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Heart of Mercy Women's Board



Heart of Mercy Ball

Hearts + Home United!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2022



Mission Statement

To promote and support the work of Misericordia Home through the Misericordia Foundation by means of fundraising and volunteering.

> CHAIRMAN, MISERICORDIA FOUNDATION SISTER ROSEMARY CONNELLY, RSM

Executive Director, Misericordia Foundation Lois Gates

President/Executive Director, Misericordia Home Father Jack Clair

Founded in 1921

Mrs. Frances McCormick McGuire, First President

DEDICATED

George Cardinal Mundelein February 2, 1921

Misericordia Home

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The mission of Misericordia is to provide a continuum of care and support for children and adults of all faiths and cultures who have intellectual and developmental disabilities. We provide the highest quality of care designed to meet each person's changing needs and maximize independence, self-determination, interpersonal relationships, and engagement in the community.

The mission extends beyond the residents as we offer peace of mind to families. Through Catholic values and traditions, we strive to be a diverse and inclusive community of acceptance, respect, dignity, spirituality, and quality of life for us all.

The mission of the Misericordia Foundation is to support the mission of Misericordia Home – to provide a continuum of care and support for children and adults of all faiths and cultures who have intellectual and developmental disabilities.

We value diversity and inclusion. We embrace the diversity of the human family, respecting our differences as gifts, knowing that we can learn from one another. We provide an inclusive environment that embraces and supports one another and our shared humanity. This enriches the lives of all and makes our world a better, more just and equitable place.

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SISTER ROSEMARY CONNELLY, RSM Chairman. Misericordia Foundation

LOIS GATES Executive Director, Misericordia Foundation





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Dear Friends:

On behalf of the Misericordia Executive Team and the Misericordia Women's Board, we are thrilled to welcome you to the 2022 Misericordia Heart of Mercy Ball. This evening is certainly a long time coming!

We are deeply grateful to every member of our Women's Board, past and present. We sincerely thank Women's Board President, Sharon Taylor for her devotion to our mission and her remarkable leadership in guiding the Women's Board these past two years. To our Co-Chairs, Julie Carpenter and Ann O'Hara, we are blessed with their vision for this beautiful evening that reflects the spirit of Misericordia in every detail. Finally, thank you to the dedicated and creative committee members, whose handiwork is evident throughout this affair.

Each year the ladies of the Women's Board work tirelessly to help Misericordia reduce its annual deficit of \$25 million and help to fund our future expansion plans. Their success in raising the private dollar supports Misericordia in becoming a reality for the many families who want a Misericordia and need a Misericordia for their most vulnerable family member.

Tonight, we honor some very special members of our Misericordia Family. The Heart of Mercy Award is being presented to our good friend Ed McGowan. As the former President and co-founder of Edon Construction, Ed has been a friend and supporter of Misericordia's expansion efforts for more than 25 years. His remarkable generosity and resources have truly made a difference in the lives of our residents. We remember tonight in loving memory, Ed's dear wife, Jacqueline, and his son, Jim. The Sister Rosemary Connelly Medallion is presented this evening to Marcy O'Keeffe Twardak, an amazing Misericordia ambassador for more than 20 years who has introduced countless people to Misericordia through her network at Corboy & Demetrio by enlisting colleagues, family and friends to the mission of Misericordia. The Pillars of the Community is presented this evening to our longtime loyal friends - Dorothy & Ed Wehmer and Wintrust Financial Corporation. For more than three decades, Dorothy & Ed and Wintrust have been passionate supporters of numerous Misericordia events. Their generosity and friendship are deeply valued.

We are blessed to have a community of believers who stand with us during challenging times, celebrate our good fortune and share in our mission.

Thank you for supporting our Misericordia Women's Board. In being here tonight you join us in accepting the privilege of sharing in the Divine Mystery of Misericordia's past, present and future.

Blessings of good health and hope for the future.

