

**ITALIAN CATHOLIC  
FEDERATION**

**“REACHING OUT”**

*FOSTERING GREATER  
INCLUSION OF PERSONS  
WITH DISABILITIES  
IN OUR COMMUNITIES*



**GIFTS OF LOVE FOR  
“SPECIAL PEOPLE”**

(Rev. June 2014)

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR  
SUCCESS**

The purpose of this fund is to provide grants **(non-tuition based)** that may advance “individuals with a disability” towards greater independence.

**DESCRIPTION OF  
ELIGIBILITY**

Funds may be allocated to the following: individual applicants, non-profit agencies and educationally-focused institutions.

Grant range will be determined by the Gifts of Love Committee.

**DEFINITION OF  
DISABILITY**

For the purposes of this fund, “individuals with a disability” are those individuals who are intellectually challenged, have a hearing, speech, language or visual impairment, orthopedic impairment, emotional disturbance, autism, traumatic brain injury, specific learning disability, other health impairments or multiple disabilities. “Individuals with a disability” because of their needs, require special or specific aids or “tools” in order to complete their education, training or the pursuit of a fuller life.

**ITALIAN CATHOLIC  
FEDERATION**

**FOR INFORMATION  
CONTACT:**

**ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION  
8393 CAPWELL DRIVE, SUITE 110  
OAKLAND, CA 94621  
(510) 633-9058  
1-888-423-1924**

