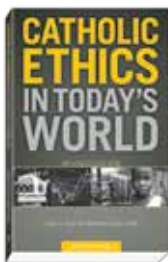


Reflecting on “Virtues”

Use the following prompts as an avenue for the discussion of some key points from the article. Invite the students to reflect silently on these questions before forming pairs to discuss their answers. Then, after allowing some time for conversation, encourage the pairs to share their thoughts with the larger group.

- 1** What is a virtue, and why are virtues important for the development of good moral character?
- 2** How does one go about developing virtues in oneself?
- 3** What is the difference between the “ethic of doing” and the “ethic of being”?
- 4** What are the moral (human/philosophical) virtues? What are the theological virtues?
- 5** How is the Christian moral life our response to God’s offer of love? What are the challenges to living a moral life?



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