

NOVEMBER 1: CANDLE SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS

INCLUDED:

Battery powered candle
Water Transfer Decal



USE YOUR OWN:

Scissors
Bowl of water



MATTHEW 5:1-2A



When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain, and after he had sat down, his disciples came to him. He began to teach them, saying: “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven. Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the land. Blessed are they who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. Blessed are the clean of heart, for they will see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Blessed are they who are persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the Kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when they insult you and persecute you and utter every kind of evil against you falsely because of me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward will be great in heaven.”

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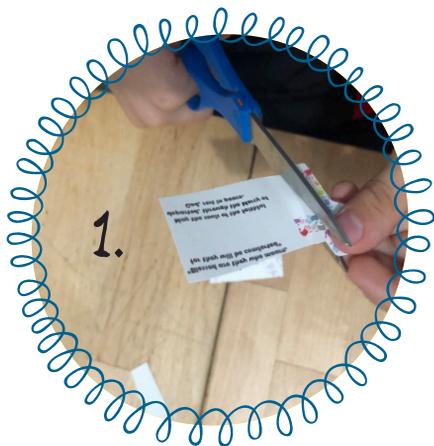
1. This year we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints Day on a Sunday. Do you know what the feast is about?
2. Who are saints?

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1. We remember all the saints who have come before us.
2. A saint is anyone who is in heaven. We are pretty sure about some of them, from evidence that shows they're in heaven, but there are many more!

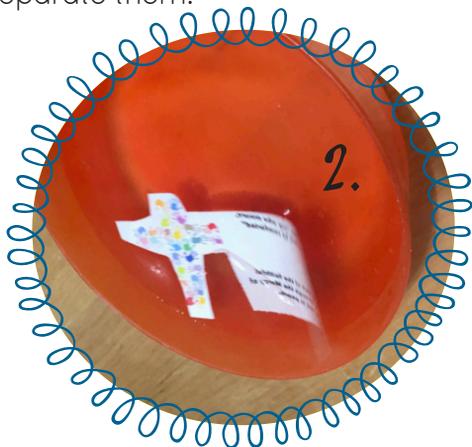
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1. We're making a candle to remember the saints who have come before us. Cut out around the edge of the cross and the words on your decal. Be careful not to separate them.

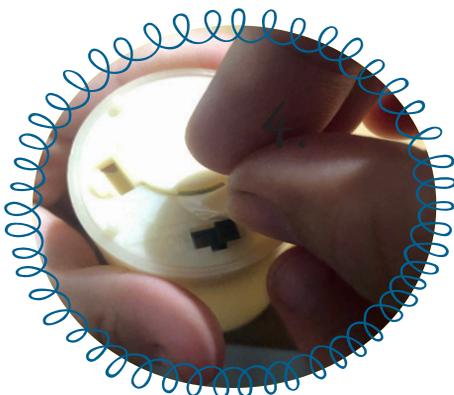
2. Put the decal in a bowl of water. If it tries to roll onto itself, gently hold it open. Let it sit in the water for thirty seconds.



3. Gently put the water slide decal on the candle with the printed side facing in and the words and cross facing up. The words will look backwards to you. Smooth out the paper backing and decal then gently slide it off.



4. Smooth the decal if there are any air bubbles. Pull out the tab in the batter compartment on the bottom of the candle. Don't touch the water decal for at least half an hour for it to dry. If you messed up the decal, it's okay! You have a spare.



Your candle is a safe reminder of those who have gone before us and a reminder to pray and stay focused on Jesus!