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Dear Friends,

Thank you for lifting up the youth at Indiana United Methodist Children's Home in prayer. The Bible tells us about the power of prayer. Philippians 4:6 says "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God; and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

For privacy reasons, we have changed the names in each prayer...but God knows exactly who they are and what they need!

Dear Lord: We pray for our new students in the Independent Living Learning Lab. We lift up Seth, Derik, James, Lauren, William, Ty and Becca as they begin a new journey toward happiness and independence. We also pray for their new instructor, Miss Kristina. Lord, give these students the strength to move forward on the path that You have laid out for them. Please help renew their mind, body and soul. In You, all things are possible. *Amen*

Almighty God: We pray for Your healing hands. Sonia has been in and out of the hospital with severe pain. We ask that You bring healing comfort to her body. Calm her fears as she worries about the outcome. Let her experience Your healing power. We ask that You restore her health and well-being. We believe nothing is impossible in Your hands of power, in Your hands of healing and in Your heart of love, mercy and compassion. In Jesus' precious name, *Amen*

Lord: We celebrate with Josh today! He will begin a new internship next week which will help define his career path. Please protect Josh as he discovers new skills and talents.

Thank you, God, for placing caring people in Josh's life who have inspired him and have given him wise guidance. For we know that You are showing Josh that You have plans for his new life and all things are possible through You, Lord. *Amen*

Dear God: We celebrate with Casey as he just passed his TASC test. With the help of his wonderful teacher, Mrs. Landon, Casey was able to achieve his dream of getting a high school equivalency diploma. He is now on a journey to find a job in a local warehouse that pays well. Thank you, God, for pairing Casey with Mrs. Landon on this educational journey. Please watch over Casey as he begins a life of independence. In Your name we pray, *Amen*

Dear God: We pray for our former resident Serena on her post-secondary adventures. She is one of our scholarship recipients and we are so proud to support her on this journey. God, give her the strength and perseverance to have a successful semester. She is one step closer to studying abroad which is her dream. In Your name we pray, *Amen*.

Dear Lord: August 5th was the first day at James E. Davis School for our youth on campus. We pray that our youth feel refreshed from a wonderful summer and are inspired to be successful this semester. Please give our teachers guidance as they help and inspire students who aren't thriving and celebrate those who are on their path to a diploma. Bless them, Lord, and may they see a glimpse of how their faithfulness will forever impact generations to come. *Amen*