



Dear Friends,

Each year, supporters of Catholic Charities West Michigan (CCWM) gather at Raising Hope to celebrate the agency's impact on our West Michigan communities. As we convene for a night of delicious food and great entertainment, the focus remains on our clients and the incredible stories of the ways that CCWM has positively impacted their lives as we work diligently to "Provide Help and Create Hope." Venturing forth into a new year, we are committed as ever to growing the support of our mission. We would love for you to join us in celebrating the work we do each day across West Michigan as we share our agency's success stories.

We are inviting you to take a leading role as a Raising Hope Sponsor!

Raising Hope will be held Wednesday, December 2, 2026 at 6:30 PM at Frederik Meijer Gardens. During the event, we will be hearing from our clients whose lives have been positively changed by the support provided through our programs as well as our keynote speaker, Dr. Kimberly Henkel. Dr. Kimberly Henkel is the Founder and Executive Director of Springs of Love, a ministry to encourage, educate and equip Catholics to discern and live out the call to foster and adopt. She is also Co-Founder of Springs in the Desert, a sister ministry to Springs of Love, that is dedicated to spiritually and emotionally accompanying those struggling with infertility and loss. In 2024, Kimberly was named one of OSV News' 10 Catholics of the Year, alongside Cardinal Seán O'Malley, legendary actor Bob Newhart, WNBA superstar Caitlin Clark, and others. She was selected for her work in raising awareness of foster care as a pro-life issue.

All levels of sponsorship include admission into the *Christmas and Holiday Traditions Around the World* exhibit at the gardens as well as a cocktail reception that begins at 6:30 PM. Included in our sponsorship packages of Bronze level and higher, is our VIP reception which offers a private cocktail hour beginning at 5:30 PM and meet and greet with Dr. Kimberly Henkel.

Enclosed are the Raising Hope sponsorship levels and opportunities available to choose from. Should you have any questions please contact Sarah Stechschulte, Events & Fundraising Coordinator, at (616) 551-5663 or sstechschulte@ccwestmi.org.

Thank you for your support and partnership.

Best,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David Bellamy". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "David" and last name "Bellamy" clearly legible.

David Bellamy

Chief Executive Officer





Premier Sponsor - \$15,000

CCWM Certified

- Exclusive table at the event for 8 persons
- Admission to VIP Reception
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment
- Creative approval for event signage/media
- Social media highlight spots post and prior to event
- Press interview opportunity

Public Recognition

- Full page acknowledgement in the event program (5.5" W x 8.5" H)
- Logo on all event marketing materials
- Verbal recognition during dinner
- Logo on all communications/print materials and linked on our website

Platinum Sponsor - \$10,000

CCWM Certified

- Exclusive table at the event for 8 persons
- Admission to VIP Reception
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment
- Social media highlight spots post and prior to event
- Press interview opportunity

Public Recognition

- Three-quarter page acknowledgement in the event program (5.5" W x 6.4" H)
- Logo on all event marketing materials
- Verbal recognition during dinner

Gold Sponsor - \$7,500

CCWM Certified

- Premier table at the event for 8 persons
- Admission to VIP Reception
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment
- Social media highlight spots post and prior to event
- Press mentions during interviews

Public Recognition

- Half-page acknowledgement in the event program (5.5"W x 4.25"H)
- Logo on all event marketing materials
- Verbal recognition during dinner

Silver Sponsor - \$5,500

CCWM Certified

- Premier table at the event for 8 persons
- Admission to VIP Reception
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment
- Social media highlight spots post and prior to event

Public Recognition

- One-quarter page acknowledgement in the event program (5.5" W x 2.1" H or 2.75" W x 4.25")
- Placement of company logo and link on website

Bronze Sponsor - \$2,750

CCWM Certified

- Table at the event for 8 persons
- Admission to VIP Reception
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment

Public Recognition

- Business card size acknowledgement in the event program
- Placement of company logo and link on website

Table Host - \$1,750

CCWM Certified

- Table at the event for 8 persons
- Certificate of Community Reinvestment

Public Recognition

- Name listed in event program and website

Tickets

\$175

- Certificate of General Admission Ticket

\$275

- VIP Ticket - including VIP reception admission (5:30 PM)

Sponsorship Information

Sponsor Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Sponsorship Level

- ☐ Premier Sponsor \$ 15,000
- ☐ Platinum Sponsor \$ 10,000
- ☐ Gold Sponsor \$ 7,000
- ☐ Silver Sponsor \$ 5,500
- ☐ Bronze Sponsor \$ 2,750
- ☐ Table Host \$ 1,750

In addition to my sponsorship package, I would like to donate: \$ _____

I am unable to be a sponsor, but please accept this donation: \$ _____

TOTAL \$ _____

Method of Payment

- ☐ Check enclosed
- ☐ Charge my card

Credit Card # _____ Exp Date: _____ CSC# _____

Signature _____

- ☐ VISA
- ☐ MasterCard
- ☐ Discover
- ☐ American Express

To receive all of the 2026 Raising Hope Benefits,
please return this form by November 9, 2026 to:

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