




THE CHANCERY  
OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL  
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MEMORANDUM

To: Pastors and Administrators

From: JPL 

Date: August 17, 2020

Subject: Update on the Golden Jubilee Anniversary Mass with His Eminence

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In May, the difficult decision was made to postpone the *Golden Jubilee Wedding Mass* scheduled to have taken place on Sunday, June 7, 2020 at 2:30 PM at Saint Patrick's Cathedral.

Due to the uncertainty of large group gatherings in New York City, the *Golden Jubilee Wedding Mass* will now be cancelled. We are disappointed, but the latest guidance in the city and state preclude doing so.

To ensure all eligible couples are recognized for their faith, commitment and fiftieth wedding anniversary, the office of special projects and events will work with each parish to ensure wedding certificates are issued to commemorate this blessed sacrament of marriage.

Parish staff may enroll golden jubilee couples for the commemorative certificate by visiting: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/golden-jubilee-wedding-mass-registration-114469094142>. Enrollment will close on Monday, November 2, 2020 at 5:00 PM.

Certificates will be mailed directly to each parish for your distribution. If you have any questions, contact the office of special projects and events at (646) 794-2000 or send an email to [specialevents@archny.org](mailto:specialevents@archny.org). They will be happy to answer your questions.