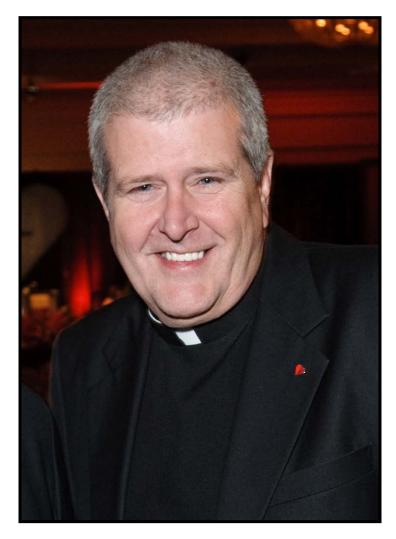
Sister Rosemary Connelly Chairman, Misericordia Foundation

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Lois Gates Executive Director, Misericordia Foundation

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FATHER JACK CLAIR President/Executive Director, Misericordia Home Dear 2022 Heart of Mercy Ball Attendees,

I am so grateful to welcome you all to this beautiful Gala here at the Hilton. We are delighted to be back out in one of our favorite venues. Since we were last together, Misericordia has formed a Foundation to support the mission of Misericordia Home. We pay tribute to Sister Rosemary and Lois who head up the work of that Foundation. Tonight's event goes a long way in supporting the work of the Foundation and thus Misericordia.

We come together this evening to celebrate Misericordia, but more importantly to thank the Women's Board and to honor four very special friends of the Home. It is my honor to congratulate Ed McGowan, Marcy Twardak, and Dorothy and Ed Wehmer. These are four wonderful friends of Misericordia and we are so grateful to them for accepting this honor tonight. I have known Ed and the Wehmers since coming to Misericordia 22 years ago. I have known Marcy since the late 70s when she began dating one of my college dorm mates. How blessed we are by the support of these four wonderful people. It is great to honor them for their generosity.

Tonight, we also give thanks to God who has been our most faithful supporter. Throughout the pandemic, we relied on His help to keep our residents and staff safe. It has been a long and challenging road, but with God's help we have made it. How very blessed we have been. Without the support of evenings like tonight, we could not have done it. Your financial support got us through the dark days of the pandemic as supplies and bonuses were needed to keep the operation Going Strong! Thank you, Thank you. We are forever grateful for your support.

God's Blessings,

Fr. Jack Člair President/Executive Director

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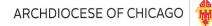
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CARDINAL BLASE J. CUPICH, Archbishop of Chicago

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Dear Friends,

Greetings as you gather for Misericordia's Heart of Mercy Ball hosted by the Women's Board of Misericordia.

Misericordia began a new chapter in its remarkable history with the establishment of the Misericordia Foundation with Sister Rosemary Connelly, RSM, as Chairman, Lois Gates as Executive Director, and Father Jack Clair becoming the President and Executive Director of Misericordia Home. Their transition to these new roles bodes well for the future of Misericordia's mission and stewardship. Sister Rosemary's visionary leadership, and the extraordinary expertise of Lois Gates with over five decades of service and Father Jack Clair with over two decades of ministry and service at Misericordia, positions this core ministry of the archdiocese in good stead for the future.

Misericordia is also well known for the steadfast dedication of its many volunteers and benefactors. Together with the Women's Board, I thank and congratulate the 2022 honorees: Edward McGowan, recipient of the Heart of Mercy Award; Marcy O'Keeffe Twardak, recipient of the Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion; and Edward and Dorothy Wehmer, recipients of the Pillars of the Community Award. We are profoundly grateful to these distinguished honorees for their leadership, service and generosity.

