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**METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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**Metropolitan Police Department Remembers Fallen Officers**  
*Memorial Breakfast honors officers killed in the line of duty*

On Wednesday, May 22, 2013, the Metropolitan Police Department, City of St. Louis and the St. Louis Police Foundation will host the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Breakfast. The Memorial Breakfast honors the 164 St. Louis police officers killed in the performance of duty from 1861 to 2011. The Memorial Breakfast begins at 7:30 a.m. at the America's Center.

Mayor Francis Slay will serve as the keynote speaker. Police Chief Sam Dotson will also address attendees. Art Holliday of KSDK will serve as Master of Ceremonies. More than 1,100 invited guests will attend and help pay tribute to those officers who made the ultimate sacrifice.

The Memorial Breakfast is presented by Jeanne and Rex Sinquefield through the St. Louis Police Foundation, a 501c3 organization that provides private support to the Metropolitan Police Department.

**Who: Metropolitan Police Department & St. Louis Police Foundation**  
**What: 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Memorial Breakfast**  
**When: May 22, 2013 at 7:30 a.m.**  
**Where: Grand Ballroom of the America's Center,  
701 Convention Plaza**

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