

Interfaith Airport Chapels of Chicago

Chicago Midway and O'Hare International Airports



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Week of October 16 — October 22, 2022

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. Know that you & your families are always in my prayers. May God bless your travels.

Fr. Michael Zaniolo

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Interfaith Calendar & Events

→ **Avathrem Gahambar**, Oct. 16: a Zoroastrian fall festival in honor of the plant and vegetable kingdom, observed Oct. 12-16, concludes.

→ **Shemini Atzeret: Eight Day of Assembly**, Oct. 17: Jewish observance features prayers for rain and good harvest for the coming year. Begins sundown Oct. 16.

→ **Simchat Torah: Rejoicing with the Torah**, Oct. 18, is a joyous Jewish festival in which the reading cycle of the Torah is completed and its first book begun again. Symbolized by singing, dancing, and marching around the Synagogue with Torah schools. Begins at sundown Oct. 17.

→ **Vassa (Rains Retreat Observance)** ends: July 25—October 21, a three month retreat observed by Theravada (or southern) Buddhist monks to train and concentrate themselves in Dhamma study, meditation practice, and giving religious services to the people.

→ Source: The 2022 Interfaith Calendar, Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago



ORD Airport Chapel Catholic Mass Intentions

- 10/15/22 4:00 p.m. † Lorraine Feord req. by Friends
6:00 p.m. • Daniel J. Allen req. by K.L. Allen
† Patricia O'Connell req. by George & Dolores Salituro
† Clarice Buccell req. by The Daly Family
- 10/16/22 9:00 a.m. • Albert & Mary Ferraresi 50th Wedding Anniv— Fr. Leon Rezula
11:00 a.m. † Bob Gozdecki req. by Jerry Rymut
† Anonymous req. by The Daly Family
• Cynthia De Simone req. by Dolores (Dolly) Markech
- 10/17/22 11:30 a.m. † Vincent J. Rybicki, Sr. (1 yr anniv) req. by Brennan Family
10/18/22 11:30 a.m. † Liz Laoquiere req. by Lawrence
10/19/22 11:30 a.m. † Esther Panousopoulos req. by Liliana & Oscar Vera
10/20/22 11:30 a.m. † Anthony J. "Tony" Casica, Sr. req. by Rev. Leon Rezula
10/21/22 11:30 a.m. † Alice J. Heedt req. by Judy Heedt Diehl

• Denotes Living/Special Intention † Denotes Deceased/Memorial

MDW Airport Chapel Catholic Mass Intentions

- 10/16/22 9:00 a.m. † Pat Switzer req. by Chatal Bechara
11:00 a.m. • Patty Golding req. by Dana Potts
† Nora Keff, Lena Cosgrove
† Mary & Stephen Whyte

• Denotes Living/Special Intention † Denotes Deceased/Memorial

MDW Airport Chapel

Concourse C, Mezzanine Level
(Inside Security Checkpoint)

Catholic Mass: Sundays - 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Protestant Worship:

Sundays - 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon

Monday thru Thursday

10:00 a.m., 12 noon & 1:30 p.m.

Friday - 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., 12 noon



You can also find our regular schedule, weekly bulletin, and other information at
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ORD Airport Chapel

Terminal 2, Mezzanine Level
(Outside Security Checkpoint)

Catholic Mass: Saturdays - 4:00 & 6:00 p.m.

Sundays - 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.

Weekdays - 11:30 a.m.

Islamic Juma' Prayer

Friday: 1:15 p.m.

PROTESTANT WORSHIP—See Website for Schedule

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Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time — October 16, 2022

I lift up my eyes toward the mountains; whence shall help come to me? My help is from the LORD, who made heaven and earth. — *Psalm 121:1-2*

PERSISTENCE

Exodus recounts the journey of the Israelites out of slavery in Egypt to the land promised to their ancestors. It was not an easy journey. In today's reading, they are attacked by Amalek and his soldiers, members of one of the peoples who live in the land through which the Israelites are traveling. Moses was on the hilltop with his arms raised to invoke the LORD's assistance in the battle below, a powerful illustration of the LORD's favor upon Israel. If the soldiers were to lift up their eyes to that hill (see Psalm 121:1), they would be reassured by



Moses's presence and posture. Paul urges the Thessalonians to persist in proclaiming the gospel, and Jesus likewise commends the widow for her persistence in pursuit of the justice due her. Whether they preach or pray, the followers of Jesus need persistence through periods of difficulty. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — As long as Moses' hands were kept uplifted, Joshua and his men had the better part of the battle with Amalek (Exodus 17:8-13). **Psalm** — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121). **Second Reading** — Remain faithful; proclaim the word; be persistent whether it is convenient or not (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2).

Gospel — God will secure the rights of the chosen who call out day and night (Luke 18:1-8).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 12:13-21
Tuesday: 2 Tm 4:10-17b; Ps 145:10-13, 17-18; Lk 10:1-9
Wednesday: Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd-6; Lk 12:39-48
Thursday: Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19; Lk 12:49-53
Friday: Eph 4:1-6; Ps 24:1-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59
Saturday: Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-5; Lk 13:1-9
Sunday: Sir 35:12-14, 16-18; Ps 34:2-3, 17-19, 23; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18; Lk 18:9-14

PRAYER OF THE WEEK

Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Almighty ever-living God, grant that we may always conform our will to yours and serve your majesty in sincerity of heart. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

When do I resist conforming my will to God's?

