

Holy Hallowe'en Lanterns!

**Even if I go through the deepest darkness, I will not be afraid,
LORD, for you are with me.' (Psalm 23:4)**



You could make smaller versions of these using A5 paper and hang them up!

You will need: A4 orange paper, black paper or black felt tip/sharpie, glue/tape, washi tape (optional), battery tea light (optional).

- 1) Firstly, fold your paper in half lengthways.
- 2) Then cut a 2cm strip from the end (to form the handle).
- 3) If using felt tips, you can now draw cross and heart shapes (you could form a face) on either side of the paper.
- 3) After that, carefully cut up every 2cm from the fold to 2cm from the end of the paper. (Note if you cut from the open end, the lantern will not work!)
- 4) Now, glue the two open ends together and gently squash the circular ends together to plump out the lantern.
- 5) Attach either end of the strip of paper to one end to form your handle.
- 6) If you have not already drawn cross and heart shapes, you can now cut these out and stick them to the lantern.
- 7) Optional: you could now decorate each end of your lantern with washi tape and place the lantern over a battery-operated tea light for added impact!