS Association

Sidmouth Lion's Club

Royal West African Frontier Force

Sid Vale Probus

Other wreaths may be laid

You are warmly invited to a short service of hymns and prayers for 'Hope and Remembering' with refreshments at Sidmouth Parish Church following the Act of Remembrance.'

Sidmouth

Act of Remembrance

at Sidmouth War Memorial



Conducted by Reverend Victoria Chester

Sunday 8 November 2026