



Growing
FAITH
at home

1 November 2020

ALL SAINTS

God brings comfort to those
who mourn.

Caring Conversations

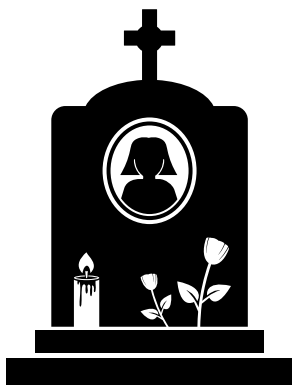
Share your
highs and lows
of the day,
or respond to
the following
questions:

1

What does it
mean to mourn?
Have you ever felt
that way?

2

God promises
to comfort those
who mourn.
How does he
do this?



Devotions



Daily Bible Readings

S	Matthew 5:1-12	The Beatitudes
M	1 John 3:1-3	Our hope in him
T	Revelation 7:9-17	God will wipe away tears
W	John 14:1-4	Do not let your hearts be troubled
T	John 11:17-26	The resurrection and the life
F	2 Corinthians 1:3-5	God of all comfort
S	Jeremiah 31:10-13	Joy instead of sorrow
S	Matthew 25:1-13	Parable of wise and foolish girls

Discuss the bible reading. What word or phrase was important to you as you read these verses?

Rituals and Traditions



PRAYER

Lord God, please
comfort us when
we are sad. Give
us the hope that
comes from your
promises. Amen.

BLESSING

May God comfort
you when you are
sad and bless you
with hope and
peace through
Jesus.

All Saints

WHITE is used in all festivals of our Lord. This represents the purity, majesty and splendour of God.

Creative Response

All Saints Day is an occasion to remember those who have died.

Have a time of remembrance for any of your relatives or friends who have died.

Light a candle for each of these people.

Share memories of them.

Read Revelation 21:1-4 and have a time of silence.

Pray this prayer:

Lord God, we thank you for the life of (name). Thank you for all the blessings that came to us through them. Most of all, thank you that they now have eternal life with you. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.



mealtime prayer

Lord God, we bring you our praise and thanks. You meet our needs with this meal and give us hope for the life to come. All glory be to you. Amen.

verse for the week

God blesses
those who
mourn, for
they will be
comforted.

MATTHEW 5:4

Service



Arrange a bouquet
of flowers to
give to someone
or share a meal
with someone who
has recently had
a loved one die.
Spend some time
with them.

