

# God Chose YOU from the Beginning

## Creation and Identity

Write letters, notes, or texts to family and friends. Affirm them by listing the unique gifts God has given each individual and what a blessing they are in your life.

Remember, you are valuable because God handmade you and Jesus redeemed you. Remind others of this truth, too!

Participate in a Bible study on the creation account. Notice how the order of creation not only provides for every need of humankind, but also affirms humans are the pinnacle of God's creation.

"Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations."  
Jeremiah 1:5

"Then the LORD God formed the man of dust from the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living creature."  
Genesis 2:7

Celebrate the birthdays of classmates and friends.

Host a celebration of life for your classmates and friends at lunch or after school.

Recognize your own strengths through a personality and strengths test. Give thanks for the unique strengths God has blessed you with and think about how you might use those strengths to serve others.

Seek Christian counsel from others; ask them to help you discover the gifts and talents you have.

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## Developmental and Intellectual Disabilities

**Volunteer to tutor a classmate who is struggling academically.**

**Make participation in service activities and celebratory events possible for those with disabilities.**

**Plan a special outing for someone with an intellectual or developmental disability. Choose an event your friend would especially enjoy or provide a new experience like painting, attending a baseball game, or going to an art museum.**

**Plan and carry out a prom for those with disabilities.**

**"For you formed my inward parts; you knitted me together in my mother's womb.  
I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.  
Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.  
My frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately woven in the depths of the earth.  
Your eyes saw my unformed substance; in your book were written, every one of them, the days that were formed for me, when as yet there were none of them."  
Psalm 139:15-16**

**Ask those with disabilities how to make your church, school, or gathering more friendly and accessible.**

**Help organize or volunteer at a Special Olympics event.**

**Ask an individual with a disability to speak on his/her own disability, or ask a speaker from LFL to present on how to uphold the lives of those with disabilities.**

**Offer to help an individual or family facing a newly diagnosed disability. Provide meals, babysit, or check in regularly to provide spiritual care, friendship, and prayer.**

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## Surprise Pregnancy and the Unborn

Celebrate and pray for women who are pregnant.

Sponsor a "dresser drive". Fill a refinished dresser with new or gently used items as a gift to a single mother.

Use LFL's Life Sunday materials to plan a Life Chapel or Life Sunday service.

Create support opportunities for students who are pregnant on campus. Speak well of the choice they're making for life.

"For you are a people holy to the Lord your God. Out of all the peoples on the face of the earth, the Lord has chosen you to be his treasured possession." Deut. 14:2

Sponsor a billboard campaign supporting the unborn.

Create a collection for a pregnancy care center: carry out a baby bottle campaign, diaper drive, or a layette collection.

Pray, hand out LFL materials, or serve as a sidewalk counselor in front of an abortion clinic.

Send cards of support and encouragement to those who have received news of a negative prenatal diagnosis.

Participate in or host a march for life in your community or attend the March for Life in Washington, D.C., with Y4Life and LFL!



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