Special thanks as well to the Misericordia Women's Board, its President, Sharon Taylor, and the 2022 Ball Chairs, Julie Carpenter and Ann O'Hara, for their diligent efforts in planning and hosting the ball. Thanks to all of you for your presence here this evening as those who support and celebrate Misericordia's mission to provide a full continuum of loving care for the children and adults who call Misericordia home and its advocacy and witness in our society on behalf of people with developmental and intellectual disabilities. May God bless the residents and their families, the dedicated staff and volunteers, and all of you. With gratitude and good wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Archbishop of Chicago

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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR CITY OF CHICAGO

LORI E. LIGHTFOOT MAYOR

October 15, 2022

Dear Friends:

On behalf of the City of Chicago, I am honored to welcome all those gathered for Misericordia's 2022 Heart of Mercy Ball.

Since its founding in 1921, Misericordia has provided comprehensive support and services to developmentally disabled children and adults. Misericordia offers their residents a number of residential options on its 31-acre campus and surrounding community and a wide array of innovative social, professional, and recreational opportunities that help children and adults from all backgrounds achieve independence and reach their greatest potential in a safe and inspiring environment.

This year's Ball, themed "Hearts + Home United!" presents the opportunity to come together to celebrate the accomplishments of the past year and recognize the dedication of all participants, staff, and friends of Misericordia while also looking ahead to the future. I am proud to congratulate Ed and Dorothy Wehmer, this year's *Pillars of the Community* recipients; Marcy Twardak, this year's *Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion* recipient; and Ed McGowan, this year's *Heart of Mercy Award* recipient for their ongoing efforts and philanthropy. I commend Misericordia for an indelible legacy of uplift that has empowered generations and will continue to enrich many more.

I hope your event is memorable and enjoyable. Best wishes for continued success.

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Dear Friends of Misericordia,

On behalf of the Misericordia Women's Board, it is my pleasure to thank you for joining us to celebrate Misericordia. After two years of virtual Balls, it is wonderful to, once again, be here tonight in person.

We are especially grateful to our 2022 Honorees: Edward McGowan, Marcy O'Keeffe Twardak, and Ed and Dorothy Wehmer of Wintrust Financial Corporation. Our Honorees have a long history of dedication and commitment to the mission of Misericordia. We thank them for their positive impact on the lives of so many residents.

Tonight we toast the Misericordia Foundation's new Chairman, Sister Rosemary Connelly, and its Executive Director, Lois Gates, as well as Misericordia's new President and Executive Director, Father Jack Clair.

This special evening could not have taken place without the commitment of our Women's Board, and in particular, our Ball Chairs, Julie Carpenter and Ann O'Hara. Their hard work and creativity have made this a beautiful and inspirational evening. Thank you both.

It has been my honor to serve on the Women's Board and be part of the Misericordia Family. Your presence at the Ball and your support make you part of the Misericordia family too. It is our hope that you will share Misericordia's mission with your family, friends and business associates. Together we can help Misericordia continue to serve and grow in its second century.

Have a wonderful evening!



Sharon Taylor

Sharon D. Taylor President Misericordia Women's Board





Greetings from your Heart of Mercy Ball Chairs,

The Misericordia Women's Board is excited to welcome back guests to the Hilton Chicago for its first live Heart of Mercy Ball since our last in-person gala in 2019. Hearts + Home United! brings us together to celebrate both people and place, as we recognize our distinguished honorees and highlight Misericordia's beautiful homes that provide a loving environment, quality of life and a continuum of care for more than 600 residents.

It is an important and pivotal time for Misericordia as it looks to its second century. Plans are underway for a new residential development, Sister Rosemary Park, and the recent creation of Misericordia Foundation will exclusively help sustain the future of Misericordia Home. The 2022 Heart of Mercy Ball celebrates these significant developments, while raising funds for Misericordia Foundation in support of Sister Rosemary Park and the vital staffing needs that go beyond the bricks and mortar to help make loving, safe, and comfortable homes for Misericordia residents.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our committees and especially thank our Board President, Sharon Taylor, for her kindness, wisdom, and countless hours shared, helping to guide us toward this lovely evening. The Women's Board is forever appreciative of Misericordia's Development team - Lois Gates, Julie O'Sullivan, Anne Mills, Martha Floberg, Dorie Finnegan and Rose Martin who contributed time and energy beyond measure to help make the Ball a success.

