

# Interfaith Airport Chapels of Chicago

Chicago Midway and O'Hare International Airports

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## Week of October 20 – 26, 2019

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



### Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time – October 20, 2019

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

Today's readings are about persistence, passionate persistence. Exodus tells of a battle won despite weariness because Moses, with help from Aaron and Hur, held his hands raised. Timothy asks that same persistence of his community and us. Luke tells of a court case won by a widow, despite the dishonesty of the judge, because she will not leave him alone. The psalm reminds us that God is everywhere, guarding us from harm day and night, coming and going, now and forever. The readings are about persistence, the relentless, unwavering pursuit of what must not be lost. The readings are about God's passionate persistence in pursuing us, seeking to win our hearts. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.



### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight (Exodus 17:8-13). **Psalm** — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121). **Second Reading** — Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2). **Gospel** — Will not God secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? (Luke 18:1-8).

### READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rom 4:20-25; Lk 1:69-75; Lk 12:13-21  
 Tuesday: Rom 5:12, 15b, 17-19, 20b-21; Ps 40:7-10, 17; Lk 12:35-38  
 Wednesday: Rom 6:12-18; Ps 124:1b-8; Lk 12:39-48  
 Thursday: Rom 6:19-23; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 12:49-53  
 Friday: Rom 7:18-25a; Ps 119:66, 68, 76-77, 93-94; Lk 12:54-59  
 Saturday: Rom 8:1-11; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; 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

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Although the hours of daylight are rapidly dwindling, many people would say that these October days bring the year's most splendid weather. Americans are riders and joggers, not strollers, and so the pleasures of the season are often lost on us. This is not the case with many Jewish people, who observe an ancient rule in walking to synagogue on the Sabbath. On city streets and suburban sidewalks in many cities, we may notice around sunset the nicely dressed families walking and chatting on Friday afternoon. After a short prayer at dusk, the families stroll home again for a relaxing and festive meal. They return to synagogue in the morning, and then spend an afternoon in family leisure until three stars appear in the night sky and Sabbath ends.

Catholics, on the other hand, pile into the car and drive even a short distance to Mass; some even divide the family to participate at different hours. For Jews, the leisurely walk marks a dividing line between hectic life commitments and a day of abundant joy and enrichment. Before we became an automobile culture, Catholics embraced a similar pace, and in most places walked to church. These lovely days of fall invite us to tap into an old and life-giving tradition. If you live within a mile of your church, walk next week. If you must drive, park at a good distance and walk the rest of the way. Talk about your life, greet strangers, notice the crunch of leaves under your shoes. You may be surprised at how different Sunday Mass feels when it is framed by leisure! — James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

### FRAGRANT FORGIVENESS

Forgiveness is the fragrance a violet sheds on the heel that has crushed it. — Mark Twain

## Wings of Vision Banquet this Friday!

THE O'HARE WINGS OF VISION 23RD ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET, a major fundraiser for the Interfaith Airport Chapels of Chicago, will be held this **Friday, Oct. 25**, at Café La Cave, 2777 Mannheim Road, Des Plaines, with cocktails and raffle sales at **5:00 p.m. and dinner at 6:30 p.m.** Seats are \$75; a table of 12 is \$900.

**Jamie L. Rhee**, Chicago Department of Aviation Commissioner, will be honored with the **2019 Executive Service Award**. The **2019 Superior Service Award** will be presented at the banquet to an individual nominated from the airport community.

The O'Hare Wings of Vision Award is awarded to a person who has provided a significant contribution to the O'Hare Airport community, exemplified in years of sincere dedication and friendly willingness to be of service to all at the airport — an example to all who work to make Chicago O'Hare International Airport the finest in the world. For more information, contact Susan Schneider at **773-686-2636**.



### Interfaith Calendar & Events

→ **Simchat Torah: Rejoicing with the Torah**, Tuesday, **Oct. 22** (begins at sundown Monday), is a joyous 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.  
 → **October 24: Martyrdom Day of Guru Tegh Bahadur** (Sikh), Anniversary of the Guru Tegh Bahadur in 1675, the ninth guru.



→ Source: **The 2019 Interfaith Calendar, Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago**

### ORD CATHOLIC MASS INTENTIONS

**10/19/19 4:00 p.m.** † Barb Farmer req. by Ed & Phyllis Louis  
**6:00 p.m.** • Jolane Peplow req. by James J. Strzyz  
**10/20/19 6:30 a.m.** † Staff Sgt. Dylan Elchin  
**9:00 a.m.** • Intentions of Holy Ghost Parish  
**11:00 a.m.** † Susan G. Casica req. by Fr. Leon Rezula  
**1:00 p.m.** † Brian J. Allen req. by Katherine L. Allen  
**10/21/19 11:30 a.m.** † Thomas H. Daly, Jr. req. by John & Theresa Daly  
**10/22/19 11:30 a.m.** • Respect for Life req. by Robert Kurtz  
**10/23/19 11:30 a.m.** † Brian J. Allen req. by Katherine L. Allen  
**10/24/19 11:30 a.m.** • Intentions of Holy Ghost Parish  
**10/25/19 11:30 a.m.** † Giulio Cecchin req. by Aida Zaniolo

