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Veterans Memorial Shrine to feature an Open House at the New Sterling Chapel and are Re-Dedicating the Vietnam Memorial Wall on Saturday November 9th

Fort Wayne, In. November 9th will be a big day at the Veterans National Memorial Shrine and Museum at 2122 O'Day Road. The Shrine will be celebrating the **opening of the Jeanette Sterling Chapel** located on the memorial grounds across from the Vietnam Memorial Wall. Construction has been completed and there will be a **ceremony starting at 1 pm**. Visitors and veterans alike can tour the new facility throughout the afternoon. The 1,200 sq. ft. chapel will be used for small weddings and memorial services for veterans.

The Vietnam Memorial Wall will be re-dedicatied at 1:30 pm, after being temporarily closed for structural repairs. The 80% replica of the original wall in Washington DC was originally installed in May of 2021. The Board of Directors will be cooking out hot dogs for visitors with a bag a chips and water at no charge, while suppllies last.

Greg Bedford, Commander of the Veterans Memorial is really excited about Veterans Day weekend. "We think Veterans Day weekend is a perfect time to re-dedicate the Vietnam Memorial Wall and open the doors to the public to the Sterling Chapel. It's been a long time coming to complete all the work on the Chapel and now it's time to show it off to the public and all Veterans!"

The Veterans National Memorial Shrine and Museum is open Monday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday every week. 11am to 4pm. The memorial grounds are open 24/7 seven days a week. Admission is free.

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