

# **International Buy Your Priest a Beer Day**

SEPTEMBER 9

September 9 is International Buy a Priest a Beer Day. On this festive day, faithful Catholics all over the world take their priests out for a beer and get to know them better. It is a joyous Catholic tradition that goes back to the time of St. Hopswald of Aleyard, the first man to take his priest out for a beer.

Your priest may be busy and unable to schedule in time for a lengthier visit. Instead, you can offer a rosary, holy hour, or much more, and let him know that you are regularly praying for him. At the very least, express to him your gratitude, in person or via a note, for his faithful ministry and his answering of God's call to the priesthood.

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