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## UNIVERSITY MEMORANDUM

MEMO NO. : Memo 24-25:74  
DATE : April 23, 2025  
TO : The AdZU Community  
SUBJECT : **Memorial Mass for Pope Francis**

In solemn remembrance of the passing of **Pope Francis**, a **Memorial Mass** will be offered **tomorrow, April 24, 2025, at 11:00 AM** at the **University Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus**. The Mass will be presided by **Fr. Tex B. Paurom, SJ**.

To provide the university community the opportunity to prayerfully honor the Holy Father's life and legacy, **office operations will be suspended from 11:00 AM to 12:00 NN**.

**Classes may be called off at the discretion of faculty members** to allow students to attend the Mass as well. We invite everyone to participate in this communal expression of grief and gratitude.

Let us unite in prayer for the eternal repose of Pope Francis, and in thanksgiving for his profound witness of compassion, humility, and peace.

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**Fr. Rene C. Tacastacas, SJ**  
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