

The Plymouth Memorial Day Program

May 24, 2018, at 11:00 a.m.

Plymouth City Hall, Plymouth Veterans Memorial

Pre-program: Plymouth Concert Band Brass Quintet

- **Welcome.** Daryl Acker, U.S. Army, OIF Veteran 2007-2008 & Medtronic Veteran Employee Resource Group
- **Posting of the Colors & Pledge of Allegiance.** VFW Post 5903 Color Guard
- **Invocation.** Chaplain Craig Muri, Parkers Lake Baptist Church
- ***America the Beautiful.*** Andrew Nelson, acc. Mary Fadden, Wayzata High School
- **“Remembering the Families.”** Jennifer B. Rodgers, military spouse & Plymouth Beyond the Yellow Ribbon VP
- **“Honoring the Fallen.”** Jim Heimerl, U.S. Marine Corps, Vietnam Veteran 1966-1967 & VFW Commander
- **“Keeping Remembrance Alive.”** Dr. Gary Goldetsky, Plymouth Beyond the Yellow Ribbon President
- **Moment of Silence.** Daryl Acker
- **Retiring of the Colors & Taps.** VFW Post 5903 Color Guard **(Conclusion of Program)**



“Our debt to the heroic men and valiant women in the service of our country can never be repaid. They have earned our undying gratitude. America will never forget their sacrifices.”
- President Harry Truman

***A sincere thank you to the following community participants who facilitated this program. Without their partnership, community spirit and efforts, this program would not have been possible:**

***American Affairs (Provided the chairs) * Parkers Lake Baptist Church * Medtronic Plymouth Veteran Employee Resource Group * Plymouth Beyond the Yellow Ribbon * Heinzen-Ditter Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5903 * Employees of the City of Plymouth * Plymouth Lions * Wayzata High School * Plymouth Concert Band Brass Quintet: Alli Domingues, trumpet; Rich Frevert, trumpet; Amanda Yadav, French horn; John McKone, trombone; Matt Fulkerson, tuba**