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Information Regarding the Installation of Archbishop-designate Mitchell T. Rozanski as the 10th Archbishop of St. Louis

ST. LOUIS - Archbishop-designate Mitchell T. Rozanski will be installed as the 10th Archbishop of St. Louis tomorrow, August 25, at 2 p.m. at the Cathedral Basilica of Saint Louis. Information including a bio about Archbishop-designate Rozanski can be found at https://www.archstl.org/archbishop. Due to the COVID-19 virus, attendance to the Mass is by invitation only.

One person from each media agency will be permitted access into the Cathedral Basilica at 1:30 p.m. tomorrow for the Mass, as space and social distancing will allow. No cameras or recording devices will be allowed. Please contact Maria Lemakis via email (marialemakis@archstl.org) if you would like to send someone into the Cathedral at 1:30 p.m. for the Installation Mass.

The St. Louis Police Department will be blocking off an area across the street from the Cathedral Basilica starting tomorrow morning for media to set up live reports.

The St. Louis Post-Dispatch will provide a pool photographer for all media. Please contact Gary Hairlson (GHairlson@Post-Dispatch.com) or (314) 340-8279 at the St. Louis Post-Dispatch for more information.

The Archdiocese of St. Louis will be providing a produced live-feed of the Installation Mass through a vendor, Arndt Photo and Cinema, which will have a plug-in for all local television stations. If you are interested in taking in this feed, please contact Paul Arndt at (618) 920-6039 or paul@arndtphotography.com. Parking spots have been reserved for trucks from KTVI, KMOV and KSDK in the Newstead/Maryland Avenue parking lot in the back-right corner of the Cathedral.

A downloadable program for the Mass will be added to Archstl.org/archbishop this evening.

Please direct any questions to Maria Lemakis at (314) 650-7059 or <u>marialemakis@archstl.org</u>; or Peter Frangie at (314) 258-6444 or <u>peterfrangie@archstl.org</u>.

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