The Heart of Mercy Ball would not be possible without the generous support of our sponsors and you, our valued guests, plus the many donors from afar who cannot be with us tonight. The Women's Board gives special thanks to our Presenting Sponsors - The Family of Tricia McGee, and 2022 Heart of Mercy Ball Honoree, Edward McGowan, whose generosity and belief in Misericordia's mission set the tone for bountiful giving to benefit an organization that is so close to all of our hearts.

With gratitude -



Julie Carpenter

Ann O'Hara

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FIRST COURSE

Fresh Mozzarella & Roasted Tomatoes Drizzled with Nut Free Basil Pesto Chopped Romaine, Lola Rosa and Arugula, Roasted Cauliflower, Grilled Asparagus Balsamic Vinaigrette

MAIN COURSE

Braised Boneless Short Rib with Red Wine Sauce Paired with Striped Bass with Chimichurri Sauce Buckingham Potatoes, Carrot Spears, Red Pepper Triangle, Sautéed Spinach and Cauliflower Spinach Puree

GLUTEN FREE VEGETARIAN ALTERNATIVE

Red Pepper filled with Quinoa and Roasted Vegetables with Chimichurri Sauce Heirloom Potatoes, Zucchini, Yellow Squash, Sautéed Spinach and Sweet Potato Puree

Dessert

Lemon Meringue Cheesecake White Chocolate Mousse, Graham Cracker Crust Toasted Meringue, Lemon Curd, Silver Flakes Paired with Gluten Free Dark Chocolate Pot du Crème with Salted Caramel Melba Sauce and Fresh Strawberry Freshly Brewed Coffee, Decaffeinated Coffee and Tea

WINE SERVICE

Joel Gott Sauvignon Blanc Parker Station Pinot Noir

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The Evening's Program

COCKTAIL RECEPTION Silent Auction

Ркодкам Rob Johnson, Emcee

MISERICORDIA *Remarks by* Fr. Jack Clair, President/Executive Director, Misericordia Home

> INVOCATION Cardinal Blase J. Cupich, Archbishop of Chicago

> > MISERICORDIA FOUNDATION Remarks by Sister Rosemary Connelly Chairman, Misericordia Foundation

First Course

WELCOME Sharon Taylor, Women's Board President

> PRESENTATION OF AWARDS Ann O'Hara, Ball Co-Chair Julie Carpenter, Ball Co-Chair

LIVE AUCTION Erin Williams, Auctioneer

DINNER AND DESSERT

MUSIC INTERLUDE Julie Carpenter, Ball Co-Chair Charlie Carpenter, Frank O'Hara, Heartbreaker Signers HEARTS + HOME UNITED!

VIDEO Lois Gates, Executive Director, Misericordia Foundation

SILENT AUCTION CLOSING 9:00 p.m.

HEART TO HAND PADDLE RAISE Erin Williams, Auctioneer

Grand Raffle Announcement

DANCING Front of House Band

CHECKOUT Live & Silent Auction and Heart to Hand

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"We feel so blessed that we are agents that the Lord is using to provide loving homes for the residents, and caring staff that values them and sees them as people that deserve the very best."

Sister Rosemary Connelly, Chairman, Misericordia Foundation















































































Misericordia's Newest Residential Development

A primary focus for fundraising at the 2022 Heart of Mercy Ball is a new three-acre residential development named Sister Rosemary Park. The development includes plans for 16 new homes, which will be crucial in fulfilling Sister Rosemary's desire to reach out to families on Misericordia's wait list.





Sister Rosemary Park Groundbreaking Ceremony on July 13, 2022







"This beautiful community will bring peace of mind for families knowing their loved one has a beautiful home and a safe place to live."

> Lois Gates Executive Director Misericordia Foundation



"Every time we grew and developed more homes, it was to meet an unmet need. That is why God has blessed us so generously, it is because everything we do is to meet an unmet need."

