



Keep the
Flame of Faith
Alive in your
Hearts

RCIA 224



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WELCOME TO THE MASTER CHEF KITCHEN

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LETTER SYMBOLS
Gestures

WORDS

OBJECTS

GLORY IN THE CROSS

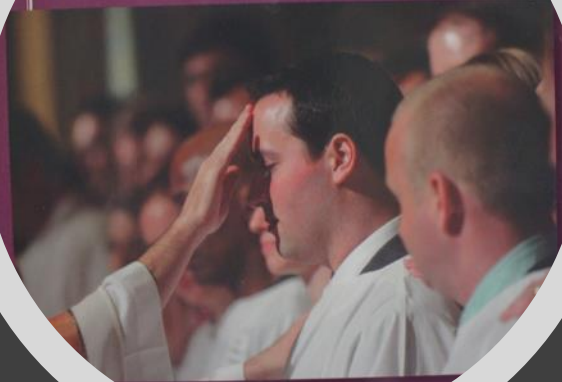
Holy Week in
the Third Edition of
The Roman Missal

Paul Turner

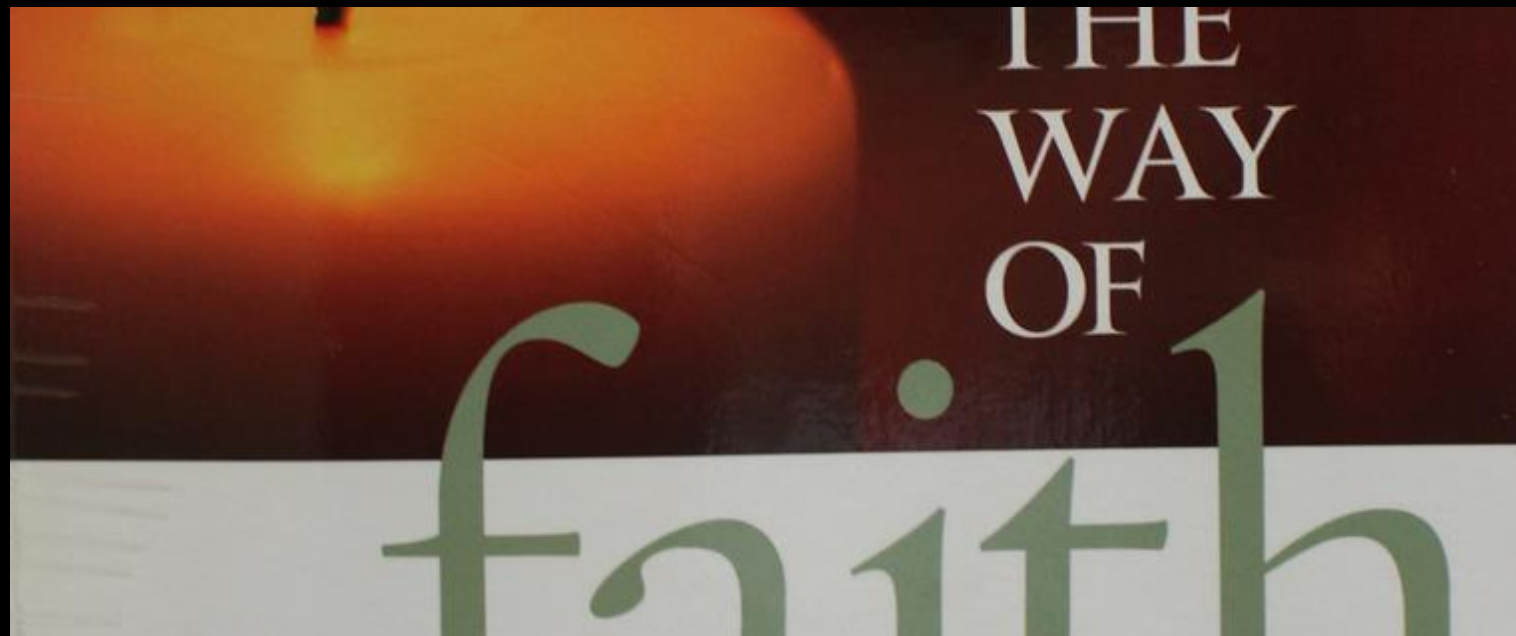
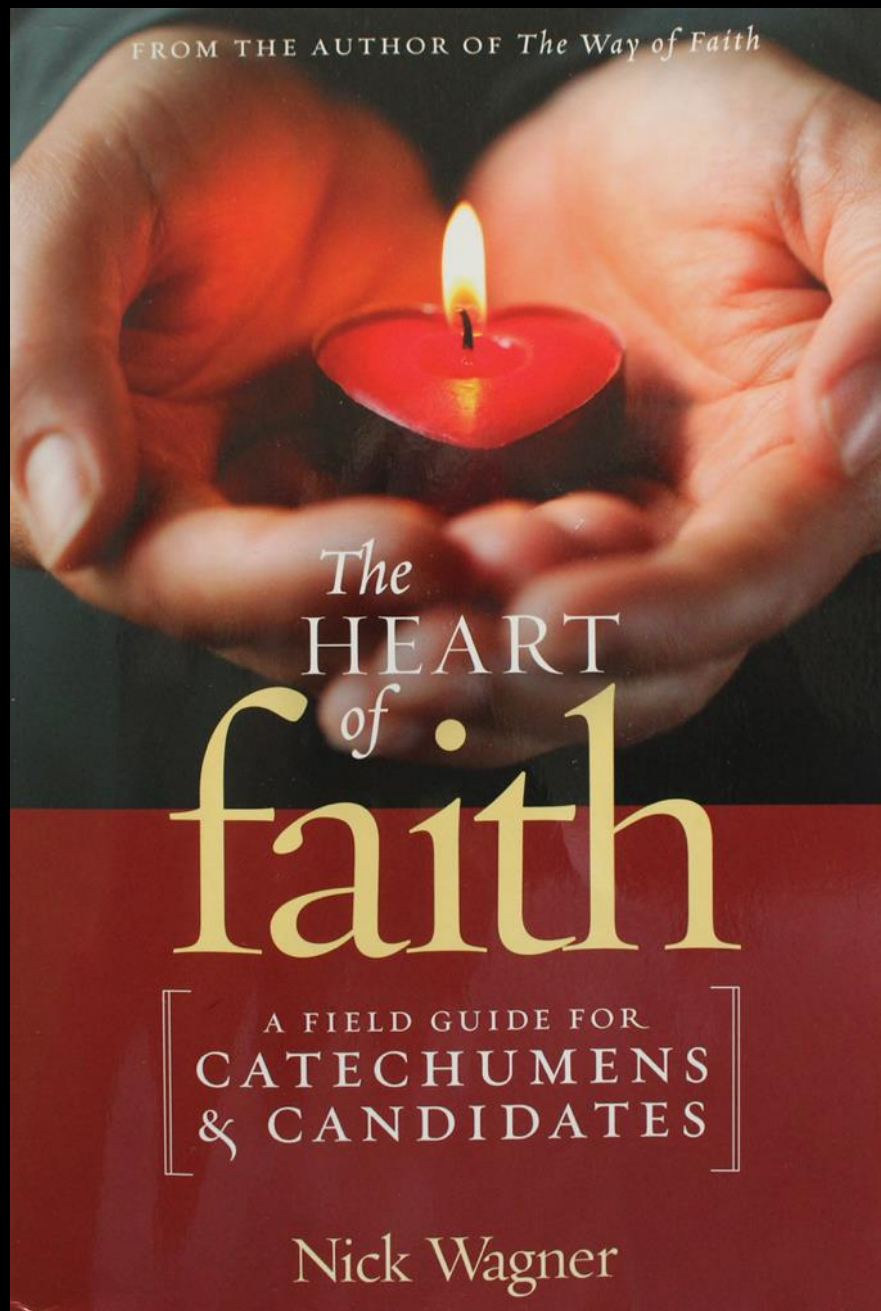


