

## EASTER VIGIL

**Fire outside:** Size, placement, building & stewardship of? Time of lighting?

**Gathering :** Invitation to gather at the Easter fire...

**Service of fire** - procession into Church, manner in which candle light spread, candles, singing of Exsultet, extinguishing of candles

**Service of word** - number & choice of readings, psalms, variety and flow, quality of proclamation

**Gloria** – music, ringing of bells...

**Gospel Procession:** How? Who? Route? Candles? Incense?

**Liturgy of Baptism:** Ritual and Music; posture of the assembly throughout...

**Renewal of promises:** How? Lighting of candles? Posture of assembly?

**Blessing of people with holy water or Procession of people to font?** Choice of ritual action, use of music that supports the ritual action...

**Dressing of altar & presentation of the gifts:** Who? How? What?

**Eucharistic prayer:** use of acclamations

**Communion time:** reception under both forms? Ministers? Sung Lamb of God? Music to accompany communion procession?

**Dismissal:** Double alleluia...hospitality and celebration beyond the liturgy?

**Ritual notes for music ministers:** What specific information do music ministers need for their appropriate selection of music for this ritual?

**Art and environment:** Who? What? How? When?

**Hospitality:** How will people be welcomed and invited to enter into this ritual throughout its celebration?

**Social gathering after the Vigil?**