

**CELEBRATION OF THE OPENING OF THE JUBILEE YEAR – SUNDAY DECEMBER 29, 2024**

The Solemn Opening of the Jubilee Year will be celebrated in the Archdiocese of St. John's on the afternoon of **Sunday December 29, 2024**. All are invited to attend.

- **Introductory Rite:** 1:00 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall on St. Clare Ave.
- **Pilgrimage Walk:** 1:15 p.m. from the Knights of Columbus Hall to the Basilica
- **Mass of the Feast of the Holy Family:** 2:00 p.m. in the Basilica of St. John the Baptist

***All are invited to participate in any or all parts of this Jubilee celebration.***

People who do not wish, or who are not able, to join in the Pilgrimage Walk are welcome to attend the 2:00 p.m. Mass or to attend the Introductory Rite at 1:00 p.m. and then proceed by car to the Basilica for the 2:00 p.m. Mass. For those who are unable to attend, the Mass will be live-streamed at [www.thebasilica.net](http://www.thebasilica.net).

The Jubilee Year motto is ***Pilgrims of Hope***. All are invited to join in this joyful and hope-filled opening celebration of the Jubilee Year.