



ALASKA COMMERCIAL FISHERMEN'S MEMORIAL IN JUNEAU

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Celebrate commercial fishing in Alaska the *First Saturday in May* at the 33rd annual **BLESSING OF THE FLEET AND READING OF NAMES**

Saturday, May 6th, 2023 - 10:00 A.M.

at the Memorial Wall, next to Taku Fisheries, inside the CT dock. Broadcast on VHF Channel 10
All vessels and persons welcome to participate in the ceremony.

PROGRAM

Invocation & Blessing of the Fleet:	Fr. Gordon Blue, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, assisted by Rev. Dr. Laura Krauss, K̄unéix̄ Hídi Northern Light United Church.
Dedication and Reading of Names:	Carl Brodersen, Alaska Commercial Fishermen's Memorial Board.
Laying of the Wreath: & flower distribution:	The Miller Family, F/V <i>Sentinel</i> . Girl Scout Troop #4018.
Accompaniment:	City of Juneau Pipe Band.
Community Brunch:	Reecia Wilson's <i>The Twisted Fish</i> .

Special thanks to those above, Taku Fisheries, CBJ Docks and Harbors & the Port Director's Office, Martha's Flowers, Superbear, and United Fishermen of Alaska.

2022 NAMES NOW ENGRAVED

CATHERINE GITKOV | JAMES LEWIS | BOB BENNETT | PHILIP ALLEN DANIEL
JAMES E. BEATON | RODNEY W. RISLEY | DUANE R. HAFFNER | MICK A. HAFFNER
KURT DAMON BRODERSEN | ROY M. SMITH | BOB DICKINSON | DON HILEY
MICHAEL "MIKEY" SOFOULIS | NORVAL "OLE" NELSON SR. | GREGORY S. O'CLARAY
EARL S. MCKINLEY

2023 NAMES TO BE ENGRAVED NEXT

CHATHAM MILLER | SANDY DARNELL | STEFAN FRITZ
REUBEN YOST | PEGGY LYNN TURNER

NOTE TO PARTICIPATING SKIPPERS

Assemble in front of the Memorial by 10:00. *Sentinel* will be at Customs Dock. They will cast off, be first to be blessed, lay the wreath, then exit to the Channel. Next closest vessel should circle past to be blessed, exit, and so forth. (Vessels are welcome to raft up inside the dock.)

Gunalchéesh to the Tlingit People,
whose ancestors were the first to feed their families with the gifts of these waters.