

Catholic Cemetery Conference Memorial Day Program

“Serving God and Country: A Memorial Day Salute to Our Heroes”

F.A.Q.s

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Q. What is the Catholic Cemetery Conference Memorial Day Program?

The Catholic Cemetery Conference Memorial Day Program is a coordinated, national program to highlight Memorial Day weekend as a widely recognized time to raise awareness of and visit Catholic Cemeteries throughout the U.S.

Q. Can anyone participate in this Program?

Yes, whether you're a small or large Catholic Cemetery, all cemeteries are welcome and encouraged to participate in this Memorial Day Salute to Our Heroes!

Q. How can I participate in this Program?

There are numerous ways you can get involved, **all are optional**. For example, here are several simple ways you can incorporate members of the military during Mass, including:

- Candle Bearers
- Reading of Scriptures and Intercessions
- Presentation of Gifts
- Presentation of the Colors

- Observe a moment of silence after Intercessions
- Wreath Laying Ceremony
- Prayer Box
- Tribute Board
- Military Choir
- Taps

Q. My Catholic Cemetery celebrates Memorial Day Mass on a day other than Memorial Day, can I still participate?

Yes, absolutely. You can participate in the Program at any point during Memorial Day weekend.

Q. What if my cemetery doesn't hold a Mass at all on Memorial Day; how can I participate?

While encouraged, conducting Mass on Memorial Day is not a requirement of the Program. You can participate by simply conducting any of the following activities and/or ceremonies during Memorial Day weekend. Following are some activities:

- Wreath Laying
- Prayer Box
- Tribute Board
- Military Choirs
- Taps

Q. Where can I purchase a Tribute Board?

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Q. Who do I contact to confirm participation, or for more information?

Catholic Cemetery Conference P 708.202.1242

Q. What is the Catholic Cemetery Conference?

The CCC was established in 1949 consisting of Catholic Cemeteries from Archdioceses and Dioceses located primarily in the U.S. and Canada, but also represents members in Australia, Guam and Puerto Rico and Oceania. The CCC is a faith network committed to cemetery advocacy and education. The association provides a central office for facilitating communication, planning educational venues, and disseminating information to promote high standards of cemetery management and operation to its 1100 cemetery and supplier members.