



**September 11, 2021 marks 20 years since the terrible events
of that day – a day we remember so well**

On the 20th anniversary weekend, St. Mary Parish will take a moment at all our weekend Masses to remember those who perished that day, especially those who the town of Ridgefield lost. We will pray for them and their family and friends.

Let us remember the victims, their families and survivors dealing with their loss. The impact on individual lives still continues.

On Saturday, September 11th, after the 4:30 PM Mass, I will be attending the town's memorial service at the 9/11 Memorial Monument, located at 195 Danbury Road, Ridgefield, CT (property adjacent to the Rec Center). It begins at 6:00 PM. I hope that many of you will be able to join me. –Msgr. Royal

*O God of love, compassion, and healing, look on us, people of many different faiths and traditions....We ask you in your goodness to give eternal light and peace to all who died here-
- God of peace, bring your peace to our violent world: peace in the hearts of all men and women and peace among the nations of the earth....Grant that those whose lives were spared may live so that the lives lost here may not have been lost in vain.*

Pope Benedict's prayer when he visited the NYC Memorial in April, 2008