> Sister Rosemary Connelly Chairman Misericordia Foundation



"As homes open up, we're excited to make phone calls to families to say – We know you've been waiting, and we've got a spot for your child."

Father Jack Clair President/Executive Director Misericordia Home

Funds raised by the Women's Board will be directed to Misericordia Foundation to exclusively support Misericordia Home and help sustain its future.

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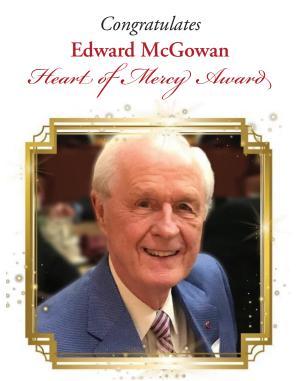
Awards Presented by the Misericordia Women's Board at the Heart of Mercy Ball

Starting in 1983, the Misericordia Women's Board has chosen a recipient for the Heart of Mercy Award every year. The award honors individuals who have made outstanding contributions to Misericordia.

In 1990, the Women's Board added the Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion. The award honors volunteers who have made significant contributions to our children and adults at Misericordia.

In 2014, the Women's Board introduced the Pillars of the Community Award to honor a company or foundation for extraordinary support of the mission of Misericordia.





Misericordia is delighted to honor our good friend Ed McGowan with the 2022 Heart of Mercy Award. Ed is the former President and co-founder of Edon Construction Company, Inc., and was key in the success and growth of the company and its prominent reputation in the industry. For more than 25 years, Ed has been a friend and generous supporter of Misericordia's expansion efforts. This includes the building of the McGowan Home on our campus, which bears his family's name, and is home to 16 residents with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Ed has also generously and loyally supported our fitness, sports and recreation programs with his good friend and past honoree, John Dyer. There is no question that we would not have the Misericordia you see today without Ed McGowan's help!

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Congratulates Marcy O'Keeffe Twardak Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion



The Twardak Family's involvement at Misericordia began with a need for service hours at St. Ignatius College Prep. Their oldest daughter volunteered with Misericordia residents in the Aquatic and Fitness Center a few times a week. They wanted to become more involved as a family, so they began volunteering at our annual Christmas Brunches – and have now been a part of the Misericordia family for more than 20 years! Marcy began the "First Sunday of the Month Club" where she coordinated a group of 150 women to volunteer in our Greenhouse Inn on the first Sunday of every month. Her volunteers have no affiliation with Misericordia other than their love for our mission, affinity for our residents and admiration for our beloved Sister Rosemary.

Marcy, who serves as the CFO of Corboy & Demetrio, is the ultimate ambassador for Misericordia. She created a shopping night that has served as the kick-off party for Misericordia's Holiday season for over a decade, as well as Spring Fling shopping nights. She has invited hundreds of friends and colleagues to Misericordia to introduce them to our mission. Marcy is a true believer in the magic of Misericordia and continues to expand her efforts year after year.





Congratulates Wintrust Dorothy & Ed Wehmer Dillars of the Community Award

For almost three decades, the Wehmers have been true friends to the mission of Misericordia. They have supported us in so many of our endeavors and, it is our great honor to know them and to have them be a special part of our Misericordia family. Both Dorothy and Ed have been passionate supporters through their financial resources, their time and talents, and their gift of friends. They have truly made a difference not only at Misericordia but also in so many other lives.

Ed is founder and CEO of Wintrust Financial Corporation, and Dorothy has long been dedicated to the mission of Misericordia through various leadership positions on the Women's Auxiliary, including serving as its president in 2000. Through their example, they have taught their children to be involved, caring and compassionate as longtime supporters of our Misericordia Family Association Dinner Dance, Candy Days, Artist in All Exhibit and our Young Professionals group. We are blessed to claim their entire family as our own. In addition to the entire Wehmer family, we personally thank Wintrust Financial Corporation for their continuous devotion to the mission of Misericordia.

