



**2019 ANNUAL APPEAL**

Walk in Faith.  
Give in Joy.

## CATHOLIC CHARITIES INVITES YOU TO HELP CREATE A CAMP WITHOUT LIMITS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES TO EXPERIENCE GOD IN NATURE.

**All funds raised this weekend will be used to improve the experience  
of campers with disabilities at Camp Christopher.**

Imagine a camp where all are welcome. Camp Christopher offers a unique opportunity for campers with disabilities to enjoy the same camp experiences as other campers their age. Here they have the ability to play, craft, swim, canoe, and make friendships alongside their peers.

*Your Gift Will be Invested to Enhance the Camp Experience for Persons with Disabilities*

- Camper Scholarships for Children and Adults with Special Needs
- Facility Improvements
- Cabin Renovations for ADA Compliance
- Program and Activities for Disability Services



### **NATE'S STORY:**

For Nate, Camp Christopher's Respite weekends are the highlight of his month. As a nonverbal adult with special needs, Nate's parents were hesitant to send him away for an entire weekend at first. But three years later, Camp Christopher has become a second home to Nate. "The staff treats Nate like a real person, not a disability," says Jeannine, Nate's mom. "With Camp Christopher we felt we finally found Nate's world and everything that he needs, especially friends and wonderful staff that are more like family."

**DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT AND DO TWICE AS MUCH GOOD!**  
***\$100,000 MATCHING CHALLENGE GRANT***

Any **NEW, INCREASED** or **ADDITIONAL GIFT** to Catholic Charities returned in the envelopes available at all Masses or donated online at [www.CatholicCommunity.org/Camp](http://www.CatholicCommunity.org/Camp) will be **MATCHED, up to \$100,000.**

*"I can't think of a better place than Camp Christopher for respite care. It took us 24 years to find such a place and I pray to God it lasts forever."* -Jeannine, Nate's mom

**THANK YOU** for showing your kindness and mercy. Your gift will help persons with disabilities, like Nate, find God in nature and flourish at a camp without limits.

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