

## Catholic Charities Indianapolis— Continuing to meet the Needs of Our Community

Catholic Charities Indianapolis has served the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized of central Indiana for over 95 years without regard to race, ethnicity, or religious affiliation. The 12 programs of Catholic Charities in Indianapolis provide quality, professional services in crisis relief, shelter, pregnancy and adoption services, refugee and immigration services, eldercare, counseling, individual and family support, and information referral.

Catholic Charities is providing help and creating hope for more than 75,000 women, children, and men across the spectrum of life. In the past three years, the agency has continued to experience a dramatic increase in the requests for emergency assistance with housing, food, and basic needs—particularly among children. The professional and well-trained staff of Catholic Charities remains even more committed to providing the material, emotional, and educational assistance needed for families to gain the self-sufficiency to succeed in the long-term. Even with an unprecedented increase in the demand for services, Catholic Charities has remained steadfast in its mission—while continuing to offer compassionate and professional services and uphold the dignity of those we serve.

### The 19th Annual Spirit of Service Awards Dinner

The Spirit of Service Awards Dinner provides an opportunity for the business, community, and social service leaders of central Indiana to join in celebrating those who have dedicated their lives in a spirit of service to others. It also provides an opportunity to recognize the continuing impact Catholic Charities in Indianapolis has among the poor and vulnerable in our midst.



## 2017 Master of Ceremonies

Gerry Dick is the host and creator of *Inside INdiana Business* television. Gerry also serves as president and managing editor of Grow INdiana Media Ventures, LLC, an Indianapolis-based media company focused on producing and distributing Indiana business news and information through multiple media channels. Gerry and Technology Entrepreneur Scott Jones form Grow Indiana Media Ventures' ownership team.

## Honorees

### 2017 Community Service Awards

Hall, Render, Killian, Heath & Lyman, P.C.

### 2017 Spirit of Service Award

Don and Karen Beckwith – St. Barnabas Parish

Gary Gadomski – St. Luke Parish

### 2017 Spirit of Service Award – Youth Award

Grace Albertson St. Mark Parish and Roncalli High School

## Case for Support

- For more than 95 years, Catholic Charities Indianapolis has served the poor, vulnerable, and marginalized of central Indiana regardless of their religious affiliation or ethnic background.
- Catholic Charities is committed to being a good steward of its resources – ensuring that 92 cents of every dollar goes directly to programming.
- Last year, Catholic Charities in Indianapolis served more than 75,000 people including:
  - 38,200 men, women and children with food, clothing and medical co-pays, and utility assistance
  - 1,000 refugees as they resettle in their new home in Indianapolis
  - 1,200 families with temporary emergency and sustainable housing
  - 3,000 individuals with Christmas assistance
  - 600 vulnerable older persons and their caregivers
  - 500 at-risk children and youth with after school care, summer educational opportunities, and food programs
  - 4,200 men, women and children with access to mental health services
  - 5,700 women with pregnancy, adoption and other support services
- Catholic Charities provides basic needs, creates hope and builds self-sufficiency through a continuum of professional care.

## 2017 Spirit of Service—Leadership



### Event Chair

**Nicole R. Finelli**

*Partner — Krieg DeVault LLP*

Ms. Finelli is a Partner at the law firm of Krieg DeVault LLP, where she specializes in commercial and real estate lending and tax credit work. She represents financial institutions, non-financial institutional lenders, issuers and borrowers in complex secured and unsecured loan structuring and documentation, low-income housing and historic tax credits, and bond collateralization.

A native of Jasper, Indiana, Niki graduated from the University of Notre Dame with majors in Finance, Business Economics and Japanese. During college, she earned her Monogram as captain of the Notre Dame cheerleading team. After graduation, Niki worked in Chicago as a financial consultant at Arthur Andersen and KPMG performing financial valuations of intangible assets. Niki graduated from Loyola University Chicago School of Law in 2006. During law school, Niki served as a member of the Loyola Law Review.

Niki is a parishioner at St. Alphonsus Catholic Church. She serves as a board member for the Boys and Girls Club of Zionsville and Good Samaritan of Hamilton County. Niki is a past officer and co-founder of Zionsville Women in Network and the Zionsville Aces baseball program. She is currently an active member of Executive Women in Finance, the Notre Dame Monogram Club and the Hamilton County Bar Association. She graduated from the Hamilton County Leadership Academy in 2009. She was recognized as an Indiana Super Lawyers Rising Star six times during her career. She writes and speaks on topics ranging from legal ethics to loan syndications. In her spare time, Niki enjoys reading, traveling, exploring new sports, spending time with her husband, Chris, and putting in quality bleacher time cheering on her three sons, Michael, Mitchell and Bo.

### 2017 Development Committee Members

Brian Baker	Andrew Holloway	Steven Stapleton
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**Catholic Charities**  
Providing Help. Creating Hope. Serving All.

## Sponsorship Benefits

In addition to the intangible benefits of tying your philanthropy with the mission of Catholic Charities Indianapolis and those who are to be honored for their service to the community, other benefits of sponsorship include:

### Benefactor - \$10,000

- One table for eight guests
- First preferred seating
- Invitation for you and your table guests to attend a VIP reception hosted by Rev. Msgr. William F. Stumpf, PhD, archdiocesan administrator of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, and Catholic Charities in Indianapolis.
- Promotion/recognition during the event, including
  - Event signage
  - Video promotion
  - Placement of company logo in printed program
  - Announcement at both the VIP reception and dinner

### Patron - \$5,000

- One table for eight guests
- Preferred seating
- Invitation for you and your table guests to attend a VIP reception hosted by Rev. Msgr. William F. Stumpf, PhD, archdiocesan administrator of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, and Catholic Charities in Indianapolis.
- Promotion/recognition during the event, including
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### Partner - \$2,000

- One table for eight guests
- Promotion/recognition during the event, including
  - Video promotion
  - Placement in printed program

## Event Sponsorship

Your support of this event will enable Catholic Charities Indianapolis to meet the ever-increasing needs of the poor and vulnerable of central Indiana, and to continue its mission of offering much-needed, and often life-saving, services to those in need.

*“I am the case manager for an 8th grade student who just transferred through IPS. She does not have suitable attire for school dress code. I was wondering if your organization provided these items. We are desperate as she cannot attend school if she does not have the proper attire.”*  
Alyssa

*“Catholic Charities changed my life for the best.”*  
Ayham – former refugee client

*“I am on disability and my electricity has been shut off since Friday. I have been without my oxygen and breathing machine all weekend and it’s been very cold. I have most of the money to get our lights back on but need help with the rest. Can you please help?”*  
– Don

*“I was in last Tuesday and received groceries to be able to feed my family and wanted to say thank you.”*  
Sean – Crisis Office client

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# Spirit of Service

Awards Dinner

Wednesday, April 26, 2017  
5:30 p.m.  
Indiana Roof Ballroom, Indianapolis

**Speaker**  
**Tamika Catchings**  
*Former Indiana Fever and  
4-time Olympic Gold Medalist*



**“Shooting for Gold Medal Standard  
in Service”**

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*Providing the Spirit of Charity;  
Creating the Spirit of Hope; Serving All*