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Heart of Mercy Award Recipients

- 1983 Robert E. Walsh
- 1984 Brian O. Shannon
- 1985 Patrick E. Mahoney
- 1986 Mike Ditka
- 1987 Rich J. O'Heir
- 1988 Ron Miniat
- 1989 Sister Rosemary Connelly, RSM
- 1990 Joseph Cardinal Bernardin
- 1991 Raymond F. Simon
- 1992 Joe Madden
- 1993 Daniel Houlihan
- 1994 Marijean Shea
- 1995 Frank Stone
- 1996 Thomas H. Quinn
- 1997 Thomas O'Brien
- 1998 R. Matthew Simon
- 1999 Most Reverend Edwin M. Conway, D.D.
- 2000 Kim & Rob Figliulo
- 2001 Joseph J. Ptacin
- 2002 Robert S. Morrison
- 2003 Patty & Dan Walsh
- 2004 Mary Dempsey & Phil Corboy
- 2005 Sheila & Bob Hulseman
- 2006 Dr. Sydney & Binnie Choslovsky
- 2007 Mary & William Ryan
- 2008 Madeline & Michael Hughes
- 2009 Catherine & John Peterman
- 2010 Jeanne M. & John W. Rowe
- 2011 The Sue & Brian Shannon Family
- 2012 Sue & Gregg Hartemayer
- 2013 Maureen & Gerald Corcoran
- 2014 Bernadette & Edmund Boyle
- 2015 Vita & Thomas Donovan
- 2016 Cheri & Jim Rafferty
- 2017 Suzanne & David J. Moore
- 2018 Andy Gloor
- 2019 Carolyn Noonan Parmer
- 2020 Misericordia Staff

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Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion Recipients

- 1990 Dennis J. Gates, M.D.
- 1991 Pauline Berger Greco
- 1992 Jerry Gleason
- 1993 Madeleine Ptacin
- 1994 John E. Resch
- 1995 Judy Herbstritt
- 1996 Robert B. Connolly Betty A. Flynn Lois Catinella-Gates Sister Catherine McGee Robert T. Noga
- 1997 Raymond Knoll
- 1998 Pat Martin Kay Murtha Janet O'Driscoll Kathy Ritter
- 1999 Carol and Philip Whiting
- 2000 Bill Norkett
- 2001 Bill Gainer
- 2002 John L. Dyer
- 2003 John Lynch, D.D.S.
- 2004 Connie & Bob Soudan
- 2005 Susan & Gary Garrabrant
- 2006 Michael McDonagh Donna Polo
- 2007 Madge & Robert Erlenbaugh
- 2008 Marge Murphy Mary Pat O'Brien
- 2009 Hugh & Carrie Connolly
- 2010 Anne M. & Edward M. Burke
- 2011 Reverend Monsignor Michael M. Boland
- 2012 Misericordia Bums Committee
- 2013 Bill Choslovsky Scott Mendel
- 2014 Peggy & Bob Bourke
- 2015 Mary Beth & Lou Manfredini
- 2016 Peg & Steve Lombardo
- 2017 Paula Conrad
- 2018 Colleen & Jay Doherty
- 2019 The Tom and Ann Higgins Family

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Dillars of the Community Award Recipients

2014	Walsh Construction
2015	S&C Electric Company
2016	AT&T
2017	Chicago Laborers' District Council - Charles LoVerde III & James Connolly
2018	Com Ed Anne Pramaggiore
2019	The Lock Up Self Storage

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Brian Shannon PATRICK MAHONEY 1984



