LONGING FOR LIGHT
We Wait In Darkness

We will be following a pattern based on the worship of the Taizé Community, one of whose aims has always been to make Christian worship as simple and uncluttered as possible. Icon will be the WORD of GOD / BOOK OF GOSPELS/ Enthroned – Saint John’s Book of Gospel.

GATHERING

• Before service readers are seated in place near ambo.
• The priests, deacons should not be vested and should not sit as a group and have no reserved area. They should sit mixed in with the laity to show the unity of the Church. We are all in this together and we need to support each other.
• As the Book of Gospel’s carried in there should be silence permeated only by a tolling of the bells. The BOOK of GOSPELS is put in place.
• Cardinal Tobin will kneel and prays in silence for a while. All others kneel.
• Cardinal stands. ALL STAND – Cantor can signal.
• Christ Be Our Light 2 verses then 100 vigil lights are put in place on the altar rail.
• 50 on each side.
• Music stops once candle bearers are in pews.
CHRIST BE OUR LIGHT

1. Long-ing for light, we wait in dark-ness.
2. Long-ing for peace, our world is trou-bled.
3. Pan an-he-la-mos, son mu-chos con ham-bre. Se-
4. fu-gio_an-he-la-mos los de-sam-pa-ra-dos, bus-

1. Make us your own, your ho-ly peo-ple
2. Your word a-lone has pow'r to save us
3. Haz - nos tu pan, pan com - par - ti - do, que
4. Haz de no - so-tros al ber-gue,y am - pa - ro, pa-

light for the world to see.
Make us your liv-ing voice.
da_al mun - do de co - mer.
re - des de pie - dras vi - vas.

Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the dark - ness.

¡Se nues-tra luz! Brilla_en tu_ig-le-sia reu-ni-da hoy.
PRAYER

(Let us pray is not said.)

Father,
you make all darkness radiant
with the splendor of Jesus Christ our light.
Reveal to all the world
the light no darkness can extinguish, our Lord Jesus Christ,
who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
in the splendor of eternal light,
God for ever and ever. Amen

Señor,
Haces que toda oscuridad sea radiante
con el esplendor de Jesucristo, nuestra luz.
Revela a todo el mundo
la luz que ninguna oscuridad puede extinguir, nuestro Señor Jesucristo,
quién vive y reina contigo, Padre, en la unidad del Espíritu Santo,
en el esplendor de la luz eterna,
Dios por los siglos de los siglos.
Amen.
FIRST READING
Israel has lost everything because of exile. Jerusalem has collapsed. Temple destroyed. Community scattered. Acknowledgement of loss and grief and wonderment of what God is doing leads to promise of newness that does not yearn for the old but responds to our time. Then there is the call to action for the reign of God must be made manifest.

Lectura del Libro del Profeta Isaías.
¡Despierta, despierta! Levántate, Jerusalén...
Revístete de tu fortaleza, Oh Sión.
Sacúdete el polvo, levántate, cautiva Jerusalén.
Líbrate de las ligaduras de tu cerviz, cautiva hija de Sión.
Grita de júbilo, estéril que no das a luz...
Que todos los sedientos vengan por agua...
Velen por la equidad y practiquen la justicia...
Busquen a Yahvé mientras se pueda encontrar...
Deshagan los lazos de la injusticia,
suelten las coyunturas del yugo,
dejen libres a los maltratados...
Compartan su pan con el hambriento
y reciban en tu casa a los que no tienen hogar...

Rouse yourself, rouse yourself!
Stand up, O Jerusalem...
Awake, awake, put on your strength,
Zion, Shake yourself from the dust,
Rise up, O Captive Jerusalem,
Loose the bonds from your neck,
captive daughter, Zion.
Sing, O barren one, who did not bear...
Everyone who is thirsty come to the water...
Maintain justice and do what is right...
Seek God while he may be found...
Loose the bonds of injustice, undo the thongs of the yoke, let the oppressed go free...
Share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house...  
The Word of the Lord

SILENCE  20 seconds of silence
SPEAKER 1 Mark Joseph Williams (survivor)
PARISHES PROCESS WITH BOOKS OF GOSPEL
Each parish representative processes with a Book of the Gospels donated by Knights of Columbus.
Mantra continues until last person in procession is in place. They will hold book up until reading is in place.

O WORD OF GOD

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Hermanos y hermanas,
Escuchemos el principio del Evangelio de San Juan:

En el principio existía la Palabra
y la Palabra estaba junto a Dios,
y la Palabra era Dios.
Ella estaba en el principio junto a Dios.
Todo se hizo por ella,
y sin ella no se hizo nada.
Lo que se hizo en ella era la vida
y la vida era la luz de los hombres,
y la luz brilla en las tinieblas
y ¡LAS TINIEBLAS NO LA VENCIERON!

In the beginning was the Word,
and the Word was with God,
and the Word was God.
He was in the beginning with God.
All things came to be through him,
and without him nothing came to be.
What came to be through him was life,
and this life was the light of the human race;
the light shines in the darkness,
and the DARKNESS HAS NOT OVERCOME IT!.

SILENCE 20 seconds of silence

Speaker 2 Cardinal Tobin
All stand and sing the Litany of Healing (by Stephen Trunk)

Song: Litany for Healing

Creator of the stars of night,
Your people's everlasting light,
Jesu, Redeemer, save us all,
And hear Your servants when we call.

A way beyond these painful days,
To heal these victims, Lord we pray.
Enflame our lives with fires of love,
With healing mercies from above.

Renew the church now wracked by sin.
With Holy Justice let us win
The hearts of faithful led astray.
In strife, confusion, make Your way.

Dispel the darkness, enter in.
Make clean our hearts, forgive our sin.
Make us Your sacrifice of love
The hope of victims, Christ Your Son.

To God the Father, God the Son,
And God the Spirit, Three in One,
Laud, honor, might, and glory be
From age to age eternally. Amen.

PRAYER

God most high,
your only Son embraced the weakness of our flesh
to give us the power to become your children;
your eternal Word chose to dwell among us,
that we might live in your presence.
Grant us a spirit of wisdom
to know how rich is the glory
you have made our own,
and how great the hope to which we are called
in Jesus Christ, your Word made flesh,
radiant light,
God for ever and ever.

Dios Altísimo,
Tu hijo único abrazó a la debilidad de nuestra carne
para darnos el poder de llegar a ser tus hijos;
Tu Palabra eterna escogió habitar entre nosotros,
para que podamos vivir en Tu presencia.

Danos un espíritu de sabiduría
para saber cuan rica es la gloria
que has hecho nuestra,
y cuan grande es la esperanza
a la que estamos llamados en Jesucristo,
Tu Palabra hecho carne,
Tu Luz radiante,
Dios por los siglos de los siglos.
Recitation of MEMORARE with instrumental followed by Mantra, Mater Ecclesiae

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thine intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother; to thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful. O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.

Amen.

Cardinal leaves sanctuary in silence. No procession. No song or music. Simply the tolling of the bells!

Venerate the Gospel Book with a Kiss!

And all, after genuflecting to the Book, depart in silence.

Open Gates and let people venerate the Book.