Initiation

A Guide for Priests



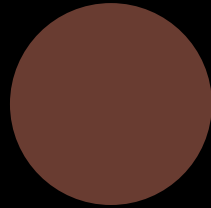
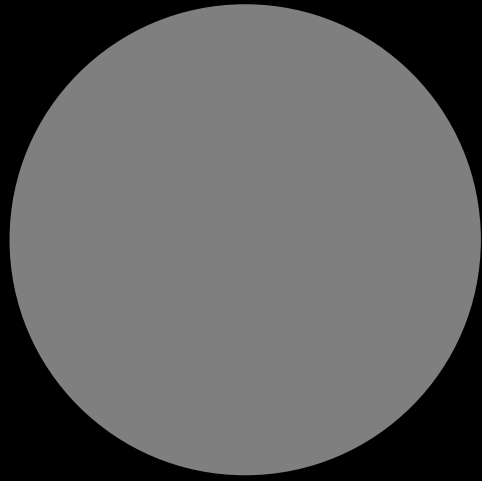
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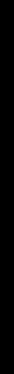
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TODAYS 'MYSTERY BOX' IS
'THE EVERYTHING BOX'



*“Everything we are and
everything we do hinges on
this night of nights...”*

- Paul Turner, *Celebrating Initiation: A Guide for Priests*. (2008).

