

Hello Priests, Deacons, Parish Life Coordinators, Business Managers, Principals & Parish Staff!

The Archdiocese of St. Louis Gun Violence Prevention Task Force (GVPTF) is pleased to present materials to you to honor **Suicide Prevention Awareness Month** in September 2026.

You can find all of the materials via the GVPTF webpage on the archstl.org site at bit.ly/gvptfstl. They are also **available in this [Google Drive Folder](#)**. We realize many offices will soon be sending their bulletins for September out to print, so please **make sure to review this material in time to meet your deadlines**. Please take a moment to look through the details below.

There are bulletin ads, social media posts, and petitions for use with your congregations. Feel free to use once in the month or weekly – whichever suits your needs the best.

Thank you in advance for your help and cooperation in disseminating this important information. Please reach out to the Gun Violence Prevention Task Force if you have any questions, comments, or issues at GVPTF@archstl.org.

Sincerely,

The GVPTF Team