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# Seasoning the Seasons™

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November Home Shrine

## Celebrate November in Your Home: Make a Communion of Saints Home Shrine

- ◆ Your shrine can be created in a bookcase as pictured here, or as a triptych, or on a table...or use your own imagination!
- ◆ In your shrine, put photos of family and friends – those still living, as well as those who have died.
- ◆ Add some holy cards or icons of your patron saints.
- ◆ You might place a Bible at your shrine, open to one of the readings for the month of November.
- ◆ You can also have other books at your shrine – books about Saints, or family scrapbooks, or books on how various cultures celebrate the Days of the Dead.
- ◆ You might put candles and/or flowers at your shrine. Marigolds are very traditional, as some cultures believe their scent guides the spirits of the dead.
- ◆ You could put other mementos at your shrine, as well.
- ◆ Your shrine will help you remember that we are part of the Communion of Saints, and that it is good to pray daily for all the living and the dead. As Christians we know that death is not the end, and that we are all part of God's family.

