



**Remembrance Sunday takes place this weekend, falling on the Sunday nearest Armistice Day (11 November) which marks the end of the First World War.**

On this day we remember all those who have given their lives for their country, all who have suffered and died through acts of war, and those who have been left behind to grieve and mourn.

O God, merciful and strong,  
who crush wars and cast down the proud,  
be pleased to banish violence swiftly from our midst  
and to wipe away all tears,  
so that we may all truly deserve to be called your children.

*Roman Missal*