

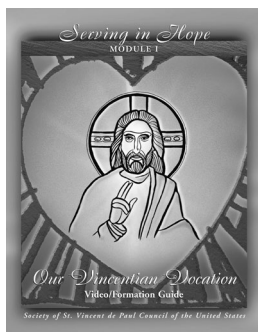
Serving in Hope

VIDEO AND FORMATION GUIDE SERIES

[Serving In Hope Bundle – English – Modules I thru VII – SVDP USA \(ssvpusa.org\)](http://ssvpusa.org)

To view or download the videos that accompany each module, follow the links below and use the password: “hope”.

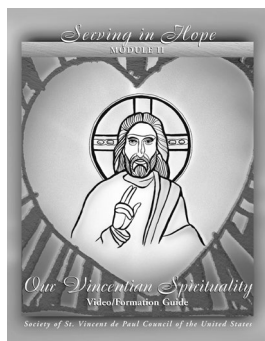
MODULE I: OUR VINCENTIAN VOCATION



- Session 1:** What is a Vocation?
- Session 2:** Vocation of the Laity
- Session 3:** The Vocation of Vincent and Frederic
- Session 4:** Essential Elements of the Society
- Session 5:** Core Values
- Session 6:** Mission

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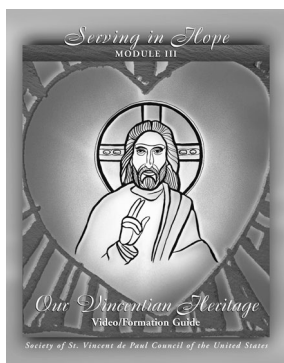
MODULE II: OUR VINCENTIAN SPIRITUALITY



- Session 1:** Vincentian Charism
- Session 2:** Jesus, Evangelizer and Servant
- Session 3:** Contemplatives in Action
- Session 4:** Journey together to Holiness
- Session 5:** Sacraments and Vincentian Feasts
- Session 6:** Mary in Vincentian Spirituality

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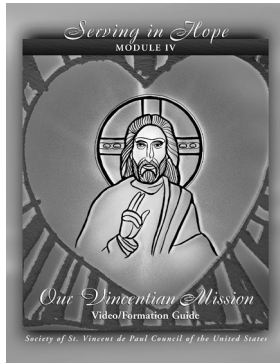
MODULE III: OUR VINCENTIAN HERITAGE



- Session 1:** Blessed Frederic Ozanam
- Session 2:** Society of St. Vincent de Paul
- Session 3:** The Rule
- Session 4:** Blessed Rosalie Rendu, DC
- Session 5:** The Vincentian Family
- Session 6:** Vision of Charity

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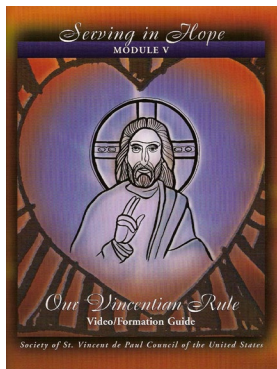
MODULE IV: OUR VINCENTIAN MISSION



- Session 1:** Justice and Charity
- Session 2:** Catholic Social Teaching
- Session 3:** Life and Dignity
- Session 4:** Family, Community and Rights
- Session 5:** The Poor and Work
- Session 6:** Solidarity and Creation

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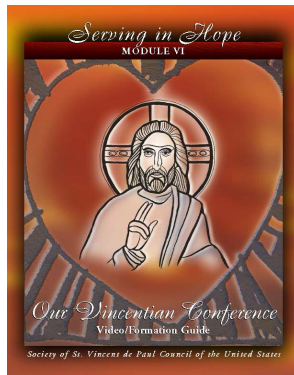
MODULE V: OUR VINCENTIAN RULE



- Session 1:** Defines our Vocation
- Session 2:** Captures our Spirituality
- Session 3:** Encourages our Community of Faith
- Session 4:** Creates our Relationships
- Session 5:** Demands our Work for Justice
- Session 6:** Guides through our Statutes

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MODULE VI: OUR VINCENTIAN CONFERENCE



- Session 1:** Our Spirituality
- Session 2:** Our Friendship
- Session 3:** Our Service
- Session 4:** Our Home Visits
- Session 5:** Our Parish
- Session 6:** Our Church

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MODULE VII: OUR VINCENTIAN HOME VISIT



- Session 1:** Loving with a Vincentian Heart
- Session 2:** Listening with a Vincentian Heart
- Session 3:** Advocating with a Vincentian Heart
- Session 4:** Discerning with a Vincentian Heart
- Session 5:** Praying with a Vincentian Heart

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SERVING IN HOPE

Serving in Hope is a spiritual formation program developed by the National Office, for the Conference and Council level. As Vincentians we are called to “*Serve in Hope*” because we are called to bring the love of God to those who are poor and suffering, and therefore we must become rooted in the spirituality that is the heart and soul of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Serving in Hope is not just about information and facts. Formation is designed to move us from our heads into our hearts. Just as we hear the readings from Scripture at Mass every Sunday, letting the words of Jesus sink deeper into our hearts, we find that as the years go by we understand more clearly the meaning of our call to be Christians. In the same way, as we may be hearing many facts about the Society that we already know, each time they will be going deeper into our hearts.

Serving in Hope, is a program designed for every current member of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul as we are called to renew our own hearts as we renew the Society, and it also designed as an introduction for new members. As part of an on-going formation, Conference members can repeat the Modules as new members join.

Serving in Hope can be used at a Conference Meeting a session at a time, with each session lasting about twenty-five minutes. Or the entire Module of five or six sessions can be used as a day of retreat, which will take about four hours to complete. Participation and sharing in the program will deepen our understanding of what it means to live and act as a Vincentian in the spirit of St. Vincent de Paul and Blessed Frederic Ozanam.

Serving in Hope consist of a Video, a Formation Guide program and a Certificate. The Video provides an introduction to the Module and a short (4-5 min) presentation to each Session. The Formation Guides provides prayers, readings and a dialogue question for sharing. The Videos and the Formation Guides can be [ordered online](#) or contact the Council Office for materials. It is recommended that each member have their own copy. Upon completion, a Certificate can be given to each participant to celebrate and honor the spiritual formation of members.

