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Veterans Day is observed annually on November 11. It's a **holiday honoring men and women who have served in the U.S. armed forces on the anniversary of the end of World War 1. Veterans Day** was originally called **Armistice Day**.



The **federal** holiday is observed on Nov. 11, the **day** World War I ended in **1918**.

While those who **died** are also remembered, **Veterans Day** is the day set aside to **thank** and **honor** all those who served honorably in the military - **in wartime or peacetime** – **particularly living veterans**.

It is marked by parades and church services and in many places the American flag is hung at **half mast**. **A period of silence lasting two minutes is often held at 11am**.

Let us remember our veterans in prayer.

Dear Lord,

Today we honor our veterans, worthy men and women who gave their best when they were called upon to serve and protect their country.

We pray that you will bless them for their unselfish service in the continual struggle to preserve our freedoms, our safety, and our country's heritage, for all of us.

Bless them abundantly for the hardships they faced, for the sacrifices they made for their many different contributions to America's victories over tyranny and oppression.

We respect them, we thank them, we honor them, we are proud of them. We pray that you will watch over these special people and bless them with peace and happiness.

-J. Fuchs

**Psalm 91** is known as the **Soldier's Psalm or Soldier's Prayer**. Why not check it out!