

BATTLE'S O V E R



A NATION'S TRIBUTE

11TH NOVEMBER 2018

100 YEARS OF REMEMBRANCE



Sunday 11th November is a nationwide Day of Commemorative Events marking the Centenary of the end of the First World War and paying tribute to the millions killed or wounded in battle, and those on the home front who struggled amidst pain and loss to help ensure freedom survived. The nationwide events include:

18.55: The Last Post

1000 individual Buglers sound this historic tribute at WW1 Beacons of Light locations across the Nation and UK Overseas Territories.

19.00: WW1 Beacons of Light

Over 1000 Beacons of Light symbolising an end to the darkness of war and a return to the light of peace.

19.05: Ringing Out for Peace

1000 cathedrals and churches will ring out their bells across the nation, and beyond, in celebration of Peace.

Stratfield Mortimer Parish Council, in conjunction with The Royal British Legion and The Parish of St Mary and St John Stratfield Mortimer, is taking part in this nationwide tribute as one of the 1000 plus locations.

Timetable of events on the Fairground

6.35 pm The Reading of 'Tribute to the Millions'

6.40 pm The Reading of The Roll of Honour

6.50 pm The Recital of 'In Flanders Fields'

6.55 pm The Last Post followed by The Exhortation

7.00 pm Lighting of WW1 Beacon of Light

7.05 pm The Bells Ring open to call us all to Thanksgiving and To Go Forward Together in Hope

7.20 pm A short programme of WW1 songs and music under the lighted beacon

The Fairground events follow the Thanksgiving Service at St John's Church at 6 .00 pm.

Full details of the Parish's Services and Commemorations over the weekend are given in the companion poster.