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The Gift of All God's Children

We pray for all of the students that we teach, for they are the ones who teach us. Help us to remember that we are stronger for the gifts that our students bring to us.

The gift of when a lesson doesn't work, for it calls us to use the creativity with which You have blessed us.

The gift of challenging our patience, for it reminds us that we are always dependent on You.

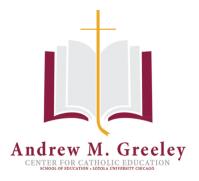
The gift of when the "light bulb" goes off for a struggling student, for it reminds us of the joy of learning with which You have blessed us.

Good and Gracious God, help us not to label those we teach, for they are all Your children.

Help us to be open to new revelations and the work of the Holy Spirit in each of our lives.

Lord, use those we teach to teach us. Allow us to recognize each of the gifts, hidden in our students, that you have given to us.

AMEN



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