

## **9/11 MEMORIAL SERVICE**

Our traditional 9/11 ceremony will begin at the first memorial site along the eastbound parking lot at the train station promptly at 6:55 pm on Saturday, September 11, 2021. This memorial consists of a plaque and a tree planted in 2002 that commemorates those who took the train to work on that fateful morning and never came back to Chatham.

At this time (6:55 pm sharp) the Essex County Pipe and Drum Corp will lead a procession across Fairmount Avenue to the second memorial site at Reasoner Park where at 7:15 pm a westbound NJ Transit train will sound its horn in tribute. Immediately after that Taps will be played. This particular memorial is dedicated to all the First Responders (Police, Fire, and EMS) who answered the call on that day and never returned.

We will then continue our march along South Passaic Avenue crossing Main Street to the third and final site behind the library arriving just before 7:30 pm. For those residents wishing to join us there, please arrive by 7:15. This memorial honors the memories of all thirteen souls from the Chathams who perished. There we will have guest speakers along with the Chatham Fire, Police and Emergency Squad members to welcome everyone and recite the names of the Borough residence and six Township residents whose lives were lost on that day twenty years ago.

We would like to invite all residents of the Chathams to attend both Borough and Township.

This event is sponsored by the Chatham 9/11 Memorial Committee – a group of volunteers and receives no municipal funding. Contributions would be warmly welcome so that the three memorial sites can be properly maintained. Contributions can be sent to:

Chatham 9/11 Memorial Foundation  
P.O. Box 42  
Chatham, NJ 07928