On the 11th of November, we can celebrate the victory of the Allies but we should most importantly celebrate the beginning of the peace ! We have also to remember all our war veterans regardless of their nationalities. Severals country are already using a flower to commemorate this day, the commonwealth nations have the poppy while France has the cornflower. Maybe, all the countries affected by this war could choose a flower (for it’s meaning perhaps), and all these flowers will symbolize our veterans. Finally, we could form a bunch of flowers, to unite all the countries in their commemoration.

These are the flower that we could use in the bunch corresponding to a country :

France : corn-flower / lily flower

The United Kingdom + Commonwealth : poppy

Russia : Chamomile

Germany : Oak leaf

The Austria – Hungary empire + Ottoman Empire (now Turkey) : Tulip

Australia : Golden Wattle (Cootamundra Wattle)

Canada : maple leaf

USA : rose

Obviously, other countries were affected during this war, they could also choose a flower to represent their veterans and participate in the international commemoration.