

# Archdiocese of Washington Department of Special Needs Ministries Catechetical Resource List



- **Certificate in Special Needs Ministry:** Training Resource from the University of Dayton  
[https://vlcff.udayton.edu/certificates/special\\_needs.php](https://vlcff.udayton.edu/certificates/special_needs.php)
- **Signs of God; Lectionary for Deaf People-** Cycle A,B & C- by Peter McDonough.  
ISBN 085231220-2
- **The Mass at a Glance (Large Print or Braille)**  
Xavier Society for the Blind (NY,NY) Copies available the DSN
- **Liturgical Interpreter Training Resource (Third Edition of the Roman Missal)**  
<http://site.adw.org/new-roman-missal-sign-language-interpreter-training>
- **A Mass Resource: Persons Recognized, Accepted, Included in Spirit-filled Worship**  
Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Newark, Pastoral Ministries with Disabilities  
[masteran@rcan.org](mailto:masteran@rcan.org) 973 497 4309
- **Affirming Life Initiative; Prenatal & Postnatal Pastoral Resource Guide**  
<http://adw.org/affirming-life/>  
Department of Special Needs Ministries, Archdiocese of Washington 301 853 4560
- **Sacramental Resource Guide for Persons with Special Needs**  
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<http://adw.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/02/Special-Needs-Guidelines-ADW.pdf>
- **The Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy Program to Improve Catholic Religious Education for Children and Adults with Intellectual Disabilities**  
RCL Benziger 1-877-275-4725.
- **NCOD (National Catholic Office for the Deaf) Sacramental Prep Resources**
  - My First Eucharist
  - Sacrament of Reconciliation
  - Sacrament of Confirmation
  - [www.ncod.org](http://www.ncod.org)
- **Sacraments: Gifts for All**  
Order from University of Dayton at [http://ipi.udayton.edu/ric\\_books.html](http://ipi.udayton.edu/ric_books.html)
  - Eucharist
  - Reconciliation
  - Confirmation

- **Catechesis of the Good Shepherd** - The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a sensory rich experience for children from the ages of 3-12 years that gives them the opportunity to grow in love and knowledge of God through the Christian Tradition
  - [www.cgsusa.org](http://www.cgsusa.org)
- **Loyola Press Adaptive Finding God Curriculum and Sacramental Prep Kits for Children with Autism and Other Special Needs**

<http://www.loyolapress.com/faith-formation-special-needs.htm>

- **Awakening Spiritual Dimensions; Prayer Services with Persons with Severe Disabilities**- Fr. Bill Gillum OFM Cap  
ISBN : 1-4259-2401-8
- **Diocese of Rockville Center Office of Faith Formation Ministry with Persons with Special Needs**
  - Holy Eucharist
  - Confirmation
  - Reconciliation
  - Including Children with Special Needs in Faith Formation
    - <http://www.drvc-faith.org/specialNeeds.html>
- **A Child with Autism Learns the Faith (Kathy Labosh)**
  - <http://store.fhautism.com/p-708-the-child-with-autism-learns-the-faith-15-ready-to-use-easy-to-understand-scripture-lesso.aspx>
- **Catholic Celiac Society**
  - <http://www.catholicceliacs.org/>
- National Catholic Partnership on Disabilities: [www.ncpd.org](http://www.ncpd.org)
- \*National Catholic Office for the Deaf: [www.ncod.org](http://www.ncod.org)
- \*International Catholic Foundation for the Service of Deaf Persons: [www.deafservice.org](http://www.deafservice.org)

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