

Allhallowtide November 2, 2025

Service begins with a procession from the back while singing

Hymn 221 "This Little Light of Mine" African American Spiritual
from *Lift Every Voice and Sing*

1. This lit - tle light of mine, I'm gon - na let it
2. Ev - 'ry - where I go, I'm gon - na let it
3. Je - sus gave it to me, I'm gon - na let it

Oh

1. shine, This lit - tle light of mine,
2. shine, Ev - 'ry - where I go,
3. shine, Je - sus gave it to me,

Oh

1. I'm gon - na let it shine; This lit - tle light of
2. I'm gon - na let it shine; Ev - 'ry - where I
3. I'm gon - na let it shine; Je - sus gave it to

Oh

1. mine, I'm gon - na let it shine, Let it
2. go, I'm gon - na let it shine, Let it
3. me, I'm gon - na let it shine, Let it

Oh



Greetings and Introduction to the Triduum of Light

Part I: All Hallows' Eve

Psalm 23

- 1 The LORD is my shepherd; *
I shall not be in want.
- 2 He makes me lie down in green pastures *
and leads me beside still waters.
- 3 He revives my soul *
and guides me along right pathways for his Name's sake.
- 4 Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil; *
for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.
- 5 You spread a table before me in the presence of those who trouble me; *
you have anointed my head with oil, and my cup is running over.
- 6 Surely your goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, *
and I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever.

Reflection Even when the world seems dark, God is with us. We light candles to show that fear does not have the final word.

Hymn 490 "I want to Walk as a Child of Light"

Houston

While children light candles before the altar to represent the light of God in our lives even when we are afraid. Children can also write down small fears on paper and place them in a basket before the altar.

Part II: All Saints Day: Honoring the Great Cloud of Witnesses

Reading Hebrews 12:1-2

Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off everything that hinders and the sin that so easily entangles. And let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.

Children and parents are invited to come forward and place photos or pictures of saints and heroes of faith (either personally or Biblical)

Hymn 293 “We Sing a Song of the Saints of God”

Grand Isle

Reading the names of those who have died in the previous year from our church community.

Reflection Saints are people who showed us how to love like Jesus - we are part of that family, too.

Part III: All Souls’ Day: Remembering Our Loved Ones

Reading: John 14:1-3

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father’s house there are many dwelling places. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, so that where I am, there you may be also.”

Invite everyone forward to place photos, a candle or flowers at a simple ofrenda-style altar

Reflection We remember those we love and see no more—and we trust that they are held in God’s eternal care.

Musical Interlude

Final Hymn and Blessing

Go in peace, remembering, rejoicing, and resting in God's love.

Hymn "When the Saints Go Marching In"

African American Spiritual

Origin of original music and lyric unknown

Sing as we make our way to the parish hall

Oh, when the saints go marching in,

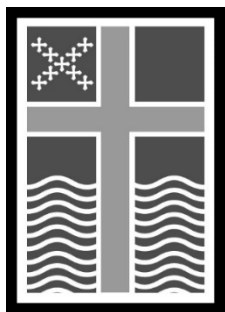
Oh, when the saints go marching in,

Oh how I want to be in that number

When the saints go marching in.

Oh, when the sun refused to shine...

Oh, when they crown Him Lord of all...



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