



# 25<sup>TH</sup> *Anniversary* CELEBRATION GALA

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2023  
6:30 PM

DOUBLETREE GRAND BISCAYNE  
MIAMI, FL 33132

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HOSTED BY  
**THE MOST REVEREND THOMAS G. WENSKI**  
*ARCHBISHOP OF MIAMI*

## SPONSORSHIP PACKAGE

[www.cclsmiami.org/gala](http://www.cclsmiami.org/gala)

# *A Legacy of Welcome*

*Dear Friends,*

*We are excited to invite you to a celebration in honor of Catholic Legal Services' 25th anniversary, which will be held on October 27, 2023 at the DoubleTree Grand Biscayne Bay. As one of our long-time supporters, we hope that you will join us for this special occasion as we celebrate 25 years of serving South Florida's most vulnerable communities.*

*Throughout our history, our organization has been committed to making a positive impact in the community by helping downtrodden immigrants obtain asylum, establish legal residency, become citizens, reunite families and understand immigration law and policies by providing public education. None of this would have been possible without the generous support of people like you—people who believe in the humanity and dignity of immigrants and who have helped us to continue our work and expand our reach.*

*As we celebrate our 25th anniversary, we are looking forward to an evening of celebration, recognition, and gratitude. We cannot celebrate without you.*

*We ask for your continued support. As a nonprofit organization, we rely on the generosity of individuals like you to help us continue our important work. Your support will help us to continue to make a positive impact in the community and provide vital services to those in need.*

*We hope that you will consider making a donation to support our legacy of welcoming immigrants for the past 25 years. Your donation will go directly towards supporting our ongoing programs and services as we continue making a difference in the lives of those we serve.*

*Thank you for your ongoing support, and we look forward to celebrating with you.*

*Sincerely,  
Catholic Legal Services*



*Humbly Serving Our Community for 25 Years*





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## ABOUT CATHOLIC LEGAL SERVICES, INC.

**Catholic Legal Services (CLS)** is a nationally recognized agency whose mission is to provide professional legal services to those who come from foreign lands and lack sufficient means to obtain representation. Without regard to faith, national origin, defining characteristics, or beliefs, CLS's team of experienced attorneys and immigration professionals have been providing free and low-cost legal services to needy immigrants for more than two decades.

Independently incorporated on January 8, 1998, CLS has since grown into one of the most active nonprofit providers of immigration legal services in the State of Florida, serving refugees and immigrants from around the world. The staff of CLS reflect the diversity of language and culture of the individuals they serve.

*More than 3000 people pour into CLS's offices each month. Ranging from two months old to 104 years of age, these individuals confront a complex immigration law system and a confusing bureaucracy. Many have unhealed wounds from a painful past, only to encounter bigotry and barriers as they adjust to a new culture and way of life. Many often face an uncertain future. But each is welcomed at either one of our locations in Miami-Dade and Broward Counties, where they are warmly welcomed by our staff of 68, including 31 attorneys and 6 accredited representatives.\**

Some simply wish to reunite with their families, many of whom were separated at the border. Most are political and religious refugees seeking safety and security, many of whom have experienced persecution and torture. Many are battered spouses and their children or other victims of crime, seeking to rebuild peaceful and safe lives. We support religious workers seeking to minister to religious communities in the U.S., and we defend long-term residents of the United States with significant family and community ties who face deportation. Whether representing individuals and families before the Immigration Court, Board of Immigration Appeals (BIA), United States Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS), United States Immigration & Customs Enforcement (ICE), or Juvenile Court, with CLS's help, many deserving immigrants and refugees persevere and realize their dreams of a bright and secure future in the United States.

