

# PROGRAMME

## ENTRY OF THE STANDARDS

<b>Represented Standard Bearers</b>	Royal British Legion Standard Bearers
<b>Cadet Banner Bearers</b>	Army Cadet Corps Banner, Combined Cadet Corps Banner, Air Training Corps Banner, Sea Cadet Corps Banner
<b>Ex-Service Associations' Standard Bearers</b>	Royal Naval Association, Royal Air Forces Association, Royal Marines Association, The Spirit of Normandy Trust, Association of Wrens, WAAF WRAF RAF(W) Association, Monte Cassino Society, RNLI

## ARRIVAL OF THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN

<b>Royal Fanfare</b>	State Trumpeters of the Household Division under the direction of Trumpet Major Julian Sandford MVO
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## REMEMBERING D-DAY AND THE BATTLE OF NORMANDY

<b>The Longest Day</b>	The accounts of service personnel who served in Normandy in 1944
<b>Music Performance</b>	The Central Band of the Royal Air Force performs <i>Valour</i>
<b>Music Performance</b>	Sir Tom Jones performs <i>I Won't Crumble With You If You Fall</i> with the Central Band of the Royal Air Force

## THE BATTLE OF MONTE CASSINO

<b>Opening the Road to Rome</b>	Veterans share their memories of the Battle of Monte Cassino
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## THE BATTLES OF KOHIMA AND IMPHAL

<b>The War in the East</b>	Lauren Turner-Roden recounts the experiences of her grandfather, Raymond Street, of the Royal West Kent Regiment, at the Battle of Kohima
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## SALUTE TO THE VETERANS OF 1944

<b>Forever in Your Debt</b>	Tri-Service Band performs <i>Our Heroes</i> in tribute to the veterans of 1944
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## THE VOICES OF SERVICE CHILDREN

### **Tribute**

A celebration of young people in the Armed Forces community

### **Music Performance**

Jack Savoretti performs *Lean On Me* accompanied by the Service Children's Community Choir

## ENTRANCE OF THE IN-PENSIONERS FROM THE ROYAL HOSPITAL CHELSEA

**Music** | *The Boys of the Old Brigade*

## THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF NATO

### **Music Performance**

The Band of HM Royal Marines Portsmouth (Royal Band) performs *Allied Resilience*, *NATO 75* and *Achnacarry*

## TRIBUTE TO THE BEREAVED

### **Remembering Private Richard Hunt, 2nd Battalion The Royal Welsh**

Hazel Hunt remembers her son, Private Richard Hunt

### **Entrance of the Bereaved Families**

The Bach Choir performs *Momentary* by Ólafur Arnalds

## FOR THE FALLEN OF AFGHANISTAN

### **Tribute**

Current serving personnel pay tribute to the 457 service members who lost their lives during operations in Afghanistan

### **Music Performance**

Masabane Cecilia Rangwanasha performs *Pie Jesu* by Gabriel Fauré from *Requiem* (1948) Op.48

## DRUM LAYING

**Music Performance** | Samantha Barks performs *The Rose*

## MUSTER

### **Muster: The Royal Navy**

Queen Alexandra's Royal Naval Nursing Service, Joint Hospital Group (South), Royal Centre for Defence Medicine, Britannia Royal Naval College, 40 Commando RM, HMS *Calliope*, HMS *Cambria*, HMS *Ceres*, HMS *Eaglet*, HMS *Sherwood*, HMS *Forward*, HMS *Vivid*, Royal Fleet Auxiliary, Royal Marines Reserve Merseyside, 47 Commando RM

<b>Muster: The Army</b>	London Central Garrison, Royal Gurkha Rifles, King's Gurkha Orderly Officers and Queen's Gurkha Engineers from 36 Engineer Regiment, Royal Anglian Regiment, Queen Alexandra's Royal Army Nursing Corps, 256 Multi Role Medical Regiment, 71 Signal Regiment, 104 Regiment Royal Artillery
<b>Muster: The Royal Air Force</b>	King's Colour Squadron, Princess Mary's RAF Nursing Service, RAF Aldergrove, RAF Boulmer, RAF Brize Norton, RAF Coningsby, RAF Cranwell, RAF Halton, RAF Henlow, RAF High Wycombe, RAF Honington, RAF Leeming, RAF Lossiemouth, RAF Marham, RAF Northolt, RAF Valley, RAF Waddington, RAF Wittering, RAF Wyton, Royal Auxiliary Air Force, UAS
<b>Muster: Merchant Navy</b>	
<b>Muster: Royal British Legion</b>	Royal British Legion Industries, The Poppy Factory, Poppy Collectors, RBL Volunteers
<b>Muster: Civilian Services</b>	Police Service, Fire Service, Ambulance Service, The British Red Cross, St John Ambulance, St Andrew's First Aid, RNLI, YMCA, FANY

## BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE

<b>Carried by</b>	Hayley Lawrence and Alex Lowe, as Alexandra Burke performs <i>Rise Up</i>
<b>Three Generations of Remembrance</b>	Personal reflections on the meaning of Remembrance

## THE SERVICE

<b>Hymn:</b> <b><i>Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer</i></b> <b>Words by William Williams</b> <b>Translated by Peter Williams</b> <b>Music by John Hughes</b>	Guide me, O thou great Redeemer, Pilgrim through this barren land; I am weak, but thou art mighty; Hold me with thy powerful hand: Bread of heaven, Feed me now till I want no more.  Open now the crystal fountain Whence the healing stream doth flow; Let the fire and cloudy pillar Lead me all my journey through: Strong deliverer, Be thou still my strength and shield.
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	<p>When I tread the verge of Jordan,          Bid my anxious fears subside;          Death of death, and hell's destruction,          Land me safe on Canaan's side:          Songs of praises          I will ever give to thee.</p>
<b>The Bidding Prayer</b>	Led by the Right Reverend and Right Honourable Dame Sarah Mullally DBE, Bishop of London and Dean of HM Chapels Royal
<b>Music Performance</b>	Jake Isaac performs <i>Great Is Thy Faithfulness</i>

## THE ACT OF REMEMBRANCE

<b>Prayer</b>	Led by the Right Reverend and Right Honourable Dame Sarah Mullally DBE
<b>The Exhortation</b>	Recited by National President Vice Admiral Paul Bennett CB OBE
	<p>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.  <b>ALL</b> We will remember them.</p>
<b>Last Post</b>	Silence is observed while the poppy petals fall
<b>Reveille</b>	
<b>The Dedication</b>	Led by National President Vice Admiral Paul Bennett CB OBE
	<p>When you go home tell them of us and say:          For your tomorrow we gave our today.</p>
<b>Sunset</b>	
<b>The Blessing</b>	Led by the Right Reverend and Right Honourable Dame Sarah Mullally DBE
<b>The National Anthem</b>	<p>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.</p>