

Dear Colleague,

Each year, Catholic Renewal hosts a networking reception for the restructuring community in support of Catholic Charities' Emergency Food Programs. Please join us for the **Fifteenth Annual Saint Francis Reception on Wednesday, September 16, 2026** at the New York Athletic Club.

We are thrilled to present this year's Saint Francis Service Awards to **Tom Califano**, Partner of Sidley Austin LLP and **Chuck Moore**, Managing Director of Alvarez & Marsal. The Saint Francis Service Award is presented to members of the corporate restructuring community who, regardless of creed, have demonstrated a standard of selfless integrity, humility and charity that warrants the recognition of their peers.

All proceeds go directly and immediately to **Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of New York** to provide meals at food pantries, soup kitchens, and through home delivery programs. Catholic Charities serves **all New Yorkers in need, regardless of faith or background**, ensuring that anyone who is hungry can receive help with dignity and compassion. We are reaching out to our colleagues on their behalf.

100% of funds raised will directly benefit Catholic Charities, with the event cost underwritten by the Leadership Committee. In 2025, Catholic Renewal raised over \$2 million, helping provide more than 1.4 million meals to New Yorkers in need. With your support, we aim to break that record this year.

Please join us and consider a corporate sponsorship. Enclosed is an Event Sponsorship Form with various giving levels. If you have any questions, please contact Zainab Hameed at Catholic Charities at (646) 794-2305 or Zainab.Hameed@CatholicCharitiesNY.org. As always, we look forward to seeing you.

Sincerely,
Catholic Renewal Leadership



2026 Honorees



Tom Califano

Partner
Sidley Austin LLP
St. Francis Service Award



Chuck Moore

Managing Director
Alvarez & Marsal
St. Francis Service Award

Past Award Recipients

2025 – Christopher Greco, Partner, Kirkland & Ellis LLP

2025 – Mark A. McDermott, Independent Fiduciary and Partner (Retired) Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP

2025 – John Rapisardi, Global Restructuring Practice Chair, O'Melveny & Myers LLP

2024 – Heather Lennox, Global Practice Leader, Business Restructuring & Reorganization, Jones Day

2024 – Frank A. Oswald, Partner, Togut, Segal & Segal LLP

2023 – Neil Augustine, Vice Chairman, Co-Head of Financing Advisory & Restructuring for North America, Greenhill

2023 – Timothy Graulich, Partner, Davis Polk

2023 – The Hon. Robert Drain (Ret.), Of Counsel, Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom, Lifetime Achievement Award

2022 – Robert Del Genio, Senior Managing Director at FTI Consulting

2022 – Richard W. Morgner, Managing Director and Joint Global Head of Debt Advisory and Restructuring at Jefferies LLC

2020, 2021 – William Q. Derrough, Managing Director & Global Co-Head of Recapitalization & Restructuring Group of Moelis & Company

2020, 2021 – Jay M. Goffman, Vice Chairman, Global Advisory North America, Rothschild & Co.

2019 – Lisa Donahue, Global Co-Lead of Turnaround and Restructuring Services, AlixPartners

2019 – Susheel Kirpalani, Chair of Bankruptcy & Restructuring Practice of Quinn Emanuel Urquhart & Sullivan, LLP

2018 – Dennis F. Dunne, Partner, Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy

2018 – Deirdre A. O'Connor, Managing Director, Epiq

2017 – Patrick J. Nash, Jr., Partner, Kirkland & Ellis LLP

2017 – The Hon. Arthur J. Gonzalez (Ret.)

2016 – D.J. (Jan) Baker, Partner, Latham & Watkins LLP

2015 – Corinne Ball, Partner, Jones Day

2014 – Alan W. Kornberg, Partner, Paul Weiss

2013 – Barry Ridings, Managing Director and Vice Chairman of US Investment Banking, Lazard Freres & Co



Catholic Renewal Leadership

Brenda Adrian	Philip Gund	Patrick Nash
Neil Augustine	Patrick Hoban	William Nolan
Corinne Ball	Mark Indelicato	Deirdre O'Connor
Michael Burke	Matt Kelsey	Dennis O'Donnell
Thomas Califano	George Klidonas	Frank A. Oswald
John Cesarz	Matthew Koch	Adam Paul
Victoria Creason	Brian Konzman, SJ	Gregory F. Pesce
Sean Cunningham	Mark Laber	David Posner
William Derrough	Gary Lembo	John Rapisardi
Christopher Desiderio	Brian Lennon	Robert T. Schmidt
Elise DiBenedetto	Brian Lohan	Paul Sheaffer
Lisa Donahue	Joe McAdams	Richard Shinder
Dennis Dunne	Mark McDermott	JR Smith
Kathleen Garrett	Linda McDonough	Ted Stenger
Jay Goffman	James McGinley	James Tecce
Timothy Graulich	Ann Miller	Vinni Toppi
Christopher T. Greco	Chuck Moore	Christine Walsh
Brian Griffith	Richard Morgner	Erica Weisberger
	Kevin Murray	

Young Catholic Renewal (YCR) Leadership

Nicholas Adzima	Stephen Iacovo	Dean Oswald
Jaime Angarita	Emily Keil	Alex Popovic
Dennis Barrett	Bryan Kotliar	Michael Sabino
Joaquin C de Baca	Christopher McCormick	Tom Sledjeski
Cara Costich	Chris McGovern	Carson Smith
Bobby DeStefano	Erin McKeighan	Michael Sutter
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Evan Hill	Ed Moser	Hunter Waters
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Contributions are fully tax-deductible less \$189 per attendee.

Please contact Zainab Hameed to place your reservation

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