

# Year of Jubilee activities

## 2025 Canonisations

### Pier Giorgio Frassati

One of the people being canonised this year is Pier Giorgio Frassati.

In the bible, Jesus said 'I have come that you may have life and life to the full' (John 10:10). Pier Giorgio is a great example of someone who lived his life to the full, loving God and others. He spent time with friends climbing mountains, he was a good swimmer and athlete, and he enjoyed the movies. But he also spent time with God and worked hard to help the poor in his hometown of Turin. In all these things, he invited God to be with him.

As you do the activity below, you could ask Pier Giorgio to pray for you and invite God to be with you each day, not only when you pray or help others, but also when you do the things you love to do.



### OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

#### YOU WILL NEED:

- Choose an outdoor place to go for a walk - it could be the local park, a bush track or lap of your school or church depending on your circumstances.
- Print a "Pier Giorgio pray for me" for each child
- Felt pens or pencils of your choice
- Optional - if you are doing this as a family, you might like to make a day of it and take a packed lunch. If you are doing this with a class, perhaps you could line this up with lunchtime and eat in a different place from usual?

#### INSTRUCTIONS:

- Talk to the children about Pier Giorgio - his canonisation and a little about his life and interests so they have context for this activity.
- Give each child a card and invite them to decorate it by drawing ways they show their love for God and others, as well as things they love to do for fun.
- Prepare for the walk you have chosen by having the children pack the card in their pocket or bag, then set off on your walk.

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