Project Overview

Throughout the semester you will keep a portfolio of your research and reflections on three different Eucharistic liturgies. Before beginning this project, refer to a liturgical calendar or *ordo* to determine the dates of particular liturgies.

The three liturgies and seasons you will research and reflect on are the following:

* a liturgy in Ordinary Time
* the Solemnity of All Saints or the Feast of All Souls in Ordinary Time
* a liturgy during the Season of Advent

*Note:* Your teacher may choose to replace one of the above liturgies or seasons with a founder’s day liturgy, a family wedding, a funeral, or another celebration.

Prior to the celebration of the designated Eucharistic liturgy, conduct your research about the particular season, Solemnity, or feast as indicated on the handout “Research Component” (Document #: TX001348). Also review the reflection questions on the handout “Liturgy Reflection” (Document #: TX001349) in preparation for this experience.

After the celebration of each particular Eucharistic liturgy, write a reflection paper using the questions on the “Liturgy Reflection” handout (Document #: TX001349) as a guide.

Compile each of the three research papers and reflection papers, as well as the final synthesis product (see the handout “Final Synthesis” [Document #: TX001350]), into a portfolio. Include in your portfolio a table of contents. Submit the portfolio on the designated due date. Your teacher may also ask you to do an oral presentation of your final synthesis.