



"Each time a man stands up for an ideal, or acts to improve the lot of others, or strikes out against injustice, he sends forth a tiny ripple of hope, and crossing each other from a million different centers of energy and daring, these ripples build a current that can sweep down the mightiest walls of oppression and resistance." – Robert F. Kennedy, 1966

Embracing the Legacy Honorees

2021

Jim Geraghty · Marty Meehan · Justin Pasquariello · Reverend Liz Walker

2019

Darrell Crate · Paul Lewis and Robert Lewis, Jr. · Mary Kinsella Scannell and Bob Scannell

2018

William G. Gross · Tracy Palandjian · Robert F. Rivers

2017

Bill Lyttle · Susan L. Taylor · Donato Tramuto

2016

Joseph E. Corcoran · Thaddeus Miles · Dropkick Murphys · Francine Sherman

2015

Theodore Oatis (posthumously) · UTEC · Dr. Roy Wade, Jr. · Tim Wakefield

2014

William Achtmeyer · Dr. Deborah Frank · Laurie Garduque · Jonathan Kozol

2013

Thomas (Tom) Coury · Judge Leslie Harris · Jeannette Pai-Espinosa · Darrin Smith

2012

Dr. William C. Bell · Express Yourself · Rick Loughlin – Coldwell Banker Residential Brokerage Cares · Susan Wornick

2011

Nancy Carlsson-Paige · Lael Chester · Terry Cross · Marian Wright Edelman & Peter Edelman

2010

Joan and Steve Belkin · Jim Brett · Wendy Kopp & Teach for America · Gale Sayers

2009

Daren Chentow · Mel King · Bob Watson · Youth Advocacy Project

2008

Ellen Bassuk · Medical - Legal Partnership for Children · Don Rodman · Dr. Gerry Wright

2007

American Honda Motor Co., Inc. · Chris Gabrieli · Kai Leigh Harriott · Rafer Johnson

2006

Michael Connolly · Brian Hancock · Philip W. Johnston · Michael Obel-Omia