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DATE: October 1, 2011
TO: Pastors, Administrators and PLD's
FROM: Bishop Michael P. Driscoll, MSW, DD
RE: 2011-2012 Holy Days

Catholics are obliged to attend Holy Mass on the following Holy Days of Obligation in 2011:

Tuesday, November 1, 2011	Solemnity of All Saints
Thursday, December 8, 2011	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception
Sunday, December 25, 2011	Solemnity of the Nativity of Our Lord

Catholics are obliged to attend Holy Mass on the following Holy Days of Obligation in 2012:

Sunday, January 1, 2012	Solemnity of Mary the Mother of God
Wednesday, August 15, 2012	Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary
Thursday, November 1, 2012	Solemnity of All Saints
Saturday, December 8, 2012	Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception*
Tuesday, December 25, 2012	Solemnity of the Nativity of the Lord

*The Monday-Saturday rule does not apply to the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, since the Immaculate Conception is the patronal feast of the United States.

Observance of the Ascension of Our Lord, Thursday, May 17, 2012, is transferred to the Seventh Sunday of Easter, May 20, 2012.