



2019 Respect Life Poster Contest Religious Education Students



St. Dominic Savio



St. Josephine Bakhita



St. Juan Diego



St. Kateri Tekakwitha



Ven. Pierre Toussaint

Celebrate the Diversity and Gifts of the Human Family!

Loving Father,

*Thank you for the many beautiful
colors and languages of the world
and for making all your children
unique.*

*Thank you for creating me in
your image. Thank you for loving
me and making me wonderful.
Help me to love like you.*

*Help me to share your love with
all children you have made, for
they are unique and wonderful.
Amen.*

Poster Contest Rules (grades 1-8)

“Drawings” should be in bright colors using 8 ½” x 11” white poster board. All drawings must pertain to the Respect Life theme, may contain some words and should be freehand. Do not use magazine pictures or computer-generated drawings

Draw a picture

**Jesus said, “Love one another
just as I have loved you.”**

**Even though we look very
different from each other, Jesus
loves us all the same.**

**He wants all of us to love each
other no matter the color of our
skin or the language we speak.**

**You do not have to look a
certain way to be holy like the
saints.**

**How can we do as Jesus has
asked us and love others who
look different from us?**

**How can we celebrate our
differences?**

Resources:

www.usccb.org/issues-and-action/human-life-and-dignity/racism/index.cfm

Judging:

• This Contest is for Schools and Religious Education Programs. Please select a 1st place poster for each grade and submit posters to Diocese for judging. **(Please send only one poster per grade).**

• On the diocesan level, 2 winners will be selected for each grade. Winning posters will be published in a Respect Life Calendar and winners will be invited to an Awards Mass/Luncheon at the St. John Neumann Pastoral Center in Piscataway. All first place winners will receive \$50.00 prize. Parents/guardians of contest winners will be contacted either by email, mail, or phone. Drawings will be judged based on grade level, creativity, clarity of message and visual appeal.

Drawings are due to the Religious Education Office no later than _____.

(All Posters are due at the Diocese no later than Friday, February 15, 2019).

Please attach the coupon below to the back of your poster.

Grade _____ Religious Education Program _____ Town: _____

Parish/Town: _____

Student's Name _____ Special Needs? _____

Parent's Email _____ & Phone # _____

Student's Full Address _____