Centenary Remembrance of HMS Mary Rose

11am 13th^h October 2017

Plymouth Naval Memorial, Hoe Park, Armada Way, The Promenade, Plymouth

Introduction to the Wreath Laying by Sue Church



Introduction

HMS Mary Rose survived the Battle of Jutland in 1916 but wasn't so lucky in 1917. Half the crew of 1916 were also on the Mary Rose in 1917 and they must have thought their mission to Norway in October wasn't going to be quite so hard. Little did they know.

I am honoured to be here today to perform this Wreath Laying in Remembrance for these fine men from our families, who made that Ultimate Sacrific



The Act of Remembrance.

Let us remember before God and commend to his sure keeping those who died in HMS Mary Rose and whose memory we treasure in this place on this 100th anniversary.

The Roll of Honour

TEEAR, Thomas Edward, Officers - Steward 12c, L 7609 (Dev) - Age 25

HANCOCK, Isaac, Gunner - Age 42

BELL, John Edward, Able Seaman, J 37754 (Dev) – Age 20

JONES, William Richard, Able Seaman, RNVR, Wales Z 2828 – Age 26

TOMS, Frederick James, Able Seaman, J 25702 (Dev) – Age 21

"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."

All: We will remember them.

Two Minutes Silence

(in the absence of a bugler we recall the last post and reveille in our minds that they may sleep and rise with God in Christ.)

The Laying of wreaths.



Conclusion