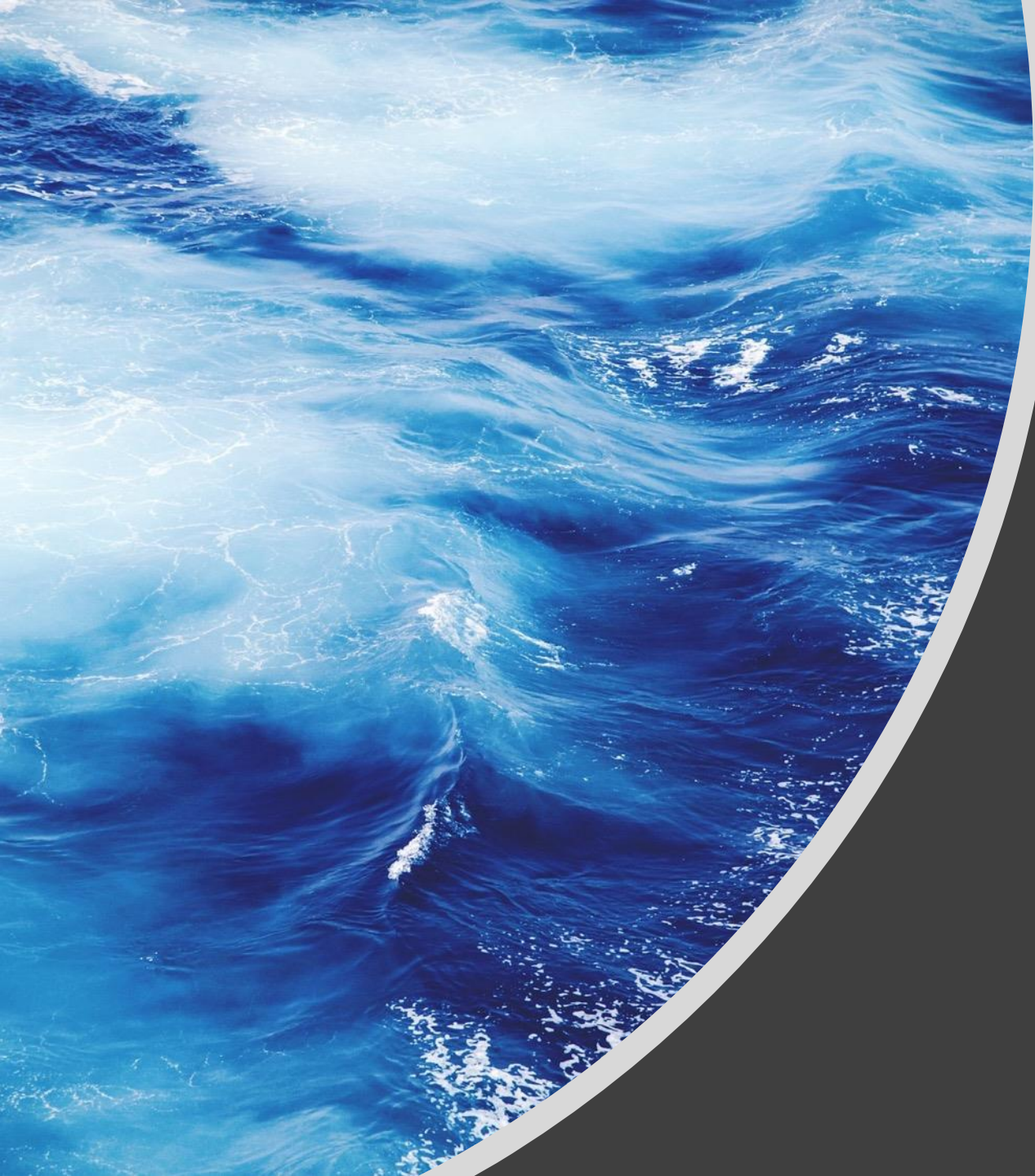


Garden



“Liturgy takes most fundamental elements of human life – our bodies, voices, minds, and hearts – and the things that sustain us – water, light, oil, food, and clothing and imbues them with enormous meaning”

- Corinna Laughlin, *The Liturgy*. (2018).



*“...filled with the hope
of the life-giving Spirit
and prepared
thoroughly for birth to
new life.”*

- RCIA 161B, Intercessions for the Elect.



“...the three days that are, from beginning to end, in home and at church, all-encompassing, recreating and simply part of being Catholic.”

*- Gabe Huck, *The Three Days: Parish Prayer in the Paschal Triduum*. (1992).*



“Around that Easter fire, we see a nascent community, drawn together by the fire, strangers perhaps, but cohering in our shared attraction to the light – a tiny image of God drawing the whole of humanity into community”

- Timothy Radcliffe, *Take the Plunge: Living Baptism and Confirmation*. (2012).




*“The light shines in the darkness and
the darkness has not overcome it”*

- Gospel of John 1:5

“In the year that unfolds from this night, the Church will specifically and intentionally return us time and again to Threshold and Cross”

- Louise Campbell



“Listen! If you hear my voice and open this door I will come in and eat with you and you with me”

- Book of Revelation 3:20

“Only on this night do we hear the majestic words that initiate the telling of God’s story... in the beginning... and over and over again come the precious words that both judge and direct everyday life: and God saw that it was good”

- Gabe Huck, *The Three Days: Parish Prayer in the Paschal Triduum*.
(1992).



“Like all good stories, the ones we tell at the vigil express the kernel of ourselves... the very telling of them keeps moving us always more deeply into their reality, into their realisation”

- Kathleen Hughes, *Saying Amen: A Mystagogy of Sacrament*. (2007).



