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## 2017 Monsignor John T. Fagan Awards



Thursday, April 27th, we gathered together at Manhattan Penthouse for the **2017 Monsignor John T. Fagan Awards** and celebrated Little Flower's 87 years of serving those in need and to recognize the important work done by our honorees.

Little Flower and our **Honorary Chairs**, award winning actress and star of *Devious Maids*, **Susan Lucci** and her husband, **Helmut Huber** and Co-Chairs, **John Manning** and **Kathryn Rafferty** were very fortunate to honor **MaryLiz Manning Kade**, lifelong supporter and champion of Little Flower, with the **Humanitarian Award** and **Cynthia Patterson** and **Jean Sam**, two of our inspiring caregivers with the **Service Award**.

Little Flower Chief Executive Officer, Corinne Hammons, said "The Msgr. John T. Fagan Awards create and allow us to share in this incredible moment together. We have the good fortune to be able to thank three people who had made an impact on real lives in New York -- through philanthropy, direct services and advocacy."

Missed the event? [Click here](#) to [view pictures](#) of the evening's festivities.

## QuiltWorks



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Quilting - it's not something you think of when you think of teenagers and young children. But the youth on the Msgr. Fagan campus are rocking their quilting skills. The youth participate in a *QuiltWorks* workshop, facilitated by volunteers from the *Bright Hopes* organization. The workshop is designed for individuals living in residential settings and each participant works on a quilt that is theirs to take home once completed.

About four youth participate in an eight-week session, with about two-three sessions a year. The kids are 100% hands on in the process, from learning the basics of quilt making and how to use a sewing machine to picking their fabrics and measuring and cutting pieces. The most recent cohort had the special opportunity to work on the quilt that was auctioned off at this year's Msgr. Fagan Awards (*middle quilt*)!

## Save the Date



Spend the day with us and our honoree, **David Einbinder**, **First Development Corporation**, at the historic Engineers Country Club.

Contact Lucia Gajda at: [gajdal@lfchild.org](mailto:gajdal@lfchild.org) for information about sponsorships and foursomes or [click here](#) to purchase your sponsorship and/or register your foursome.

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