



Design a Mary Garden (ideas on Pinterest). Visit shrines near your vacation destination. Soak up the local liturgical flavor by attending Mass on vacation. (Times and locations: www.masstimes.org). Set up an old-fashioned lemonade stand to raise money for a favorite charity. Make craft bead rosaries or rosary bracelets. Let a different family member lead a decade of the rosary daily. Download rosary color sheets for younger kids to color as you pray: www.saintanneshelper.com. Invite older kids to use the parish app or Laudate app to follow along with the rosary. Enjoy the parish subscription to FORMED.org free (Parish code: 150485) and listen to audio books and radio dramas in the car. Use your FORMED account for Family Movie Night – the selection of family and/or kids videos is wonderful. Check out YDisciple on FORMED to open discussions with youth about things that are sometimes difficult to talk about. Enjoy Sacramental Saturdays once a month with Reconciliation at BSC (2-3:30 p.m.) followed by Mass and dinner out. Visit Jesus in adoration, anytime on Wednesdays after 10 a.m. Mass until Benediction at 6:15. Kneel on both knees as you enter, and stay for as little or as long as you want. St. Agnes and St. Joseph Crescent Springs also offer Eucharistic exposition. Enjoy a “staycation” right here in Covington with a tour of the Cathedral Basilica of the Assumption (one of only 35 minor basilicas in the U.S.) where kids can spy the gargoyles and chimeras and admire the beautiful stained glass. After your tour, enjoy one of the great restaurants downtown. Visit Cincinnati’s Saint Anthony Shrine and see the first class relic of Saint Anthony. Enjoy the beautiful grounds and share a picnic in Mount Airy forest, walk the trails, have fun on the playground, and check out the handicap-accessible treehouse! Tour Downtown Cincinnati: Start with Reconciliation at St. Xavier 11am-12pm or St. Peter in Chains 12pm -12:30pm and then head to Washington Park or Smale Park to play on the playgrounds or in the water fountains. Brainstorm more ideas of your own!