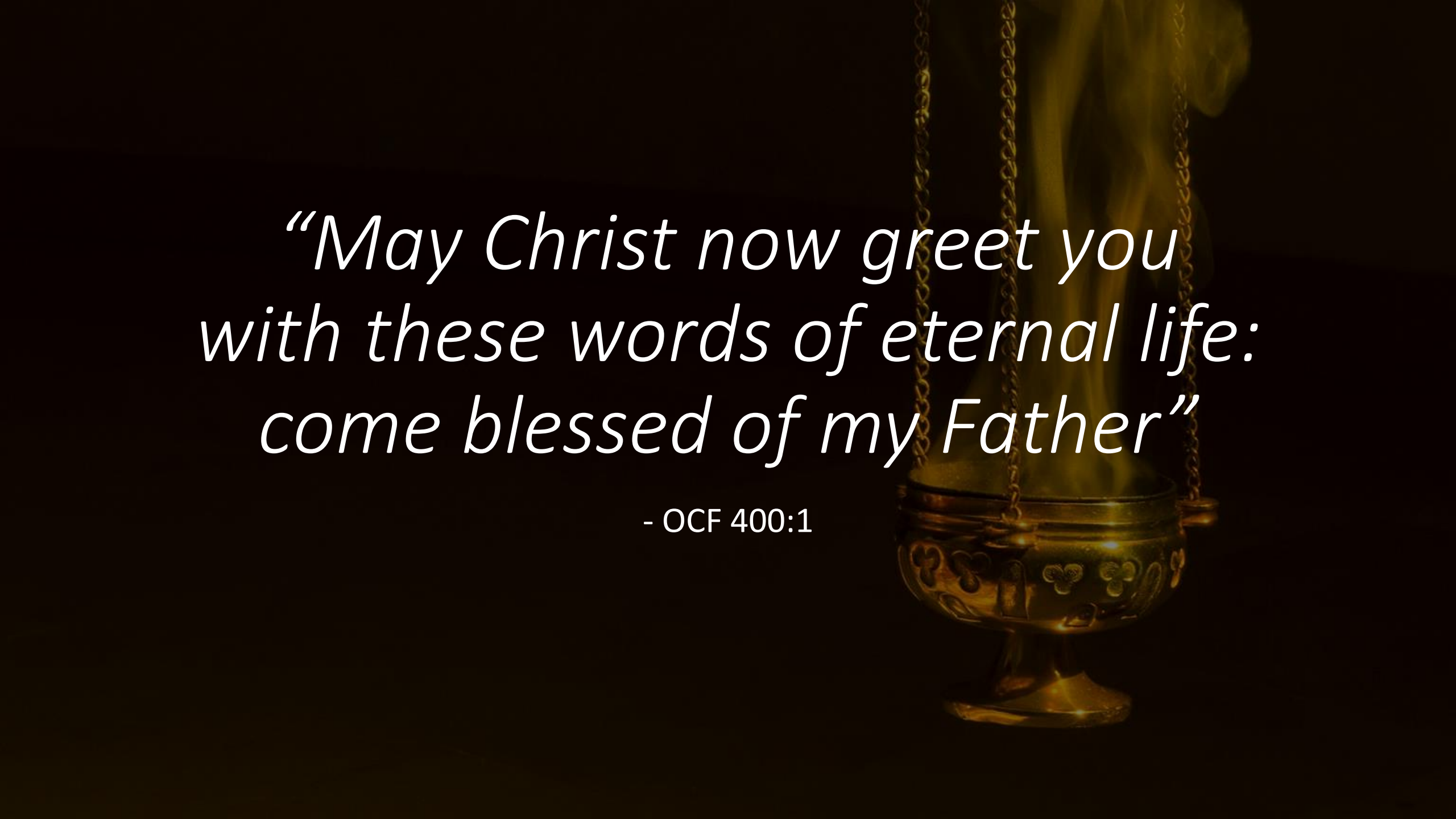
“...through the word of Christ, God’s power renews us and God’s grace refashions us, so that, in time, we may assume the full likeness of Christ”

- RCIA 66B



“To be Christian is to be entrusted with the traditio of the Gospel”

*- Timothy Radcliffe, *Take the Plunge: Living Baptism and Confirmation.* (2012).*

A golden incense burner with a chain, set against a dark background. The burner is ornate with floral patterns and sits on a pedestal. A chain is attached to the top, and a small flame or light is visible inside the burner.

*“May Christ now greet you
with these words of eternal life:
come blessed of my Father”*

- OCF 400:1



Have you got some
precious 'white
garment' memories?

- RCIA 112

*“May all who are buried
with Christ in the death of
baptism, rise also with
him to newness of life”*





*“God will shake us up,
undo and remake us,
wring us out, and
renew us at the core of
our being”*

*- Timothy Radcliffe, *Take the Plunge: Living
Baptism and Confirmation.* (2012).*

*“Called to walk as befits
the children of the light,
the newly baptised are
admonished to keep this
flame alive in their
hearts”*