All Souls Day Commemoration

→ A special Purgatorial Society for **All Souls Day**, Wednesday, Nov. 2, will be offered by the O'Hare Chapel. The Feast of All Souls commemorates all the Faithful Departed and is a day of memorials and remembrance. Envelopes saying "All Souls' Day - Remembrance of Our Beloved Dead," with lines on the back for you to list intentions, will be available on tables outside the chapel. You may drop your envelope in the collection basket or the donation safes just outside the chapel. • HarperCollins *Dictionary of Religion* defines purgatory as "the Roman Catholic belief in a temporal place or condition for souls who, after death, need purification before entering heaven. The teachings were defined at the Church Councils of Lyons (1274) and Florence (1439). Practices evolved of offering Mass for the souls in purgatory along with private prayers and works of piety (e.g., indulgences, almsgiving, fasting) on their behalf. Protestant denominations do not accept the doctrine; Eastern Orthodox Christianity accepts it with some differences from Roman Catholicism." The belief that prayers for the dead are efficacious can be found in the Second Book of Maccabees (12:39-45), regarded by Catholics as canonical.

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This Week in the Life of the Church - feast days and notable events in church history

Sunday, October 16, 2022

✠ **We Remember: ST. HEDWIG (1174-1243); ST. MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE (1647-1690), and ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE** all share this feast day. St. Hedwig was a Polish noblewoman who lived a life of remarkable humility, caring for the poor and sick. She was educated in a monastery of Benedictine nuns, where she developed a love for Scripture, and by the age of 12, she married Henry I, with whom she had seven children. Generous in giving most of her income to charity, St. Hedwig prevailed upon her husband to found a monastery of Cistercian nuns at Trebnitz, and she retired there when her husband died. She died **Oct. 15, 1243**, and was canonized in **1267**. (S) ✠ **ST. MARGARET MARY ALACOQUE**, born in Burgundy, joined the **Visitation Order** in **1671**, and though suffering greatly due to health problems, she made her profession the following year. From a revelation made to her by our Lord in **1675**, she was led to enter upon her work, the spreading of public and liturgical devotion to the Sacred Heart. The Lord also asked her to receive Communion on the first Friday of each month and to make reparation for the sins committed against him. St. Margaret Mary suffered much opposition until a friend of hers became superior; thus on **June 21, 1686**, the feast of the **Sacred Heart** was celebrated in the convent for the first time. St. Margaret Mary died **Oct. 17, 1690**, and was canonized in **1920**. Ultimately, in **1856**, the feast was extended to the universal Church by **Pope Pius XI**, and raised to a **solemnity** in **1929**. In **1873**, France was consecrated to the Sacred Heart, and the basilica of Sacre Couer was built in the Montmartre district of Paris.

✠ **ST. MARGUERITE D'YOUVILLE**, wife and mother, foundress of the Grey Nuns, who died in 1771. She was beatified by Pope John XXIII in 1959 and canonized in 1990 by Pope John Paul II.

• Today in **1978**, the first non-Italian pope in **456 years**, **Cardinal Karol Wojtyla** of Poland, was elected—**St. Pope John Paul II**.

Monday, October 17, 2022

✠ **We Remember:** "Where the bishop is, there is the Christian community, just as where Christ is, there is the Catholic Church," said **ST. IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH (50-107?)**. He was the third bishop of Antioch, which had once been the scene of Peter's ministry; it is the city in which Christians were first called by that name. In addition, St. Ignatius is thought to be the first person to speak of the Church as "the Catholic Church." A prolific writer, he suffered martyrdom in the Coliseum, devoured by two fierce lions. (S,D)

Tuesday, October 18, 2022

✠ **We Remember: ST. LUKE the Evangelist** was a Greek of Antioch and a physician by profession, who became a fellow worker of **St. Paul** and remained with him till the great apostle's martyrdom. St. Luke wrote the third Gospel and the Acts of the Apostles. He died a natural death at age **84**. He is the patron of doctors, together with **Cosmas** and **Damian**, and also of painters, because he is said to have painted an icon of the Blessed Virgin Mary. St. Luke rejected the concept of Christianity as a religion for the elite and insisted that Jesus is the friend of publicans and sinners. He presents the Church as a community in which all things are shared in common. (S,B)

Wednesday, October 19, 2022

✠ **We Remember: ST. ISAAC JOGUES (1607-1646); ST. JOHN DE BREBEUF (1593-1649) AND COMPANIONS; ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS (1694-1775)**. Between **1642** and **1649**, eight French Jesuit missionaries became the first **Martyrs of North America**. They were the first missionaries to go to Canada following its discovery by the Europeans in **1534**. They preached the gospel to the **Iroquois** and **Huron Indians**, and after being tortured, they were martyred in the area of what is now Auriesville, New York. Ten years after the martyrdom of St. Isaac Jogues, **St. Kateri Tekawitha** was born in the same village in which he died. These martyrs are co-patrons of Canada. (S)

