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On October 10th Catholic Charities President Monsignor Michael M. Boland and members of the Latino Advisory Committee of the Board welcomed over 150 guests to its Ayudando Nuestras Familias (Helping our Families) Cocktail Reception at the National Museum of Mexican Art in Chicago. This annual event raised nearly \$30,000 in support of our programs that serve and strengthen over 230,000 Latinos each year living in Cook and Lake Counties.

Catholic Charities programs not only provide a safety net of food, clothing and shelter in times of crisis, but also offer the tools needed for individuals and families to thrive, including early childhood education, after-school programming, English and computer classes, and immigration/naturalization services.

We extend our thanks to Emcee Lourdes Duarte of WGN News and to all our Sponsors and guests.



Rita Arias Jirasek of the Latino Advisory Committee with Monsignor Michael M. Boland



Left side top: Antonio & Doreen Guillen, from Wintrust Financial (Gold Sponsor), Left side bottom: Junior Board and Latino Advisory Committee members, Right side top: Guests of Kates Detective Agency (Silver Sponsor), Right side middle: Rita Arias & Arne Jirasek (Copper Sponsors) with guests from MacNeal Hospital (Print Sponsor), Right side bottom: Emile Johnson from Goode Foods (Copper Sponsor) with Catholic Charities Staff.

To view more pictures of the event, please visit our Facebook link: [Ayudando Nuestras Familias 2013](#)

To learn more about our programs visit our webpage: www.catholiccharities.net

If you are interested in becoming involved with the Latino Advisory Committee please contact: Dalia Rocotello at: (312) 655-8492

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