

## How to Be Declared a Saint Board Game

This game is designed to review the process to declare an official Saint of the Catholic Church. Read the instructions first, then click on this link ([https://www.flippity.net/bg.php?k=1Luzr-4bqvy8\\_zF9gG9AetZ-KI-Q1G4XHLAggUrR7c8](https://www.flippity.net/bg.php?k=1Luzr-4bqvy8_zF9gG9AetZ-KI-Q1G4XHLAggUrR7c8)) to play the digital game online.

Unlike some games, when one person finishes the game, continue to play until everyone becomes a Saint!

1. Have each player choose a colored game piece.
2. Roll the die (click on the hand) to see who goes first.
3. When it is your turn, roll the die and move forward that many squares.
4. When you reach a red square, stop even if the number on the die would pass that square.
5. As you proceed through the game board, read each square by clicking on the circled -i-
6. When the first person completes the game and has become a Saint, continue playing until everyone has been declared a Saint.

### Please note:

- The Catholic Church does not believe this process makes someone a Saint. Rather, it is our earthly way of recognizing that this person is in heaven with God, hearing and assisting with our prayers.
- Exceptions to the official process (presented in this game):
  - Martyr—someone who has died voluntarily for the faith requires one miracle, not two.
  - Pope can decide to dispense with the second miracle (as Pope Francis did with Pope John XXIII)
  - Equivalent canonization—someone who is unofficially considered a Saint in some countries/cultures is officially declared one by the Pope, rather than through the official canonization process.