



News Release



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Police Memorial Service

On Wednesday, May 17, 2017, the Dallas Police Department will hold services honoring the 2017 Police Memorial Day. This event recognizes the sacrifices made by Dallas police officers as well as other officers who have given their lives in the performance of their duties (See below for the Order of Service). **For Media:** Attached, you will find a map detailing where you should park your large media trucks and where the two media staging areas are located. If you are planning to bring your media truck, you should arrive between 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. There will be a hard shutdown of traffic in that area at 11:30 a.m.

The staging areas are for those cameras that will be stationary during the service and/or during the march to the memorial. **A pool camera will be provided for the media by the City of Dallas Public Information Office. For access to the live feed, the media can go to the Media Room at city hall; located on the 6th floor at 6ES.** We advise all media to use this option. Your access during the service will be very limited. However, once the service is over, you are welcomed to mingle and get sound from those who wish to participate.

Order of Service:

- **11:50 a.m. - March to the Memorial - Griffin St. at Young St. to Griffin St. and Akard St.**

All former or current police officers, family, and/or friends and citizens are invited to join the Dallas Police command staff, honor guard, salute team, and other dignitaries in marching from Griffin and Young Street to the Police Memorial site at Akard and Young Street. Free parking will be available in Lot-C located at 600 S. Lamar Avenue (Lamar and Ceremonial across from the Convention Center) and in Lot E (Memorial / Hotel on the far west side of the Convention Center).

- **12:00 Noon - Dallas Police Memorial Service – Young St. and Marilla St.**

Service includes a performance by the Dallas Police Choir, the reading of the "Roll Call of Honor," 21-gun salute, Taps, and a fly over by the Dallas Police Helicopter. In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved to the Convention Center, in Hall C which is located at Lamar Street and Ceremonial.