✠ **ST. PAUL OF THE CROSS**, founder of the **Passionists**, was inspired by a series of visions to found a religious order dedicated to the passion of Our Lord, and did so in **1720**. The first general chapter was held in **1747**. Born near Genoa of a family of merchants, St. Paul from his youth had been a devout Christian and practiced austerity. Ultimately he was ordained a priest in **1727**, along with his brother, in St. Peter's Basilica, by **Pope Benedict XIII**. He died in **1775** at the age of 80. (B,S) ✠ Today, Oct. 19, is also the anniversary of the death of **ST. PHILIP HOWARD** in **1595** in London. One of the **40 Martyrs of England and Wales**, he was the Earl of Arundel and son of the Duke of Norfolk. He was raised a Protestant and graduated from Cambridge University. He was also married, in an arrangement made for him at age 12, to Anne Dacres. In **1581**, he heard a debate between the future Jesuit saint and martyr, **EDWARD CAMPION**, and a group of Protestant theologians. He was so impressed by Fr. Campion's learning and zeal that he and his wife converted to Catholicism. Philip had been serving in the Court of Queen Elizabeth I and, being one of her favorite courtiers, the news of his conversion caused a great uproar and vows of vengeance. Obeying a government order to make a diplomatic visit, the couple left for Europe. The

order was a ruse. An enraged Queen Elizabeth had Philip arrested at sea and returned to London. He would never see his wife again nor the son she bore him after his imprisonment. He was sentenced to death for the treason of praying that Spain would conquer England. The sentence was never carried out. St. Philip languished in prison for ten years before dying of the harsh regimen. He was 38. (W)

Thursday, October 22, 2021

✠ **We Remember: ST. BERTILLA BOSCARDIN (1888-1922)**, a humble farm girl born in Northern Italy, she became a nun (a member of a religious congregation called Teachers of St. Dorothy, Daughters of the Sacred Hearts) and attained such heights of sanctity that she became a canonized saint in **1961**. She earnestly devoted her life of obedience to the service of the sick and of children.

Friday, October 21, 2022

✠ **We Remember: ST. HILARION (c.291-371)** was an Abbot, Hermit and Ascetic, a fascinating desert saint whose biography was written by **St. Jerome** in **391**. Hilarion patterned his life after **St. Anthony of Egypt**, with whom he stayed for several months. He later returned to Palestine and his home in Gaza, where he began his hermitage. The simplicity and austerity of this desert saint is revealed in his last will and testament, where he bequeathed his riches: "...his book of Gospels, a sackcloth shirt, hood, and a little cloak." • In **1097**, the Crusaders first arrived at Antioch.

Saturday, October 22, 2021

✠ **We Remember: St. JOHN PAUL II (1920-2005)**, the first Polish pope and the most widely traveled in the history of the papacy. **Karol Jozef Wojtyla** was born in Wadowice, Poland, the youngest child of a school-teacher and a retired army officer. He was an active young man, an athlete and an outdoorsman, whose passions were poetry, philosophy, and the theater. Much of his advanced education was obtained underground after the Nazi invasion of Poland in 1939. He was ordained a priest in 1946, a bishop in 1958, and appointed archbishop of Krakow in 1964. He was elevated to the College of Cardinals in 1967, at 47 its youngest member. When Cardinal Wojtyla was elected the 264th successor of Peter in 1978, he became the youngest pope since Pius IX a hundred years before, the first Polish pope, and the first non-Italian pope since **Adrian IV** in the 16th century. John Paul circled the globe, logging over a million miles and visiting every continent except Antarctica. He opened dialogues with Protestant denominations; made a pilgrimage to Auschwitz; and visited a Jewish synagogue and a Muslim mosque. He made pilgrimages to Orthodox countries where no pope had ever before set foot. On **May 13, 1981**, 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. His legacy to the Church includes more than a dozen encyclicals, as well as scores of apostolic letters, constitutions and exhortations. He beatified and canonized more than 1000 men and women from all walks of life and greeted hundreds of millions of the faithful through his travels and papal audiences. He was tireless in his work for the poor and powerless, speaking out against war, economic injustice, political oppression, and what he called the industrialized world's "culture of death." Pope John Paul II's ultimate homily was probably his own life – a life characterized by a charismatic, heartfelt prayer, moral vision, global evangelism, tireless advocacy for human dignity and political and religious freedom, and unshakable faith. He was canonized, with **Pope John XXIII**, on **April 27, 2014**.

✠ **ST. PHILIP** was a bishop of Heraclea near Constantinople; Severus was his deacon; Eusebius and Hermes, two of his clergy. During the persecution of Diocletian, they were all arrested and brought to trial. It was demanded that they should deliver up the **sacred books of the church** to be burnt. On their refusal, they were taken to Adrianopolis and burnt at the stake (**304**). There exists a copy of the legal process instituted against them, a document of undeniable authenticity. ✠ **TODAY IN 1967**, the Canon of the Mass (the Eucharistic Prayer) was said in English for the first time. It had been said only in Latin for **1400 years**.

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