

INTERFAITH AIRPORT CHAPELS OF CHICAGO



CHICAGO MIDWAY AND O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORTS

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week of may 7 - 13, 2017

WELCOME TO THE INTERFAITH AIRPORT CHAPELS OF CHICAGO! The O'Hare Airport Chapel and Midway Airport Chapel are each a peaceful oasis in a busy venue. A place to bow your head in prayer while lifting up your heart and spirit! Prayer books and rugs, rosaries, and worship materials are available, as are chaplains for spiritual counsel. You are welcome to attend Mass or Worship services and to come to the chapels (open 24/7) to pray or meditate. May God bless your travels. — Fr. Michael Zaniolo, Administrator



interfaith calendar & events

→ **Buddha Day (Vesakha Puja Day)**, May 10, is the most important festival in Buddhism. On the first full moon day in May, Buddhists all over the world celebrate the birth, enlightenment and death of the Buddha.
→ **Lailatul-Bara'at: Night of Salvation**, May 10: According to Muslim tradition, on this night God approaches the earth to call humanity and to grant forgiveness of sins. → 2017 InterFaith Calendar, Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago

chapel staff birthdays & anniversaries

→ BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS & BEST WISHES go out to **Mrs. Bernice Fortini** May 8, and **Mr. Greg Scharf** May 12. **Fr. Louis Morrone** celebrates his 25th anniversary of ordination May 9; retired ORD chaplain **Fr. John Jannicky** marks his 45th anniversary of ordination May 10, and **Fr. James Kehoe** celebrates his 47th anniversary of ordination May 13.

ord catholic mass intentions

05/06/17 4:00 p.m. • Sandy Morgan req. by Friends
6:00 p.m. † Fr. Edmund Schreiber req. by Carl Coslick
05/07/17 6:30 a.m. † Fr. Jim Wolff req. by Christine Haas
9:00 a.m. † Jack Van Keuren req. by Mike Brennan
11:00 a.m. † Frances (Evan) Koval req. by Fr. Leon Rezula
1:00 p.m. † Dick Thomas req. by Christine Haas
05/08/17 11:30 a.m. † Fr. John Donohue req. by Carl Coslick
05/09/17 11:30 a.m. • Francis "Fran" Gauer req. by Michael Hurley
05/10/17 11:30 a.m. • Fr. John Jannicky req. by Carl Coslick
05/11/17 11:30 a.m. † Michael Quinn req. by Brian Quinn
05/12/17 11:30 a.m. † Jerome J. Kerrigan req. by Anita Dwyer



• Denotes Living/Special Intention † Denotes Deceased/Memorial

mdw catholic mass intentions

05/06/17 4:00 p.m. † Ruth Shay req. by Stephen & Barbara Ohotnicky
05/07/17 9:00 a.m. • Mathiowetz Family req. by Mary Lou Mathiowetz
11:00 a.m. † Ella Nimnic req. by Donald Nimnic
05/08/17 11:30 a.m. † Herman & Helen Honeck req. by Tim Honeck
05/09/17 11:30 a.m. • SMM People
05/10/17 11:30 a.m. † John L. Beyer req. by James C. Beyer
05/11/17 11:30 a.m. • Julie Sniffen req. by Joann Pantages
05/12/17 11:30 a.m. • Intentions of Holy Ghost Parish

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mdw airport chapel

Concourse C, Mezzanine Level
(Inside Security Checkpoint)
ROMAN CATHOLIC MASSES
SATURDAY VIGIL: 4:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Monday—Friday: 11:30 a.m.
Evening before Holy Day: 4:00 p.m.
Holy Day: Check Bulletin Announcements
www.airportchapels.org/holydayschedule.html
PROTESTANT WORSHIP
Saturday: 10:00 a.m., 12:00 & 1:30 p.m.
Sunday: 10:00 a.m., 12:00 noon & 1:30 p.m.
Monday—Friday 10:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

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Terminal 2, Mezzanine Level
(Outside Security Checkpoint)
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11:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m.
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Evening before Holy Day: 5:00 p.m.
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ISLAMIC JUMA' PRAYER
Friday: 1:15 p.m.
PROTESTANT WORSHIP
Sunday: 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon

