



National Apostolate for
Inclusion Ministry

Promoting the Full Participation of People with Intellectual/ Developmental Disabilities (IDD) in the Life of the Catholic Church

Prayers of the Faithful: Remembering People with IDD

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For all people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities (whom we remember in March) that they may not be marginalized, but respected and lovingly included in Church and society, let us pray to the Lord.

For all people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental differences (whom we remember in March) that they and their families may receive the grace, courage and resources needed to live the Christian life, let us pray to the Lord.

For a greater awareness in the Church in welcoming, supporting and fully including people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities and their families in the life of the Church, let us pray to the Lord.

For our diocesan and parish leaders that they will not forget their brothers and sisters with intellectual, cognitive and developmental differences in carrying out and expanding their ministries, let us pray to the Lord.

For local and national legislators that their decisions impacting people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities will be made with prudence, justice and compassion, let us pray to the Lord.

For the men and women in public ministry, state and local governmental agencies and other organizations working with people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities that state and local government funding will provide them with a living wage, we pray to the Lord.

For our parish, that it may be a community where people with Intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities are welcomed for their gifts and presence, let us pray to the Lord.

For a greater awareness and appreciation of the talents and interpersonal gifts of our brothers and sisters with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities which by the honor of their Baptism they are called to share with the entire Church, let us pray to the Lord.

For people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities who are suffering from illness, disease, chronic pain, depression and loneliness (especially for...), let us pray to the Lord.

For those loved by people with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities that are seriously ill or near death (especially for...), let us pray to the Lord.

For all the deceased parents, siblings and friends of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (especially for...), let us pray to the Lord.

For those who mourn for their deceased daughter or son, sibling or friend with intellectual, cognitive and developmental disabilities (especially for...), let us pray to the Lord.

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