*\*An accredited representative is a person who is approved by the Department of Justice (DOJ) to represent aliens before the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) and the Executive Office for Immigration Review (EOIR), which includes the immigration courts and the BIA, and must maintain a high standard of professional conduct.*





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## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### TITLE SPONSOR

**\$50,000**

- Recognition as Title Sponsor and inclusion of logo on all event materials
- Press release announcing sponsorship
- Archbishop Wenski as your table guest
- Logo on step and repeat at event as well as on event materials
- Logo featured for one year on CCLS gala website
- Special recognition at gala and opportunity for sponsor to speak at event
- (3) tables of (10) at event in most prominent location
- Special dinner at Archbishop's home
- Two bottles of champagne at each table
- VIP Reception attendance for all (30) Title Sponsor guests
- Premier recognition at VIP Reception
- Inside, front cover and back cover program ad in full color

### PRESENTING SPONSOR

**\$25,000**

- Recognition as Presenting Sponsor on printed event materials
- Press release announcing sponsorship
- Logo prominently featured on event materials
- Logo featured for one year on CCLS gala website
- Special recognition at gala
- (2) tables of (10) at event in most prominent location
- Two bottles of champagne at each table
- VIP Reception attendance for all (20) Presenting Sponsor guests
- Center page program ad in full color

### DIAMOND SPONSOR

**\$15,000**

- Logo/donor name featured on event materials
- Logo featured for one year on CCLS gala website
- Special recognition at gala
- (1) table of (12) at event (superior location)
- Two bottles of champagne at table
- VIP Reception attendance for all (10) Diamond Sponsor guests
- Full page program ad in full color

### RUBY SPONSOR

**\$10,000**

- Logo/donor name featured at gala event
- (1) table of (10) at event in prominent location
- VIP Reception attendance for (10) Ruby Sponsor guests
- Full page program ad in full color

### PEARL SPONSOR

**\$5,000**

- 5 tickets at event in prominent location
- Half page program ad in full color
- Logo/donor name featured at gala event

### INDIVIDUAL TICKETS

#### ONE TICKET:

**\$400**

*Limited Availability*



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## UNDERWRITING OPPORTUNITIES

<b>TITLE SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<b>COCKTAIL HOUR SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>
<b>WINE SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b>EVENT PROGRAM SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b>ENTERTAINMENT SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$5,000</b>
<b>CENTERPIECES SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$3,000</b>
<b>PARTY FAVORS SPONSOR</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>
<b>AWARDS SPONSORS</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>
<b>EVENT SIGNAGE SPONSORS</b>	<b>\$2,500</b>

**All underwriting opportunities include:**

- Two (under \$5,000) or Four (over \$5,000) tickets to 25th Anniversary Celebration Gala
- Recognition in event program
- Recognition in one Archdiocese of Miami newsletter

## PROGRAM BOOK ADVERTISING INFORMATION

<b>FULL PAGE AD (8"W X 8"H)</b>	<b>\$1,500</b>
<b>1/2 PAGE AD (8"W X 3.875"H)</b>	<b>\$750</b>
<b>1/4 PAGE AD (3.875"W X 3.875"H)</b>	<b>\$375</b>
<b>NON-PROFIT 1/4 PAGE AD (3.875"W X 3.875"H)</b>	<b>\$250</b>

**The gala program printed book is 8.5" x 8.5." Ad Requirements:**

- High resolution (300 dpi) CMYK color images
- Accepted formats: jpg or pdf

**Submit final artwork to [administratorcls@cclsmiami.org](mailto:administratorcls@cclsmiami.org) by **September 28, 2023**.**

We can help create a simple ad if needed. Please provide text and high resolution image. Please include your name, phone number and company/organization name in your email.

**For more information regarding sponsorship opportunities, please visit [cclsmiami.org/gala](http://cclsmiami.org/gala) or contact:**

Myriam Mézadiou  
(305) 942-5213  
[administratorcls@cclsmiami.org](mailto:administratorcls@cclsmiami.org)

*Your generous support is greatly appreciated. While we would love to celebrate our milestone with you, if you are unable to attend, we kindly encourage you to consider making a donation to support our mission of assisting immigrant children and families with their legal needs.*

**Catholic Legal Services | Courthouse Plaza, 28 W Flagler Street, Suite 1001 | Miami, FL 33130 | [www.cclsmiami.org](http://www.cclsmiami.org)**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT US AT [ADMINISTRATORCLS@CCLSMIAMI.ORG](mailto:ADMINISTRATORCLS@CCLSMIAMI.ORG) (305)942-5213**