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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The motto of the Village of Evergreen Park is
3 "Village of Churches"; the Village welcomes and enjoys the
4 presence of many congregations of various religious
5 denominations; and

6 WHEREAS, In 1941, Archbishop Samuel Stritch granted Father
7 Louis Briody the authority to establish the Parish of the Most
8 Holy Redeemer; from a small wooden church, Father Briody, as
9 Pastor, presided over the significant growth of the Parish; and

10 WHEREAS, Succeeding Father Briody, Monsignor Hayes and
11 Fathers Franzen, Devine, Dempsey, Foley, and Hyland have led
12 the congregation of the Parish of the Most Holy Redeemer in
13 prayer and worship; and

14 WHEREAS, The Parish School has served students and
15 exemplary academic instruction and a strong grounding in faith
16 and morals; and

17 WHEREAS, Many families and individuals have supported and
18 stewarded the parish to its place of prominence in the Village;
19 many members who identify as parishioners of Most Holy Redeemer
20 desire to celebrate the 75th anniversary of its founding;
21 therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
3 congratulate the Parish of the Most Holy Redeemer on the
4 occasion of its 75th anniversary and wish them continued
5 success and happiness in the future; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the Parish of the Most Holy Redeemer as a symbol
8 of our esteem and respect.