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Date: October 7, 2024
To: All pastors
From: Andy Lichtenwalner, director, Office of Evangelization and Discipleship
Re: 50/60 Marriage Anniversary Mass

I am pleased to announce that the Archdiocese of Atlanta is continuing to host the annual Mass for couples celebrating their 50th and 60th marriage anniversary.

The 50th and 60th Marriage Anniversary Mass will be celebrated on **Saturday, February 8, 2025, at noon, at Saint Brigid Catholic Church** in Johns Creek, followed by a reception with a light meal. Archbishop Gregory Hartmayer, OFM Conv., will be the principal celebrant. The date of the Mass reflects our effort to highlight National Marriage Week, which occurs February 7-14 of every year.

The RSVP link for anniversary couples is: <http://tiny.cc/anniversarymass>.

Included at the end of this letter is a parish bulletin announcement to publish in your online fall bulletins and parish newsletters. **Additionally, Archbishop Hartmayer invites you to concelebrate this special Mass.** Your presence would be especially meaningful to the couples from your parish marking this milestone in their lives.

Thank you in advance for your kind assistance with this effort. For questions, please contact Daniel West at dwest@archatl.com. May God continue to bless you and the work you are doing every day for couples, families and all the people of God.

Suggested parish bulletin announcement:

COUPLES CELEBRATING 50th AND 60th MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY IN 2025

The Archdiocese of Atlanta would like to honor couples married in 1975 and 1965 with an invitation to a golden/diamond Marriage Anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 8, 2025, at noon, at Saint Brigid Catholic Church. A reception, for the anniversary couples and their families, will follow the Mass. Please go to <http://tiny.cc/anniversarymass> to RSVP for this event and for additional information.