Springs of Love

CATHOLIC FOSTER & ADOPTION MINISTRY

Every Child Deserves To Be Welcomed.

Every Welcoming Family Needs Our Support.

Join a Growing Movement of Parishes Bringing Hope to Children and Families

More than 300,000 children are in foster care. Each year, over 15,000 youth age out without a permanent family.

Source: U.S. Children's Bureau, AFCARS, FY 2024.

Our Mission

Springs of Love forms and equips a growing movement of Catholics to foster, adopt, and support families while ensuring that no one touched by fostering or adoption walks alone.

I wholeheartedly support Springs of Love's mission to inspire and equip Catholics to answer God's call to care for His most vulnerable children.

— Archbishop Emeritus Joseph F. Naumann

Everyone Can Do Something!

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Through Springs of Love, you can:

- **Discern** your call to foster, adopt, or support families
- **Watch** our video series on FORMED and EWTN
- **Find community** through a *Building Belonging* small group
- **Support families** through a Care Team
- **Help your parish** join the Springs of Love network

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Find Your Place with Springs of Love

Springs of Love equips parishes to:

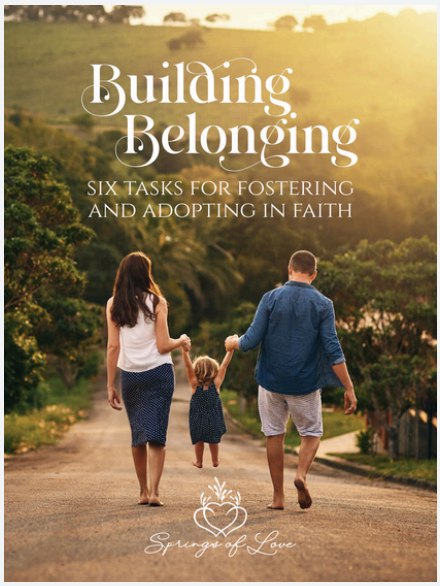
1. **Welcome Children**
by helping Catholics understand foster care, adoption, and kinship care.

2. **Support Families**
through Care Teams, prayer, meals, encouragement, and practical help.

3. **Build Community**
through small groups and gatherings for foster, adoptive, and kinship families and those discerning foster care or adoption.

Ways You Can Get Involved:

SUPPORT FAMILIES	Pray, bring a meal, offer practical help, or serve on a Care Team
FIND COMMUNITY	Connect with foster, adoptive, kinship families and others discerning their call.
DISCERN YOUR CALL	Learn about fostering and adoption and explore next steps



Building Belonging

Building Belonging is a uniquely Catholic small-group series for foster, adoptive, & kinship families, and those discerning their call.

Through prayerful videos, a companion workbook, and small-group discussion, participants explore the journey of foster care and adoption through the lens of faith and gain practical tools to accompany children with the hope and love of Christ.

LEARN MORE
Visit springsoflove.org/buildingbelonging