

Automated Mutual Assistance Vessel Rescue System
U.S. Coast Guard



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PRAYER VIGIL FOR CREW OF HIJACKED SHIP -Media are invited-

NEW YORK –The United States Coast Guard Amver System and Seamen’s Church Institute are holding a prayer vigil at the Merchant Marine Memorial in Battery Park, New York City at 11:00 am on Friday, April 10, 2009 as a show of support for the crew of the hijacked Maersk Alabama.

Benjamin Strong, Director of the Amver program, and The Reverend Megan Sanders, Port Chaplain of the Seamen’s Church Institute will make remarks.

Additional information about the United States Coast Guard Amver program is available at <http://www.amver.com>.

Additional information about the Seamen’s Church Institute is available at <http://www.seamenschurch.org>.

The Merchant Marine Memorial is located on the west end of Battery Park adjacent to Pier A.

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