Rev. Fr. Michael G. Zaniolo, STL, CAC — Administrator/Catholic Chaplain
Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Chicago
Mr. Qazi M. Biabani — Imam Khateeb/Muslim Chaplain
Muslim Community Center of Chicago
Rev. Dr. Hutz H. Hertzberg - Protestant Chaplain
The Moody Church of Chicago
Mrs. Susan E. Schneider, CAP — Office/Business Manager/Fund Raiser
Mr. Michael Brennan — Bulletin Editor



mothers day spiritual bouquet

→ Every year, the O'Hare and Midway Chapels set aside the 9 and 11 a.m. Masses on **Mother's Day, next Sunday, May 14**, for a special **Spiritual Bouquet**. This is one way to prayerfully honor mothers and grandmothers, relatives and friends, living and deceased. Spiritual Bouquet cards will be available on tables just outside the chapels before and after all Masses. Fill out the outer envelope with your offering - **PLEASE PRINT NAMES** — and place it in the collection basket, the safe, or mail it to the chapel.



annual raffle fundraiser underway

→ The **ANNUAL FUNDRAISING RAFFLE** for the Interfaith Airport Chapels of Chicago (O'Hare and Midway Airport Chapels) is underway, featuring **eight terrific prizes!** The prizes include airplane tickets, which are very generously donated by the participating airlines. Winners will be drawn Wednesday, **May 17**.
1st Prize: American Airlines 190,000 AAdvantage Miles



2nd Prize: Dublin, Ireland; courtesy of **Aer Lingus** — POSITIVE SPACE
3rd Prize: United Airlines 50 US States, plus Canada, Caribbean, Mexico & Central America — POSITIVE SPACE ~Plus a One-Night Stay at the Hampton Inn by Hilton Calgary Airport North, hotel courtesy of Airport Accommodations
4th Prize: Anywhere **Southwest Airlines** flies in the contiguous USA— POSITIVE SPACE ~Plus One-Weekend Night Stay at the Sheraton Westport St. Louis Hotel, hotel courtesy of Airport Accommodations
5th Prize: American Airlines 80,000 AAdvantage Miles
6th Prize: Anywhere **JetBlue** flies in the contiguous USA— POSITIVE SPACE ~Plus a One-Weekend Night Stay with Breakfast at **Holiday Inn** Washington Dulles, hotel courtesy of Airport Accommodations
7th Prize: Frontier Airlines Two \$250 Travel Vouchers ~Plus One-Weekend Night Stay, **Holiday Inn Express**, Philadelphia Airport, hotel courtesy of Airport Accommodations
8th Prize: Delta Airlines \$350 gift certificate for travel ~Plus a Three-Night Stay at the **British Colonial Hilton**, Nassau, Bahamas; hotel courtesy **Hilton Chicago O'Hare Airport**
ALL AIRLINE PRIZES ARE ROUND-TRIP TICKETS FOR TWO and are POSITIVE SPACE unless noted. Taxes, fees and fuel surcharges are the responsibility of the prize winner. Some restrictions may apply.
CHANCES \$30.00 EACH / 2 for \$50 / 5 for \$100 / 15 for \$250
Please make checks payable to the "Interfaith Airport Chapels of Chicago"
For information visit www.airportchapels.org.

fourth sunday of easter — may 7, 2017

He himself bore our sins in his body upon the cross, so that, free from sin, we might live for righteousness. — 1 Peter 2:24a

THE CALL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

The Twenty-third Psalm, today's responsorial psalm, is arguably the best known of all the psalms. The line that reads "Even though I walk in the dark valley / I fear no evil; for you are at my side / with your rod and your staff / that give me courage" (Psalm 23:4) connects this week's scriptures to the wonderful story of the road to Emmaus, which we heard last week. The Lord Jesus, our Good Shepherd, is constantly at our side. He calls us each by name, beckoning us into a deeper relationship with him. That call, issued to each of us at the moment of our baptism, carries with it the promise of the Good Shepherd: "I came so that they might have life and have it more abundantly" (John 10:10).



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — All peoples called by God will receive the gift of the Spirit if they repent and are baptized (Acts 2:14a, 36-41). **Psalm** — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23). **Second Reading** — Once we were like straying sheep; but now we have been returned to the shepherd, our guardian (1 Peter 2:20b-25). **Gospel** — The shepherd leads the sheep out into pastures of abundant life (John 10:1-10).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:11-18
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8; Jn 12:44-50
Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27; Jn 13:16-20
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
Sunday: Acts 6:1-7; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19; 1 Pt 2:4-9; Jn 14:1-12

