



**Padre Pio** was “a man who was unflinching in the fulfillment of his priestly ministry, in the practice of **virtue**, in doing good even in difficult and trying circumstances.”

## ***Living the Theological Virtues of Faith, Hope, and Love***

As a family, discuss the questions among themselves and then identify a situation as demonstrating the virtue of faith, hope, or charity.

- **Faith:** a gift of God that helps us to believe in him and live as he wants us to live. We express our faith in the words of the Apostles' Creed.
- **Charity:** a virtue given to us by God. Charity helps us love God above all things and our neighbor as ourselves.
- **Hope:** the trust that God will always be with us. We also trust that he will make us happy now and help us to live in a way that keeps us with him forever.

1. When we give food to the poor, we practice this virtue.
2. We desire the kingdom of heaven.
3. When we donate hats and gloves for children who are poor at Christmas, we practice this virtue.
4. We believe in God.
5. We exercise this virtue when we attend the parish Religious Education program.
6. This virtue keeps us from being discouraged during a difficult time.
7. When Jesus says, "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you," he is talking about what virtue?
8. This virtue is patient and kind.
9. We exercise this virtue when we read the Bible.
10. When we collect books for a school that doesn't have any, we are practicing this virtue.
11. The Apostle Paul said that of the three virtues, Faith, Hope and Charity, the most important virtue is what?
12. To exercise this virtue, you can pray.
13. We believe Jesus is God's Son.
14. When we work at a soup kitchen, we exercise what virtue?
15. This virtue keeps our spirits up when we have been rejected and feel left out.