

# Help Carry the Cross for Victims & the Philadelphia Church

## Good Friday Prayer Service

**Invited:** Moms, Dads, Survivors, Students, Priests, Nuns, Christian Brothers, Deacons, Teachers... all Catholics

**What:** Prayer service for the victims of clergy sex abuse and the faithful of the Catholic Church of Philadelphia. April is child abuse awareness month, so we ask attendees to wear the official awareness color – blue.

**Where:** At the steps of the Cathedral Basilica of SS Peter and Paul, 1723 Race Street (on the Benjamin Franklin Pkwy)

**When:** 11 a.m. to noon this Friday, April 6 – Good Friday.

**How:** This will be a respectful, peaceful and prayerful gathering. There is a public parking lot at 17th and Arch Street. Suburban Station is the closest train station at 17th and Market.

**Why:** To spiritually prepare for Easter. To pray for new beginnings in how Church leadership deals with child sex abuse – here in Philadelphia and globally – regardless of the trial outcome.

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