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DC NATIONAL AWARDS GALA

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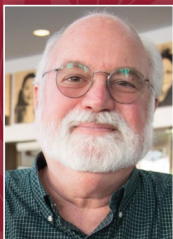
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“You have helped us address our greatest needs and you have positively impacted on the lives of our Sisters, especially our oldest and least physically able Sisters.”

Sister Dorothy Ann Busowski, OSBM
Sisters of the Order of St. Basil the Great
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“Thank you very much for approving our grant for chairs for our elder Sisters! They will be very happy! This is such an important work that SOAR! does. You help us love our Sisters in very practical and needed ways.”

Sister Susan M. Blaschke, SDSH
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- 2019 | Dr. Carolyn Y. Woo and United Bank
- 2018 | Sister Mary Bourdon, RJM
- 2017 | Jane Sullivan Roberts
- 2016 | Bishop Paul S. Loverde and Kevin J. Sexton
- 2015 | Patricia McGuire and John F. Treseler
- 2014 | Dennis M. Lucey and Rev. James J. Greenfield, OSFS
- 2013 | Dr. Francis J. Butler
- 2012 | Sister Deirdre M. Byrne, MD, POSC and Reverend William D. Byrne
- 2011 | Mary Jane Dempsey Cullen
- 2010 | Paul and Jill McNamara
- 2009 | Cokie and Steve Roberts
- 2008 | Mother Mary Berchmans Hannan, VHM
- 2007 | Archbishop Donald W. Wuerl
- 2006 | Dr. John J. DeGioia and Theresa Miller DeGioia
- 2005 | The Late Eugene I. Kane, Monsignor Thomas A. Kane and Kane Family
- 2004 | Sister Carol Keehan, D.C., R.N., M.S.
- 2003 | Reverend William J. Byron, S.J
- 2001 | Otto and Jeanne Ruesch
- 2000 | Kevin and Jane Belford
- 1999 | Rev. Msgr. John J. Enzler
- 1998 | Timothy and Monica May
- 1997 | Sandra Andrea McMurtrie
- 1996 | Mark Shields
- 1995 | Mark Russell
- 1994 | The Loyola Foundation
- 1993 | Corinne (Lindy) Claiborne Boggs
- 1992 | Rev. Msgr. Michael di Teccia Farina
- 1991 | Sister M. Majella Berg, RSHM
- 1990 | The Catholic Daughters of the Americas
- 1989 | Thomas Lake / The Lilly Foundaton
- 1988 | John O'Neil
- 1987 | Theobold During

CHICAGO

- 2002 | Edward M. Burke
- 2000 | Shirley Madigan

LOS ANGELES

- 2017 | Francis "Bud" Scully, Jr.
- 2014 | Kathleen Aikenhead and Tim and Steph Bush
- 2007 | Edward and Marjorie Illig
- 2004 | Allen and Kathleen Lund
- 2003 | Most Reverend Joseph M. Sartoris
- 2002 | George and Gretchen Gibbs
- 2001 | Richard and Maude Ferry
- 1999 | Bob and Lois Erburu
- 1998 | The Thomas and Dorothy Leavey Foundation and the Late Dorothy Leavey
- 1997 | Tom Lasorda
- 1996 | The Conrad N. Hilton Fund for Sisters

ORANGE COUNTY

- 2018 | Sherry Alberoni Van Meter, Terrance and Betty Barry
- 2016 | Trudy Mazzarella The Sisters of St. Joseph of Orange
- 2006 | H.E. Sir Patrick D. Powers, KCGHS, KM
- 1994 | Eugene Deiss Patrick Vincent Loughnane
- 1993 | Sister Jane Frances Power, CSJ and Stanley Pawlowski
- 1992 | Sister Marie Therese Solomon, CSJ and Daniel J. Harney

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DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

- 2018 | Jones Day
- 2016 | Denny M. Hattler
- 2015 | Most Reverend William Curlin
- 2003 | FADICA

LOS ANGELES

- 2017 | Sister Joyce Meyer, PBVM
- 2014 | The Conrad N. Hilton Foundation