



# DIOCESE OF GRAND RAPIDS

*Office of the Bishop*

## **Remarks by the Most Reverend Walter A. Hurley on the death of former President Gerald R. Ford**

*“I join the citizens of Grand Rapids and West Michigan in mourning the death of our favorite son and distinguished leader, President Gerald R. Ford. President Ford was a good and decent man who served the people of our nation with distinction during a time of national crisis. In my name and on behalf of the Diocese of Grand Rapids, I extend prayerful condolences to Mrs. Ford and her family. May he know the peace of the Lord whom he served.”*

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