

November



I ALL SAINTS DAY (ALL HALLOWS)

Halloween ushers in this day to honor all saints. It's also Samhain, the Celtic New Year.

2 ALL SOULS DAY, DIA DE MUERTOS, I MORTI

Together with Halloween & All Saints Day, these old and sacred days keep us connected to those who have left this world. . . This is their common theme, and the general theme of early November, all the way through to Martinmas.

II MARTINMAS (HOLLANTIDE)

Time to taste the new wine. In traditional reckoning of time, this day marks the full onset of winter. It's **ALSO VETERANS' DAY** and we honor today all who have served in our armed forces.

22 ST. CECILIA'S DAY

Patron saint of musicians.

23 ST. CLEMENT'S DAY

Patron saint of blacksmiths and metal workers.

24 THANKSGIVING

Count your blessings.

27 FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Darkness is building, but we counter with light. Tonight, we light one purple candle.

30 ST. ANDREW'S DAY

Sacred to Scotland and Russia.



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Our view last year when we arrived in Illinois for Thanksgiving was wonderfully snowy and yet autumnal all the same!

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