# SERVICE FOR THE

# Unveiling and Dedication

OF THE

# TORTEVAL PARISH WAR MEMORIAL

ON

SUNDAY, MAY 10th, 1953, at 3 p.m.

# **UNVEILING BY**

H.E. The Lieut.-Governor SIR PHILLIP NEAME, V.C., K.B.E., C.B., D.S.O.,

# **DEDICATION BY**

The Very Rev. E. L. FROSSARD, M.A., Dean.

# SERVICE CONDUCTED BY

The Revs. E. N. GREENHOW, F. M. KEDWARD and Pastor S. A. DUQUEMIN.

# Order of Service

### THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.

#### HYMN.

- 1 O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home;
- 2 Beneath the shadow of Thy Throne Thy Saints have dwelt secure: Sufficient is Thine Arm alone, And our defence is sure.
- 3 Before the hills in order stood, Or earth received her frame, From everlasting Thou art God, To endless years the same.

- 4 A thousand ages in Thy sight
  Are like an evening gone;
  Short as the watch that ends the night
  Before the rising sun.
- 5 Time, like an ever-rolling stream, Bears all its sons away; They fly forgotten, as a dream Dies at the opening day.
- 6 O God, our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come, Be Thou our guard while troubles last, And our eternal home. Amen.

# LESSON. Wisdom 3, 1-5.

# Read by Pastor S. A. Duquemin.

#### HYMN.

- 1 JESUS lives! Thy terrors now Can no longer, Death, appal us, Jesus lives! By this we know Thou, O Grave, canst not enthral us. Alleluia!
- 2 Jesus lives! Henceforth is death
  But the gate of life immortal;
  This shall calm our trembling breath,
  When we pass its gloomy portal.
  Alleluia!
- 3 Jesus lives! For us He died:
  Then, alone to Jesus living,
  Pure in heart may we abide,
  Glory to our Saviour giving.
  Alleluia!
- 4 Jesus lives! Our hearts know well Nought from us His love shall sever; Life, nor death, nor powers of hell Tear us from His keeping ever. Alleluia!
- Jesus lives! To Him the throne
  Over all the world is given;
  May we go where He is gone,
  Rest and reign with Him in heaven.
  Alleluia!

Amen.

## THE UNVEILING OF THE MEMORIAL TABLET

by

#### H.E. THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

"In proud and loving memory of the men of this parish who gave their lives in the two World Wars, 1914—18 and 1939—45, I unveil this Memorial.

"They 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."

#### DEDICATION

by

## THE VERY REVEREND THE DEAN.

PRAYERS

Offered by the Rev. F. M. Kedward.

Let us pray:—
Lord, have mercy upon us.
Christ, have mercy upon us.
Lord, have mercy upon us.

OUR FATHER, which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil: for Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

ALMIGHTY GOD, with whom do live the spirits of them that depart hence in the Lord, and with whom the souls of the faithful, after they are delivered from the burden of the flesh, are in joy and felicity: we give Thee hearty thanks, for that it hath pleased Thee to deliver these our brethren out of a miseries of this sinful world; beseeching Thee that it may please Thee, of Thy gracious goodness, shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy Kingdom that we, with all those that are departed in the true faith of Thy holy Name, may have our perfect consummation and bliss; both in body and soul, in Thy eternal and everlasting glory: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

GRANT, we beseech Thee, merciful Lord, to Thy faithful people pardon and peace, that they may be cleansed from all their sins, and serve Thee with a quiet mind; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

ALMIGHTY and merciful God, of whose only gift it cometh that Thy faithful people do unto Thee true and laudable service; Grant, we beseech Thee, that we may so faithfully serve Thee in this life, that we fail not finally to attain Thy heavenly promises; through the merits of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### HYMN

- 1 Through the night of doubt and sorrow Onward goes the pilgrim band, Singing songs of expectation, Marching to the Promised Land.
- 2 Clear before us through the darkness Gleams and burns the guiding Light: Brother clasps the hand of brother, Stepping fearless through the night.
- 3 One the Light of God's own Presence, O'er His ransomed people shed, Chasing far the gloom and terror, Brightening all the path we tread:
- 4 One the object of our journey, One the Faith which never tires, One the earnest looking forward, One the Hope our God inspires.

- 5 One the strain the lips of thousands Lift as from the heart of one; One the conflict, one the peril, One the march in God begun:
- 6 One the gladness of rejoicing On the far eternal shore, Where the One Almighty Father Reigns in love for evermore.
- 7 Onward therefore, pilgrim brothers, Onward with the Cross our aid! Bear its shame, and fight its battle, Till we rest beneath its shade!
- 8 Soon shall come the great awaking; Soon the rending of the tomb; Then, the scattering of all shadows, And the end of toil and gloom. Amen.

#### CONCLUDING PRAYERS

Offered by the Rev. E. N. Greenhow.

- "Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord: and let light perpetual shine upon them."
- O ETERNAL Lord God, who holdest all souls in life: We beseech Thee to shed forth upon Thy whole Church in Paradise and on earth the bright beams of Thy light and heavenly comfort; and grant that we, following the good example of those who have loved and served Thee here and are now at rest, may at the last enter with them into the fulness of thine unending joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
- O FATHER of all, we pray to Thee for those whom we love, but see no longer. Grant them Thy peace: let light perpetual shine upon them: and in Thy loving wisdom and almighty power work in them the good purpose of Thy perfect will; through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.
- O LORD, support us all the day long of this troublous life, until the shades lengthen, and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then, Lord, in Thy mercy, grant us safe lodging, a holy rest, and peace at the last; through Jesus Christ Our Lord. Amen.

THE PLACING OF WREATHS.

THE LAST POST.

REVEILLE.

THE BENEDICTION.