THIS WEEK IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH - FEAST DAYS AND NOTABLE EVENTS IN CHURCH HISTORY

Sunday, May 7, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. JOHN OF BEVERLY (+721)** studied at Canterbury, became a monk at Whitby, was ordained bishop of Hexham and transferred to York as metropolitan, were he ordained **St. Bede** to the priesthood. (B) • In **1993**, airport chaplains and chaplaincy teams from around the world, who had gathered in Rome for the 8th International Seminar of Catholic Civil Aviation Chaplains and Chaplaincy Teams, celebrated Mass with **Pope John Paul II** in his private chapel. Afterwards, the Pope shook hands with everyone and presented each person with a rosary. The seminar's theme was *Ecumenical and Interreligious Relations in Airport Chaplaincies*. Hosted by **Archbishop Giovanni Cheli**, president of the Pontifical Council for the Pastoral Care of Migrants and Itinerant People, the gathering included a Day of Recollection May 4 given by **Cardinal Johannes Willebrands**, President Emeritus of the Council for Promoting Christian Unity. When the Secretariat for Promoting Christian Unity was set up June 5, 1960, by **Pope John XXIII**, Cardinal Willebrands became its secretary (1960-69), and was instrumental throughout the Second Vatican Council (1962-65).



• In **1997**, **FRANCIS CARDINAL GEORGE, O.M.I.**, was installed as the new archbishop of Chicago. The Archbishop was created Cardinal priest on Feb. 21, 1998. He was the eighth Archbishop of Chicago and previously served as Bishop of Yakima and Archbishop of Portland, Oregon. He was born January 16, 1937, in Chicago, and died April 17, 2015.

Monday, May 8, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. BONIFACE IV (+615)** had been a student of St. Gregory the Great in Rome, and as pope was responsible for converting the Roman Pantheon (temple of all gods) into a Christian church, dedicated to our Lady and all martyrs. The Pantheon may be the oldest building in the world in continuous use. (D) • In **1721**, the accession of **Pope Innocent XIII** to the Chair of Peter. He became embroiled in the Chinese Rites controversy with the Jesuits, forbidding them to receive novices if they did not cease the "native rites" movement. ☉ In **1895**, the birth of **ARCHBISHOP FULTON J. SHEEN** in El Paso, Illinois. After being named auxiliary bishop of New York, Bishop Sheen became nationally known as a speaker on "The Catholic Hour," a radio program broadcast weekly on NBC. In 1951, he began his famed half-hour series, *Life is Worth Living*, on the ABC television network. It became one of the top TV programs of the season, brought him an Emmy in 1952, and was on the air for six years, reaching an estimated 30,000,000 people per week! Bishop Sheen later served as the sixth bishop of Rochester, New York, for three years and then retired. He wrote more than 60 books including his autobiography, *Treasure in Clay* (1980). (W)

Tuesday, May 9, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. PACHOMIUS (c. 298-348)**, founder of Cenobitic Monasticism. As a youth, Pachomius was drafted for service in the Egyptian army. During his travels, the troops were befriended by numerous Christians, and the soldier never forgot their kindness. He became a Christian and became one of the greatest Fathers of the Desert; he built several monasteries in Egypt and was the first to write a Rule of monastic life, which became the guidelines for the Rule of St. Benedict written in the sixth century. (D,B,)

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. JOHN OF AVILA (1499-1569)**, friend of St. Ignatius Loyola, spiritual director of **Ss. John of God, Teresa of Avila, Francis Borgia, Peter of Alcantara** and mystic **Louis of Granada**, St. John was a Spanish priest devoted to a life of austerity; he preached so strongly against the rich that he was imprisoned for a time by the Inquisition at Seville. After his release he continued preaching all over Spain and was immensely popular. He spent 40 years of his priestly career evangelizing Andalusia - preaching, writing, directing people and converting sinners. His ascetical writings, chiefly his letters, rank high among the Spanish classics. Canonized in 1970. (B,D,E)

Thursday, May 11, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. MAJOLUS (c. 906-994)**, friend of emperors and popes who several times refused the papacy, was a Benedictine and fourth Abbot of Cluny. He was responsible for the Cluniac monastic reform which spread throughout Europe. Majolus died just over 1,000 years ago, but he is still remembered as "one of the most attractive figures of his age and the warmest of all the abbots of Cluny, striking everywhere an authentic note of holiness. He is considered to have been the most contemplative of all the abbots," in the words of historian Noreen Hunt. Cluny was a French Benedictine monastery founded near Mâcon in Burgundy just about the time Majolus was born. A center of monastic reform during the 10th and 11th centuries, Cluny was known for its concentration on communal prayer and the expansion and elaboration of the liturgy. The monks sang the whole Psalter every week [a liturgical book containing the psalms and biblical canticles used in divine services] and read the whole Bible every year. By the mid-12th century there were more than one thousand Cluniac monasteries. St. Majolus had much to do with promoting the Cluniac reforms. Born in Avignon in 906 - the city which became the seat of the papacy 400 years later [1309-1377, a period known as the "Babylonian Captivity" of the papacy] - Majolus went to live with relatives in Mâcon when his family's large estates in Avignon, to which he was heir, were overrun by

