



The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Washington

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Office of the Archbishop

Dear Friends,

"If you believe in me...I'll believe in me." Once again it is my great joy to welcome you to an evening of festivities to celebrate how precious each of us are, each of us a masterpiece of God's creation.

I continue to be grateful beyond words for the Catholic Coalition for Special Education (CCSE) and your good works on behalf of our younger sisters and brothers with developmental and physical disabilities, helping them to more fully realize their potential as engaged members of all aspects of community life. Thank you as well to your benefactors for believing in them through your caring generosity that makes possible the grants, training, and resources offered by CCSE to create or expand inclusive Catholic education programs.

This year, we also lift up for special esteem that loving pastor who is known affectionately as Father John, who supported CCSE in its creation and is marking his 50th anniversary as a priest. Throughout his ministry of devoted service in parishes and the community at large, Monsignor Enzler has been a blessing to every person he has touched. He now takes on new missions, new roles, but one calling remains the same: to spread the joy.

As Father John spreads the joy in new ways, we also will continue to spread the joy of loving each person in their wonderful diversity and condition in life. Again, my heart is filled with gratitude to each of you for helping to spread the joy of inclusive education through your support of CCSE and all else you do to help better realize a culture of inclusion throughout all of society. May the grace and joy of the Lord be with you and your families always.

With my prayers and every good wish from my heart, I am

Gratefully yours in Christ,

✠ Wilton Cardinal Gregory,
Archbishop of Washington

18th Spring Benefit
Catholic Coalition for Special Education