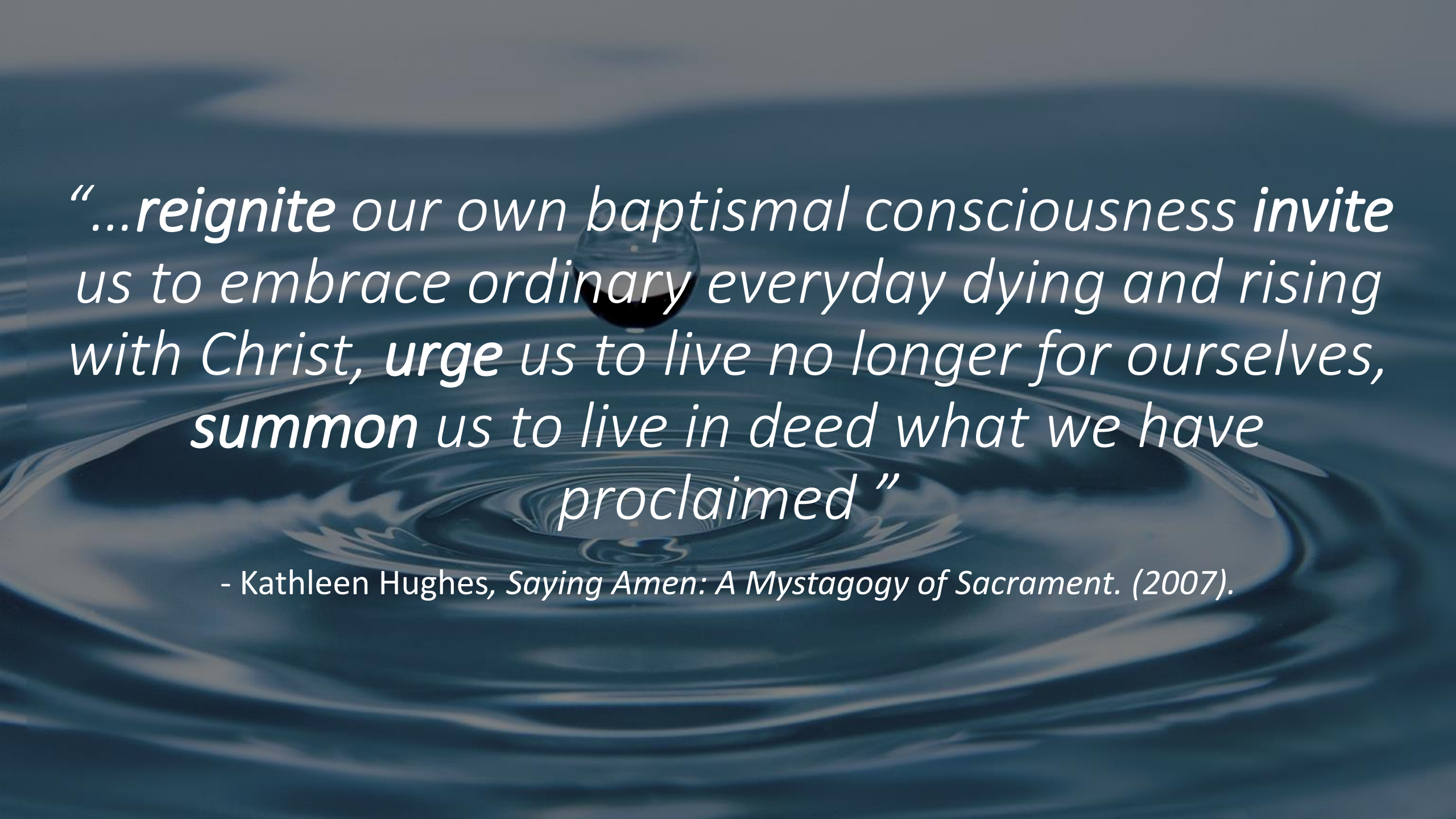
- RCIA 112





“...set our hearts on fire before sending us out to light a fire in the heart of the world”

*Evangelii Gaudium, Joy of the Gospel 144
(2015)*



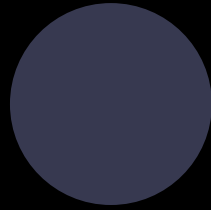
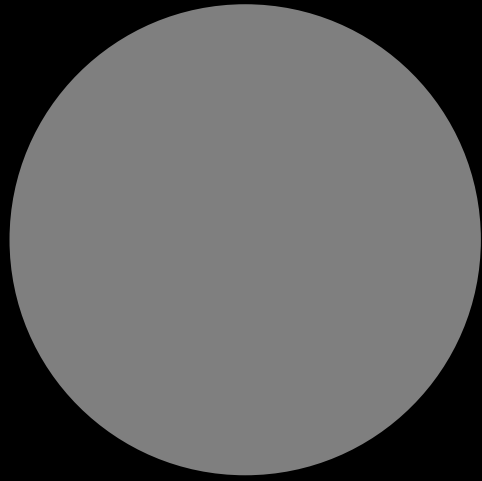
“...reignite our own baptismal consciousness invite us to embrace ordinary everyday dying and rising with Christ, urge us to live no longer for ourselves, summon us to live in deed what we have proclaimed”

- Kathleen Hughes, *Saying Amen: A Mystagogy of Sacrament*. (2007).

