



# SAINT NICHOLAS FALL FAMILY PLAN

## OCT 2020

**KEY THEMES: COURAGE & PERSEVERANCE**

WE'RE OFF TO A **GREAT START!** Thank you all for participating in our September plan last month, and especially our Nailed It Bake-off. But that's the thing about "Starts," they are only as good as the steps that follow them. No matter how well you start something, you need to be better at **FINISHING** it. This month have a conversation with your family about not just planning goals (*what you discussed last month*), but about sticking to them even when they become difficult or inconvenient. Develop strategies as a family to keep you and your goals on track.

**BIBLE VERSE TO KNOW:** "Brothers and sisters, **NEVER TIRE** of doing what is good." - 2 Thessalonians 3:13

### LOVE/JOY (0-11 YRS)



**TRY & DO:** Set up an obstacle course with sidewalk chalk and other fun items and work to complete the course together as a family. *"Therefore, since we are surrounded by such a great cloud of witnesses...let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us,"* (Hebrews 12:1)

### GOYA (6-12TH GRADES)



**TRY & DO:** Dinner isn't finished until the plates are clean! For at least one week (all month?) clean the dishes after dinner each evening. Too often we are fine letting our parents cook and clean, while we just eat. Take this chance to help your parents **FINISH** the "dinner" race every evening!

### YOUNG ADULTS



**TRY & DO:** Challenge yourselves. Run or walk as many miles as possible this month. Keep track and post weekly results. *"Consider it pure joy...whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith produces perseverance."* (James 1:2-3)

**DATES TO SAVE: 10/23-25 GREEK FEST DRIVE THRU!!! | 10/26 (ST DEMETRIOS) | 10/28 (OXI DAY)**

## THIS MONTH'S FEATURED EVENT: "THE AMAZING RACE: PORT CITY"



**FRIDAY-SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9-11** Join us in a remote family activity inspired by the show "The Amazing Race." On Friday morning we will distribute/post a series of clues that families will have to solve. The clues will direct the families to prominent locations around Wilmington. The families will "race" to visit as many of them as possible over the weekend. All families who finish the race and post their photos using the hashtags below will receive special offers at the Greek Festival Drive Thru.

**RULES:** 48 Hours | Take "Selfies" at Locations w/Hashtags **#AmazingRacePortCity** & **#StNickWNC**