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Memo

Date: March 3, 2025

To: Clergy, parish/school staff, bulletin editors, intercultural, Hispanic and social action ministry leaders

From: Kat Doyle, director of Justice and Peace ministries, Office of Life Dignity and Justice

Re: 2025 Good Friday pilgrimage, urban stations of the cross, A *Journey of Struggle and Pain*

Please consider placing the following information in your church or school bulletin, newsletter and/or website:

The 44th annual **Good Friday Pilgrimage**, urban stations of the cross, sponsored by the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Atlanta's Justice and Peace Ministries will take place Friday, April 18, 8:45 a.m.-12 p.m. This walking prayer is a moving experience that includes scripture readings, reflections and music as we remember the passion of Christ and the social injustices in our world today.

We will gather to begin our journey at 8:45 a.m. at the Catholic Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, 48 Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive, SW, Atlanta 30303. There is a midway rest at the Loudermilk Center for use of the facilities and water bottle refills. We will conclude around 12 p.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 25 Boulevard, NE. A bus will be available to return participants to our starting point where public parking is available. The two-mile route is wheelchair/stroller accessible.

Please contact me at kdoyle@archatl.com for more information or to volunteer to be a reader or carry the cross. **We need more immigrant participants. All faiths are welcome!**