



Prayer for Persons with Disabilities

God our Father, who created all people in your image:
give persons with physical, cognitive, or emotional
disabilities opportunities to do all that they are able to,
and strengthen them to overcome challenges.

Jesus, who showed great compassion for those who suffer:
comfort all who feel like their gifts are not used or that their value is not understood,
so that they might take courage in your affection.

Holy Spirit, who fills believers with all good gifts:
help me to reach out to persons with disabilities through friendship, care, and working
to be sure that our church includes them in everything that we do
and to break down barriers to inclusion in society.

We ask this in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit,
Amen.

Types of Disabilities (IDEA)

- autism
- deaf-blindness
- deafness
- emotional disturbance
- hearing impairment
- intellectual disability
- multiple disabilities
- orthopedic impairment
- other health impairment
- specific learning disability
- speech or language impairment
- traumatic brain injury or
- visual impairment (including blindness)

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