

# Virtue of the Month ~ December Home Project

**Virtue: Prudence ~ making good decisions**

Please complete one of the following activities with your family to practice the virtue of PRUDENCE this month.  
***Due on DECEMBER 15 to your teacher.***

Options (Circle your choice)

1. This month, before you make any important decisions 1) Stop and consider the consequences of your decision, 2) Think about the ten commandments, 3) Ask for advice from your parents, teacher or priest, 4) Pray for guidance from the Holy Spirit. Discuss the results.
2. "Sometimes, what is permitted is not necessarily wise." What examples of this can you find in your life or in the world? How can you make the wise choice? Why is it important? Discuss.
3. "You don't have to touch a hot stove to know it will burn." Sometimes, watching the consequences that others face as a result of their actions, can help us make good decisions. When have you experienced this at school or home? Discuss with your family.
4. Feelings are not always an indication of whether you've made a good or bad decision. Bad decisions often *feel* good initially. That's why it's tempting to make those choices. When have you experienced this at school or home? Discuss with your family.

**Below, share about what you did and how this project helped you to grow in this virtue.**

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Student Comments:

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