• Denotes Living/Special Intention † Denotes Deceased/Memorial

### MDW CATHOLIC MASS INTENTIONS

**10/19/19 4:00 p.m.** † Brian J. Allen req. by Katherine L. Allen  
**10/20/19 9:00 a.m.** • Communion Service  
**11:00 a.m.** • Communion Service  
**10/21/19 11:30 a.m.** † Fr. Phil Cioffi req. by Linda M. Bendixen & Family  
**10/22/19 11:30 a.m.** † Baby Amelia  
**10/23/19 11:30 a.m.** † Brian J. Allen req. by Katherine L. Allen  
**10/24/19 11:30 a.m.** • Intentions of Holy Ghost Parish  
**10/25/19 11:30 a.m.** † Elaine Fields req. by Denise McLane

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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



# This Week in the Life of the Church – Feast Days and Notable Events in Church History

**Sunday, October 20, 2019**

✠ **We Remember: ST. BERTILLA BOSCARDIN (1888-1922)**, a humble farm girl born in Northern Italy, 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.

**Monday, October 21, 2019**

✠ **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**, Crusaders first arrived at Antioch.

**Tuesday, October 22, 2019**

✠ **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 264<sup>th</sup> 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 16<sup>th</sup> 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.

✠ 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**.

**Wednesday, October 23, 2019**

✠ **We Remember:** People in the United States know that each year, the swallows return to **San Juan Capistrano**, a mission in California. But who was the man for whom the mission is named? **St. John (1386-1456)** was born in Capistrano, Italy, and began life as a lawyer, married (but was widowed at age 30), and became governor of Perugia in the Papal States in **1412**. Taken prisoner when his province was conquered, John had a vision in which St. Francis of Assisi invited him to enter the Franciscan Order, which he did in 1418, becoming a life-long friend of St. Bernardine of Siena. His whole religious life was spent as a papal legate to various states, including Sicily, Palestine, Milan, France, Austria, Bavaria, Poland, Bohemia and Silesia. He is most remembered for his work in Bohemia, and for the part he played inspiring the heroic resistance of the Hungarians to the Turks, who had conquered Constantinople, attacked the fortress at Belgrade (in **1456**), and threatened Europe with onslaught. (B,S,D)

• In **1900**, the birth of **Valerian Cardinal Gracias** in Karachi, Pakistan. He became the first native cardinal of India and was Archbishop of Bombay.

**Thursday, October 24, 2019**

✠ **We Remember:** "When I am before the Blessed Sacrament I feel such a lively faith that I cannot describe it. Christ in the Eucharist is almost tangible to me. To kiss his wounds continually and embrace him. When it is time for me to leave I have to tear myself away from his sacred presence," said **St. Anthony Mary Claret (1807-1870)**. Today's saint started life as a weaver, but entered the priesthood in **1835** and devoted himself to missionary work among the people, helped by a group of priests, whom he formed into the institute of the *Missionary Sons of the Immaculate Heart of Mary* - today called the Claretians. Anthony was ordained bishop of Santiago de Cuba, and in **1856** was made confessor to Queen Isabella II and was exiled with her in **1868**. Both in Cuba and in Spain he encountered the hostility of the Spanish anti-clerical politicians. He had the gifts of prophecy and miracles. Canonized in 1950. The Claretians today are devoted to missionary, parochial, educational and retreat work. They are the publishers of *U.S. Catholic* magazine, headquartered in Chicago. ✠ In **1846**, **St. Vincent Archabbey**, the first Benedictine House in the U.S., opened in Latrobe, Pa. Eighteen men were invested in the religious habit. The Archabbey was begun by monks from Bavaria, Germany. (W)

**Friday, October 25, 2019**

✠ **We Remember: St. Gaudentius (c.410)** was a monk at Caesarea in Cappadoci. Gaudentius was recalled to Brescia to succeed St. Philastrius as bishop and was ordained by **St. Ambrose (c.387)**. In **405** he was sent to the East to defend the cause of **St. John Chrysostom** and was imprisoned near Thrace; he died shortly thereafter. (B,L)

**Saturday, October 26, 2019**

✠ **We Remember: St. Evaristus (c.109)**. Nothing is certain about this very early pope, traditionally of Hellenic-Jewish background. Honored as a martyr, Evaristus followed **St. Pope Clement I**, serving the Church from **c. 100-109**. (B) ✠ In **1645**, of the deaths of Archbishop Malachy O'Queely, Fr. Tadgh O'Connell, OSA, and Fr. Augustine O'Higgin, OSA, near Sligo in Ireland. Archbishop O'Queely was the head of the Archdiocese of Tuam. The two priests were Augustinians, with Fr. O'Connell serving as secretary to the archbishop. All three men murdered by Parliamentary troops under Oliver Cromwell's persecution of the Irish Church. (W) • In **1987**, **Pope John Paul II** hosted a gathering of world religious figures in Assisi, Italy.



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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  
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### **PROTESTANT WORSHIP**

Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

Friday & Holidays: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Saturday & Sunday: 10:00 a.m., 12:00, and 1:30 p.m.

## **ORD Airport Chapel**

Terminal 2, Mezzanine Level  
(Outside Security Checkpoint)

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### **ISLAMIC JUMA' PRAYER**

Friday: 1:15 p.m.

### **PROTESTANT WORSHIP**

See Website for Schedule