Memo

Date: August 3, 2020

To: Priests, deacons, brothers, sisters, principals, parish and

chancery staff

From: Maureen Smith, Director, Office of Communications

Re: Media coverage of the Archdiocese of Atlanta

The Office of Communications presents last week's media coverage of the Archdiocese of Atlanta in the news and *The Georgia Bulletin*.

In case you missed them, please see below for links to last week's featured stories:

The Georgia Bulletin

- St. Ann volunteers harvesting hope with community garden
- Mass dispensation extended through August 30
- Pope, U.S. bishops 'saddened' by Turkish court ruling on Hagia Sophia

Social Media

- Our friends at the Roman Catholic Diocese of Charleston are celebrating their #Bicentennial this year!
- The 2020 ACC is going virtual this year! Registration is now open and best of all, free!
- Thank you @IPCGlobalServic for your partnership and the amazing work you've done! We're confident in welcoming our students back for inperson classes this fall.
- In 2 weeks, our new 3rd graders finally get to know the teachers they met back in May on this Move Up Day via Zoom! Only 2 more weeks to go, and our teachers can't wait to meet you in person! #loveourstmfamily
- More than 240,000 staff and volunteers continued serving at individual Catholic charities all across the country during the worldwide #COVID19 pandemic.

• #Friendship is one of life's gifts and a grace from God. Faithful friends, who stand at our side in times of difficulty, are a reflection of the Lord's love, His gentle and consoling presence in our lives.

En español

• Dispensa de misa dominical se extiende hasta el 30 de agosto

National News

- <u>U.S. Bishops' President Reflects on the 75th Anniversary of Hiroshima</u> and Nagasaki
- Migration Chairman Calls for Prayers for Trafficking Survivors
- Weakened Fair Housing Rule Fails to Promote Dignity of Human Person

Local News

• Late civil rights leaders 'changed course of history,' says archbishop

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