Saracen invaders. He studied philosophy at Lyon under a famous master, Antony, and became archdeacon at Mâcon. While still young, he was pressured to become a bishop, but he refused and became a monk at Cluny. As librarian and bursar, both the copying and collecting of books and day-to-day expenses where his responsibility. His wisdom and prudence became widely known as he journeyed on behalf of the monastery. The chroniclers tells us Majolus was a handsome man with a fine presence who inspired both respect and affection. With his aristocratic background he could handle dealings with rulers of both Church and State. Eventually, when the abbot Aymard died, Majolus succeeded him in 965. Though the emperor Otto II wished him to be pope, Majolus felt the Romans would not be able to agree to this, and besides he was convinced that Cluny was his most important mission. A notable builder, the fine church called Cluny II owes its origin to him. (B,E L) ✠ **ST. FRANCIS DI GIROLAMO (1642-1716)**, a native of southeastern Italy, became a priest in 1666, joined the Jesuits in 1670, and hoped to become a missionary to Japan or India. For 40 years he desired this. But he was told that Naples - close to his home turf - would have to be considered his India or Japan. "Men and women flocked to his confessional; it was said that 400 hardened sinners were reconciled by him each year. He would go to the most neglected and dangerous parts of town, where sometimes he was physically attacked." Francis died in Naples at 74, and was buried in the Jesuit Church of Gesu Nuovo, where his tomb can still be visited, though after WWII his relics were transferred to the Jesuit church in Grottaglie. (L) • In **1816**, the **American Bible Society** was formed by delegates of 35 Bible societies for the sole purpose of increasing the circulation of Holy Scriptures. The first president, Elias Boudinot, served from 1816-1821. In the first year, 6,140 Bibles were distributed. • In **1823**, the birth of **Sr. Irene Fitzgibbon, DC**, in London, England. She began the renowned New York Foundling Hospital for abandoned infants and was its superior for 27 years. (W) • In **1825**, the **American Tract Society** was organized. Still in existence, the society was an outgrowth of about 50 large and small tract societies; interdenominational in character, evangelical in principle, interracial in purpose, and international in scope. It was organized to minister to all classes and conditions of people, in many languages, through the medium of the printed page.

Friday, May 12, 2017

✠ **We Remember: Ss. NEREUS AND ACHILLEUS, ST. PANCRATIUS:** The persecution of Diocletian aimed at eliminating Christianity first from the Roman army. Nereus and Achilleus were recently baptized soldiers. In **304** they died courageously for Christ. Pancras (or Pancratius) underwent martyrdom during the same persecution of Diocletian, perhaps on the same day and year (304) as Nereus and Achilleus. Pancras, only a lad of 14 years, courageously sacrificed his young life for Jesus Christ. (V)

Saturday, May 13, 2017

✠ **We Remember: ST. SERVATIUS (d. 384), Bishop of Tongres in Belgium.** An Armenian by birth, he defended St. Athanasius and provided him a place of refuge. ✠ **BL. JULIAN OF NORWICH (c. 1342 - c. 1420)**, long venerated for the depths of spiritual insight displayed in her **Book of Showings (also known as Revelations of Divine Love)**. An English mystic, she lived a life of solitude as an anchoress; at age 30, seemingly near death due to illness, she received **sixteen mystical visions** on the Passion of Christ and the Trinity, described in the book mentioned above. "Through the development of images of the Creator as father and mother, of Jesus as brother, savior, and mother, and of the Spirit as spouse, Julian faced the reality of sin, the struggle between good and evil, and the mercy of God, particularly experienced in the Church's sacramental celebrations. Julian created a unique language combining special words and images to develop her mystical doctrines. At the time of her death her reputation for sanctity was already widespread. Visitors from all over Europe were attracted to her monastic cell. Although she is popularly called *Blessed*, there has never been any formal ecclesiastical confirmation of this title. However, those devoted to her memory and example observe May 13 as her feast day." (E) ■ In **1792**, the birth of **POPE PIUS IX** in Senigallia, Italy. His tremendous popularity was partly responsible for the acceptance of papal infallibility. • In **1981**, **POPE JOHN PAUL II** was shot twice at close range while riding in an open automobile in St. Peter's Square at the Vatican. Two other persons also were wounded. An escaped terrorist, Mehmet Ali Agca, was arrested and convicted July 22, 1981. After convalescence, Pope John Paul II was pronounced recovered by his doctors Aug. 14, 1981. He forgave Mehmet, meeting with him in jail.

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