

## **Padre Sid Horne CD**

Sid was born, raised and educated in St. Catharines Ontario. He graduated from St. Chad's Theological College, Regina in 1950 and ordained into the Anglican Church. Sid served in two parishes in southern Saskatchewan from 1950 until April 1956.

Sid joined the Royal Canadian Army Chaplain Corps as a Reserve Chaplain in Moose Jaw in September 1953. He transferred to the Regular Force chaplaincy in January 1956. Postings included Calgary, Montreal, Chilliwack, Shilo and to CFB Trenton in 1971 until retirement in 1980.

In 1977 he was posted to Egypt on a six-month tour with the Canadian Contingent of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force, which included duty with the United Nations Defence Observation Force.

After retirement in August 1980 Sid continued to serve as a Class "C" call-out until June 1985.

Sid was appointed Honorary Chaplain of 8 Wing, CFB Trenton in December 1994, a position he still holds.

He also served as Rector of the Anglican parish of Tyendinaga, Mohawk Indian Reserve from March 1987 until retirement in June 1994. He was honoured upon retirement in 1994 by being inducted into the Mohawk Tribe and given his own Indian name, "RA WEN NEN HA WI" which means "The Carrier of the Word" and appointed by the Chief and Band Council as "The Royal Chaplain to the Loyal Mohawks" for life.

In April 1972 Sid joined the Royal Canadian Legion serving as Chaplain to Branch 387 Frankford. Transferred to Branch 110 Trenton in June 1980. Also serves as Chaplain to Branch 110 Ladies' Auxiliary, Zone F2 and District F. Granted a Life Membership in 1991; the Legion Meritorious Service Medal in 1995 and honoured in 1999 by being granted the Palm Leaf to the Meritorious Service Medal. Was honoured by the Provincial Command of the Royal Canadian Legion by being appointed the "first-ever" Provincial Chaplain in 2002. Further honoured by being presented the Queen's Jubilee medal in November 2002.

Serves as Chaplain to 413 Wing of the Air Force Association of Canada, and the Hastings-Prince Edward (The famous Hasty-P's) Regimental Association.

A member of the Masonic Order since 1948, presently serving as organist of Trent Lodge in Trenton. Presented a Life Membership in the Masonic Order in 1991. In 1999 Sid was honoured with the highest award that can be given to a member of the Masonic Order by being presented with "The William Mercer Wilson" medal for distinguished service to the Masonic Order, as well as to the community at large.

Married to the former Helen Shirley Wood of Regina in September 1951. They have two children, five grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and at last count, one cat and one dog.