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## **News Release**

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### **Mission City Community Fund announces 2018 Nonprofit of the Year, JW House**

**Santa Clara, Calif. – 10/1/2018** – MCCF will spotlight JW House as its Nonprofit of the Year partner at the annual Charity Auction Dinner Dance on November 3<sup>rd</sup>. The Nonprofit of the Year represents outstanding accomplishments by a nonprofit organization using their programs and services to enrich the lives of local residents in Silicon Valley. JW House was selected based on the following:

- Reputation for leadership excellence within the nonprofit and local communities
- Successful achievement within our Five Areas of Giving
- Consistent performance and high ethical standards for management and public disclosure

Mission City Community Fund's annual charity auction dinner dance **East Meets West** will be held at the Santa Clara Convention Center on November 3, 2018, starting at 5:30 p.m. This memorable evening of music, live and silent auctions, awards and incredible dinner is a fundraiser to establish grants for local nonprofits.

“It is a great honor to recognize JW House as the 2018 Nonprofit of the Year and I commend the organization for its tireless dedication to the health care community” said Robin Burdick, MCCF's Dinner Chair. “There's something about ringing the bell and having someone with a smile open the door and invite you into their welcoming, quiet, safe place. After watching and worrying over the person you love being ill, JW House provides a place where you can sit quietly and take a few deep breaths, talk to others who are sharing experiences similar to yours, have a home-cooked meal, and collect yourself to stay hopeful.”

#### **About JW House**

JW House is located on the campus of Kaiser Permanente Santa Clara Medical Center at 3850 E. Homestead Rd. JW House provides overnight lodging, day use services, meals, and support to families and caregivers with loved ones in Silicon Valley hospitals. Their warm and loving 'home away from home' has been host to hundreds of families for 10 years. For more information, visit [jwhouse.org](http://jwhouse.org) or (408) 246-2224

#### **About Mission City Community Fund**

Mission City Community Fund is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit formed in 1986 awarding grants to benefit nonprofit organizations in Silicon Valley. MCCF has a 32-year track record focused on supporting five areas of giving for Theater and the Arts, Health Care, Education, Social Services and the Environment.

For more information, please visit [MissionCityFund.org](http://MissionCityFund.org)

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