



## Please Join Us in Prayer for Joshua



Joshua's passion is art and anything having to do with superheroes. The 7-year-old keeps busy and engaged through his art and craft projects and enjoys hanging his artwork in his bedroom and seeing it displayed throughout the home.

Charismatic and sweet, Joshua has an outgoing personality and a smile that lights up a room, despite the trauma he has endured. With structure, compassion, and patience, he will make a wonderful addition to a loving family. Joshua needs a family that will love him unconditionally and support his self-esteem.

He would do best in a home with older male children or in which he is the only child. He would prefer a clean home with a consistent schedule and age-appropriate activities.

Joshua would thrive in a two-parent home in which he can receive one-on-one attention. He needs a family willing to participate in family therapy and capable of providing assurances of care, concern, and safety. We pray that this sweet little boy finds a forever family to provide the patience, love, and structure he needs to heal and grow into a life of happiness and wholeness.

Almighty God, you gave your only Son into the care of a human family:

Please open the hearts of your people to all children in foster care, especially **Joshua**; send parents to love them, communities to guide them, and your Holy Spirit to nurture them into the people you want them to be.

This we ask through your Son,  
Jesus Christ. Amen.

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# Fostering in Faith

Each of us has a story. It's our own, yet it is richly interwoven with relationships and connections. Those connections can turn our personal stories into a larger, shared story. We create our story by giving voice to our shared human experience - by praying in solidarity for our brothers and sisters, by connecting our empathy to action, and by sharing our resources, our gifts, and ourselves with each other.

## Pray ...

This loving ministry provides a way for congregations, faith communities, and individuals to pray for children in need of adoptive families. We know that most congregations have within their fellowship persons to whom God has given a spirit for intercessory prayer.

**You may be one of those special people.**

## Connect ...

By reaching out to local congregations and church leaders, Saint Francis hopes to build relationships. By connecting, we can collaborate in creative ministries, address local needs, and share insights and experience. **Together, let's begin "our" story.**

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