

# Veterans Day Liturgy

by Ron Kite

L: *Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth with all its liberties and freedoms. For all the wonders of our country's story and how you have blessed us.*

**P: WE GIVE YOU THANKS, O GOD.**

L: *For leaders in our nation, both military and civilian, and for those who in days past and in these present times labor for the common good.*

**P: WE PRAY FOR WISDOM OF OUR LEADERS WHEN WAR IS CONSIDERED.**

L: *For those who served their country in the Armed Forces. For those who have seen and experienced the ravages of war.*

**P: WE PRAY FOR HEALING OF MIND AND SPIRIT FOR ALL WHO SERVED.**

L: *For those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice of dying for our freedoms. Scripture reminds us that no greater love is known than to be willing to lay down our life for another. And we recognize the sacrifice of family who have lost a loved one in service to us.*

**P: WE PRAY FOR HEALING FOR EVERYONE WHO HAS LOST A LOVED ONE TO WAR.**

L: *O almighty God and most merciful Savior, as we remember these your servants, we remember with gratitude their courage, strength, and service.*

**P: WE PRAY FOR THESE SERVANTS AND WE PRAY FOR THE DAY WHEN WE WILL SEE WAR NO MORE.**

L: *Christ, may your church continue to spread your love and grace through the world. May we lead in efforts of peace so that we work towards a time when war is not necessary. Lead us to recognize the worth of all peoples.*

Jim Adams (Army)  
Todd Arrowsmith (Army)  
Trent Arrowsmith (Navy Reserve)  
James Baker (Army)  
Jesse Baker (Army)  
Janet Belton (Army)  
John Bevan (Navy)  
Bob Brenzikofer (Army)  
Andrew Bretches (Army)  
Clint Carman (National Guard)  
Herb Cies (Army)  
Christina Conyers (Army National Guard)  
Trenton Conyers (Army)  
Tyler Conyers (Army National Guard)  
Robert Crider (Air Force)  
Victoria Crider (Navy)  
Daniel Dennett (Army National Guard)  
Anthony Dey (Army)  
Marissa Dey (Army)  
Hollis Donker (Army)  
J.B. Ensz (Army)  
Howard Eshleman (Navy)  
Bill Friday (Army)  
Michael D. Friday (Navy)  
John Gatz (US Marine Reserves)  
Patrick Hilberling (Air Force)  
Zachariah Hilberling (Air Nat. Guard)  
Marvin Hinde (Army)  
Martin Hoke (Army)  
Bob Jackson (Army)  
Greg Jaworsky (Army)  
Keith Jolliff (Navy)  
Phil Kimerer (Army)  
Frank Little (Army)  
Gary Loyd (Navy)  
Jared Lowrie (Air Force)  
Shawn Lowrie (Air Force)  
Tony Martinez (Army)  
Erwin Olson (Navy WWII, Air Force Korean War)  
Joseph Perales (Army)  
Mark Reed (Navy)  
Max Roberts (Army)  
Jessica Rosine (National Guard)  
Matthew Rosine (Air Force)  
Anthony Rubin (Air Force)

Iris Rubin (Air Force)  
Cody Russell (Air Force)  
Aaron Ryther (Army)  
John Samuelson (Army)  
Wilbur Sattler (Navy)  
Ricky Lynn Schmidt (Navy)  
Jack Schreiber (Navy)  
Dana Shifflett (Air Force)  
John Sills (Army)  
Larry Sills (Navy)  
John Smith (USMC)  
Karol Smith (USMC)  
Leo Stahly (Army)  
Derek Swoyer (Air Force)  
Lee Unruh (Army)  
Lester Unruh (Army)  
John R. Wilson (Army)  
Michael R. Wilson (Army)