



The Advocates
FOR HUMAN RIGHTS

SPONSOR THE 2026 HUMAN RIGHTS AWARDS DINNER





Thursday, June 11, 2026
5:00 – 8:30 pm
Renaissance Minneapolis Hotel
The Depot

Keynote Speaker:
Bishop Maryann Edgar Budde

*Don and Arvonne Fraser
Human Rights Award Winner*

Episcopal Diocese of
Washington, DC

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- Participate in the largest gathering of human rights defenders in the Upper Midwest.
- Experience the strength and resolve of more than 700 attendees and speakers.
- Join the community of more than 1,600 volunteers and 30 law firms around the world that work with us to protect human rights.
- Affirm your commitment to creating a world where every person lives with equality, justice and dignity.
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- Support the mission of The Advocates for Human Rights.



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Our Impact

By sponsoring the 2026 Human Rights Awards Dinner, you partner in the work of The Advocates for Human Rights, transforming lives and building a better world.

Together we bring abuses out of the shadows, **sending volunteer observers into our immigration courts** where they document unjust arrests and inhumane treatment.

We provide a lifeline to asylum seekers, unaccompanied children, and trafficking victims, **supporting thousands of volunteer attorneys to provide legal representation.** In Minnesota, unrepresented immigrants are 3x more likely to be deported.

Together we monitor Hennepin County court cases involving gender-based violence, **advocating for a trauma-informed criminal justice system** that works for all survivors.

We **partner with human rights defenders around the world**, helping them achieve their goals of abolishing the death penalty, protecting LGBTQ+ people, and combating violence against women.

We **empower children at the Sankhu Palubari Community School** in rural Kathmandu Valley in Nepal through high-quality, free pre-k to 10th grade education.

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