

Evangelization @ Home

October 2021

During our Juniorhigh Youth Ministry session we broke into small groups and discussed if actions in various scenarios were virtuous or not. The parent guide can be found on Kitchen Table Faith, Side Dishes, For Teens.

Choosing what is good is considered virtuous. According to the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* "In order for an action to be good, the object, intention, and circumstances of the action must be good" (CCC 1750).

Take time together as a family to continue the discussion at home and take it up a level. What is the object, intention, and circumstance of each scenario below? What would Jesus do or want you to do in those situations?

Scenario 1

You choose not to sit next to one of your friends in class because you know they will be a distraction and you both won't pay attention.

Scenario 2

Someone at school is having a bad hair day, so you talk about it to all your friends and laugh at them without them knowing.

Scenario 3

You know you get distracted during Mass, so you ask your parents if you can sit closer to the back, so no one sees you.

Scenario 4

You know your parents are going out of town, so you plan ahead of time to get a ride for Mass on Sunday instead of skipping altogether.

Scenario 5

You often get bored at the dinner table with your family, but instead of trying to ask about their day or be present to them you decide beforehand that you are just going to ignore them and do something on your phone.

If you complete this task at home and return by October 20th signed by an adult below you can choose two items from our prize box and receive two entries for a gift card drawing held at our November 3rd meeting. If you return the signed document by November 3rd, you can choose an item from our prize box and receive one entry for a gift card drawing held on November 3rd. Youth must be present to win the gift card.

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