

March TO THE ARCH | 2011



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th
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The March to the Arch is a 21-mile memorial walk that begins in West County and concludes at the base of the Gateway Arch. The walk was started by St. Louis businessman Bo Drochelmann on 9-11-02 when he walked the route by himself in remembrance of those who lost their lives on 9/11—and for all other fallen Americans.

Bo Drochelmann decided to walk the distance at close to four o'clock in the afternoon that day after leaving a note for his wife. **"I just felt I had to do something, and it had to be a sacrifice of some sort,"** Drochelmann said. **"It couldn't be easy.** Writing a check would not be sufficient. I almost needed the physical trauma of the walk to cleanse the hurt and anger. It was a momentary release and a feeling of satisfaction that I did something to show these people that I cared."

There is no cost to participate in this walk. It is simply a walk to celebrate the freedom of America and all those who have died for it. We hope you will join us this year in our trek to the Gateway Arch.

We will be marching again this year on Sunday, September 11th!

Leaving from Mike Duffy's (141 and Clayton Road) at 9:11 am.

Can't walk 21 miles ... that's okay! Join us at any part during the walk. Check out the map with estimated jump on points.

Sign up now at www.MarchToTheArch.com.

Questions: Send an email to info@MarchToTheArch.com.

REST STOPS

Mike Duffy's Pub & Grill - Clayton Road & Woodsmill
Wells Fargo - 10369 Clayton Road
Ladue Fire station - Price Road and Clayton Road
Mike Duffy's Pub & Grill - Clayton Road east of Big Bend, next to the Esquire Theatre
The Art Museum - Forest Park
Tegler Hall on SLU's campus - East of Grand Avenue on Lindell Blvd

You may call 314-609-2256 at any time during the march to find out the current location of the walkers!

