

# A Family Together

A Group Activity for  
the Family at Home  
or Your Class Family

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## Meet the Saints

Saints have loved God above all else. Their lives are models of prayer and sacrifice. Below are name tags with brief biographies of some of the Church's most beloved and well-known saints. Match the name tags containing biographies with the saint names at the right. You will notice that there are three more saint's names than there are biographies. In the blank name tags provided below, write an introduction for each of the remaining saints.

St. Peter  
St. Bernadette Soubirous  
St. Juan Diego  
St. Francis of Assisi  
St. Joseph  
St. Frances Xavier Cabrini  
St. Patrick  
St. Joan of Arc

HELLO  
MY NAME IS

I was a simple peasant and I saw a vision of Our Lady of Guadalupe on Tepayac Hill. It was a miracle when roses fell from my tilma and Our Lady's image was there. My feast day is December 9.

HELLO  
MY NAME IS

I came to America with six other nuns. We worked with immigrants and started schools, hospitals, and orphanages. I was the first U.S. citizen to be canonized. My feast day is November 13.

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As a youth, I was a slave in Ireland. I returned to Ireland as a bishop to teach the people about God. I used a shamrock to teach about the Blessed Trinity. My feast day is March 17.

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I grew up as a simple, poor girl in France. Our Lady of Lourdes appeared to me many times. I dug in the dirt, as the Lady told me to do, and found a natural spring not known about before. Now many people are cured in those waters and pray at the grotto.

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I loved God's creations. I am often shown with animals, and I began the custom of manger scenes at Christmas. I suffered the stigmata (the wounds of Jesus). I loved to sing and wrote "The Canticle of the Sun."

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