- Louise Campbell

*“God’s people, initiated
through death to life,
loved, birthed, wedded,
graced, and forgiven”*





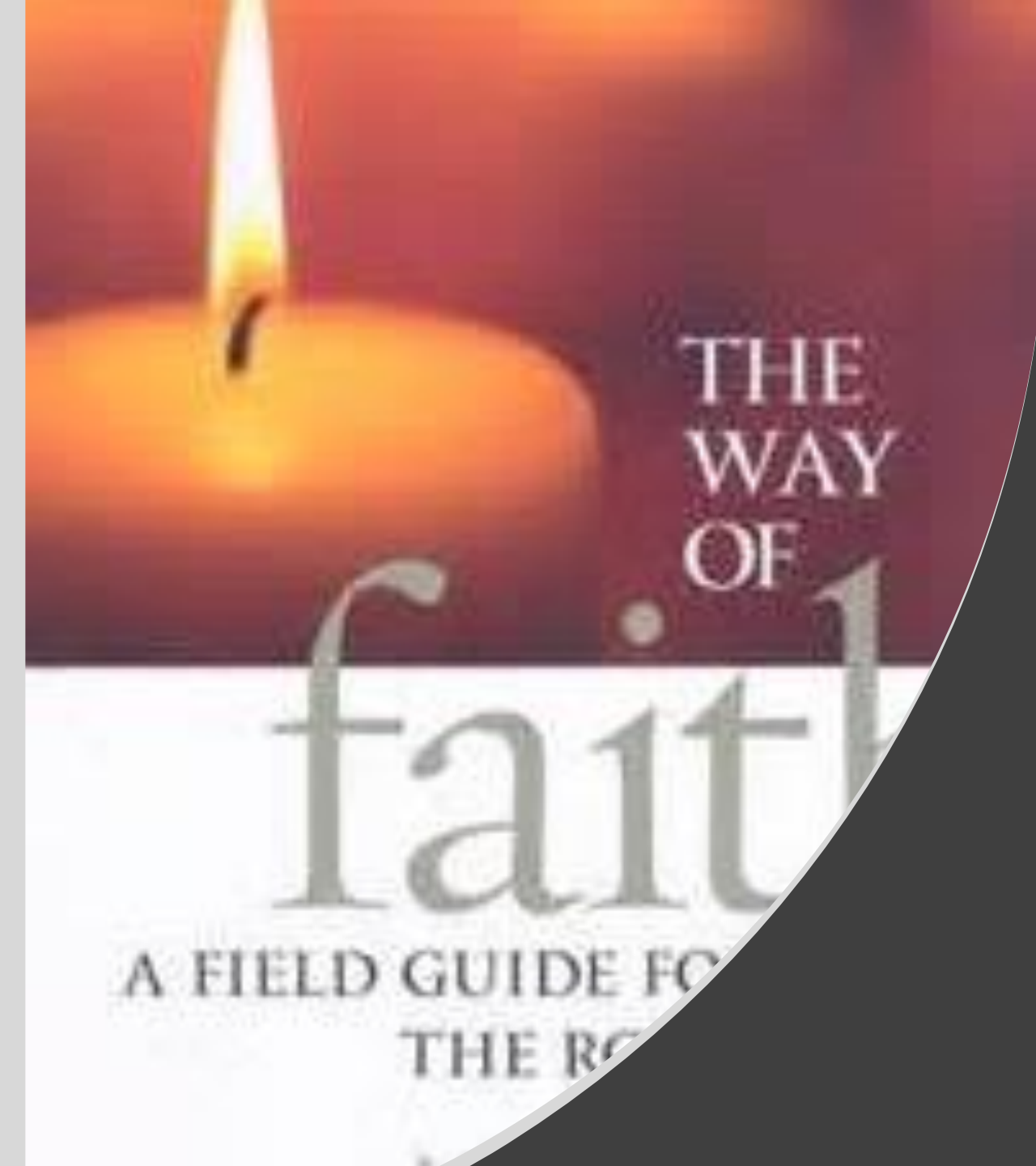
Plating, Tasting, Judging



- Garden
- Threshold
- Door



“Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia”



“Liturgy cannot be calculated, measured, anticipated, or tamed. Liturgy immerses us in a lifegiving love that changes us irrevocably”

- Nick Wagner, *The Way of Faith*. (2008).