RICH O'HEIR 1987



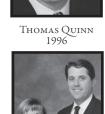
Raymond F. Simon 1991



Frank Stone 1995



BISHOP EDWIN M. Conway 1999



Ronald M. Miniat

1988

1992

Kim & Robert Figliulo 2000



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1985

Joseph Madden Dan Houlihan



Thomas O'Brien 1997



ROBERT MORRISON 2002

Michael Ditka

1986

JOSEPH CARDINAL

1994

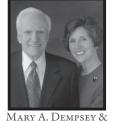
R. Matthew Simon

1998



WALSH 2003

Ryan 2007



Choslovsky 2006



MARY & WILLIAM MADELINE & MICHAEL CATHERINE & JOHN Peterman 2009



Gerald & Maureen Corcoran 2013



Jim & Cheri

DAVID J. & SUE

Moore 2017



Brian & Sue Shannon Family

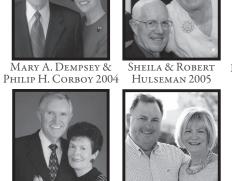
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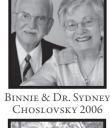
ANDY GLOOR



Thomas & Vita

Carolyn Noonan 2019







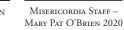








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Bernadette &

Edmund Boyle 2014

2018





Sister Rosemary Connelly Service Medallion



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PAULINE GRECO 1991







1995



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Robert Noga

RAYMOND KNOLL 1997



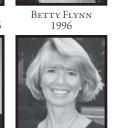
Bill Norkett 2000







John L. Dyer 2002



MADELEINE PTACIN

1993

LOIS CATINELLA **GATES 1996**



CAROL & PHILIP Whiting 1999



John Lynch 2003



Soudan 2004

Madge & Bob

Erlenbaugh 2007

JUST.. ANNE BURKE 2010





SUE & GARY

GARRABRANT 2005

Michael McDonagh 2006

MARGE MURPHY 2008

Mary Pat O'Brien 2008





Scott Mendel 2013



PAULA CONRAD



Doherty 2018



The Tom and Ann Higgins Family 2019

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Donna Polo 2006



CARRIE & HUGH **CONNOLLY 2009**



Choslovsky 2013







ALD. EDWARD & MONSIGNOR MICHAEL

BOLAND 2011

Peggy & Bob Bourke 2014



Colleen and Jay



MISERICORDIA **BUMS COMMITTEE** 2012



MICHAEL BURTON



Pete Castellarin **Rob** Figliulo

TIM GALLAGHER



Ron Miniat









TERRY LAVIN

PAUL NAPLETON



Mike Schmidt



JOE OFFERMAN



Sean Reynolds



PAT SCULLY

MICHAEL ROONEY

Frank Stone

Dillars of the Community Award



Walsh Construction Dan & Matt Walsh 2014



S&C Electric Company John Estey 2015



AT&T RICK ERICKSON 2016



CHICAGO LABORERS' DISTRICT COUNCIL CHUCK LOVERDE & JIM CONNOLLY 2017



ComEd Anne Pramaggiore 2018



The Lock Up Self Storage 2019 BOB & CONNIE SOUDAN Bob & Jennie Soudan RICK & KATIE HIELSCHER

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6130 North Ravenswood Avenue Chicago, IL 60660 773-564-8403

Mon. – Fri.: 6 a.m. – 4 p.m. Saturday: 7 a.m. – 4 p.m. Sunday: 7 a.m. – 2 p.m.

A primary focus at the 2019 Heart of Mercy Ball was to fundraise for a new bakery and café near campus to provide exciting employment opportunities for Misericordia residents. We are proud to announce that The Hearts & Flour Bakery and Café opened in April 2022 in a new three-story building. The first floor houses the bakery and café, where residents work side-by-side with staff at jobs tailored to meet their abilities. The second floor is an art studio and the third floor houses the coffee packaging program.



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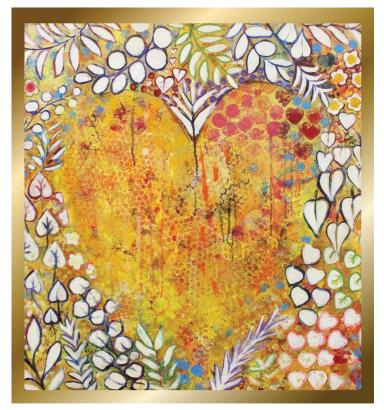




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